

Seniors Newsletter February 2023

Hooray! The Bottles Competition was played at last. Congratulations to the winners of the bottles of wine and also to the winners of the other competitions that were able to be played. A reminder to 2 of you to collect your bottles from the office.

Unfortunately, we decided to cancel the Seniors Dinner and Dance because of the lack of support.

We managed to play a Winter League fixture at Weymouth but lost 12-6. Our next match is at Canford School on Wednesday 1st March. We still have to rearrange the home match against them following the postponed fixture when the course was closed.

A reminder for the upcoming friendly matches.

On 27 March we are home to Came Down

On 5 April we are away to Barton-on-Sea

On 12 April we are away to Southampton

And on 27 April we are home to Ashley Wood.

Sign up sheets will be on the Seniors notice board on the right as you enter the clubhouse.

The 9 hole competition will be included at the end of the 18 hole competition on 17 April.

The Senior Captain's v Vice-Captain's competition will take place on 20 March. Apologies for the late notice. This will be a charity event for the Willow Foundation which is my chosen charity for the year. The competition will be based on 2 teams playing 4 ball better ball match play. Teams will be drawn and players will be able to select to play in hourly timeslots. There will be no entry fee as there will be no prizes. Participants will be invited to make a voluntary donation of either £3 or £5 to the charity.

We are looking for volunteers to help with the Seniors Open Wine Scramble on 18 May and the Seniors Open Bowmaker on 13 July. Please contact Andrew Curtis or any of the committee if interested.

I am sorry to end this newsletter with the sad news that David Warburton, a member of our committee, has recently passed away. Our condolences go to his family and friends.

Derek Haines

Seniors Captain