## Ladies Captain's NEWSLETTER 14<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Morning Ladies here is this week's newsletter. A busy week starting with a standalone Medal on 9th September. The results were as follows:-

1 <sup>st</sup>	Sarah Topping	Nett 73	
Runner up	Christine Hutchings	Nett 75	
	(Taken on count back from Gillian Hansen and Ellen Watson.)		

On to the Autumn Meeting - we were very fortunate with the weather, and I think the results reflect the very good condition the Course is in. The results are as follows:-

Winner Silver div. Winner Bronze div.	Sheila Stewart Jules Joseph (on countback from Carc	40 pts. 38 pts olyn Richmond)
2nd Overall 3rd Overall	Carolyn Richmond Gillian Hanson (Taken on count back fro	38 pts. 37 pts. om Jane Howe & Carol Campbell)

Winner of the Godfrey Trophy	Sheila Stewart.
Winner of the Rita Mc.Veigh Trophy	Carolyn Richmond

Best Front 9	Carol Campbell	22 pts.
Back 9	Linda Nicoll	20 pts
	(Taken on count back from Denise Van de W	
	Penny Cook)	

9-hole competition Winner	Ginny Jessen	21 pts.
Runner up	Pat Mitchell	18 pts.

## 9-hole Texas scramble winners

Sheila Stewart Frances Kipping and Gillian Hanson with 31.05pts

Nearest the line	Pat Mitchell	
Mystery Card	Gill Taverner	10 pts.

We had a lovely day, Course was superb, My thanks to the green staff. I must also thank Dave and Alex our starters and Stan and Tony for checking the cards (quite a lot of work involved with countbacks etc).

The catering and bar staff served us very well and my thanks to them and Vicky for all her help.

It is a long time since I was Captain, and I did really appreciate all the help from the ladies committee and especially to Jane for her guidance on everything. Thank you, Jane.

My thanks also to Barbara Kemp and Pam Henson for organising and selling raffle tickets. As always you were all very generous and a total of £305, was raised for the Lady Captains charity. Thank you all.

Moving on the acting Manco chairman has asked me to thank the ladies' section for their donation of new curtains for the Clubhouse. You will see the rails are in place and hopefully they will be up before the Open. It should help with the noise levels and make the room more comfortable in the winter.

Next week is the Millennium Trophy which is a qualifying Stapleford drawn in divisions. Jane will be leading the field as I am playing with the 9-hole ladies but I will be there to do the announcements.

Please sign up if you can help in any way on our forthcoming Open. Thank you.

## Key Dates for 2023

Club AGM Sadie Facer Ladies Section AGM

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December

Pat Eames, Acting Ladies Captain September 2023