### **CLONMEL GOLF CLUB**

#### Men's Results

**Choose Your Partner:** The final of the CYP series was held in lovely weather on Saturday last. The 12 holes singles event was won by Tony Norris with 27 points. The three category winners were Tom O'Neill (+ - 9) with 26 points, Nigel Foran (10-16) with 27 points and Cillian O'Donnell (17 and above) on 26 points. The leading qualifier was Paul McGee. The committee wish to thank Martin Kane for his kind sponsorship of this event and to all the members who supported the competition. Since the first round on January 12<sup>th</sup> no fewer than 204 members played in at least one event.

<u>Club Singles:</u> The first club singles of the year was run over the weekend and with a terrific score of 32 points over 12 holes Donal Ryan showed the way. Donal posted his score off a handicap of 10 on Saturday afternoon and despite the best efforts of Patsy O'Keeffe, who shot 31 points, no one could match Donal Ryan's score.

Result: 1st Donal Ryan 32pts, 2nd Patsy O'Keeffe 31 pts, 3rd Ian Condon 28 pts.

**2018** Junior Cup Team Receive Their Munster Medals: On Saturday the members of the 2018 Junior Cup team received their Munster medals at the clubhouse. Club President Mick Mullane paid tribute to the efforts of the panel and praised the players and mentors and thanked the sponsors who came on board during the team's run to the All- Ireland Semi-final. Team captain Keith Norris reminded that preparations for the 2019 campaign will begin in a few weeks.

**Paddy Murray Cup:** The Paddy Murray Cup will begin this weekend. The qualifying event begins on Friday and runs right through the weekend until Sunday. The qualifier will be a fourball better ball stableford with the top 8 pairings qualifying for the match play stages. The qualifier will be run over 15 holes. In a change to previous years it's been decided that the competition will be run over a shorter time frame. The final will be held on the weekend of May 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup>. It is hoped that this revamp will enhance the prestige of the club fourball match play event.

<u>Teams Fundraiser:</u> On Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> of April there will be a club fundraising event. This will raise funds specifically for the purpose of supporting the men's teams representing the club in the coming months in various competitions. Full details will be issued in the coming weeks. We appeal to members to support this fundraiser.

<u>Course Up Keep:</u> Members are asked to play their part in maintaining the high standard of the course by repairing pitch marks on the green and replace divots as they go around the course.

## **Club Seniors:**

The first competition of 2019 will take place on this Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March with first draw at 10.00am. All Seniors are most welcome.

#### **LOTTO**

The twenty-fifth draw of the Lotto Year in our Weekly Club Fundraising Lotto took place last Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March in the Clubhouse. The numbers drawn were 3, 8, 15, 28. There was no jackpot winner and there were four matched three winners.

## Jackpot is now at €2,500 so be in to win!

Thanks again to everybody who supported it by buying and selling tickets. The Lotto Draw will now take place at 5.00pm each Saturday.

### **NEW MEMBERS 2019**

Join Clonmel Golf Club now as a full paid up member for €450 up to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019. Free trial round available prior to joining, by prior arrangement. This offer is open to new members and past members who have not renewed their membership within the last 5 years. GUI & ILGU 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 www.clonmelgolfclub.com.

#### MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS

Subscriptions were due for payment by **February 28<sup>th</sup>**. If you have not paid or made arrangements for payment, please do so. You can pay your membership in two tranches (end Feb & Apr) or 25% upfront and balance by standing order. Please contact the office for full details.

For those categories who are eligible for the complimentary Lotto, entry to the Lotto commences on receipt of payment so the sooner you make a payment the sooner you are included in the draws.

**Competition Levy:** This year the vouchers will not be administered, instead your levy will be automatically added to your account on payment and can be used when signing in to competitions on the PSI touchscreen.

For queries on your renewals please contact Aine at the office on 052-6124050.

#### WEBSITE

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

#### **Ladies Notes:**

**Results:** 

Saturday 9 and Wed 13

Saturday March 16 and Wednesday March 20 - 12 Hole S/F

1st. Breda Hogan (31). 27pts

2nd Mary Burke. (22). 26pts

3rd. Marian Hanrahan. (20). 25pts

#### **Fixtures:**

Wednesday 27 & Saturday 30

15 Hole S/F. - Sponsored by Paul Tobin, Butcher, Irishtown, Clonmel

Draw: 9-9.15am - 9.45-10am and 11am.

## Easter Hamper -Sponsored by Whelan Butchers, Oakville, Clonmel.

The Easter Hamper Competition can be played on any day of the week. However, if playing on a Saturday or a Wednesday the Weekly Competition takes priority.

"A Hamper Card played on a Saturday or a Wednesday without entering the weekly competition that week will be discounted". The Easter Hamper can be entered many times. The best 2 cards

## Open Day: Wednesday April 10 - Sponsored by Clinton's, Clonmel.

Our first Open Day of the year. It's a 3 Person Team. Format is a Waltz.

The BRS is now open for booking or contact Aine at 052-6124050

#### **Fun Scramble:**

The Fun Monday Scramble will resume on Monday April 1 and will continue every Monday morning. Draw at 10.am. This is sociable, fun morning, 3 Person Scramble, 9 Holes. Coffee and chat in the club house after. Looking forward to seeing as many as possible take part.

# **Senior Ladies Alliance:**

Congratulations to Katherine Morrissey who won the Senior Ladies Alliance held at Clonmel Golf Club.

## **North Munster Senior Alliance:**

Congratulations to Katherine Morrissey who is in the North Munster Senior Alliance team that beat Leinster 3-2 in Powerscourt.

## **A.I.G Cups and Shields:**

The 1st Round of the Challenge Cup match will take place in Slievenamon Golf Club on April 6.

The 1st Round of the Junior Cup & Intermediate Cup match will take place at Clonmel Golf Club on April 7.