



FROST POLICY – START SHEET DELAYS

DURING PREVIOUS WINTERS, IT HAS BEEN THE POLICY OF THE CLUB TO DELAY PLAY WHEN THE FROST IS DEEMED TO CAUSE DAMAGE TO THE GREENS AND CONSEQUENTLY THE START TIMES FOR EITHER FRIENDLY PLAY OR COMPETITIONS WOULD BE DELAYED.

WITH THE NUMBER OF DAYS THAT MEMBERS HAVE HAD TO SUFFER WITH THE TWO LOCKDOWNS, THE CLUB HAVE DECIDED TO FOREGO DELAYS THIS YEAR IN AN ATTEMPT TO GET MORE MEMBERS PLAYING, EVEN THOUGH THERE MAY STILL BE FROST ON THE GREENS.

THEREFORE, WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT, THE FROST DELAY POLICY IS CHANGED TO REFLECT THIS. IN FUTURE, IF THE PREVIOUS DECISION WOULD HAVE BEEN TO DELAY, THEN THE COURSE WILL REMAIN OPEN. THERE MAY WELL BE TIMES, FOR SAFETY REASONS, THAT THE COURSE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY, BUT THESE ARE VERY RARE, AND WILL BE ADVISED TO MEMBERS VIA THE USUAL METHODS.

WE HOPE MEMBERS WILL APPRECIATE THE CONCESSION TOWARDS ALLOWING PLAY, ESPECIALLY AFTER THIS YEAR'S ENFORCED GOVERNMENT CLOSURES. THE GREENS WILL CONTINUALLY BE MONITORED FOR EXCESSIVE DAMAGE AND IF NECESSARY, THE POLICY WILL BE REVISITED.

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