

LADY CAPTAIN'S NEWS LETTER

am now into my third week as Acting Lady Captain and I am getting into the Swing(no pun intended) of participating again in the Ladies Committee. Last Thursday I played at Hammonds End Invitation Day and on Monday went to Hadley Wood in the Hertfordshire Lady Captains' Summer Meeting. Although both Clubs are lovely, I have to say that I am very pleased that I am a member at Harpenden Common Golf Club. We had a number of Past Lady Captains' representing our Club at Hadley Wood and I am sure they will agree with me that it was very difficult playing there.

Last week I had a friend staying from Singapore, Jean Murdoch, who was a member of our ladies section many years ago. Next week I am meeting up with another friend, Kathy Heighway, who is visiting from Australia. Kathy was Lady Captain in 1995 at the Common.

Golf, as you know, opens many doors to us and we make friends from all walks of life through playing this sociable game. It certainly did that for me, as I moved to live in Harpenden 32 years ago from Glasgow and did not know anyone, but that soon changed when I became a member at Harpenden Common and have made many good friends over the years playing here.

WEEKLY REPORT

15th July - LADIES SCRATCH V PORTERS PARK

Our ladies had a very close score on some of the holes at Porters Park Golf Club which is an extremely difficult course and unfortunately lost overall. We had a team of five ladies representing Harpenden Common, which included Liz Close, Gillian Hanson, Kelli Seagrove, Sarah Topping and Jane Walter.

WELL DONE GILLIAN FOR ORGANIZING THE MATCH.







TUESDAY 18th JULY 2023

LADIES MEDAL, JUBILEE CUP & BURLEY TROPHY DRAW

On the day we had 27 ladies playing 18 holes and nine ladies playing in the Nine Hole Competition. On the previous Saturday we had 6 ladies playing. The results are as follows:





WINNER OF THE JUBILEE CUP

Jules Joseph with Nett 72 - Well Done Jules.

SILVER DIVISION

First	Gillian Hanson	Nett 73	£6
Second	Tracie Walker	Nett 74	£5
Third	Sheila Brockett	Nett 75	£3

BRONZE DIVISION

First	Jules Josephs	Nett 72	£6
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Second Sandy Halsey Nett 74 £5Taken on the back nine
Third Trixie Coates Nett 74 £3 Taken on the back nine

Fourth Wendy Audsley Nett 74 £2

9 HOLE LADIES

First Anne Capener 19 Points £3 Second Prim Tarry 14 Points £2

SHEILA STEWART WILL EMAIL THE DRAW FOR THE LADIES WHO ENTERED TO PLAY IN THE BURLEY TROPHY AND THE FOLLOWING LADIES QUALIFIED:

Gillian Hanson 73, Pam Henson 74, Sheila Stewart 76 Carolyn Richmond 76, Tracie Walker 78, Sarah Topping 80, Ellen Watson 81 and Carol Campbell 85. Good Luck Ladies.

THANK YOU:

Wenna Allen and Marianne Coleman for doing the draw and to Sheila Stewart and Ann Hemmingway for doing the cards. It is greatly appreciated that we have ladies who volunteer to do the draw and card checking, as it was not easy working out the cards on Tuesday, which keeps our ladies' section running smoothly.





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WINNERS VOUCHERS

Please note that all vouchers for the winners will be paid, as agreed, with Carolyn Richmond into either the Bar or Pro Shop.

REQUEST - DRAW 1st August Nine Hole Competition

We require two ladies to do the draw on the above date.

It would be nice if we could have more ladies signing up to do the draw and if you are interested please contact Sheila Stewart

COMPETITIONS JULY/AUGUST

22 nd July	Saturday Ladies Daily Mail Foursomes SU
25 th July	Ladies Daily Mail Foursomes SU
27 th July	Ladies V Berkhamsted (A)
30 TH July	Saturday Ladies Q Stableford Draw (Divs)
1 st August	Ladies 9 Hole Competition due to Course Maintenance
5 th August	Texas Scramble AM
6 th August	Saturday Ladies NQ Stableford Draw
8 th August	Ladies String Competition (Open Draw)

Key Dates for 2023

Autumn Meeting 17th September Club AGM 30th November Sadie Facer 5th December Ladies AGM 12 December

I look forward to seeing many of you on Tuesday 25th July for the Ladies Daily Mail Foursomes. There is a sign up list on the board if you are interested in playing.

Wishing you all good golf and have fun playing.

Georgina Elliot (Acting Lady Captain for July)