



MILLBROOK MATTERS

What's happening this week?

Tuesday 13th December: Seniors from 08:30 to 09:30

Tuesday 13th December: NHS evening conference from 19:00

Wednesday 14th December: Ladies from 10:00 to 10:15

Wednesday 14th December: The Early Birdies Christmas Swindle from 08:30 to 09:15 1st & 10th tees. 1st tee therefore reserved from 10:40 to 11:10 also.

Thursday 15th December: Breakfast Club from 07:30 to 10:30 (bar&restaurant)

Friday 16th December: Seniors from 08:30 to 09:30

Saturday 17th December: Teague Swindle Christmas Jumper Day from 08:20 to 09:30

Sunday 18th December: Turket Shoot shotgun start from 08:30

Sunday 18th December: Christmas Lunches being served from 13:00. Book at the bar.

Dates for the diary:

Sunday Lunch

As previously mentioned Sunday lunches are postponed during December making way for our Christmas lunches. We have served around 100 Christmas meals already! receiving great feedback from both the ladies and seniors sections.

Ben and Emma have put together a lovely festive but modern menu, the Turkey Ballotine being

my particular favourite!! Served with roast potatoes, honey glazed carrots and parsnips.

We have availability this Sunday for small groups and assorted dates upto the 22nd of December, see Emma for availability and booking.... or email: events@themillbrook.com

Menu at bottom of page.

Turkey Shoot

The Turkey Shoot takes place on Sunday, This is a shotgun start at 08:30.

Prizes are awarded to the top 12 pairs. As is customary the winners receive a deluxe hamper and turkey! Entry sheet can be found on the mens competition board...

Meat Raffle

Tickets for the meat raffle have been selling really well, thank you for your support...

The draw takes place every Sunday at 14:00.

Tickets are available from the bar

This weeks raffle pic below:



This weeks unclaimed prizes belong to:

Rob Crowther

Steve Small

We can only hold the unclaimed meat in cold storage for another 5 days so please collect asap.

Mega Christmas Draw

Tickets for the Mega Christmas Draw are on sale

Remember you must be in the bar on Friday 23rd December from approximately 18:00..... to win. First prize is £200.

Meet Santa

Remember Santa is coming to visit the club on Thursday 22nd December from 13:00.

Please see Emma or email events@themillbrook.com to book.

Overlander

The overlander is played every year on New Years Day. The clubhouse opens at 10:00 and players need to register in the professional shop. Players present will then be divided into Rabbits and Tigers (high or low handicap) Each team will consist of one rabbit and one tiger who will play foursomes stroke play over the 9 hole course shown below. This event is a shotgun start at 11:00. Registration closes at 10:45.

You can sign up on the notice board or see how your head feels on the morning and just turn up.....

COURSE OVERLAND CARD

HOLE	TEE	GREEN	PAR	S.I.	
1	10	8	5	8	UP AND OVER
2	12	4	8	1	YE LONG ONE
3	3	16	7	3	FADERS DREAM
4	17	15	3	9	BIT HARD
5	16	18	7	4	DARE YE
6	1	13	7	2	LUCKY FOR SOME
7	14	17	4	7	TRICKY FISHY
8	18	12	5	6	EAST DOES IT
9	13	10	6	5	FIND ME

RULES 1) Where a ball is deemed lost or out of bounds a pair may drop another ball either at the point of loss or at the point of entry to the area of loss, incurring a penalty of one shot.

2) Both the practice ground and the car park are out of bounds when playing hole number 6

3) All putts of length less than the shaft of a normal putter are deemed to be TOTAL conceded.

4) In the event of a tie the winners shall be decided by count-back over the last 3 holes (or more if necessary)

What's been happening?

- We were blessed with decent weather for round 5 of the winter league, especially after the downpour on Saturday evening. Results will be posted prior to the weekend and can also be found on the website.

- Our assistant professional Nathan Day had another good finish playing in the Thomson Tour event at The Bedfordshire, meaning back to back top 10 finishes (3rd at Millbrook then 7th at The Bedfordshire) The Thomson tour also have a separate competition prize for trainees, which Nathan won yesterday. There were some high class players in the event yesterday, one of which has a world ranking and European Tour status, so a good quality field....

Nathan is 5 under par for his last two Thomson Tour events, and should be well placed on the OOM going into the new year... Well done Nathan.

- The AGM took place last night. The largest turnout for some years..... 21 members!! plus 6 committee members the accountant and I listened to the chairmans report and voted on the agenda items. Full minutes of the meeting will be posted on the board by the weekend.

- I's like to say a big thank you to Ravi Bhikha owner of Papa J's restaurant for his sponsorship of various club functions and teams this year.

With sponsorship in mind, we are looking for a willing member to sponsor some golf shirts for our mid-handicap team. We are looking for around £300 which should buy 10 to 15 shirts and allow the sponsor to have their name/logo embroidered on said shirts. Please speak to me or Peter Mott if you are interested in helping out....

- Thanks to the work carried out on our wet greens over the past two winters, we believe that these previously problematic greens, 6th, 7th, 10th, 11th are now able to cope with whatever

mother nature has planned. (tempting fate) We will endeavour not to use temporary greens this winter.

- Winter mats are slowly creeping into use, holes 1, 10, 11 and 12 are being played from a mat and some of the more shaded tees are ready for a winter break. We will try and limit the use of mats to January and February only, but again this is dependent on use and weather.

- Since the beginning of December the bar and restaurant have been very busy with Christmas functions, this is set to continue right through to the 23rd December.

Thank you to all those members who have booked with us over this period and also to my wonderful team in the bar and kitchen, who continue to work very hard. The Christmas menu put together by Emma and Ben has been well received, if you haven't tried it yet? We have tables available Friday and Sunday evening this week.

Christmas Menu

Ham Hock Terrine

with poached pear, chutney & melba toast

Parsnip Soup

bread & butter

Vegetable Tartlet (V)

a mille feuille of vegetables & goats cheese served with chutney

Turkey Ballotine

stuffed with walnut & sage sausage meat, thyme jus and cauliflower puree

Braised Shin of Beef

red wine & port sauce, pomme puree and thyme

Sea Bass

warm fennel salad, new potatoes, french beans & salsa verde

Vegetable Pithivier (v)

vegetables in a cream sauce encased in puff pastry

All meals are served with a selection of seasonal accompaniments

Christmas Frangipane

a christmas take on a bakewell tart with ice cream

Chocolate Delice

covered in chocolate snow, caramel & nut shard

Caramel Apple Crumble

Cheese & Biscuits

2 courses - £20 / 3 courses - £23.50 / Mince Pie & Coffee £1.50



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