

CLONMEL GOLF CLUB

Men's Notes:

Competitions: Monday next sees a much-awaited return to competitions, and we begin with The Allen's Household Centre fourball better ball which will run from Monday to Friday of next week. Our members are looking forward to this next step on the road to recovery. We thank David Allen of Allen's Household centre for his kind and continued sponsorship.

Members Prize: The first Player Of The Year event will take place on July 4th with the Members Prize. In an attempt to ensure that members can play at a part of the day that suits them the committee have decided to use a timesheet for this event. The time sheet will be in the hallway from this Friday at 4pm and the draw will take place on Tuesday evening. Members are reminded that they can enter their own name and a maximum of three others on the time sheet. Please respect other members by not booking multiple groups on the sheet. The time sheet will run from 6.30am to 4.30pm and will be divided in 2-hour slots. The ladies will also have their nine slots on this day.

New Howdidido Feature: A new Howdidido feature will greatly assist in the running of competitions. This feature will allow members to sign in and input their scores for competitions from their phone thus avoiding the situation of many players having to use the club computer and the issues that this can cause under the current restrictions. A communication has been sent to all members and we look for a big buy in from members as we still search for solutions to the issues facing the club during the ongoing restrictions.

COVID 19 Phase 3: The changes coming on Monday in phase 3 of the road to recovery will see some changes that affect golf matters. The return to competition is the obvious one. The clubhouse re-opens. There will still be restrictions, but members can look forward to using the facilities and even if it is at a distance the chat after a round can return. Visitors can now return to the course. And the interval between playing groups comes down to 12 minutes. Members are asked to continue to observe the 15-minute rule on arrival at the course and the social distancing.

Junior Golf: Junior golfers can play in groups on the course as and from June 29th. Juniors must adhere to the restrictions in place and turn up at the course no earlier than 15 minutes before play and arrange collection immediately after playing.

Booking Times: Hopefully, the gradual reduction of interval times between playing groups will help these issues.

Club Teams: 2020 will see a reduced programme of inter club team golf. Four events remain on the calendar. The Senior and Junior Cups and the Jimmy Bruen and Pierce Purcell shields will go ahead in changed formats and Clonmel GC will be represented in all four events. Trials have begun and team managers are busy assembling their panels. Further news on these events is due to be released towards the end of the month.

PHONE SYSTEM

Please note changes to our phone numbers, as follows:

To ring the Office - dial 052-6124050

To ring the Course information - dial 052-6183344

To ring the Pro Shop - dial 052-6183345

To contact Martin in the bar please ring 083 8787225

NEW MEMBERS 2020

Join Clonmel Golf Club now as a fully paid up member up to December 31st, 2020 from €400. 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.

WEBSITE

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

Ladies Notes:

We are back playing casual golf for the past few weeks.

The course looks amazing and is in fantastic condition after the break. Thank you to the ground staff.

We are going back to competition on the 4th of July.

All bookings reservations must be done on the BRS

David Ryan our pro, is back giving lessons and his shop fully stocked

Looking forward to a great summer.