



# *The Vale*

## Newsletter of Aylesbury Vale Golf Club

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### Comment

We thank all of our departing Captains for everything that they have done during the past year both to enhance Aylesbury Vale Golf Club and encourage all Club members to take part in golf and other Club activities. Now we extend a big welcome to our incoming Captains, wishing them much pleasure during their special year.



Andrew Bond  
Men's Captain



Mark Leech  
Seniors' Captain



Jane Codrai  
Lady Captain



### Hilda Palmer

We are saddened to report the death of Hilda Palmer, aged 81, on 16 March and whose funeral took place on 31 March. Condolences are extended to Hilda's family.

### Tony Riddy

We regret having to report the sudden death on 16 March of Tony Riddy, aged only 59, a Senior member of the Club who played regularly each week. No funeral details are known. Condolences are extended to Tony's family.

## John da Costa

We have been told of the death on 29 March of John da Costa, aged in his early-80s and a Club member for more than 20 years. No funeral details are known at the time of publishing, but condolences are extended to John's family.

### News and Updates from the Club Management

In the words of the late, great Welsh philosopher Harry Secombe: 'If I ruled the world, every day would be the first day of Spring'. But when is the first day of Spring? Here are some reminders of what Spring brings to us:

The astronomical Spring, the vernal equinox, happened on Monday 20 March. This was the day when the hours of day and night were equal, so from this day until the Autumn equinox on 22 September, we will have more hours of light than dark. As well as gaining about two minutes of light every evening, we also gain the same each morning. So Spring is when the 'SAS' can play their golf at the weekend without taking a torch onto the first tee.

British Summer Time (BST) began on Sunday 26 March. This is the day when the clocks 'spring' forward by an hour, before they 'fall' back to GMT on 29 October.

The buggies are back. We were hoping to get them back a couple of weeks ago, but every time the day became close, a fresh deluge of rain met us. We also welcome back the buggies and those members who find it difficult to get around without them.

April showers. Yes, you know what that means: a few soft patches on the course. Please try to avoid pushing your trollies through the puddles (and especially driving your buggies through them). You will also find yourselves making pitch marks on the greens and taking divots. Please ensure that you repair both to keep the course in tiptop condition.

The 'cutting' season has begun. This means that the greenkeeping staff will be more in evidence on the course. Please allow them to do the work that enables them to present you with such an excellent course. Remember that the noise of the mowers often drowns out a shout of 'Fore', so please avoid hitting shots towards them.

The new tees will be opening soon. Luke and his team have been working all through the Winter months to ensure that improvements to the course continue, not only with improved drainage and pathways, but three completely re-laid tees (2<sup>nd</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>). This has taken time, skill and money, but all are looking good and should be in play very soon.

The US Masters is days away. Look out for Dave and Shane Lea in the crowd (the rest of us are 'Green' with envy). Easter follows one week later. Enjoy the first of several upcoming Bank Holidays. 'Annette's Hat' (Mixed Competition) is on Good Friday and The 'Easter Cup' is on Saturday 15 April, so put the dates in your diary.

The new Captains have 'driven in'. Good luck to Andrew Bond, Jane Codrai, Mark Leech and Alex Robins. Many thanks to the outgoing Captains: Adrian Fallon, Jan Chambers, Bob Phillips and Reece Croft for the past year. Also thanks to the outgoing members of the Committees for your efforts and again, Good Luck to those coming on board for the new season.

We welcome back Chris Wright from his winter migration to Spain and Tony Fleming from his holiday in Florida. Hopefully both will be feeling fit and refreshed after a well-earned break (and with any luck next month's 'Management News' will be back to normal).

*Garry Hutchinson*

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## Rules of Golf

### Lifting the Ball for Identification (Rule 12-2)

The responsibility for playing the proper ball rests with the player. Each player should put an identification mark on the ball.

If a player believes that a ball at rest might be his, but he cannot identify it, the player may lift the ball for identification, without penalty.

Before lifting the ball, the player must announce his intention to his opponent in match play or his marker or fellow-competitor in stroke play and mark the position of the ball. He may then lift the ball and identify it, provided that he gives his opponent, marker or fellow-competitor an opportunity to observe the lifting and replacement. The ball must not be cleaned beyond the extent necessary for identification when lifted.

If the ball is the player's ball and he fails to comply with all or part of this procedure, or he lifts the ball in order to identify it without having good reason to do so, he incurs **a penalty of one stroke**. If the lifted ball is the player's ball, he must replace it. If he fails to do so, he incurs the general penalty for a breach of Rule 12-2, but there is no additional penalty under this Rule.

### Tip of the Month from your Club Professional, Terry Bunyan

With the new season looming, this is the time of year to make sure that your golf equipment is correct:

DO I NEED NEW GRIPS?  
HAVE I GOT CLUBS IN MY BAG THAT I NEVER USE?  
ARE MY CLUBS RIGHT FOR ME?

Ask me or Russell for a quick FREE equipment check. We will be happy to assist and give advice.

#### Lesson Offers from Terry Bunyan

Have your game checked ready for the season ahead.  
9-hole playing lesson assessment: just £35!  
Call Terry on: 07588 272322

### Terry Bunyan's Golf

Terry is very pleased to report that he WON the last of the winter Pro Ams, held at The Bedford on Tuesday 21 March in extremely windy conditions and with crazy pin positions on lightning fast greens. His 71 held off the challenge of the young tour players, which made it an even sweeter victory. He'd like to thank his playing partners, Larry Goddard and Dave Needs for their encouragement, and also all who came over to The Bedford during this winter season and played in the Pro Ams.

*PS. It's said that Terry achieved this success using Russell Phillips' own set of Ping clubs, that he was using to try them out! Can't be true!*



From 'Crazy World of Golf' Helen Exley ©

## Lesson Offers from Russell Phillips

### **PERFORMANCE PACKS** *(New)*

#### **Are you looking to improve performance this year?**

Looking to get the edge this year and perform well against friends and in competitions? This Summer I'm putting together a set of lessons to give you the edge when playing on the course. I will be highlighting the areas that need improvement and giving you tests and drills that will iron out those bad shots. There will not be any major changes to your current swing, instead I will be looking to get the best results from yours!

#### **The full performance pack – includes:**

- Ways to analyse your game
- Six hours of drills and performance coaching on and off the course
- A 3-hour lead up to Club Championships pack

**Members £250 Non-members £300**

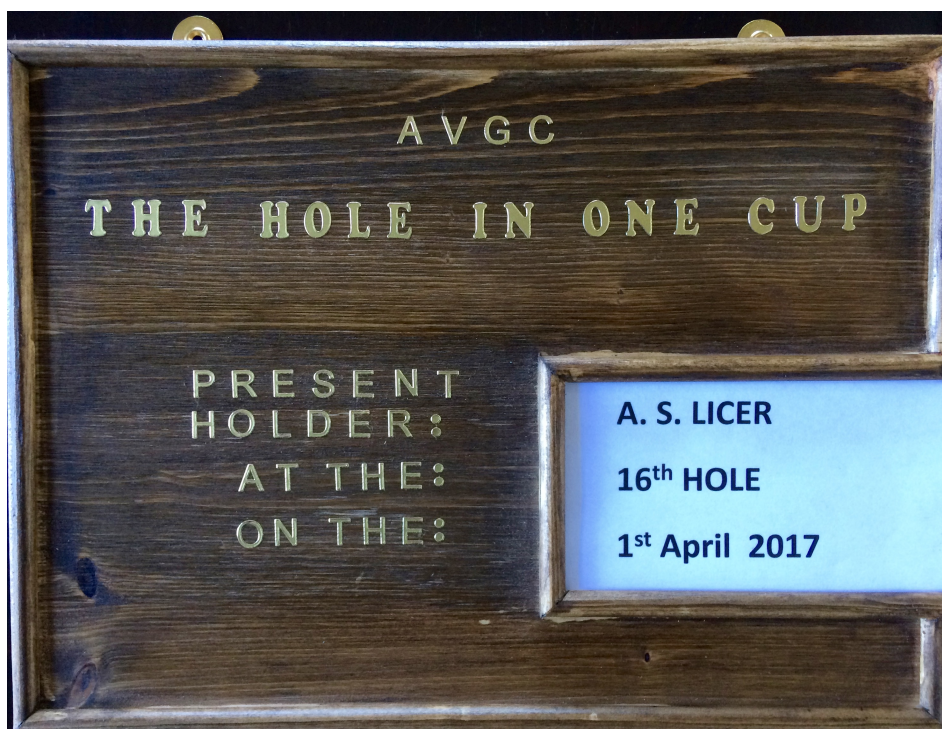
#### **The Small Performance Pack – includes:**

- Ways to analyse your game
- 4 hours of drills and performance coaching on and off the course

**Members £140 Non-members £175**

The aim is to get your performance pack completed by August 2017.

Contact Russell Phillips on 07843 692948 or email [r.phillips@avgc.co.uk](mailto:r.phillips@avgc.co.uk).



#### **Hole-in-One Cup**

Our Men's Captain, Andrew Bond, has introduced a Hole-in-One cup, to be awarded to members who achieve a hole-in-one in a formal competition. This wall notice in the Clubhouse bar will show the name of the current holder.

# Men

## A Word from the Departing Captain

Hasn't that year gone quickly!

I've had a great year as Captain and now look forward to taking a back seat to support our new Captain, Andrew Bond, and his Vice-Captain, John Barker. I'd like to wish all the incoming Captains a very successful and rewarding year ahead, which I'm sure it will be.

Thanks to all my Committee for supporting me through my year, it certainly made my life a lot easier knowing I had a good team behind me.

Again we raised a large sum for our chosen charities but, as money is still being collected, I can only say that the approximate overall total will be around £5,500. Thank you all for supporting our charities over the season. I know the money will be gratefully received.

The best thing about our great Club is our members, you've all played your part in making my year so enjoyable, thank you all.

All the best!

*Adrian Fallon*

## A Word from the Incoming Captain

Gentlemen, it gives me great pleasure to be your Captain for the year. My remit is good golf for everyone with a bit of fun thrown in.

I must say what a great Captain Adrian Fallon has been, saddled with a well below par Vice-Captain he has done a marvellous job and will be a hard act to follow. They say a Captain is only any good if he has a strong Committee behind him so I have no chance with this shower!:

Vice-Captain: John Barker

Golf Secretary: Roger White

Competition Secretary: Dave Lea

Social Enforcer: Peter Codrai

Treasurer: Russell Crane

Member: Graham Freshwater

Member: Shane Lea (I had an old car like him once, difficult to start but once started very hard to stop!)

Immediate Past Captain: Adrian Fallon

My background is in farming, so you might hear some agricultural language especially when missing a short putt! Some of you will have noticed I possess a strange sense of humour, that has been nurtured by my comedy heroes, Benny Hill, Tommy Cooper, Norman Wisdom, Morecambe and Wise, although of course this will mean nothing to our younger members! During the year I will probably upset a few people but don't worry, if I don't upset you I'll get around to you eventually!

Our charity this year will be Willen Hospice again, as I certainly won't forget their work with a member's family last year.

I love to see great characters and I believe we are blessed at this Club. A trip to the Clubhouse shows them off in all their splendour, so you really should call in after your round to experience this unique atmosphere - not found at any other Golf Club in the country in my experience.

Hopefully we have a great golfing year coming up and I will do my best to make it a lot of fun. Got to go now as there's golfing to be done.

Keep it straight!

*Andrew Bond*

The March Medal saw 70 players tee off in the traditional shotgun start, to cater for the AGM that followed. In Division 1 Graham Magill was an emphatic winner with an excellent nett 67. Neil Garrett (nett 70) was second, with Matt Lea a further shot back in third. Alex Nebbitt took the honours in Division 2, his nett 69 being one better than Bob Parish and Binzy Bowden who were second and third. David Roberts was a clear winner in Division 3 with a fine nett 68; Neil Meldrum and Mark Westbrook took the minor places.

The Zodiac Texas Scramble saw 13 teams take part and it was the final group in, with a nett 55.7, who won the day. Nathan Chandler, Graham Magill, Keith McGovern and Brian Furness were worthy winners.

The first Midweek Medal of 2017 saw a field of 38 players take part and it was Martin Haworth, with a superb nett 66, who came out on top. Paul Morgan (nett 69) and Bernie Williams (nett 70) took the next two places. Steve Adams went home £38 richer having recorded the only two!!

### **Competition and Match Results (Men)**

Medal 4 March	Div 1 1 <sup>st</sup> : Graham Magill nett 67 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Neil Garrett nett 70 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Matthew Lea nett 71	Div 2 1 <sup>st</sup> : Alex Nebbitt nett 69 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Robert Parish nett 70 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Binzy Bowden nett 70	Div 3 1 <sup>st</sup> : David Roberts nett 68 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Neil 79Meldrum nett 76 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Mark Westbrook nett 79
Midweek Medal	1 <sup>st</sup> : Martyn Haworth nett 66 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Paul Morgan nett 69 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Bernie Williams nett 70		

## **Seniors**

### **A Word from the Departing Seniors' Captain**

A short and sweet contribution from me this month. I would like to thank the Seniors' Committee for all their help and support. Also a big 'thank you' to all Senior Members for making it such a good year. I am honoured and proud to have been your Seniors' Captain and I have also very much enjoyed working with Jan Chambers and Adrian Fallon throughout the year.

It only leaves me to give Mark Leech my very best wishes for his upcoming year as Seniors' Captain and also best wishes to Andrew Bond, Jane Codrai and Alex Robins in their new roles.

*Bob Phillips*

### **A Word from the Incoming Seniors' Captain**

Firstly I would like to say what an honour it is to have been asked to be the Seniors' Captain for 2017; I will do all I can to fulfil this role to the high standard set by my predecessors. I am extremely grateful for the many words of support and encouragement that I have received from members.

Secondly I want to say a big thank you to Bob Phillips, as outgoing Captain, for his year's service, all his hard work and what he achieved last year. Bob did immense work on reaching out to senior members, trying to understand what would improve their golfing pleasure and ensuring maximum involvement in Seniors' events. Bob was also instrumental in raising a magnificent contribution to the Captains' Charity – Willen Hospice; the final figure is yet to be verified. I am very grateful that Bob stays on the Seniors' Committee as Immediate Past Captain, as his experience and advice will be invaluable.

All the Committee posts have been filled, with the exception of the Vice-Captain. Thank you to all those who put themselves forward to serve on the Committee; their support and involvement are very much appreciated. Photographs of the Committee members and their roles are posted on the changing room notice board, alongside a brief description of their roles. I hope to fill the Vice-Captain role over the coming weeks.

I look forward to working with my fellow Captains, Andrew, Jane and Alex, and wish them well for the coming season.

I have chosen to continue supporting the Willen Hospice as the Captain's Charity for this year; also the chosen charity of Andrew and Jane. This charity is popular within the Seniors and receives universal support.

My look forward on what I would like to achieve this year, to make my year a success, is to build on the work that Bob has done. I want to continue the increase in involvement and inclusion of Senior members, not only by the members who are already regularly involved in events but also those who are not. I am extremely conscious that we must never alienate those members who are already involved and included. Bob's questionnaire last year was very informative; as he suggested in his future look feedback, we want to consider the next level of detail to see what improvements we can make and how we can increase the number of Seniors involved in our events and attract more 'regular' ones.

Our first Summer Match was against Leighton Buzzard on 29 March and a great day was had by all. This is always a difficult fixture for us. Sadly, we lost 1:7, having two drawn games but losing the remainder. Congratulations to Hugh Frood and Bob Smith, and Bob Phillips with Steve Waters, for halving their matches and securing valuable points.

*Mark Leech*

### **Calendar Changes**

The first Summer Six Stableford of the season now takes place on Monday 10 April and, as a trial for this year, instead of a Presentation Evening on 9 December, there will be a Presentation Afternoon starting at 2pm on Wednesday 25 October, following a specially arranged competition. An AVGC Christmas Dinner Dance will be held on 9 December, open to all Club members.

### **Competition and Match Results (Seniors)**

Winter League home match vs Chartridge Park 7 March	Won 4½:1½
Winter League away match vs Winter Hill 8 March	Lost 5½:½
Away Match vs Leighton Buzzard 29 March	Lost 1:7

## **Ladies**

### **A Word from the Departing Lady Captain**

Hello everyone. We will soon be in the new season, and it is all change, from the new Captains coming in, to new members on Committees and also hopefully a change in the weather. On that note I need to say how well Luke and his boys have kept the course, which we will all benefit from later in the year.

The Ladies' Section started the month with a weekend Medal and, as I recall, eight ladies turned up to play but the weather saw five of us off. Three brave (or crazy!) ladies carried on, with Julie Lea coming in as the winner. The midweek Medal, which was played under better conditions, was won by Mary Marchant. Well done to Mary.

The Hellen Rowley Plate was won by Ros Barnes, a good win for her.



The Mixed Spring Foursomes was well supported, considering that a few injuries kept some out. As usual we enjoyed a meal afterwards, which Heinz prepares so well. The winners were Sarah Walker and Nick Brewer, coming in with 37 points - a very good result considering how strong the wind was on the day.

The Medal of Medals was a close encounter, with three shots covering the field, but the winner was Vivien Craker. Well played Vivien, a good back nine.

Presentation night was well supported, and was reported to be one of the best. It certainly was fun, and as usual Heinz provided a great meal. I think he deserves a medal.

Now we have had the Drive-In. It was also well supported which is always appreciated by the new Captains who have to show their mettle on the tee. I wouldn't say all went well, but it was memorable, after which I and the other outgoing Captains gave their thanks for all the help from those who helped them through. I want to say again thanks to all ladies in our Section for their help, which made my two-year stint a happy one, to other Captains have shown their support and assisted when required, to my Committee and of course to Gary my understanding husband, without whom I would have found it hard going.

As I have now passed the Captaincy over to Jane Codrai, I wish her a not too adventurous year, but a happy one, and hope she enjoys it!!! I feel that the Ladies' Section will be in safe hands.

Just a few words in memory of Hilda Palmer, who died on 16 March aged 81. She hadn't been to the Club for a while, but some will remember her.

*Jan Chambers*

### **A Word from the Incoming Lady Captain**

I would like to start my year as Captain by thanking our outgoing Captain, Jan, on behalf of all the ladies. She has done an amazing job organising the Ladies' Section, worked hard and made us laugh. She has been a great example to me coming in as Lady Captain and has taught me all I know. I would also like to thank my Committee in advance for all the hard work they are going to do!

The dreaded day of the drive-in arrived all too quickly and although I had 'bonded' with my fellow Captains it didn't help with the nerves. However, we had a fabulous day on the course and in the Clubhouse, with great food and great company. Thank you to everybody that came to support the day and a special thank you to all the ladies for their cards, flowers and kind wishes.

Lady Captain's Day this year is on 13 May. Please try to come along and enjoy the day with me and raise some money for the Captain's charity. Lady Captain's mid-week fun day is on 25 May and on Thursday 8 June the Ladies' Section is holding an Invitation Day. I hope that all lady members will take the opportunity to invite a guest to come and play our excellent course and enjoy a meal afterwards. There will be more information on these events in the May newsletter.

Thanks to the staff and the members, I believe that AVGC is the best and friendliest Club I've ever known. I hope you will all join me in helping to keep it this way and enjoy a great golfing and fun year.

*Jane Codrai*

### **Competition and Match Results (Ladies)**

Medal 5 March	1 <sup>st</sup> : Julie Lea nett 82 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Sarah Walker nett 90
30+ handicap competition 8 March	1 <sup>st</sup> : Jan Rolls 26 Pts 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Gina Royffe 23 Pts 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Jane Whigham 20 Pts
Midweek Medal 15 March	1 <sup>st</sup> : Mary Marchant nett 76 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Anne Bridges nett 78 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Sheila Perkins nett 79



Hellen Rowley Plate 18 March	1 <sup>st</sup> : Ros Barnes 35 Pts 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Danka Lawson 34 Pts 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Linda Davies 33 Pts
Medal of Medals 25 March	1 <sup>st</sup> : Vivien Craker nett 78 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Julie Lea nett 78 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Natalie Rendle nett 79

## Juniors

### Easter Open Days

These fun days are designed for all children aged between 6-11 of any ability to have a fun day learning how to play golf (even if its for the first time!). This is a special Easter Egg theme where children will have the chance to win some Easter Eggs! Children will be organized into teams and get the opportunity to win team events throughout the day. Registration starts at 10:00am and the day concludes with a presentation of all the prizes at approximately 4:00pm. They do not need their own equipment to take part, however if they have any they should bring it along and clothing worn should be smart. The whole day includes lunch (nuggets, chips and beans) and costs just £25 per child!



**Don't forget: if you introduce a friend to the day you will pay £10 instead of £25.** Friends must be children who have not attended an Open Day before or taken part in the challenge programme.

The Juniors' Open Days run from 10:00am – 4:00pm and are on:

**Tuesday 4 April 2017 and Thursday 13 April 2017**

**You must book your child's place by contacting Russell Phillips on 07843 692948 or email [r.phillips@avgc.co.uk](mailto:r.phillips@avgc.co.uk).**

### Junior Lessons - Challenge Start Dates

The next start dates of all three series of the constructive coaching pathway, 'the challenge programme' for Juniors aged 6-12 will begin on Sunday 23 April 2017. The six-week programme runs for six consecutive weeks, where each week is a 1-hour session and the cost is £40 per child. If you wish to find out more information or want to get your child involved then please contact Russell Phillips on 07843 692948.

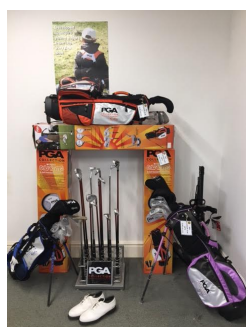
## Pro Shop

**New - Cleveland Wedges Are Now Here!** We are pleased to announce the best wedge manufacturer is now here at Aylesbury Vale! We now stock the new RTX 3 wedges in a variety of lofts and bounces. Russell Phillips will be able to custom fit your wedge game with Cleveland's new fitting app, to make sure you get the correct lofts and bounce angles to ensure you get the right wedges in your bag.



**Ping - for Ladies.** The new G Le is now available at Aylesbury Vale Golf Club - be one of the first in the country to get a fully fitted for a set of G Le! We have everything you need: drivers, woods, hybrids, irons, putters, bags, gloves, mitts, towels and caps. This superbly engineered club can help you hit the ball better, further and with its fantastic look you can really look the part. Come into the Pro Shop to see. We have demo clubs for you to try!

**New Sigma G Putters.** We now have a fantastic range of putters available in the shop, which include Ping's new range of putters - the Sigma G. With a variety of head designs we can now custom fit the right putter for you to help make those all-important putts. Russell uses the Ping app to fit you for the right arc, weight, lie angle, loft as well as length, grip size and style. Come into the pro shop to have a go and see which style you like!



**PGA Kids Clubs.** These clubs are available in different sizes and can be bought individually or can be built up to suit your needs, starting from £19.95 per club - see Russell to get the correct size! We have our last few sets left at **33% off, now only £100**. Set contains Driver, Hybrid, three irons, putter and bag.

## and in Conclusion...

**...the last word is...** We wish all our Club golfers a terrific start to their new season.

**...and a touch of humour...** Golfer: *'I wish you wouldn't keep looking at your watch, caddie; it's distracting me.'* Caddie: *'It's not a watch, sir, it's a compass!'*

*Lance Redler*

Editor

cc: Club Professionals, charities

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### ***What's on This Month and Next?***

(All-Section and Club events are in **bold**)

#### **Men:**

Saturday 8 April – Burcott Trophy

Sunday 9 April – Medal

**Monday 10 to Friday 14 April – midweek Medal**

**Friday 14 April – ‘Annette’s Hat’ competition**

Saturday 15 April – Easter Cup

**Monday 24 to Friday 28 April – midweek Stableford**

Saturday 29 April – Committee Cup

Saturday 29 April – away match vs The Three Locks

Saturday 6 May – Medal

Sunday 7 May – away match vs Shendish Manor

**Monday 8 to Friday 12 May – midweek Medal**

Sunday 14 May – Foursome Medal

Sunday 21 May – away match vs Stocks

**Monday 22 to Friday 26 May – midweek Stableford**

Saturday 27 May – Scratch Cup qualifier (1<sup>st</sup> Round)

Sunday 28 May – Scratch Cup qualifier (2<sup>nd</sup> Round)

**Monday 29 May – Derek Hall Memorial Trophy**

#### **Seniors:**

Monday 3 April – Medal (1)

Wednesday 5 April – home match vs Beadlow Manor

Monday 10 April – Summer Six (1)

Tuesday 11 April – away match vs Weston Turville

Wednesday 12 April – Captain’s competition

Wednesday 19 April – home match vs Mount Pleasant

Monday 24 April – Winter League Awards Day, Chartridge Park

Wednesday 26 April – Captain’s competition

Wednesday 26 April – away match vs Wavendon

Wednesday 3 May – home match vs The Three Locks

**Monday 8 to Friday 12 May – midweek Medal**

Wednesday 10 May – home match vs Aylesbury Park

Thursday 11 May – Spring Away Day at Rickmansworth

Monday 15 May – Summer Six (2)

Wednesday 17 May – Captain’s competition

Thursday 18 May – away match vs Beadlow Manor

Monday 22 May – Medal (2)

**Monday 22 to Friday 26 May – midweek Stableford**

Wednesday 24 May – Captain’s competition

Wednesday 24 May – away match vs Chalgrave Manor

**Monday 29 May – Derek Hall Memorial Trophy**

Wednesday 31 May – home match vs Weston Turville

#### **Ladies:**

Sunday 2 April – Australian Spoons

Monday 3 April – competition

Wednesday 5 April – 30+ handicap competition

Monday 10 April – competition

Wednesday 12 April – monthly Stableford

**Friday 14 April – ‘Annette’s Hat’ competition**

Saturday 15 April – weekend Stableford

Sunday 16 April – weekend Stableford

Wednesday 19 April – midweek Medal

Saturday 22 April – Medal

Sunday 23 April – Coronation Foursomes

Monday 24 April – midweek Coronation Foursomes

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#### ***Men***

**Captain:** Andrew Bond

**Vice-Captain:** John Barker

**Treasurer:** Russell Crane

**Competition Secretary:** Dave Lea

**Admin Secretary:** Roger White

**Handicap Secretary:** Neil Garrett

**5-Day Representative:** Peter Codrai

#### ***Seniors***

**Captain:** Mark Leech

**Vice-Captain:** Post vacant

**Treasurer:** John Parmenter

**Competition Secretary:** Dave Lea

**Admin Secretary:** Lance Redler

**Social Secretary:** Peter Codrai

#### ***Ladies***

**Captain:** Jane Codrai

**Vice-Captain:** Jane Barker

**Treasurer:** Jean Edwards

**Admin Secretary:** Ali Cheeseman

**7-day Competition Secretary:** Natalie Rendle

**5-day Competition Secretary:** Post vacant

**Handicap Secretary:** Danka Lawson

#### ***Juniors***

**Captain:** Alex Robins

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**Ladies (cont.)**

**Monday 24 to Friday 28 April – midweek Stableford**

Wednesday 26 April – competition

Thursday 27 April – home match vs Leighton Buzzard

Saturday 29 April – C/L away match vs Chiltern Forest

Sunday 30 April – Spring Stableford

Monday 1 May – Mixed Invitation

Wednesday 3 May – midweek Medal

Monday 8 May – competition

Monday 8 May – C/L away match vs Princes Risborough

Wednesday 10 May – competition

**Saturday 13 May – Lady Captain's Day**

Monday 15 May – 30+ handicap competition

Tuesday 16 May – C/L home match vs Chiltern Forest

Wednesday 17 May – competition

Thursday 18 May – home match vs Aylesbury Park

Saturday 20 May – Medal

Sunday 21 May – Ping 4BBB Stableford

Monday 22 May – midweek Ping 4BBB Stableford

**Monday 22 to Friday 26 May – midweek Stableford**

Wednesday 24 May – 'Fun' competition

**Monday 29 May – Derek Hall Memorial Trophy**

Wednesday 31 May – monthly Stableford