



MEMBERS' NEWSLETTER



Another season approaches and hopefully the stormy weather is behind us and better weather lies ahead. The end of January and start of February saw the superb production of "The Quare Gunk" with a dedicated cast practicing for months beforehand. Sold out for two nights, the comedy act was enjoyed by over two hundred people and we already look forward to the next production.

Members of the cast pictured below:



Captains' Farewell – Next up was our Captains' Farewell as it was that time of year to thank Captain Shane & Lady Captain Ann for their efforts in their role and to prepare for the new officers coming in for the season ahead. Pictured below were the Lady Captain Ann & Lady President Joan being presented with a gift from Captain Shane and then the Captain with his gift from Lady Captain and Lady President.



The AGM's of the club – The middle of February saw the AGM's of the club take place and the new officers step into their roles. Taking office is Colm Campbell Snr as Captain, Hazel Sherry as Lady Captain, Kathleen Byrne as Lady President and Gabriel Byrne continues as President in his 2nd year in office.

Captain – Colm Campbell Snr



L. Captain – Hazel Sherry



L. President – Kathleen Byrne



President – Gabriel Byrne



Juvenile Captain – Dylan Medicott



Council Members:

Mr Raymond Duffin
Mr Liam Gawley
Mr Gerry Kelly
Mr Rory Mc Shane
Mrs Joan Pollard
Mr Thomas Redmond
Mr Jim Somerville

Other club officers are as follows:

President:
Lady President:
Captain:
Lady Captain:
Vice-Captain:
Lady-Vice Captain:
Hon Treasurer:
Hon Secretary:
Juvenile Captain (Boys):
Ex-officio:
Ex-officio:
Auditors:
Child Protection Officer:
Club Children's Officer:

Mr Gabriel Byrne
Mrs Kathleen Byrne
Mr Colm Campbell Snr
Mrs Hazel Sherry
Mr Peter Kenny
Mrs Marian Hanna
Mr Stephen Kearney
Mr Peter Fitzsimmons
Master Dylan Medicott
Dr Shane Moan
Ms Ann Mc Ateer
Grant Thornton Accountants
Dr Petrina Flood
Mr James Somerville

Subcommittees:

FINANCE

Convenor: Mr Stephen Kearney

HOUSE & SOCIAL

Convenor: Mr Gabriel Byrne

GREENS

Convenor: Mr Colm Campbell Snr

MATCH & HANDICAP

Convenor: Mr Raymond Duffin

JUVENILES

Boys Convenor: Mr Jim Somerville

FUNDRAISING

Convenor: Mr Liam Gawley

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Convenor: Mr Gerry Kelly

CGI (Confederation of Golf in Ireland)

Convenor: Mr Rory Mc Shane

LADIES BRANCH OFFICERS 2020

Lady President:	Mrs Kathleen Byrne
Lady Captain:	Mrs Hazel Sherry
Vice-Captain:	Mrs Marian Hanna
Hon. Treasurer:	Mrs Jo Ann Mc Kay
Hon. Secretary:	Mrs Orlagh Mc Murray
Hon. Handicap Secretary:	Mrs Theresa Browne
Ex-Officio:	Ms Ann Mc Ateer

LADIES COMMITTEE 2020

3 Years

Mrs Margaret O'Hare, Mrs Oonagh Guilfoyle & Mrs Maggie Grant

2 Years

Mrs Madeleine Mackin, Ms Sheila King & Mrs Brid Farrell

1 Year

Mrs Maureen Grant, Mrs Breege Crawford Jefferson & Mrs Brenda Hughes

TEAM CAPTAINS

SENIOR CUP BARTON SHIELD JUNIOR CUP ULSTER CUP CARLINGFORD CUP JIMMY BRUEN SHIELD PIERCE PURCELL SHIELD ROSSMORE CUP FOURBALL INTERCLUB FRED DALY TROPHY RONAN RAFFERTY IRISH MIXED FOURSOMES FRED PERRY TROPHY IRISH JUNIOR FOURSOMES	Rory Mc Shane Peter Kenny Colm Campbell Jnr & Stephen Coulter Kerry Mc Veigh Kevin Mc Cann Gerry Durkin & Shane Mc Mahon Paul Digney Leo Mc Cabe Brian Clarke Tara Gribben Tara Gribben Jim Somerville & Brenda Hughes John Mc Mahon & William Mc Givern Vincent Toner
COWDY INTERMEDIATE CUP MINOR LEAGUE CUP CHALLENGE CUP JUNIOR FOURSOMES REVIVE FOURBALL	MARIAN HANNA JUNE MC EVOY YVONNE SPIERS KATHLEEN O'HARE BRENDA HUGHES THERESA BROWNE

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

The new diaries for 2020 should be with us in the next couple of weeks but please find some information for March and April below:

Mar-20		
1	SUN	
2	MON	
3	TUE	
4	WED	
5	THU	
6	FRI	
7	SAT	
8	SUN	Captains' Drive-in 9 Hole Mixed Greensomes from 13:00 - Timesheet posted 21/02/20
9	MON	Club Seniors 10:30 - 11:30
10	TUE	Ladies 9 Hole Singles Stableford (3 clubs and a putter)
11	WED	Fairgrieve Salver Fourball Stableford - Timesheet posted 03/03/20
12	THU	
13	FRI	
14	SAT	
15	SUN	Ladies Competition Sponsored by Cunningham Butchers 09:30 - 10:00 and 13:30 - 14:15
16	MON	
17	TUE	St Patrick's Day Open 4 Person Team Scramble - Timesheet posted 03/03/20
18	WED	Hogg Cup Over 50's Singles Stableford (Prizes for Under 50's) - Timesheet posted 10/03/20
19	THU	
20	FRI	
21	SAT	Club Singles Stableford - Timesheet posted 12/03/20
22	SUN	Ladies Competition Sponsored by Moygannon Nurseries 09:30 - 10:00 and 13:30 - 14:15
23	MON	NESL 09:30 - 12:00
24	TUE	Ladies Una Quinn Trophy Singles Stableford Sponsored by Surefreight Ltd
25	WED	Club Singles Stableford - Timesheet posted 17/03/20
26	THU	
27	FRI	
28	SAT	Kelly Cup Singles Stroke - Timesheet posted 19/03/20 - 4 Best Gross & 4 Best Nett Scores Qualify for Matchplay
29	SUN	Ladies Competition Sponsored by Sinenna Boutique Warrenpoint 09:30 - 10:00 and 13:30 - 14:15
30	MON	Ladies Spring Luncheon
		Club Seniors 10:30 - 11:30
31	TUE	Ladies Australian Spoons Greensomes Stableford - Finals at Spa G.C. 21/07/2020



The **BRS Members' App** is a very useful way of accessing timesheets and booking online. When you login initially using your eight digit GUI/ILGU number and password it shouldn't ask you for this again and it will take you straight into the app. It can be used for competitions and casual booking.



The **HowDidiDo App** is a great way to keep track of your handicap, competition scoring and to view competition results at the club. Again this can be downloaded through your app store. If you haven't already done so you will have to register and follow the steps outlined. Don't hesitate to contact the office if you need any assistance getting set up with this app or any other of the apps on offer.



The **Club V1 Members App** is a new option to be rolled out over the coming weeks. This app will be more inclusive giving members and the club a more interactive system to communicate and to see all things golf club related. Installation and training on this system takes place this week and we hope to hold an information session for members to show how the app can be utilised best.

Apr-20		
1 WED		Club Singles Stableford - Timesheet posted 24/03/20
2 THU		Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 19/03/20
3 FRI		Nine and Dine 17:30 - 18:30
4 SAT		Richardson Cup Singles Stroke - Timesheet posted 26/03/20 - 16 Best Nett Scores Qualify for Matchplay
5 SUN		Ladies Competition Sponsored by Vivo Warrenpoint 09:30 - 10:00 and 14:00 - 14:45
		Lizzie Drakes G.S. 11:30 - 12:00
6 MON		
7 TUE		Ladies Flynn Cup and PGA Tankard Singles Stableford Sponsored by Cunningham Contracts - Finals at Warrenpoint G.C. 28/09/20
8 WED		PGA Tankard Singles Stableford Sponsored by Paul Hegarty & Co Accountants - Timesheet posted 31/03/20
9 THU		Ladies Open Glenlynn Cup Singles Stableford Sponsored by Fisher Mullan Solicitors Ltd - Timesheet posted 19/03/20
10 FRI		IHCPT Quiz Night
11 SAT		Easter Saturday O'Tierney Cup Open Singles Stableford - Timesheet posted 26/03/20
12 SUN		Easter Sunday Open 4 Person Team Event - Timesheet posted 26/03/20
13 MON		Easter Monday Mc Clorey Cup Open Fourball Stableford - Timesheet posted 26/03/20
14 TUE		Ladies Singles Stableford
15 WED		Singles Stableford Sponsored by Clarke Wholesale - Timesheet posted 07/04/20
16 THU		Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 02/04/20
17 FRI		Nine and Dine 17:30 - 18:30
18 SAT		Prescott Salver Fourball Stableford - 16 pairs qualify for matchplay - Timesheet posted 09/04/20
19 SUN		Ladies 3 Person Team Event Sponsored by Past Lady Captain Ms Ann Mc Ateer Warrenpoint 09:30 - 10:00 and 14:00 - 14:45
		Ballyhegan G.S. 11:30 - 12:00
20 MON		
21 TUE		Ladies Club Championship Stroke Medal - 1st Round Sponsored by Kennedy & Co. Accountants (Matchplay Sponsored by the Jenkins Family)
22 WED		Singles Stableford Sponsored by AVADA Environmental - Timesheet posted 14/04/20
23 THU		Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 09/04/20
24 FRI		Nine and Dine 17:30 - 18:30
25 SAT		Club Singles Stableford - Timesheet posted 16/04/20
26 SUN		Ladies Competition Sponsored by Cool Cuts 09:30 - 10:00 and 15:00 - 15:45
		US Kids Golf Tour 11:00 - 14:50
27 MON		Draws for Northumberland Shield, Glosoid Cup, Russell Cup, Club Matchplay Singles
28 TUE		Ladies Daisy Ferguson Greensomes Stableford - Regional Final at Royal County Down G.C. 03/08/20
29 WED		Singles Stableford Sponsored by Mourne Windows & Doors - Timesheet posted 21/04/20
30 THU		Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 16/04/20



Our **Irish Junior Foursomes** Team have been shortlisted in the category "Junior Club Team of the Year" for the Newry Mourne & Down Sports Awards to take place this Thursday. Having won the award in 2019, and winning back to back All-Ireland titles, they have given themselves an opportunity to win the award once again. We are very proud of their achievements!

Saturday 1st February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Garry Sands 41 pts

Runner up – Bailey Wilson 40 pts

Sunday 2nd February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Damien Mc Cann 42 pts

Wednesday 5th February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Christopher Gribben 40 pts

Saturday 8th February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Jim Havern 43 pts

Runner up – Noel Winters 42 pts

Wednesday 12th February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Noel Mc Elvanna 41 pts

Saturday 22nd February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Garry Sands 49 pts

Runner up – Damien Digney 42 pts

Sunday 23rd February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Lorcan Mussen 42 pts

Wednesday 26th February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Rory Macauley 42 pts

Saturday 29th February – Winter Sweep

Winner – Damien Digney 45 pts

Runner up – Martin Dillon 41 pts

Sunday 1st March – Winter Sweep

Winner – Tim Cunningham 46 pts

Criss Cross Week 1

Winners – Paddy Magee & Kieran Caldwell 50 pts

Runners up – Michael Carr & Adrian Farrell 50 pts

Third – Brian Clarke & John Clarke 49 pts

Criss Cross Week 2

Winners – David Frizell & Damien Mc Cann 46 pts

Criss Cross Week 3

Winners – Michael Redmond & Patrick Mc Carthy 49 pts

Runners up – Stephen Lavery & Evan O'Hare 49 pts

Criss Cross Week 4

Winners – Colm Campbell Snr & Rian Carvill 48 pts

Criss Cross Week 5

Winners – Liam Gawley & Willie Mc Givern 50 pts

Runners up – Kevin Mc Veigh & Gerry Quinn 50 pts

Criss Cross Week 6

Winners – Brian O'Hare Snr & Leo Mc Cabe 47 pts

Runners up – Eamon Rush & Kieran Leonard 47 pts

Criss Cross Week 7

Winners – Tony Keenan & John Clarke 49 pts

Criss Cross Week 8

Winners – Shane Mc Mahon & Paul Carroll 50 pts

Criss Cross Week 9

David Frizell & Rory O'Hare 51 pts

Criss Cross Week 10

Winners – Ronan Casey & Kieran Leonard 52 pts

Runners up – David Graham & Gary Moan 49 pts

Criss Cross Week 11

Winners – Gabriel Byrne & Michael Sherry 47 pts

Criss Cross Week 12

Winners – Colm Campbell Jnr & Chris Gribben

Criss Cross Week 13

Winners – Joseph Boardman & Gerry Kelly 48 pts

Runners up – Paul Magone & Damien Redmond 47 pts

Criss Cross Week 14

Winners – Brian Macleod & Eugene Byrne 47 pts

Criss Cross Week 15

Winners – Noel Mc Elvanna & Eddie Mc Givern 46 pts

Criss Cross Week 16

Winners – Gary Sands & Garrett Hughes 51 pts

Mother's Day

22nd March

Join us for **Mother's Day** on Sunday 22nd March and treat those special ladies in your life. The diary is already filling up for that day so be sure to get your booking in as soon as possible by calling the Fairway's Restaurant on 02841753695 Ext 4.

Functions, meetings and other events – We have facilities to cater for a range of events with a large open plan area to seat around 160 people. Our private function room is perfect for groups of around 40 or less and is ideal for business meetings, training days or family gatherings. Menus can be catered to suit your needs if food is required for your event. A projector and projector screen is available for your use.



19TH, 20TH & 21ST JUNE

PRICES

MEMBERS

£65/€75

VISITORS

£95/€110

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2020 Open Fixtures

Mar-20		
17	TUE	St Patrick's Day Open 4 Person Team Scramble - Timesheet posted 03/03/20
Apr-20		
2	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 19/03/20
9	THU	Ladies Open Glenny Cup Singles Stableford Sponsored by Fisher Mullan Solicitors Ltd - Timesheet posted 19/03/20
11	SAT	Easter Saturday O'Tierney Cup Open Singles Stableford - Timesheet posted 26/03/20
12	SUN	Easter Sunday Open 4 Person Team Event - Timesheet posted 26/03/20
13	MON	Easter Monday Mc Clorey Cup Open Fourball Stableford - Timesheet posted 26/03/20
16	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 02/04/20
23	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 09/04/20
26	SUN	US Kids Golf Tour 11:00 - 14:50
30	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 16/04/20
May-20		
7	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 23/04/20
14	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 30/04/20
21	THU	Ladies 3 Person Open Team Scramble Sponsored by Maurren & Peter Grant (Helix) - Timesheet posted 30/04/20
25	MON	Bank Holiday Open 4 Person Team Scramble - Timesheet posted 11/05/20
28	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 14/05/20
Jun-20		
1	MON	Open Week Fourball Stableford - Timesheet posted 18/05/20
3	WED	Open Week Singles Stableford Sponsored by Mc Guigan's Bar, Newry - Timesheet posted 19/05/20
4	THU	Ladies Ferris Cup Open Singles Stableford Sponsored by Mourne Windows & Doors - Timesheet posted 14/05/20
6	SAT	Open Week Mens Singles Stableford Sponsored by Newcel - Timesheet posted 22/05/20
7	SUN	Open Week 4 Person Team Event - Timesheet posted 22/05/20
11	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 28/05/20
18	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 04/06/20
19	FRI	Carlingford Lough Classic - Sponsored by Kelly Bros
20	SAT	Carlingford Lough Classic - Sponsored by Kelly Bros
21	SUN	Carlingford Lough Classic - Sponsored by Kelly Bros
25	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 11/06/20
Jul-20		
2	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 18/06/20
8	WED	Ulster Boys Open Championship 07:30 - 15:00
9	THU	Ulster Boys Open Championship 07:30 - 15:00
10	FRI	Ulster Boys Open Championship (Course closed until 1pm)
16	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 02/07/20
23	THU	Newry Mourne and Down Junior Summer Golf Trophy
30	THU	Ladies Open 3 Person Scramble Sponsored by CR Morrow - Timesheet posted 16/07/20
Aug-20		
6	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 23/07/20
9	SUN	Junior & Intermediate Scratch Cups Sponsored by Fisher Mullan Solicitors Ltd - Tee Reserved 10:10 - 13:00
13	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 30/07/20
20	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 06/08/20
27	THU	Ladies Open 3 Person Team Scramble Sponsored by Lee Opticians - Timesheet posted 06/08/20
30	SUN	Senior Scratch Cup 07:00 - 10:30 & 11:30 - 15:20
31	MON	Bank Holiday Open 4 Person Team Classic - Timesheet posted 17/08/20
Sep-20		
10	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 27/08/20
17	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 03/09/20
24	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 10/09/20
29	TUE	Newry Mourne and Down Trophy
Oct-20		
11	SUN	Parent/Adult & Child Open 11:30 - 13:30 - Timesheet posted 25/09/20
15	THU	Thursday Open Series (Ladies & Gents Open Singles Stableford) - Timesheet posted 01/10/20
Dec-20		
26	SAT	Boxing Day Team Event - Timesheet posted 10/12/20
Jan-21		
1	FRI	New Year's Day Team Event - Timesheet posted 18/12/20

US Kids Golf Local Tour – We are delighted to host one of this year's events on Sunday 26th April. We hope to see as many of our own juveniles playing as possible – please see details below on how you can enter.



North of Ireland Local Tour - Spring 2020 www.uskidsgolf.com

5 April Ardglass Golf Club
19 April Castlerock Golf Club
26 April Warrenpoint Golf Club

9 May Allen Park Sports Hub
10 May Spa Golf Club
17 May Massereene Golf Club
(Tour Championship)

U.S. Kids Golf Local Tours are created to provide boys and girls, ages 5 to 18, the opportunity to advance their golf skills in age-appropriate competition.
Enter online at www.uskidsgolf.com

Tour Director: Zoe Allen
Phone: +44 7568 564 821
email: zoe@zoeallengolf.com

Membership Options: Please feel free to share our membership options for 2020 with any prospective members

Full Membership

This gives you playing rights 7 days per week. The cost of this package is £950 or £953.50 for 2020 and includes £50 for you to spend on your membership smartcard. New members will receive a £100 discount in their first year to bring the price to £850 or £853.50. Payment can be made upfront or you can avail of a monthly payment plan to clear your account by July of that year.

5 Day Membership

This gives you playing rights Monday-Friday inclusive. The cost of this package is £744 or £747.50 for 2020 and includes £50 for you to spend on your membership smartcard. Payment can be made upfront or you can avail of a monthly payment plan to clear your account by July of that year.

Flexible Membership

An introductory package available to you in year 1 only. It is a credit based system more suitable to those with less time to play golf. Please inquire within for further details.

Beginner Membership

This is a package aimed at people who are new to golf and who want to combine lessons with access to the course. Again it is available in year 1 only but you can progress to Lifestyle Membership (below) in year 2 before upgrading to either Full or 5 Day Membership in year 3. Please inquire within for further details.

Lifestyle Membership

This a package aimed at people who are either new to golf or returning after an extended break. It combines golf lessons with access to the course. Again it is available in year 1 only but you can progress to either Full or 5 Day Membership in year 2. Please inquire within for further details.

We also offer:

Overseas Membership – This is for people who are permanently resident outside of Northern Ireland or Ireland and who would like to play when they are at home on holidays. The price is £282 or £285.50 for 2020 and this entitles you to play up to 15 rounds of golf in the year.

Country Membership – This is available to people who reside at 30 miles from the clubhouse and are Full Members of another golf club. The price for 2020 is £417 and allows you to play 7 days per week.

Juvenile Membership

We have a proud history in creating and sustaining a strong juvenile section in the club. We see the juveniles as the future of our club and therefore strive to provide a fun and competitive atmosphere for all levels. We offer two types of juvenile membership based on their age:

Under 18 Membership

This is for juniors who are under 18 years of age on 1st January of that year. The price for 2019 is £132.50 or £134. We provide a number of complimentary coaching sessions with this membership and offer additional sessions at a low rate.

Under 14 Membership

This is for juniors who are under 14 years of age on 1st January of that year. The price for 2020 is £81 or £82.50. We provide a number of complimentary coaching sessions with this membership and offer additional sessions at a low rate.

Under 30 but over 18

We offer a number of other categories for those Under 30 but over 18. These go up incrementally in price as you get older and range from £205 to £593.

Further information & TC's

Don't hesitate to get in touch to find out further information or the full Terms & Conditions Associated with any of these membership options.

Sponsors

We thank all of our sponsors for their continued support in 2020 and ask that members consider our sponsors when purchasing products, good or services.

Condolences

We remember all of those members who have passed away in recent months and our heartfelt sympathies go out to their immediate and extended families.

We wish all of our members good health for the season ahead. Hopefully the fairways are kind and we look forward to seeing you on the course and in the clubhouse.