

Dear Members and Friends,

As the festive season is upon us, I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their support and encouragement over the first couple of months of my captaincy and in particular the 2 years of my tenure as Vice Captain.

I would like to thank all the staff at our Club for their hard work to keep the Club running smoothly with their tireless effort to ensure that all members and visitors are treated professionally and with respect.

A special mention must go to Richard and his greens staff for maintaining the course in great condition throughout the year despite some very difficult weather conditions. Our Club professional Mick and his staff for providing a quality service with competitive pricing and the coaching facilities.

I would like to thank Alex and staff of 4 seasons catering for their excellent service and quality of the food.

Also The Board of Directors for giving up their time to attend meetings and take on the various tasks required to ensure the Club runs as smoothly as possible. A special mention for Steve Denman my Vice Captain, his enthusiasm is fantastic. Barry Pearce for his invaluable support and Steve and Jan for their organisation skills in helping with "The Drive In " and " Captain's Away Day ". Invaluable thanks very much!

And of course to all the members who continue to support the Club in various ways by participating in both male and female inter club competitions representing Shirley Park to the highest standards.

And finally I'd like to wish you and your families a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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