# CARTON HOUSE MEN'S GOLF CLUB

# ANNUAL REPORT 2020

### presented 26<sup>th</sup> Jan 2021

PLEASE BE PATIENT MEETING WILL COMMENCE WHEN A QUORUM IS REACHED AND ANNOUNCED



David Gantly Hon Secretary



### **Remember Past Friends**

 Deceased members & relatives: moment silence & condolences to all members who have lost a loved one in 2020



Willie Coonan, past captain





# AGM Agenda 2020

- AGM Introduction (David & Allen)
  - Objectives of the AGM
  - Voting process overview
  - Minutes of 2019 AGM
- Committee Reports
  - Competitions (Seamus Lynch)
  - Handicaps (Gerry Murray)
  - Social (Vinny Lyons)
  - Juniors (Ronan Heavey)
  - Communications (Allen Corcoran)
  - Interclub (TJ Kelly)
  - Finance (Seamus Thompson) & Ratification of accounts via vote
- Election of Officers/Committee 2020 (David)
  - Members proposed motions
- Captains Address & Meeting Close (Pat)
  - Key dates for 2021



### **AGM Objectives**

- Establish that we have a quorum, 50 members
- Presentation of Annual Reports and Financial Report to the members
- Approve the Auditors report for 2020
- Approve the proposed accountants for 2021
- Approve incoming Committee for 2021
- Approve the levy change for 2021 & 2022
- Vote on any submitted proposals



### **AGM Questions Submitted**

- 15 members submitted questions
- Synopsis of the key and common points raised detailed in last Fridays newsletter on January 22nd
- All unanswered questions have now been taken on by the relevant owners, e.g
  - Competitions sub committee
  - Tee times sub committee (new initiative between club and Jason)
  - Council (for Carton owned issues fees, walkways, car park etc)
- All updates and answers to questions will be surfaced via the newsletter as they become available or via Carton directly through their communications
- Please feel free to email in any subsequent key questions you have to <u>secretary@cartonhousemembers.com</u> if not already noted to date



### **AGM Voting Process**

Walk attendees through the process

- Votes start at certain points in the presentation
- Your screen will then change to show the vote in question and you will have 2 options:
  - to approve or
  - to reject each vote presented
- We'll keep voting open for 1 minutes at each vote or until everyone on the meeting has cast their vote
- Presentation resumes when organizer closes the vote



- Vote 1 Adoption of 2019 AGM Minutes
  - Proposed by: David Gantly
  - Seconded by: Gerry Murray
- Vote Yes to approve the 2019 AGM minutes, posted on the website on 28/1/2020

Vote No - to reject the minutes as published



# **Competitions Report 2020**

Seamus Lynch Competitions Secretary



# **Competitions Report 2020**

### **Competitions Overview**

- Significant lockdown periods: mid-March to June; August; October to November
- Competitions played Weekend (20), Midweek (28, including 9-holers)
- Lots of social / "sweep" golf (qualifying, but no prizes) played instead of competitions, due to travel restrictions
- Matchplays fourball and singles progressed to 3<sup>rd</sup> rounds; yet to be decided if can be completed in 2021

### Key Events & Winners

- Winter League, 4 Jan 1 Mar: 9 rounds, mixture of singles and foursomes
   Winner Joe Sartini
- Vice-Captain's Prize, 25/26 July: 231 entries. Winner David Bueffel
- Medals 2 in total. Winners: July John Giblin; September David Sheill
- Scratch Cup Winners: Senior Darragh Flynn; Junior John Lucid; Intermediate - Bernard Cronin; Minor - Allen Corcoran
- Winter League, Medal and Scratch Cup awards will be presented at some stage in 2021 when social restrictions eased.

# **Competitions Report 2020**

### **Key Changes**

- Covid-19 safety priorities changes to competition procedures, particularly scorecard completion and return
- HowDidiDo app sign-in and score entry
- World Handicap system (WHS) Handicap index, Course Handicap, Playing Handicap, Handicap conversion tables for shortened course.

### Just a reminder...

- No double bookings over Saturday/Sunday competition times
- Avoid no shows / late cancellations
- Sign in before play, complete scorecard (with handicap, signature and verifier/marker name noted), input scorecard onto app and return to bin.

### Many thanks to

- Jason and all his Golf Operations staff
- Members participation and support
- Competitions Sub-Committee: Danny Byrne, Allen Corcoran, Tom Healy, Eamonn Kelly, John Lucid, Michael Maher, Billy Makim, Paul Mimnagh, Dave Keenan, Paul Mullarkey, Pat Doyle.
- Men's Committee Captain Pat, Vice-Captain Sheamus, and all Committee members for their support, and for their work on behalf of the membership in the running of the golf club.
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# Handicaps Report 2020

Gerry Murray Handicap Secretary



# Handicaps Report 2020

- Handicap Committee Gerry Murray (Handicap Secretary), Joe Foley, John Ennis.
- The Handicap Committee met six times this year. One meeting covered the Continuous Handicap Review process while five meetings were held in the context of the introduction of the World Handicap System on November 2nd.
- It's worth spending a little time on the WHS. Prior to its introduction, there were six handicap systems for amateur golfers around the world. Now, there is one.
- Your Handicap Index is based on the best 8 of your last 20 qualifying scores. For most members, the transition to the WHS was fairly smooth, especially for those with many qualifying rounds.
- The Handicap Committee focused on about 100 members' records where the transition was not smooth. Generally, the issues which arose were caused by incorrect data feeds, missing records and an insufficient number of qualifying scores.



# Handicaps Report 2020

- Some WHS terminology:-
- Course Rating. Expected score for a scratch golfer under normal playing conditions. For The Montgomery (white tees), the course rating is 73.1, and for The O'Meara (whites) the rating is 73.4 suggesting that there is little difference in the course difficulty for scratch golfers.
- Slope Rating. The relative difficulty of a course for a bogey player (for men a 20 handicapper), again under normal playing conditions. For The Montgomery (white tees), the rating is 136, and for The O'Meara (white tees) the rating is 129 suggesting that the Montgomery is more difficult for a bogey golfer. The average slope rating of all courses is 113 and the highest rating is 155.
- The Handicap Committee will be undertaking a full review of handicaps during 2021 and would encourage members to play as many qualifying rounds as possible.

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All emails to handicaps@cartonhousemembers.com

# Social Report 2020

Vinnie Lyons Social Secretary



# Social Report 2020

### Planned Events 2020

- Captains Drive-In
- Vice Captains
- Presidents Prize
- Captains Prize
- Away Day
- Fridays Wine and Dine
- Joint Captains Banquet
- End of Year Social



# Social Report 2020





Planned Events 2021





# Juniors Report 2020

Ronan Heavey Junior Convenor



## Junior Convenor Report 2020

### Key Highlights

- Significant ongoing support for the Juniors from the Men's club
- David Muldowney & Chloe Murphy Boys & Girls Captains 2020 respectively

- Junior Captains Drive In over 75 took part
- Men's & Ladies Captains Prize to Juniors
   Winner: Patrick Kneafsey
- Junior Captains Prize Unfortunately cancelled
- The Mullarkey Cup Junior singles match-play
   Winner: Ongoing
- Junior Golfer of the year New competition for 2020
   Winner: Leon Giblin

### Junior Convenor Report 2020

### **Representative Golf**

- Teams
  - Fred Daly & Irish Junior Foursomes cancelled
  - Irish Boys Interclub Championships reached Leinster Final cancelled
  - Leinster u15s interclub beaten in 2<sup>nd</sup> round vs Naas GC
  - Numerous Juniors represented men's teams in different Cups & Shields events, including Junior Cup, Barton Cup & Jimmy Bruen

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 6 juniors are members of Leinster panels going into 2021 - with 1 member of elite provincial panel

### **Child Protection**

Full compliance with CGI Child Safeguarding Procedures

Allen Corcoran Communications Officer



### Newsletter

- Prompt reviews after each Covid lockdown announcement and clarification from the national sporting and golfing authorities was the focus of 2021
- Detailed reports on our interclub matches was another key focus with lockdown restricting spectator presence
- Regular communications on the introduction of the new handicap system
- Open rate is now up 72% (64% last year)
- Now going out to > 590 members (525 members this time last year)







- Website Updates
  - Handicaps & new WHS key information <u>http://cartonhousemembers.com/page.aspx?pid=35455</u>
  - Course slope ratings & Winter competition <u>http://cartonhousemembers.com/page.aspx?pid=66141</u>
  - Juniors <u>http://cartonhousemembers.com/page.aspx?pid=33688</u>
  - AGM 2020 will be fully updated in the next 10 days <u>http://cartonhousemembers.com/page.aspx?pid=57684</u>
  - Covid Blues Lockdown 1
     Harry practice from your back garden

http://cartonhousemembers.com/page.aspx?pid=65261



### Feedback always welcome

- Please feel free to approach myself or any member of the committee on any suggestions throughout the year
- Alternatively email us at <u>mensclub@cartonhousemembers.com</u> with a Subject line of "Communications"



TJ Kelly Interclub Coordinator



Interclub competitions have 2 objectives:

1) Encourage participation among a broad range of club members

2) Win more pennants for the club

Senior Cup highlight 2020 was obviously a diminished year for interclub matches but we are very proud of the Senior Cup Team winning the 2020 Leinster Pennant.

We are hopeful for the All Ireland Finals to be confirmed and an All Ireland Pennant too!



Senior cup	Barton Shield	Junior Cup	Barton Cup	Jimmy Bruen	Metropolitan Cup
Won Leinster Finals @ Nass beating Dun Laoighaire & Royal Dublin in the finals	Cancelled	Progressed to RD 4 & lost to Newlands	Loss to Newlands in RD 1	Loss to Millicent n RD1	Lost versus Forrest Little
Managed by B Cunningham	Managed by B Cunningham	Managed by Seamus Lynch & Michael Maher	Managed by Ivan Genockey	Managed by Paul Duff	<b>Managed by</b> Michael Maher

Pierce Purcell	GUI All Ireland Fourball	Irish Mixed Foursomes	Straffan Cup	Duggan Cup	Leinster Alliance
RD 2 loss to Millicent	Cancelled	Cancelled	Cancelled	Cancelled	Cancelled? • Over 60 • 9 clubs • 10 per team • Ongoing over the winter
Managed by Thomas Mullen & Joe Lavin	<b>Managed by</b> Tom Healy & Martin Duncan	<b>Managed by</b> Michael Maher	<b>Managed by</b> Anthony Coscoran & Killian O'Flynn	<b>Managed by</b> Des Kavanagh	Managed by John Walsh

### Thank you to all the 2020 Managers who are essential with team success.

Interclub Team	Manager	Assistant Manager
All Ireland Fourball	Tom Healy	Martin Duncan
Barton Cup	Ivan Genockey	Paul Mimnagh
Barton Shield	Brian Cunningham	Alan Egan
Duggan Cup	Des Kavanagh	
Fred Perry	Tony McDonagh	Phil Hynes
Mixed Foursomes	Michael Maher	Sinead Keane
Jimmy Bruen	Paul Duff	
Junior Cup	Seamus Lynch	Michael Maher
Metropolitan	Enda O'Donnell	Fergal Harrington
Pierce Purcell	Thomas Mullan	Joe Lavin
Senior Cup	Brian Cunningham	Alan Egan
Straffan Cup	Anthony Coscoran	Killian O'Flynn
Leinster Alliance	John Walsh	

2021 Teams

Player recruitment will begin shortly as the path clears.

Register your interest by: 1) FIlling in the form that will be emailed around shortly 2) Or Send a message to <u>interclub@cartonhousemembers.com</u>

Further details will be posted on the website Under Competitions/Men's Interclub Golf

http://cartonhousemembers.com/page.aspx?pid=32525

2021 Matches & Dates

Everything is TBC

Please check our members website for updates as we know

We will of course enter all the usual interclub competitions that go ahead in 2021.



### Seamus Thompson Finance Secretary

Accounts for year to 31st December 2020



#### Carton House Men's Golf Club INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

for the financial year ended 31 December 2020

		2020		2019
	€	€	€	€
Income				
Membership subscriptions		97,025		91,800
Junior member subscriptions		6,938		6,375
GUI Levies collected		12,413		11,513
Income from functions		-		11,530
Charity Day income		-		2,615
		116,376		123,833
Administrative expenses				
GUI Levies (Net)	11,040		10,568	
Replacement GUI Cards	-		1,519	
Competition prizes	13,896		42,910	
Team costs	11,728		21,191	
Events and social functions	9,413		27,415	
Juniors	2,450		6,877	
Charity and sponsorship	-		4,455	
Administration and office expenses	4,178		3,799	
Bursaries	4,091	-	-	
		(56,796)		(118,734)
Net surplus		59,580		5,099



#### Carton House Men's Golf Club BALANCE SHEET

as at 31 December 2020

	Notes	2020 €	2019 €
Fixed Assets			
Tangible assets	2	8,529	8,529
Current Assets			
Debtors	3	6,729	13,300
Cash at bank and in hand		114,787	47,239
		121,516	60,539
Creditors			
Amounts falling due within one year	4	8,346	6,949
Net Current Assets		113,170	53,590
Total Assets Less Current Liabilities		121,699	62,119
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Capital Account		121,699	62,119



#### Carton House Men's Golf Club NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the financial year ended 31 December 2020

#### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the financial statements.

#### Accounting convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention modified when necessary to include the revaluation of certain fixed assets.

#### Sales

Turnover comprises the invoice value of goods supplied by the business, exclusive of trade discounts and value added tax.

#### Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost or valuation less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Trophies	-	0%
Computers		20% Straight line

#### 2. TANGIBLE ASSETS

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	Trophies	Computers	Total
	€	€	€
Cost			
At 31 December 2020	9,609	8,983	18,592
Depreciation			
At 31 December 2020	1,080	8,983	10,063
Net book value	99		
At 31 December 2020	8,529		8,529
At 31 December 2019	8,529		8,529
DEBTORS		2020	2019
		€	€
Prepayments and accrued income		6,729	13,300
CREDITORS		2020	2019
Amounts falling due within one year		€	€
Funds held re Junior fundraiser			4,149
Accruals		8,346	2,800
		8,346	6,949

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#### 5. APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS

The accounts were approved by Carton House Men's Golf Club on 26 January 2021.



### Supplementary Breakdowns

Team Costs 2020			Bursary Payments 2020	
Senior Cup	€ 7,126.00		Player 1	€ 950.00
Barton Cup	€ 547.00		Player 2	€ 933.32
Junior Cup	€ 549.00		Player 3	€1,000.00
Leinster Alliance	€ 588.00		player 4	€ 128.14
Fred Daly	€ 383.00		player 5	€ 729.05
Others	€ 2,535.00	includes 1000 accruals	player 6*	€ 350.00
Total	€11,728.00		Total	€4,090.51
			* s/b Team exp.	101.00
Social Costs 2020			Admin Costs 2020	
Vice Captains Prize	€ 4,773.00		IT & Licence costs	€3,865.00
Capt/VC cards	€ 3,100.00		Digital Imaging	€ 313.00
Total	€ 7,873.00		Total	€4,178.00


## Finance Report 2020

- Vote 2 Ratification of 2020 accounts
  - Proposed by: Seamus Thompson
  - Seconded by: David Gantly
- VOTE 2 Attendees to now vote on vote 2 poll

Vote Yes - to approve the 2020 financial accounts as presented

Vote No - to reject the accounts presented



# Proposals for AGM consideration & Incoming Committee Election

### **David Gantly**

#### Foreword

 Process whereby under the exceptional circumstances, 2021 captaincy was carried over



#### Election Of Officers & Committee 2021

Proposed Men's Committee 2021		Proposer	Seconder
Captain 2021	Pat Doyle	Paul Mullarkey	Vinny Lyons
Vice Captain	Sheamus Considine	Pat Doyle	Seamus Thompson
Hon Secretary	Allen Corcoran	Pat Doyle	Paul Mullarkey
Hon Treasurer	Seamus Thompson	Sheamus Considine	Steve Greenwood
Competitions Sec (New)	Tom Healy	Seamus Thompson	Ronan Heavey
Junior convenor	Ronan Heavey	Gerry Murray	Pat Doyle
Handicaps Sec	Gerry Murray	Sheamus Considine	Paul Mullarkey
Social Sec	Vinny Lyons	Pat Doyle	TJ Kelly
Interclub and IT	TJ Kelly	Pat Doyle	David Gantly
Communications officer	Martin Duncan	Allen Corcoran	Seamus Lynch
ex officio	Paul Mullarkey	Seamus Thompson	Pat Doyle
Ordinary Member	Steve Greenwood	Paul Mullarkey	Seamus Thompson
Ordinary Member (New)	Paul Mimnagh	David Gantly	Steve Greenwood
Ordinary Member (New)	John Ennis	Seamus Thompson	Sheamus Considine

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## Proposal 1: Vote Nominated Committee 2021

- Approval of nominated Mens Committee 2021
- VOTE 3 Attendees to now vote on vote 3 poll
  Vote Yes to approve the 2021 committee and officers as presented
  Vote No to reject the 2021 proposed committee



### Proposal 2: Mens Levy Proposal for mens club levy reduction for 2021

Annual men's club Levy for year 2021 is proposed to change to €100 (reversing AGM 2019 proposal 4)

Annual men's club Levy for year 2022 is then proposed to remain unchanged at €200

Proposed by: David Gantly

Seconded by: Allen Corcoran



## Proposal 2: Vote

Proposal for Cartons mens club levy reduction for 2021

#### Proposal 2: Levy Reduction Proposal

- Proposed by: David Gantly
- Seconded by: Allen Corcoran
- VOTE 4 Attendees to now vote on vote 4 poll

Vote Yes - if in favour of proposal for 2021 levy reduction to  ${\small €100}$  and 2020 levy to  ${\small €200}$ 

Vote No to reject the proposal



# Proposal 3: Accountants Appointment

Proposal for appointment of accountants for 2021

Appointment of Accountants for year 2021 is Eugene Sheehan and Co, Maynooth.

Proposed by: Seamus Thompson

Seconded by: Pat Doyle



## Proposal 3: Vote

Proposal for appointment of accountants for 2021

#### Proposal 3: Appointment of Accountants for 2021

- Proposed by: Seamus Thompson
- Seconded by: Pat Doyle
- VOTE 5 Attendees to now vote on vote 5 poll Vote Yes - if in favour of appointment of Eugene Sheehan Accountants Vote No - to reject the proposal



## Proposal 4:

#### Proposal for new midweek seniors (over 60s) competition

I wish to propose the following motion to the Men's Club for consideration by the membership at the CHGC AGM 2020

As our club is now established close on twenty years, the membership profile of our club is made up of a majority of Senior golfers. As a result I believe it is now time that this cohort of golfers are given the opportunity to compete and play in competition more suitable to their age profile.

To that end I propose the establishment of a Seniors (only) weekly competition commencing in 2021 season.

While I appreciate there was an attempt to incorporate a Seniors element to the regular competitions some years ago (which gained very little traction) I don't believe it was an attractive alternative to Senior members at that time as it was an either or option.

In more recent years an informal group of senior golfers (The MOB's) has been established to provide this age profile of members with a social game every Monday afternoon. The evidence from this arrangement shows that there is an huge appetite from this group and it has proved very successful.

In addition the Seniors compete in the Leinster Alliance Inter Club League each year and for obvious reasons an ongoing competitive competition would undoubtedly assist the club in their efforts.

My proposal seeks to provide a dedicated weekday competition <u>in addition to the existing men's competitions</u>. This could be either members only and /or a combination of semi opens.

In addition adoption of this proposal has the potential to provide the benefit of reducing the demand on the regular time sheet particularly midweek, thereby creating additional space for all members.

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Proposed Donal O'Connor Seconded Danny Byrne 11<sup>th</sup> Jan 2021

## Proposal 4 : Vote

Proposal for new midweek seniors competition

#### Proposal 4: New Seniors Midweek Proposal

- Proposed by: Donal O'Connor
- Seconded by: Daniel Byrne
- VOTE 6 Attendees to now vote on vote 4 poll

Vote Yes - if in favour of proposal for new seniors competition

Vote No - to reject the proposal



## 2021 Captains Address & AGM Close

Captain Pat Doyle





## Key Dates for 2021

Every date subject to change given ever changing circumstances

#### Dates for your diary (provisional)

- Drive In To be confirmed
- Vice Captains Prize 14/15 May
- President's Prize 4/5 June
- Captains Day 1 21/22 Aug
- Captains Prize -28 August

