

# SHERDONS GOLF CLUB NEWSLETTER – FEBRUARY 2019

## COURSE MUSINGS

As you are all aware there has been a lot of work and activity on various parts of the course. This work is all part of a plan to improve the drainage on certain holes and we appreciate your understanding whilst the works are taking place.

Overall the course is in good condition, considering we are now in the middle of winter. This is thanks to all the hard work of the Ground Staff over the last year. When compared to other courses in the area, the conditions at Sherdons are one of the best.



**MENS' CAPTAIN WARREN BLACKMORE**  
**LADIES CAPTAIN CATHY BLACKMORE**  
**SENIORS CAPTAIN GRAHAM WHITING**

## THE HAPPENED AND THE HAPPENING

I start with apologies that there have been no newsletters since October 2018. We have been reorganizing the website and the format of the newsletters, instead of a separate newsletter for each Section of the Club we will now be issuing one newsletter with separate sub titles for each Section. We hope this will be a positive move and enable everyone to see what is going on for each Section of the Club and make the results and updates for the mixed competitions easier to find. Any comments, negative or positive, will be gratefully received.

The first big event for 2019 was The Presentation Day and Texas Scramble (including the Captains Drive Ins). This was well attended and a very enjoyable day. Photos from the Presentations are available for viewing on the Sherdons Club Facebook Page.

We are currently in the quieter part of our fixture year, although the Mens', Seniors, Ladies and Mixed Roll Ups and Medals continue throughout the Winter. Our first competition will be the Masters Par 3 Comp on 8<sup>th</sup> April. Please keep an eye out on the Notice Boards and on here, for details.

The Ladies Section held their AGM on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> January. All members (who have given Sherdons their email address) should have received a copy of the minutes by now. If you have not received a

copy and think you should have, please let Reception or anyone on the Committee know. Copies of the Minutes are available for removal, on the Ladies Notice Board in the Club.

The matches for all teams, seniors, men, ladies, juniors and mixed have now been organised. Please ensure the relevant Captains know your availability and if you wish to be considered for any of the teams. Details of the matches can be found on the relevant Notice Boards.

Don't forget our Saturday and Sunday Stablefords which continue throughout the winter months and are open to all members. You will need to book your own tee time and register with Reception for these competitions and you will require a member to sign your card or to be your playing partner.

The new Rules for 2019 are now effective, if you are unsure of any points or wish to discuss any of the Rules, please contact anyone from the Monday Group, who will be happy to help (if possible). The Monday Group are now detailed, with responsibilities, on the board next to the V! system. They are reasonably approachable and will to help with any comments or suggestions you may have for the Club.

The Juniors Section have their first Junior only competition for 2019, on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March. This will be the monthly stableford. Please keep a watch on the Junior Notice Board. We have a number of ideas for the Juniors during 2019 and hope to be in touch shortly with details. Any queries, the first point of contact should be Josh or Ollie at the Club.

We are considering having a quiz on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February. Details will be found on the Notice Boards shortly.