

## What's happening this week?

Tuesday 22nd November: Seniors from 08:00 to 08:30
Wednesday 23rd November: Ladies from 09:00 to 09:15 (mid-week stableford)
Thursday 24th November: NHS meeting from 18:30 to 22:00 (restaurant)
Friday 25th November: Seniors from 08:00 to 08:45
Friday 25th November: Sam Walker Party - Bar Area from 15:30 to Late.
We kindly ask golfers to use the upstairs room for drinks following golf...
Saturday 26th November: Scratch foursomes match V's South Beds from 10:00 to 10:40
Sunday 27th November: Winter league round 4, shotgun start from 08:30.
Sunday 27th November: (restaurant) Sunday Lunch from 13:00 to 16:00

## Dates for the diary:

#### Sunday Lunch

As previously mentioned Sunday lunches are available every week...Feedback continues to pour in and bookings are increasing, especially on Winter League dates, so please book ahead to avoid disappointment...

Thanks to all those that have eaten with us so far!

#### Meat Raffle & Mega Christmas Draw

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.

#### **Christmas Draw:**

As per announcements made in the bar, all proceeds from the meat raffle will be used to fund a bumper Christmas raffle to include meat, drink and other goodies. This will take place on Friday 23rd December at 18:00. To win one of the first three prizes you must be in the bar (or nominated collector) to claim. Bar snacks will be available as will mulled wine and mince pies....

This week's raffle pic below:



This week's unclaimed prizes belong to: Danny Lang David McKears Pete Mulchinoch Bob Howell Chris Liston

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

#### Meet Santa!!!

On Thursday the 22nd December, Santa will taking a short break from his busy schedule, landing at the club (parking on the 9th fairway, I've told him it's safe right in the middle ) for his lunch. We have offered to feed him for free provided he meets the members children/grandchildren...

You are invited to bring your little ones along at 12:00 for under 5's and 15:00 for over 5's

Please arrange your visit with Emma. events@themillbrook.com

### What's been happening?

#### Course

-We should be thankful for the delayed start to winter and the fantastic playing conditions this has subsequently afforded us. As they say, all good things must come to an end and the past seven days have proved just that..... Winter is now upon us!

Course conditions are currently good and relatively dry but if the previous three winters are anything to go by, we should probably expect some wet conditions as we move into December and January.

With this in mind can we ask that golfers adhere to the following winter rules please:

- Please carry your golf bag if you are able.
- If using a trolley, stay on the pathways, keep them well away from green surrounds, bunkers, and tee boxes.
- Be aware that buggy hire is subject to weather conditions. Availability could change on a daily basis. Check with the shop before play.
- If you hire a buggy early in the morning and there is frost on the ground, you must drive in the rough or ideally wait until the frost has cleared.
- When playing social golf you might suggest to your playing partners that the flag is either taken out or left in, rather than attended. Negating damage around the hole.

PLEASE NOTE: the above is only for friendly golf, the flag should be attended or taken out during competition, which includes Winter League.

- Through the green, a ball that is plugged may be marked, lifted, cleaned and dropped within one club length of its original position, not nearer the hole.
- Preferred lies are in operation. A ball lying on any closely mown area may be marked, lifted, cleaned and replaced within one scorecard length, not nearer the hole.

#### Over 21 handicap Stableford:

- Tough conditions should have resulted in poor scoring! However, new member Lee Bevan, who has obviously found a rich vein of form with a good finish in last week's winter league, managed a superb score of 41 points in the stableford played on Sunday. Result below:

Handicaps committee take note: his partner is Colin Jordan, who finished 3rd!! And I seem to remember Graham winning something recently......

Over 21 handicap (20/11/2016 CSS: 73 Par: 74) 1st MR Lee Bevan 41c 2nd Mr Graham Harrison 39c 3rd MR Colin Jordan 36c

#### **Christmas Menu**

# If any members/guests have a small party wishing to try our Christmas menu, we have limited space available on Friday 16th December.... from a table of two up to twelve.

Hopefully you have seen our Christmas menu dotted around the clubhouse? If not please see below... The menu has been well received with numerous bookings already in the diary. A lot of our 'swindle groups' are booking for a Saturday/Sunday in December... Playing golf and then sitting down to a festive but modern Christmas meal...

Don't miss out... Book with Emma today!

Ham Hock Terrine with poached pear, chutney & melba toast

Parsnip Soup

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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