

The Committee members attending: - Steve McCormack (SM), Bob Adams (BA), Gary Lyons (GL), Phil Johnstone (PJ), Richard Grainger (RG)
Apologies for absence: Steve Pallett (SP), Derek Barlow (DB)
Date of meeting: - Monday, June 1st, 2026

Chair:- Richard Grainger (RG)
Scribe:- Bob Adams (BA)

Items:-

1. Matters arising from the previous meeting.

GL has contacted the Club Vice-Captain re a contribution from the Race Night for the Senior Captain's charity. We await an answer.

2. Captain's Update (GL)

- Divot Day went well with 12 volunteers supporting the programme. 12 holes were completed. Thanks to all who contributed.
- The next major event on the calendar is the Captain's Charity Day on Wednesday, June 3rd. All funds raised will go to the Alzheimer's charity. 40 people have entered and Roles and Responsibilities for the Committee and helpers have been confirmed.
- The Mixed Greensomes competition was well attended and enjoyed by all participants. Winners were:
 - 1st place – Gary Henderson and Mo Villa
 - 2nd place – Derek Barlow and Kathy Bawden
 - 3rd place – Norman Welch and Margaret Johnstone
- Well done to all the winners.
- Gary and Mo will have their names engraved on the trophy and entered onto the Honours Board (PJ)

3. Treasurer's report (SM)

- SM presented the status of the accounts
- Finances continue to be in a healthy position and 2026/2027 accounts show that we are on target for the year
- SM will contact individuals whose Games Pots have reached a higher than normal level for settlement

4. ClubV1 Rota & Games Programme (RG)

- The Games programme is now in place through August. There are some keys dates included:
 - Wednesday June 17 – course closed for Essex Competition
 - Tuesday/Wednesday June 30/July 1 – Thorpeness Away
 - Wednesday/Friday August 5/7 – Seniors Championships
- ClubV1/HowDidIDo are both working well. Some minor issues have been resolved
- The September/October programme is under development

5. Competitions report (BA)

- Summer KO competition status was presented. Status as at June 1st is:
 - **Singles**
 - Round 1 – complete
 - Round 2 –16 scheduled - 11 games completed
 - **Doubles**
 - Round 1 – 8 scheduled – 2 games completed
- Several games are scheduled for next week and the programme is considered on time
- All results are available on ClubV1/HowDiDiDo and the Seniors website
- BA to send email to participants reminding completion dates for each round
- **Winners asked to send results to Bob Adams and Richard Grainger**
When requesting to play your games during the Seniors Allocated Tee Times please ensure that you email the Steward to request a tee slot and book a contingency tee time in the event that the games programme is full

6. Interclub Matches report (SP)

- 4 games have been played to-date
- Support has been strong and full teams put out for all four matches
- All games have been extremely friendly with plenty of banter and goodwill
- The next games are home to Ballards Gore (June 8th) and Langdon Hills (June 22nd)
- Members are requested to enter the games through ClubV1/HowDidIDo

7. IT report (RG)

- The website continues to be used and is running well
- 123 devices accessed the site during April and the number of ‘hits’ was 363 (down from 506 in April).
- RG has negotiated a three-year deal with WIX (the software provider) that has resulted in a significant saving against budget.
- The Website is up-to-date, the recent amendments being:
 - Singles competition table updated for recent results. No doubles matches played in last two weeks.
 - Photos from the Mixed Greensomes uploaded to gallery.
 - Eclectic, Order of Attendance, and Games Tracker updated for May 2026.
 - Interclub match results and SIPOTS table following our fourth interclub match

8. Pastoral report (BA)

- Bob has been keeping in touch with our members that may need a little bit of support or assistance or even just a phone call to keep in touch. We currently have a number of Seniors that are convalescing after injuries or

issues they have picked up, we also have more in the process of returning to golf which is good news.

- Please remember to keep your eyes and ears open and if there is anyone that you think may need our help or just a phone call, please let Bob or any of the committee members know.
- Please also let Bob know if your contact details have changed

9. Procurement report (DB)

- Derek continues to provide the products and the support to the Committee members running each activity

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a. Ballards Gore Invitational (SP)

- TRC will enter 2 teams
- Entrance will be via ClubV1/HowDidIDo and will be created in the system later in the year
- Individuals taking part will be charged via their Games Pots

b. Charity Day – June 3rd (GL)

- The outline actions for the Charity Day were discussed
- Roles and Responsibilities for the day were finalised for the Committee and helpers
- As at June 1st, there were 40 entrants

c. Seniors Championships (BA)

- Planning for the Seniors Championships to be held on August 5th and 7th was shared
- Roles and Responsibilities and actions necessary were discussed and agreed

d. World Cup Sweepstake (DB)

- DB had enrolled 52 people into the sweepstake against a target of 64
- Members to be approached for further participation

e. Scorecard Evidencing of ‘General Play’ rounds (GL)

- Following the Club’s directive, an instruction to the members re attesting score cards and general discipline to be issued

Next Meeting:

Date: Monday 6th July – after golf (13.00)

Chair: Steve Pallett

Scribe: Richard Grainger