
THE MILLBROOK GOLF CLUB



Millbrook Matters

Dear member

What's happening this week?

Tuesday 29th September - Seniors Summer Egg from 08:00 to 08:40

Tuesday 28th September - Mid Week Medal from 08:45 to 09:30

Wednesday 29th September - Ladies from 09:00 to 09:15

Friday 2nd October - Quorn GS x 8 players from 10:00 to 10:15 & 13:00 to 13:15

Saturday 3rd October - Summer Ball 19:00 for 19:30

Ticket to the Summer Ball includes:

Champagne Reception - 3 course meal - entertainment - presentation. Dress Code: Black Tie. Tickets £45 - free for 2015 major winners.

What's been happening:

- Due to wet conditions, the fairways are now being cut 'bay style' meaning the mower makes less turns therefore protecting the grass. When the top surface is wet, regardless of how slowly you drive, the rear wheel turning vehicles tear the grass, this affects both the fairways and tees when the green keepers have to make tight turns. Whilst the fairways still play nicely, aesthetically the stripes will disappear.

- Whilst we are aware that worm casts are becoming a problem and causing some mess, we are trying to wait for as long as possible before we spray, hopefully having maximum impact. This should then ensure a worm free course for the winter/spring.

- The practice chipping green received a heavy top-dress, seed, cut and water this week.

- The steps on the 11th tee will be fixed asap, we will be building a more permanent set of steps.

- Jack Hawksby and his partner, Annabel Pitts won the Bedfordshire County Mixed Championship last Sunday. Played at Aylesbury Vale GC. That's two major trophies in 2015 for Jack.... Well played Sir...

- Some of our members entered the Redbourne GC Adult & Junior open yesterday (Saturday 26th Sept) Andrew Coleman & Patrick Elkins-Daye lost on count back to Julian & Will Dennis meaning a 1st and 2nd place for The Millbrook.... Well played all....Pic Bleow...

- Some members receive this email in a strange format. Either a yellow block with missing text/pictures or a very thin strip of text again with missing pictures and text. Part of the new website deal means that I will shortly be able to send bulk e-mails from a better piece of software, hopefully fixing the aforementioned issues!

- Due to the summer ball next Saturday night, the kitchen will close from 13:30. Sandwiches, sausage rolls and pasties will still be available.

- Please note that the new direct number for the kitchen is 07340 293940. Please use this number when ordering from on the course.

- With the introduction of our new kitchen team, TFL family caterers, can I remind all members to book events, tickets and meals with the bar staff. (Emma, Bob, Nathan or I) Whilst the ladies in the kitchen are more than happy to accommodate, the club is responsible for bookings/front of house and payments. Direct contact with the kitchen staff leads to crossed wires and disjointed communication, please help us by following these guidelines.

Happy Golfing

Rob.

