## THE MILLBROOK GOLF CLUB



Millbrook Matters

Dear member

What's happening this week?

Tuesday 2nd February - Seniors from 08:30 to 09:10

Wednesday 3rd February - Ladies from 09:00 to 09:15

Thursday 4th February - Late night kitchen - last orders at 20:00

Friday 5th February - Seniors from 08:30 to 09:10

Sunday 7th February - Mixed Friendly from 10:00 to 11:00

Sunday 7th February - Carvery Lunch served from 12:45 unitl 16:00

## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**Friday 12th February** - Steak Night - Delicious cuts of meat with all the trimmings - booking essential.

**Saturday 20th February** - 60's night!!!! - £5 per ticket - Live music and dancing!!!!

See Emma to reserve you table and / or tickets.... 01525 840252 option 4 or email events@themillbrook.com

## What's been happening?

- A much better week of weather has meant the trolley ban being lifted and maintained. Thank you for your support of this ban, it has made a significant difference to the condition of the course especially around the walkways. If we could encourage those capable of carrying to continue doing so it would be appreciated. - A small work party, organised by the house committee, carried out numerous jobs around the clubhouse on Monday. A big thank you to: Peter Johnston, Tony Hawley, Roger Davies, Paul Getgood and Alan Reinke for their efforts.

- Please note: Carvery lunches will be served every Sunday from 12:45 to 16:00, reserve a table with Emma, Bob, Nathan or I.

- We have a new phone system at the club, installed on Tuesday. When phoning 01525 840252 you are now given 5 options. 1 = pro shop 2 =manager 3 = accounts 4 = Bar 5 = course conditions. Within the next few weeks the 01525 402269 number ( pro shop ) will also link to the same system. Meaning you will either reach a member of staff or have the opportunity to leave a message

- As per my rant regarding slow play last week, we timed our first group last Sunday, they successfully completed 18 holes in 4 hours 12 minutes. They were part of a swindle group and played during peak hours. Whilst it's 12 minutes more than we would like, this is acceptable for a fourball on a Sunday morning. The clocks ticking as we speak......

- Janine and I have finished preparing the subscription renewal letters and invoices. You should receive these via post during the week. As per the terms and conditions of membership at the club, subscription fees become due on the 29th February, unless you paid early of course!

If you currently pay by direct debit, your payment will automatically renew. Should you wish to cancel your direct debit, you must notify the office prior to the 12th February. If you wish to utilise the direct debit facility this year, please notify the office prior to the 12th February.

Despite continued investment and rising costs I'm pleased to report that subscription fees will remain the same this year as last. You will notice a slight increase on last years fee, this is due to an increase levied by the Bedfordshire county union and English Golf Union of £4.05 per member, regardless of category.

A full 7 day subscription priced at £899.05 for existing members equates to  $\pm 17.30$  per week, I hope you agree that this represents good value for money.

Please find below the membership categories and subscription fees for 2016/17.

If paying using the direct debit facility please add 9% to the below figures:

5 Day	£679.05
5 Day Family	£584.05
5 Day Forces	£319.05
5 Day Senior	£584.05
7 Day	£899.05
7 Day Family	£769.05
7 Day Forces	£419.05
7 Day Senior	£769.05
12 & under	£57.05
7 Day Junior	£159.05
7 Day Student	£249.05
7 Day Young Adult 18	£159.05
7 Day Young Adult 19	£219.05
7 Day Young Adult 20	£279.05
7 Day Young Adult 21	£339.05
7 Day Young Adult 22	£399.05
7 Day Young Adult 23	£459.05
7 Day Young Adult 24	£519.05
7 Day Young Adult 25	£559.05
7 Day Young Adult 26	£614.05
7 Day Young Adult 27	£674.05
7 Day Young Adult 28	£729.05
7 Day Young Adult 29	£784.05
7 Day Young Adult 30	£844.05
Flexible	£365.05
Country	£483.05
Over 80	£57.05
Social	£50.00
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If you are a forces member please add  $\pounds 30$  to the above fees for your bar levy.

More news next week.

Rob.