## **CLONMEL GOLF CLUB**

#### Men's Notes

Morris Oil Open Fourball: The Morris Oil Open Fourball attracted a large entry over the weekend. Players found conditions tough with the white tees back at their full summer length and a stiff breeze making it difficult. As always some will make little of such difficulties and Tony O'Brien and Emmet Corcoran did just this on Saturday as they posted a terrific 48 points to lead overnight. This score proved to be good enough to hold up and split the field by 2 shots from Noel Maher and Darragh O'Connor to combine with 46 Pts and them also 2 shots ahead of third place of Adrian Johnson and Gareth Bourke on 44pts.

<u>Vice Captain's Prize:</u> Vice-Captain, Mr Donncha Doyle will host the Vice Captain's Prize on Saturday next. An 18-hole qualifier on Saturday will see the top 15 and ties qualify for a 9-hole play-off later that evening. The time sheet is posted in the hallway and the draw will take place on Thursday evening. There are still morning slots available. Please note that the last tee time is 1.30pm. We wish Donncha every success on Saturday.

Junior Cup Team Advance As We Bow Out Of Pierce Purcell: A busy week on the teams' front brought mixed results. On Thursday evening in heavy rain our Pierce Purcell were out of luck away to Carrick On Suir. A 3.5 to 1.5 defeat suggests a heavy loss but this was a true case of small margins. Tony Norris and Nigel Foran led the way and recorded a comfortable win. A narrow loss in match two for Donncha Doyle and Kevin O'Donnell could so easily have went Clonmel's way but it wasn't to be with defeats in matches 3 and 4 the teams were called in with Mikey Power and Emmet Corcoran one up on the course. Well done to Carrick On Suir and thanks to team manager Richie Whelan and his players.

On Saturday in a home fixture against Mitchelstown our Junior Cup team recorded a 4-1 win with some excellent displays. Leading the way was Emmy Pyke who claimed the team's first win on the 13<sup>th</sup> hole with a superb show which included 6 birdies. Brian McClean was another early finisher. When Cian O'Reilly wrapped his game up on the 15<sup>th</sup> the match was won. Brian Waters who struggled early on performed brilliantly on the back nine and from 3 down was called in off the 18<sup>th</sup> with his match level. In the other match Adam Cooney was in a level match going down 16 when he was called in. Well done to Paul McGarry and his team.

<u>Club Matchplay Competitions:</u> Well done to all who qualified for the next stages of both the Donoghmore and Paddy Murray Cups. Deadline was on Sunday last and we wish to thank all who played within the 5 weeks allocated. <u>Bulmers Open Singles:</u> Our everpopular Bulmers Open Singles series got under way on Sunday last and will run each Tuesday, Friday and the occasional Sunday from now until late September with the final taking place in early October. The top 40 and equals will qualify for the final.

**The Hub Blue & Yellow Tee Challenge:** Two new competitions are running each Monday Wednesday and Thursday... Sponsored by The Hub there will be an 18-hole competition from the blue tees and a 9-hole competition from the yellow tees on each day. Both competitions will have monthly prizes. Full details on the noticeboard.

# **Seniors Golf:**

Next outing: South Munster Open Seniors on Thursday  $9^{th}$  June – 18 Hole Open Singles. Time sheet on BRS - now open.

# **Junior Golf**

Junior coaching continues each Monday evening at 6.30 and 7.30pm with Golf Pro Dylan Burke.

### **MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS 2022**

Membership renewals were due to be paid by 30<sup>th</sup> April. If you have not yet paid or made arrangements to pay, please do so by calling to the office or with your debit card over the phone or make an online payment.

Thanks to all those members who have paid to date. Receipts are in the box at the hatch for collection.

If you wish to avail of any abatements or wish to change category, please email this request to us for consideration.

### **NEW MEMBERS 2022**

Membership year 1<sup>st</sup> April - 31<sup>st</sup> March. If you are looking to join the club, please contact the office for details of rates.

New Members rate €400 from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023. This offer is open to new members and past members who have not renewed their membership within the last 5 years. Golf Ireland fees not included. Terms and conditions apply so for full details please contact Aine at the office on 052-6124050 or download an application form from our website <a href="https://www.clonmelgolfclub.com">www.clonmelgolfclub.com</a>.

#### WEBSITE

Please visit: www.clonmelgolfclub.com to view our weekly notes online.

#### **LADIES NOTES:**

Competition Results:

Sat 28th May & Wed 1st June.

18 Hole Strokeplay Competition kindly sponsored by THE GOURMET BUTCHER, Showgrounds.

1st: Deirdre Hannigan (32) 70 2nd: Breeda Hogan (36) 72 C/B Gross: Gemma Murphy (10) 87

9 Hole Strokeplay Club Competition.

Winner:

Judy Morrissey (23) 36

Fixtures.

Sat 4th & Wed 8th June.

18 Hole Stableford Singles kindly sponsored by O'GORMAN'S PHARMACY.

9 Hole Stableford Club Competition.

LADIES OPEN DAY.

Wednesday 15th June 2022.

3 Ball Waltz kindly sponsored by ELDON'S, Clonmel. Booking online via BRS or through the PRO shop/ office on 052 6124050.