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## CAPTAINS BLOG



**Hello fellow members,**

Happy days, golf is back, the course is ready, and everyone should now have received the guidance and instructions for play. The booking sheet on BRS is now open with the demand for tee times fierce, so please show a bit of consideration towards each other as we all try to get a slot on the starting sheet.

Please also remember, only members from any two households are permitted to play in any game. (example tee sheet booking given later in newsletter). And remember in all games please maintain social distancing and enjoy.

It will be great to get back onto the fairways once more but members should be aware that it is likely we will be playing casual golf for some time. Please also remember that the course has only had essential maintenance carried out by a reduced green staff over the lockdown period. The course will therefore require a week or two of TLC to get it up to normal standard for this time of the year. Having said that I'm sure members will get a pleasant surprise when they see what good condition the course is in, given the restrictions that were in place. Great credit to Andy and his team.

Unfortunately, the clubhouse has to remain closed for the time being, but we have taken the opportunity to carry out a re-decoration programme. This has seen the Office, Main Lounge and Foyer spruced up (photos below). Have a sneak preview through the Lounge windows, I am sure you will be delighted with the results.

All of these projects were carried out by volunteers, and I must sincerely thank the following people for their efforts and enthusiasm, John Cleland, Billy Wright, Jim & Sheila Bridges, Gordon & Fraser Dickson. Thank you one and all. We are also eternally grateful for the donation of monies and materials which allowed this project to be carried out at minimal cost to the club.

As always, Observe the rules and Stay Safe.  
Malcolm, Club Captain



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## UPDATE FROM THE COMMITTEE

Given the current situation, The Committee decided that Members needed more than one update a month via the Newsletter so instead we have issued various emails over the last two months advising what steps have been taken to keep the Club running, ensuring we are ready for golf, whilst at the same time reducing costs during the period of closure.

Therefore we will not repeat those points again but would like to inform members that we have been successful in our application for a grant of £25k from the Scottish Government and can confirm the money is in the bank. We have also received refunds from Scottish Golf and Lanarkshire Golf Association. Such funding will assist the golf club to be in the best possible position considering we will have limited social events as well as regular and open golfing competitions. As mentioned previously, a revised budget is being prepared and we hope to be able to send this to all members by email in the coming weeks.

All that is left to say is let's get back on the Course and enjoy some golf!

Please visit [www.carlukegolfclub.com/members-area/newsletter](http://www.carlukegolfclub.com/members-area/newsletter) to download the **COVID-19 GUIDELINES FOR GOLFERS** which must be followed by all members (also been emailed to all members)

**Social distance booking rules-** (this has been emailed to all members). **Strictly** play can only be made up from 2 different households only. Every members name must be in the tee sheet on the day of play as we are bound by law to keep record of the track and trace for 6 weeks.

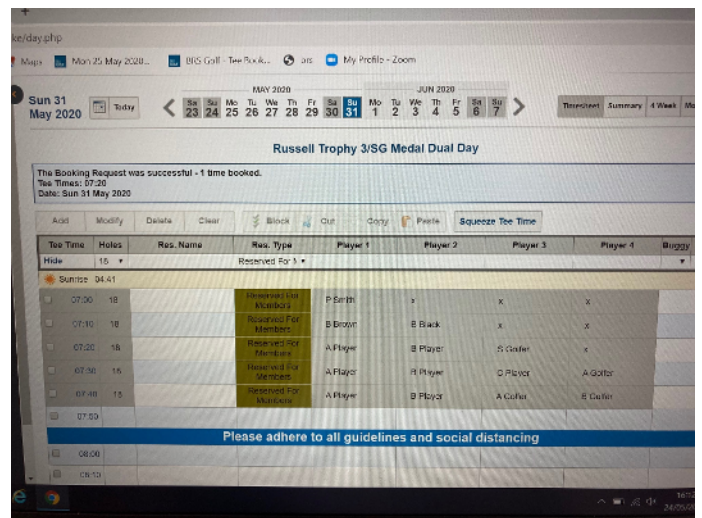
7 am tee time is a single golfer, to do this you must block the remaining tee times off

7.10am tee time is two golfers from two different households with remaining tee times blocked off.

7.20am tee time is two players from one household with one player from another household.

7.30 am tee time is three players from the one household joined up with a single player from another household.

7.40 am tee time is two players from one household joined with two players from another household



## FROM THE MARKETING COMMITTEE

Thank-you to everyone who emailed us with positive and constructive feedback on the two issues of our golf club newsletter. By providing this valuable feedback we will do our best to include more of the features and articles that you have enjoyed as well as use your suggestions for future issues. Keep the emails coming! All feedback must be sent to - [newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com](mailto:newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com).

We are making every effort to communicate with members and visitors, To help us to reach out to everyone, as well as issuing this monthly newsletter, we have club social media channels. Please follow us on Twitter, Facebook and/or Instagram. We appreciate you liking, retweeting and sharing info posted.



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# COURSE UPDATE

Hello again everyone,

No golf yet, but as I write this, we are on tenterhooks waiting to see what wee Nicola is going to say tomorrow, (Thursday 21st). By the time you read this we will know her "road map" and we may even have golfers on the course instead of, dogs, bikes and people who seem to have got lost on the way to Lanark Loch for a picnic!!!

Not really too much to report on the course, we have just been cutting away and trying to keep on top of everything. Seems strange to be saying this but we have at last had some "welcome" rain, to help with the growth. We went from one extreme to the other with weeks of rain followed by weeks of dry, sometimes, sunny and nearly always cool, windy conditions - not really conducive to growing grass, on greens anyway!! As a matter of interest we had measured in our little rain gauge, 394mm of rain from the 7th of January to the start of the lockdown, which was 10 weeks. Since the lockdown came in, (we are in our 9th week incase you have lost count) we have had 29mm, over a third of which has fallen this week!!!

Fairly dried the place up right enough lol.

The course is still receiving very positive comments and the greens are starting to look more like the thing now as the natural growth begins to kick in. We are still cutting at 6mm, although last week, when it was very dry, I cut them only once, at 7mm!! We are starting to see them improve right enough and when the golf starts and we can bring them back to nearer the normal height of cut, they should be fine.

Fingers crossed we get some good news tomorrow, and by the time you get to read this, if we are not already golfing, shouldn't be long until we are, but remember to stick to the guidelines and stay safe.

Andy. (Sammy and Gordon).



## Q&A SESSION - FEATURING 'FORE' MEMBERS

Thanks again to **Craig McNicol** for providing insightful answers to the questions covered in the **Glenburn Grapevine** edition. This month we feature 'fore' members with a combined **102** years of membership at Carluke GC. Our membership is diverse in many ways, so the 'fore' (willing is a bit strong) members who have taken part in this feature represent the club pretty well - one young member, one lady member and 2 'auld duffers'. I hope you enjoy this month's feature as much as you did last - watch out - next month it could be you! All 'fore' members were asked the same 14 questions (below). Thanks to **Jan Kidd**, **Bryce McLean**, Past Captain **John McNeil** and **Wul McConnell** who have taken some of their lockdown time to answer them for a bit of fun! **To pass the time....I have also added one or two comments in red (Scott Murphy).**

### 1. How long have you been a member and favourite part of being a member at Carluke GC?

**Jan** - I have been a member for 15 years. I started playing golf late in life thanks to Willie my husband and coach convincing me to take up the game. Favourite part of being a member - definitely the friendships I've made and the laughs I've had over the years - a great club to be part of! **Jan...not a bad coach to have - Mighty Well' fan and Men's 1st class champion 2019.**

**Bryce** - I have been a member for 11 years from the age of 10. **Hard paper round Bryce!?**

**John** - I have been a member since March 1980. Favourite part is definitely the people you come into contact with, who are great friends and socially have had some brilliant times. I also love the course. **I never realised you enjoyed the social side of it John...**

**Wul** - I joined 1984- favourite bit is the people at the club - always been a friendly place! **100% Agree.**

### 2. What is your current playing handicap and your lowest ever handicap?

**Jan** - Current handicap is 15 and lowest I got to for a few weeks last year was 14.

**Bryce** - My current playing handicap is 3 and that is also my lowest ever...so far.

**John** - Current handicap 19.6, best 17.4 - so a consistently crap golfer. **Shark!**

**Wul** - 17 just now - lowest was 11. **What is it they say Wul??? Old age doesn't come itself!**

### 3. What is your best score at Carluke - give bit of detail about how you felt going up 16,17,18 and after it, memorable shots, nervous moments or birdie run?

**Jan** - Best score was 82 on 5th June, 2018. No birdies on the round but managed 9 pars. Pars at 15, 16 and 17 then got a bit nervous playing 18 and bogeyed it. Got cut from 17 to 15 and won the Centenary Putter. **Nice one! I wonder if you have more trophies than your coach?**

**Bryce** - My best ever score at Carluke is 2 under par and it wasn't a simple round as I had a birdie at 16, a double bogey at 17 and a birdie at 18 to finish the round. Not stressful at all...

**John** - Best ever score was in a Wednesday Medal 82 - net 60. I thought I was a golfer that day couldn't do anything wrong. Tried really hard from the 15th not to think too much about my score just concentrate and keep going. Really nervous teeing off 17 and 18 but ended up with two pars - so happy as Larry. Sorry I've no idea what a birdie run is - very rarely even get one birdie - never mind a run of them. **As above...Shark..Less said about the lack of birdies, the better John.**

**Wul** - 77 - 1st round in Club Championship (2nd class). I can't remember much except going down 18, nearly O.B at the fence so had to chip out but hit green with 3rd shot so managed a bogey with 2 putts.

### 4. What is your worst score at Carluke - give a wee bit of detail inc howler hole, lost balls/temper, memorable moments etc.

**Jan** - Started off a 36 handicapper so you can imagine I had some horrendous scores. Can't actually remember the worst and HowDidiDo doesn't go back that far - thank goodness! **Impressive Jan - 36 to 15!**



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**Bryce** - My worst score at Carluke is 137 playing off the junior tees, it was my first medal at the blue tees after just moving up from the smaller course and the 11th became the biggest issue as I couldn't get the ball off the ground. **A distant memory now Bryce!**

**John** - Worst ever score 107 net 87. Howler hole the eighth - ended up with 11 - that lovely tree in the middle of the Fairway and then a lost ball, in a bunker, crap putting - you name it it all happened. Don't tend to get angry - not really me. **What tree - I don't know what you are talking about John???**

**Wul** - 100 (and something) I can't remember exact number but managed a 12 at 12! I was playing for handicap and was going to NR but was talked into playing on by H.McVicar.

### 5. What is your target for next season or two?

**Jan** - Same as always - keep plugging away and try to get my handicap down.

**Bryce** - Get down to scratch or plus at Carluke I feel Carluke is on club everyone has a true handicap at.

**John** - Never been good enough to set targets - but hopefully to try and reduce my handicap - or even stay the same.

**Wul** - To be still playing in 2nd class.



### 6. Tell us about the funniest moment on course/clubhouse or playing another course with current member.

**Jan** - Had a few funny moments over the years, especially on our famous Table Tennis outings. My funniest moment happened last year. I was playing Vice Captain's Prize. Was playing quite steadily then got to the 7th. My ball went in the bunker on the right hand side of the green and when I got there it was on the face. Unfortunately my inner Seve decided that if I concentrated I could play the shot. Gave it a go, fresh air shot, lost my footing and landed flat on my back in the bunker. Few concerned looks to see if I was okay then lots of laughing. Sat up to see 3 ladies on 6th tee wondering what was going on. Scored 10!

**Bryce** - Fraser Merriweather trying to get up the small hill at 14 with his electric trolley on a very wet day...ended up covered in mud from top to bottom.

**John** - There have been many many funny moments during bounce games - too many to recall. Same with in the Clubhouse some amazing nights with the Petrol Pumpers. The Race to Dubar final days are absolute classics.

**Wul** - So many but will go for letting my trolley go down hill at 4th for it to end up in L.H fairway bunker before the road on it's side. Needless to say the photo ended up on Facebook with words "Big Wul ha had enough golf today" posted by Craig McConnell! **The thing about Facebook pics is that they never disappear...**

### 7. Think about current members - what is your worst 3 or 4 ball and why.

**Jan** - Without naming names my worst 4 ball would be me and 3 men who don't appreciate lady golfers! **No men golfers at Carluke who fall into that category Jan...surely not!??**

**Bryce** - First two have to be Kenny Wilson and Craig MacNicol, I don't like getting beat...and then my dad who forgets golf looks easy when your watching and not playing. **Your Dad chips in for 2s for fun!**

**John** - Naughty question -- I love playing with anyone from Carluke Golf Club. Although a long time ago when playing for my first handicap one of the first class guys was a total pain in the rear end (no names). I reckon it was because I was so nervous and couldn't have hit a coo on the bahookie wi a banjo that made him think what am I doing with this numptie!!! **Name John.....we need names! :-)**

**Wul** - Me, John Cleland, Bert Robertson and Graham Mason - not because I don't like playing with them , usually too much drink involved! **That is some poor company you are keeping Wul...**

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### 8. As above, current members best 3 or 4 ball and why.

**Jan** - I'd choose Pat Milne, who is always a calming influence and supportive, Anna Turner, great golfer and lovely to see her play and lastly Jenny Hall for the laughs. **The making of a good Texas Scramble Team Jan!**

**Bryce** - Best four ball has to be my friends Ewan Pollock, Robbie McGuinness and JJ Arnott makes the round very enjoyable and they make me feel good about my golfing ability. **Young Team...combined age less than John McNeil!**

**John** - Again love playing with any of our guys in our Sweep. Special mentions to John Brodie my doubles partner - he never gets annoyed when I stick him in the trees - or worse. Jim Robertson, Chris Paterson, Wullie McConnell, John Cleland and Bert Robertson all for varying reasons. Laughs, determination, mood swings, non stop talking, temper they can provide the lot. **You are not fussy who you play golf with John...**

**Wul** - Me, My Father, Criag McConnell and Scott Murphy -not all still members - to have one more game with auld Wul would have been good. **That would be good round of golf Wul - not sure I could handle three generations of (crabbit) McConnell's for 18 holes though!**

### 9. How many shots would you need off Craig Ronald to beat him over 18 holes?

**Jan** - Mmm probably at least 50.

**Bryce** - 0 shots, date and time ;) **Selling the tickets as we speak..bookies have you at 5/1 and CR at 1/2!**

**John** - Would never be able to compete with Craig, but if I had two strokes a hole - you never know.

**Wul** - 2 a hole would maybe give me a chance!

### 10. Best 19th hole partner.

**Jan** - Better say Willie because he'll read this but also Jenny Hall. **So really it is Jenny....**

**Bryce** - The one man you can always rely on being in the clubhouse after a Saturday at the golf, William McConnell. **Big Wul at the 'big windy'...Standard!**

**John** - Again a difficult one - any of the Pumpers. **Good politicians' answer John...**

**Wul** - I think most people could answer tis for me - JC (John Cleland). **Stock up on the cider Bar Staff!**

### 11. Your bogey hole at Carl Luke and why?

**Jan** - 7th hole is my nemesis! Just find it a hard hole to play, have managed to par it on occasion but never birdied. **Yet....Jan.....Yet!**

**Bryce** - My bogey hole is 100% the 8th off the medal tees. I think it's hard to judge where the pin is on the green and are always left with a hard chip to save par if you miss the green. Also if you miss the green the ball can take a wild bounce. **Also one or two other 'challenges' on that hole from what I hear?? A tree? was mentioned???**

**John** - It used to be the 12th for many years, but scoring wise it is the 6th hole - don't know why as I like the hole but in a medal never seem to score well. **Tough hole into the wind with scorecard in your pocket! S.I 1.**

**Wul** - There has been a few over the last 36 years. 17 - been in the field more than my fair share and 8th more recently. I don't know how the tree is still standing the amount of times I've hit it. **Tree????**

The last few questions and some pictures of the remaining 'fore' members below. Thanks very much to Jan, Bryce, John and Wul for agreeing to answer the questions. Do you have a good idea for an 'article'?

Send your ideas to [newsletter@carl Lukegolfclub.com](mailto:newsletter@carl Lukegolfclub.com)

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### 12. Your best scoring/easiest hole and why?

**Jan** - That's a tough one probably pick the 11th as I've had a hole in one there but I've also had a few high scores on it too. **Such a great hole to play Jan and well deserved to be considered a signature hole...in my opinion.**

**Bryce** - My best scoring hole on paper is the 6th if I get a good tee shot away it makes it much easier! But the hole I find the easiest is the 9th as I could have as little as a mid iron into the green. If I miss the green I can still get up and down for birdie! **Maybe the new bunker could change it a bit - smaller target, more trouble now?**

**John** - My best scoring hole is the 16th medal wise, but a lot of times the 3rd has been a favourite hole scoring wise. **16th can be a tough par 3 in a medal when on a good score - good shooting John!**

**Wul** - Would need to be 11th - hole in one and won most of my 2s money there. **I am starting to feel like I am in the minority having never had a hole in one at 11!**

### 13. Favourite course ever played and why?

**Jan** - Old Course St Andrew's (see pic below). Love playing it just for the history and all the players who had played on it. Was a nervous wreck playing my first tee shot though! **One of my 'bucket list' courses to play!**

**Bryce** - Favourite course I've ever played is Castle Stuart, the clubhouse is unique and the driving range is outstanding and the course has so much character and amazing views throughout! Only downside is it's £6.50 for a pint...**All going so well until that bombshell.....so basically take a carry out with you!??**

**John** - Marbella Golf and County Club n Spain. Fantastic holes and tee positons. The weather helped as well mind you . The whole complex is looked after really well - superb clubhouse and the hospitality cart was brilliant. **Sounds like my kind of place John!**

**Wul** - Trump Aberdeen and Las Colinas (Spain). Too hard for me but fantastic courses. **Quality courses!**

### 14. Name 2 or 3 bucket list course(s) and why?

**Jan** - Augusta would definitely be my first choice then it would be Kingsbarns because Willie never shuts up about how good it was to play. **C'mon Willie - take Jan to Kingsbarns you miserable so and so.....**

**Bryce** - Augusta and Pebble Beach are my two bucket list courses as there has been many memorable moments on them and you can only be invited to play at the courses, so to play them would be a once in a lifetime opportunity. **Two crackers! Tough to score on Bryce...**

**John** - Royal Dornoch - I used to holiday near Dornoch and played the Struie Course but being on my own and just a beginner never ventured on to THE course - so would love to go back and play, it is a lovely part of Scotland. Valderrama - mainly as a result of Seve. **Royal Dornoch Championship Course looks amazing John.**

**Wul** - Carnoustie and Turnberry. **Would not mind playing those two courses Wul,**



Bryce tearing it up on 10&16



Clubs & Trolley in Bunker



Table Tennis Outing



Jan & Willie  
Old Course  
2014



## Q & A - COMMITTEE

In the very first edition of our newsletter we included information about Committee of Management (COM) for this year. Do you have any questions for us?

We want to be able to answer any questions you may have and then share that question along with the subsequent answer with all members via the monthly newsletter. It could be about anything related to the course/club. Email us at :

[newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com](mailto:newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com).

**Q. I do not seem to receive emails from the club - what is the reason for this?**

A. It could be one of a few reasons but hopefully easy enough to rectify. Firstly you should check your junk/spam emails. If you have emails from Carluke GC in that folder then move it to your inbox then following emails should automatically arrive in your inbox. We may have inaccurate email address so it is worth double checking this with the club anytime you visit or feel free to call to check. Lastly you may have opted for certain preferences - we can change that so you do receive all emails. Please contact office or member of COM to amend this. for you.

Life in the Trap by Rick Newell

[www.lifeinthetrap.com](http://www.lifeinthetrap.com)



## RECOMMENDATIONS

You will notice at the foot of this page we have recommended some golf related movies, TV shows, books and podcasts - if you haven't read, watched or listened to any of these then it may be worth spending some of your time during lockdown.

We would be really keen to hear about some of your golf related recommended books, TV shows, movies and podcasts so that we can continue with this feature. It will help us all get through the lockdown boredom for those experiencing that and also to widen our golfing horizons whilst we are not able to play. If you enjoy this part of the newsletter we can continue with it when we are back on the green stuff with clubs in our hands!

Please provide us with feedback on this feature, as well as others, so that we can make the newsletter as enjoyable and informative as possible.

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## LOCKDOWN RECOMMENDATIONS

### Books/Podcasts (p)

No Limits - Ian Poulter

Out of the Rough - Steve Williams

Preferred Lies - Andrew Greig

Talk Golf Scotland -Various (p)

Sky Sports Golf - Various (p)

Feherty - Various (p)

### Movies/TV

Seve - The Movie - 2014

The Last Dance - Netflix 2020

Chronicles of Champion Golfer - Sky Sports Golf (various)

The Short Game - Netflix 2013

Tee Shot - Netflix 2019



## YOUR CONTACT DETAILS

If you are not receiving club emails or wish to update your details, please contact us by email at:

[newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com](mailto:newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com) or by direct message via our social media accounts on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram.

The email address we have registered for you in ClubV1 is used to send you information regarding competition tee times and draws as well as important updates on the course. Especially in the current situation it is important that we are able to reach all members with information on current government & SGU guidelines to ensure a safe return to golf for all.

## WEBSITE

The Marketing Team are keen to update Carluke GC website.

Are you able to help us with this? Do you have expertise or possibly know someone with such expertise who would be willing to assist us to make our website much more user friendly and modern?

Please contact us so that we can arrange an initial discussion. Thank You.

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## NEW HOLE SIGNS

Thanks very much to all of our members who contributed to the design, manufacture and installation of our new on course hole overview. Thanks to Peter Crawley, Scott Melvin, John Berry and Annie Sinclair.

Lots of positive feedback has already been received and since it has been so long from our last round of golf (about 5 years now - or does it just feel like that?) the information may be useful to remind us before playing each hole!

**Please adhere to all Covid-19 guidance issued by COM and SGU - enjoy your golf safely.**



## CARLUKE GC JIGSAW

Why don't you attempt one (or both) of our online jigsaw puzzles?

We have created one **81 piece jigsaw** (clubhouse) and one **48 piece jigsaw** (birds eye view of course). Copy and paste or type link into URL - the jigsaws work best using a laptop as opposed to tablet/smartphone.

48 piece **course jigsaw** -

<https://www.jigsawplanet.com/?rc=play&pid=162e7a891a84>



81 piece **clubhouse jigsaw** -

<https://www.jigsawplanet.com/?rc=play&pid=0edbe0a4e90d>



## NEWSLETTER NAME

You will (hopefully) have noticed that our June edition is named **Mauldslie Mail!** Last month it was **Glenburn Grapevine** and next month will be named something different based on the suggestions made by you.

Each edition is going to have a different title. After 12 editions to celebrate the 1 year anniversary of Carluke GC newsletter we will put each of the names used throughout the year for a vote. Take a note of you favourite 'name' but if members prefer we will continue to name each edition differently!

Watch out .....

It could be your suggestion next month...or the next...or the next!

Do you have any suggestions - email us at -

[newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com](mailto:newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com)

## JIGSAW PUZZLES DETAILS

If you would like to create your own online jigsaws similar to the ones included here simply go to **jigsawplanet.com** then create a free account. You can then add in any photo you have (a family picture for example) to create a jigsaw to complete online.

Thanks to Mr Gordon Dickson for recommending this website and hopefully members enjoy completing Carluke GC jigsaws in this edition.



## 9 HOLE QUIZ

All of the questions require the number of responses of that particular hole - for example you will need to provide **one** response for question (hole) no.1, **two** responses for hole no.2, **three** responses for hole no.3 and so on! All correct answers are provided following clubhouse update.

Hole 1 - Name **one** (of two) players who have achieved a hole in 1 at The British Open since 2016?

Hole 2 - Five left handed golfers (male) have won multiple times on PGA tour - name **two** of them?

Hole 3 - Including 2008 name **three** (of six) captains of European Ryder Cup Team?

Hole 4 - According to Top 100 Golf Courses (don't cheat!) name **four** of Scotland's top 10 rated golf courses?

Hole 5 - Golfguide.info have ranked top eight golf club brands - name **five** of the top eight?

Hole 6 - Since 2013, ten different nationalities have won one of the five women's major golf championship - name **six** countries from which winning players are from?

Hole 7 - 17 golfers have won the men's US Masters 2 or more times - name **seven** of them?

Hole 8 - Since World Golf rankings were introduced in 1986, 23 (male) golfers have reached no.1 spot - name **eight** players? Bonus Putt - only 1 player only had 1 week at the top - all others have had at least 3 weeks (accumulative) - name that golfer?

Hole 9 - Including 2000, 16 different (male) golfers have won The British Open - name **nine** players?

## SAND TRAP

In the sand trap! How many bunkers (including new bunker installed for this season) do we have at Carluke GC - **not including practice area**. Send your answers by email, [newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com](mailto:newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com) or a direct message on social media and we'll reply and tell you if you are right!





## CLUBHOUSE UPDATE

As everyone is all too aware, the Clubhouse has been closed for a number of weeks now. What better time to freshen the place up - especially when all labour and materials were donated! Huge thanks to John Cleland and Billy Wright for their hard work stripping, painting and re-papering, Jim Bridges for cleaning the carpets and Gordon Dickson for donating as well as laying the new office carpet tiles - I am sure everyone is looking forward to seeing it all at some point this summer but here is a sneak preview!



## 9 HOLE QUIZ - ANSWERS

Remember you need to have the same number of correct responses to each hole - so if you answered - Oosthuizen for hole no.1 you are correct! You do not need to provide all correct answers (pretty impressive if you can!). Here are all of the correct responses for each hole.

This 9 hole course is par 45 but unlike usual play you are trying to score as high as possible - 43-45 is an excellent round.

40-42 is a very good round.

35 - 39 is a good round.

30-34 - is an average round.

25 - 29 - not your best!

<24 - back to the practice area I am afraid....you don't watch enough golf so need to get hold of that remote more often.

Hole 1 - Louis Oosthuizen (2016) and Emiliano Grillo (2019).

Hole 2 - Phil Mickelson (42 wins), Bubba Watson (12 wins), Mike Weir (8 wins), Bob Charles (6 wins) and Steve Flesch (4 wins).

Hole 3 - N.Faldo (2008), C.Montgomerie (2010), J.M Olazabal (2012), P.McGinley (2014), D.Clarke (2016) and T.Bjorn (2018).

Hole 4 - 1. Trump Turnberry (Ailsa), 2. St Andrews (Old), 3. Royal Dornoch (Championship), 4. Muirfield, 5. Carnoustie, 6. North Berwick (West), 7. Kingsbarns, 8. Royal Aberdeen, 9. Castle Stuart and 10. Trump International (Aberdeen).

Hole 5 - 1. Callaway, 2. TaylorMade, 3. Titleist, 4. Mizuno, 5. Wilson, 6. Ping, 7. Cleveland Golf and 8. Cobra Golf.

Hole 6 - S.Korea , U.S, Thailand, Sweden, Austrailia, Japan, Canada, NZ, Norway and England.

Hole 7 - J.Nicklaus (6), Tiger (5), A.Palmer (4), J.Demaret (3), S.Snead (3), G. Player (3), N.Faldo (3), P.Mickleson (3), H.Smith (2), B.Nelson (2), B.Hogan (2), T.Watson (2), Seve (2), B.Langer (2), B.Crenshaw (2), JM Olazabal (2) and B.Watson (2).

Hole 8 - B.Langer, Seve, G.Norman, N.Faldo, I.Woosnam, F.Couples, N.Price, **T.Lehman (bonus putt answer)**, Tiger, E.Els, D.Duval, V.Singh, L.Westwood, M.Kaymer, L.Donald, R.McIlroy, A.Scott, J.Speith, J.Day, DJ, J.Thomas, J.Rose, and B.Koepka.

Hole 9 - Tiger (2000, 2005 & 2006), D.Duval (2001), E.Els (2002 & 2012), B.Curtis (2003), T.Hamilton (2004), P.Harrington (2007 & 2008), S.Cink (2009), L.Oosthuizen (2010), D.Clarke (2011), P.Mickelson (2013), R.McIlroy (2014), Z.Johnson (2015), H.Stenson (2016), J.Speith (2017), F.Molinari (2018) and S.Lowry (2019).

Do you have a quiz you would like to share with members? Send it (along with answers) to [newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com](mailto:newsletter@carlukegolfclub.com).



# LIGHT HEARTED LOCKDOWN LAUGHS!

Some classics...

What is the difference between a golfer and a fisherman?

When a golfer lies, he doesn't have to bring anything home to prove it.



Why is there are 18 holes on a golf course?

Because that's how long it took us (Scots) who invented the game to finish their bottle of whisky!

Cheers!!

You spend too much time thinking about golf!

Do you even remember the day we got married?

Of course I do! It was the same day I sank that 45-foot putt.



Continuing with marriage theme....one from one of our members - thanks Mr Frank Gallacher - It made us laugh - send in your favourite golf jokes to give us all a laugh.

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**Husband** - My wife is missing. She went out yesterday and has not come home.....

**Police Officer** - What is her height? **Husband** - I am not sure...a little over 5ft tall.

**Police Officer** - Colour of eyes? **Husband** - Sort of brown...I think. Never really noticed.

**Police Officer** - Color of hair? **Husband** - Changes a couple of times a year - maybe dark brown. Not sure.

**Police Officer** - What kind of car did she go in? **Husband** - She went in my car

**Police Officer** - Was there anything of value in the car?

**Husband** - Yes - my golf clubs . Titleist TS3 9\* Driver with Tensei Orange CK60 with 74 Tungsten Prepreg shaft. Titleist TS3 15\* Fairway wood with Hrzdrus 6.5x 76g shaft. Titlesit 3-4 718 TMB irons with Nippon modus 120x shaft. Titleist 718 AP2 irons 5 iron -50\* with Nippon modus 120x shafts. Titleist Vokey Sm8 52\*, 56\* and 60\* wedges. Scotty Cameron Newport 2.5 35" Putter with Superstroke Pistol GT tour Skull grip/ Titleist mid staff bag. Nikon range finder. 12 x Pro V1 balls. Carluke GC bag tag!

WHEN I DIE, BURY  
ME ON THE GOLF  
COURSE SO MY  
HUSBAND  
WILL VISIT

