



## August 12th 2025 Committee Meeting Minutes

<b>Attendees:K.Watson(KW),A.Storer(AS),S.Warren(SW),T.Fleming(TF),J.Hutt(JH), G.Lane(GL),J.Headland(JH),J.Culley(JC),K.Bale(KB),S.Lilleywhite(SL),N.Thorne(NT), G.Bennet(GB),A.Maisey(AM).</b>		
<b>1</b>	<b>Welcome and Apologies -</b> Kieran(KW) welcomed the committee members. Apologies from P.Greening, S Jolly.	
<b>2</b>	<b>July Minutes-</b> Approved.	All
<b>3</b>	<b>Matters Arising -</b> 1. Suggestions for using the surplus funds. Need to have a base that we keep to and to keep a bit in reserve. Tee Markers. Scratch Board £500. A night for Members. Enhancement of the course. Ball washers. (GB) asked what would happen to the funds if the club shut overnight - would they go to charity? (TF) suggested a handicaps board on the 10th tee like the one on the first tee. A vote was taken and carried unanimously.	All
<b>4</b>	<b>General Manager's Report -</b> There had been a meeting with the owners, their lawyers,potential buyers and their lawyers. Both sides were positive. Course enhancement and swimming pool mentioned. It would be a 20 year investment and they would keep the same operation. Their business lawyer understood the business and seemed genuine. They were not buying it as a going concern, but will take it all on and turn it into a thriving venue. They have been before. There have been menu changes and there will be comedy nights and murder mystery nights. Compliments were received from members on the food produced for Presidents Day.	DB
<b>5</b>	<b>Director of Golf Report -</b> Email regarding verti-draining changed to roller. Smoking ban implemented whilst the weather is still hot. Suggestion of a staff versus committee game. Volunteers required for the morning of 14th September. Pro Am on 5th September.	TF

## 6. Treasurers Report

### Donnington Grove Golf Committee

#### Income & Expenditure Account

	9 months to 31 July 2025	Budget to date	Year to 31 October 2024
<b>Income</b>			
Competitions Income	10,430.00		12,698.00
Card charges	(56.58)		(70.92)
Fines charged	-		-
Less: Vouchers	(5,910.00)		(7,235.00)
Prizegiving	(3,008.35)		(3,660.00)
	<u>(8,918.35)</u>		<u>(10,895.00)</u>
	1455.07	1,218.60	1732.08
Club Ties	2.76	-	3.42
Interest received	99.07	108.00	155.76
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>1556.90</b>	<b>1326.60</b>	<b>1891.26</b>
<b>Expenditure</b>			
Berkshire Ladies comps	163.00	140.00	200.00
England Golf Race to Woodhall Spa	115.00	80.00	75.00
BB&O Hillman/Foursomes/Champion Club	205.00	175.00	155.00
RDICL Scratch League	225.00	225.00	225.00
Kyocera/Annodata Matchplay Men and Ladies	160.00	160.00	230.00
Inter-club Challenge	256.00	300.00	256.00
Committee Golf Day	0.00	0.00	400.00
Competition expenses	0.00		35.90
Captains photoframes	0.00		19.74
Donnington Diners expenses	0.00		65.00
Funeral donation	50.00		50.00
Bank charges	45.00	45.00	60.00
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>1219.00</b>	<b>1125.00</b>	<b>1771.64</b>
<b>Profit/Loss</b>	<b>337.90</b>	<b>201.60</b>	<b>119.62</b>

### Donnington Grove Golf Committee

#### Charity Account

##### Captains Drive-In (in aid of Royal British Legion)

Entries E5 * 124	620.00
Cash collection (Captains drives & ball markers)	414.10
<b>Paid to RBL</b>	<b>1034.10</b>

##### Funds raised for Captains Charity

Total Interest received	34.83
Ladies Christmas raffle	185.00
Ladies Eclectic & Birdie/Par Trees	70.00
Ladies Spring Meeting	95.00
Ladies Anne-Marie Gane Trophy competition	66.00
Champagne rollup cake raffle	86.10
Seniors Charity Bowl	1115.00
Lawsays donation	100.00
Quiz Nights	880.00
4 Nations competition	£ 80.00
St Georges Day	£ 306.00
D Lawson Eclectic	£ 5.00
Mr & Mrs Jolly donation	£ 50.00
Presidents Day	
Beat the Pro 50%	175.00
Cake auction 50%	37.83
	£ 212.83
Charity Day to date	£ 250.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>£ 3,535.56</b>

## Donnington Grove Golf Committee

### Balance Sheet

	31-Jul 2025	31-Oct 2024
<b>Current Assets</b>		
Bank: current account	2302.19	509.17
Bank: deposit account	7363.55	8214.48
Stock - Club ties      0 remaining	0.00	57.24
Competitions money due	1706.50	0.00
Donnington Diners Float	300.00	300.00
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>11672.24</b>	<b>9080.89</b>
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Provision for Prize Giving	3633.04	1897.42
Memorial Fund	407.83	150.00
Outstanding Vouchers 2025	260.00	
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>4300.87</b>	<b>2047.42</b>
<b>Total Net Current Assets</b>	<b>7371.37</b>	<b>7033.47</b>
General Fund brought forward	7033.47	6913.85
Profit/Loss for the year	337.90	119.62
<b>General Fund carried forward</b>	<b>7371.37</b>	<b>7033.47</b>

Ahead of budget.

Presidents Day - Half to Captains Charity and half to Memorial Fund.

## Competition Secretary's Report

## Rota 2025

		Prep	Scores	
2nd Aug	Aug Medal	Steve / Berni	Steve / Berni	Steve L/Keiran
3rd Aug	Sun Stableford	Steve L	Steve L	Steve L/Keiran
5th Aug	Midweek Medel	Paul	Paul	Steve L/Keiran
7th Aug	Midweek Club Champs	Andy M / Simon	Andy M / Simon	Steve L/Keiran
9th Aug	Presidents Day	Andy S/ Steve L / Kieran	Andy S/ Steve L / Kieran	Steve L/Keiran
13th Aug	Midweek Stableford	Rob	Rob	Steve L/Keiran
16th Aug	Geensomes Cup	Paul	Paul	Steve L/Keiran
21st Aug	Midweek Stableford	Simon	Simon	Steve L/Keiran
25th Aug	Midweek Stableford	Jules	Jules	Steve L/Keiran
30th Aug	Sat Stableford	Andy M	Andy M	Steve L/Keiran
31st Aug	Sun Stableford	Rob	Rob	Steve L/Keiran
2nd Sept	Midweek Medal	Simon	Simon	Steve L/Keiran
6th Sept	Monthly Medal	Paul	Paul	Steve L/Keiran
7th Sept	Sunday Stableford	Andy	Andy	Steve L/Keiran
10th Sept	Midweek Stableford	Gill	Gill	Steve L/Keiran
13th Sept	Charity Day	Steve/ Paul /Kieran	Steve/ Paul	Steve L/Keiran
18th Sept	Midweek Stableford	Bernie	Bernie	Steve L/Keiran
20th Sept	Parasampia Cup	Rob / Gill	Rob / Gill	Steve L/Keiran
22nd Sept	Midweek Stableford	Simon	Simon	Steve L/Keiran
27th Sept	TOC	Bernie / Steve M	Bernie / Steve M	Steve L/Keiran
28th Sept	Sunday Stableford	Steve L	Steve L	Steve L/Keiran
30th Sept	Midweek Stableford	Rob	Rob	Steve L/Keiran
				Steve L/Keiran
				Steve L/Keiran

## Board / Big Competitions

Greensomes Cup - 43 pairs

(KW) Charity Day - emails to members. Bottle stall, Auction-put board up before day with items for bids.

Midweek Champs - a corporate member entered a Board comp and was not eligible. Play More Golf - can't put their scores in.

(AS) asked if half could be drawn and half not?

Leave 3 balls for medals! Suggestion: 4 balls from 10am.

(GB) Make the September medal a 4 ball to see how it goes.

Mins from Aug 2025 Comps Meeting  
 Competitions and Handicaps Sub Committee Meeting  
 Wednesday 6th Aug 2025  
 7.00pm Upstairs Bar - Donnington Grove

Apologies SB, AM, SV

Approval of Minutes from July Meeting

Items of

a	No Shows. - only 1 we need to make sure PSI booking is turned off as you can book another player in
b	Summer Knockouts - SL to monitor - On Time
c	All comps committee check comp as per rota before comp - All
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i	
j	

Events since last meeting - Review

a	1st July Midweek Medal - Winner - Tyrone Edwards
b	5th July July Medal - Winner - Dave McClymont
c	6th July Stableford - Winner - Bruno Paalaeu
d	9th July Midweek Stableford - Winner - Ray Ford
e	12th July Club Champs
f	13th July Club Champs - Winner - Nick Hills, K Ricardson
g	16th July Seniors Club Champs - Winner - T Coleman
h	24th July Midweek Stableford - Winner - Jan King
i	19th July Capt Plate - Winner - Clive Richards
j	26th July Shotoku Cup - Winner - R Voase / A Storer
k	27th July Stableford - Winner - Shaun Aldridge
l	28th July Midweek Stableford - Winner - Clayton Thornton

Rota

Upcoming Competitions

a	2nd Aug Aug Medal
b	3rd Aug Sun Stableford
c	5th Aug Midweek Medal
d	7th Aug Midweek Club Champs
e	9th Aug Presidents Day
f	13th Aug Midweek Stableford
g	16th Aug Geensomes Cup
h	21st Aug Midweek Stableford
i	25th Aug Midweek Stableford
j	30th Aug Sat Stableford
k	31st Aug Sun Stableford

a	2nd Sept Midweek Medal
b	6th Sept Monthly Medal
c	7th Sept Sunday Stableford
d	10th Sept Midweek Stableford
e	13th Sept Charity Day ## SL to send flyer to all members
f	18th Sept Midweek Stableford
g	20th Sept Parasampa Cup
h	22nd Sept Midweek Stableford
i	27th Sept TDC
j	28th Sept Sunday Stableford
k	30th Sept Midweek Stableford
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m	

AOB

a	Sat medal 9:06 4 ball ??
b	HE board comp entry from club V1 how not 7 day member ??
c	Playmore handicap not showing
d	White tees forward for Pro tournament, club x outs affected

Date of Next Meeting

Wednesday 3rd Sept 7pm in the upstairs bar.

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**Social Committee Report.**

No meeting held - No report.

Need to organise some social events.

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SJ

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**Lady Captains Report**

Firstly, we would like to remember Hilly Armitage, one of our special lady members, who sadly passed away. Our thoughts are with Chris and the rest of her family.

SJ

**Matches.**

Our season of mixed & friendly matches continues, we have plenty of people putting their names forward to play, it's good to see some new faces. We have had mixed results, but everyone seems to be having fun, which is the main object of the game.

I am thrilled to say that Gemma Chandler has made it through to the final of the Summer singles knockout, where she will meet Keith Astill. Well done Gemma, we'll all be keeping our fingers, toes & eyes crossed for you.

**Charity update.**

Our thoughts have now turned towards our Charity Day plans, time is moving on and we need to crack on with getting our plans in place.

We have sent out an email asking for hole & general sponsorship. We have a little bit of interest with 6 holes with sponsors so far. But there is a long way to go, as a committee can I ask if you can try to drum up some more support please.

The charity car parking space board is ready to display.

There are flyers on the tables and posters displayed, huge thanks once again to Ali Lilleywhite for her time and artistic efforts and support for this.

I've already purchased the drinks and snacks for the buggy & I will be sending an email out in a week or so to the ladies asking for support in manning & supplying the cake stall.

The Els Golf day is still being finalised, but it looks as though it may take place in the final week of August.

10	<p><b>Senior Captain's Report-</b></p> <p>Congratulations to both Tony Coleman on winning this year's Seniors Championship and to Andy Willoughby for winning the Midweek Championship.</p> <p>We have reached the final of the M4 League Summer Knockout Competition by winning our match at Coombe Wood (Kingston upon Thames) by 3 games to 1. The final will be played on 17 September at Wycombe Heights Golf Centre.</p> <p>The Seniors Summer Tour, which this year will be at The Players and The Kendleshire, is on 20th and 21st August with 24 seniors teeing it up (there may also be a beer or two!).</p> <p>The Seniors Golf Master Summer Competition is nearing its grand finale, when the 9 seniors with the best aggregate Stableford points from any 4 of the midweek Stableford competitions will compete in the final shootout on 7 October</p>	SW
11	<p><b>Members Questions -</b> None.</p>	
12	<p><b>A.O.B.</b></p> <p>Champion club - players turned up and played part and then went home. (AS) If 1st,2nd and 3rd players don't wish to play then don't enter the competition.</p> <p>Play More Golf - can't play before 11am and in Board Comps.</p> <p>(TF)The more, Play More Golf players play, the more control he has over the course.</p> <p>(GB) Why do we not have gross and net in the midweek championship?</p> <p>Senior Charity Bowl - ladies invited. (SW)</p> <p>Shouldn't play in comps unless form and money received. Add to form and hand in, in person.</p> <p>(NT) there have been incidents with a woman with a dog and walkers - should we have more signs.</p> <p>(JC) 1st tee needs tidying up.</p> <p>(TF) We are responsible for the actions of the opposition.</p> <p>(KB) The bunker on 8th has more grass than sand.</p> <p>Discussion regarding incidents of cheating and disciplinary procedure. Tom will draft an email to be sent out to members. (AS) query abnormal scores.</p>	
	<p><b>Meeting closed - 9.30pm</b></p>	
	<p><b>Next Meeting - 9th September at 7pm.</b></p>	