



# Haydock Park Matters

## Diary Dates

Captain's Weekend,  
11th & 12th July.  
Duke Box Eddy.

Saturday 15th August:

Hog Roast, music by Slick Nickle, with a Country and Western caller. Because of the occasion, dress is smart casual. Denims will be allowed.

## More new members

**Welcome to our new members.** Our numbers will have reached 517. Please help them to feel welcome. We would particularly welcome new **Lady Members**. They would be joining a thriving ladies section and would be made most welcome.

## District Championship News

### Men's District

#### Championship

The Victory Trophy played at Dean Wood Golf Club on Saturday 13th June was won by Leigh Golf Club, with Haydock Park a close second but Haydock Park won the Gross Team event. This is the first time since 1993 that we have won The Victory Shield event, so congratulations to everyone in the team: Ian Kenwright, Ken Sargent, Jonathan Whalley, Phil Sargent, Ian Hayes, Matthew Steele, Robert Kenwright, Mark Riley, Jason Gilbert and

David Hughes. Ian Kenwright won the individual gross prize with a 6 under par total of 136 and Phil Sargent finished third in the individual nett with 138.

It is interesting to note that the last time that Haydock Park won the District Championship was in 1993, when the team consisted of David Pilkington, Peter Boydell, Brian Kenny, Peter Evans, Andrew Glaze, Ken Sargent, Justin Arrowsmith, Andrew McKenzie and Lee Crumbleholme who won the overall nett.

### Championship

On Saturday the 20th June, the Haydock Park Ladies team took both the team nett and team gross honours at the Ladies District Championship at Wigan GC last Saturday. With Mandy Bromillow winning the Individual Gross and Sandra Woodcock having the best nett in the afternoon. Haydock Park won four out of six of the prizes

### Ladies District

## On the Course.

### Changes to the Greens

#### Staff

Congratulations to Terry Wharton on his promotion to Head Green Keeper. After many years of sterling work, Ken Benison has decided to step down, although he will still be working on the course for fewer hours. Congratulations too to Dave Traynor who steps up to Assistant Head Green Keeper. Terry has also just completed his 3 year college course.

### Course Walk Round

The first walk around, which was to look at a particular green, had to be cancelled due to lack of interest. It is to be hoped that when this is re-arranged we can not only show a little more interest but also show our support for our new Head Green keeper.

**Improvements to the course**  
Going to press 40 tonnes out of a proposed 100 tonnes of top dressing, have been applied to the course.

### Greens Book

Please remember to put any comments about the course in the greens book in the Professional's shop. Comments are very valuable and will be responded to by the Course Management Committee.



# Etiquette



\*Glenmuir Clothing

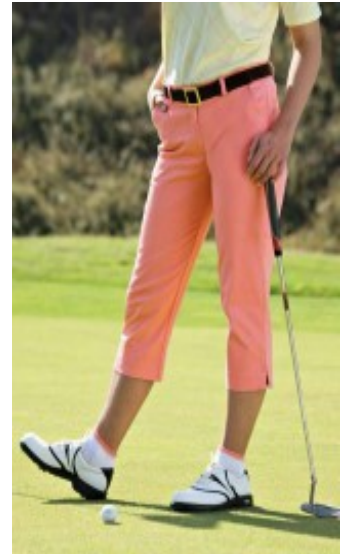
As we approach **Captain's Weekend** it is a good time for members to be reminded about certain aspects of dress on the course. Gents – shirts should be tucked in, shorts should be of the tailored variety and not “cargo” type shorts, i.e. large pockets, nor calf length trousers. If gentlemen are wearing shorts then socks must be either ankle socks, which are predominantly white or knee length golf socks of any colour. Ladies may wear cropped

trousers.

Shorts may be worn in the clubhouse but not for presentations.

Smart Casual Dress is welcomed in the dining area at any time although Jacket and Tie for gents is preferred.

At **Captain's Weekend, Invitations** and at other formal functions when specified, gentlemen must wear a jacket and tie when dining and for the presentation.



## News from the House Committee.

It is proposed to make changes to some of the **mild** available at the club bar. Don't be afraid to give Jules your opinion if you get chance to try one of the **milds** on offer.

**Slow Down !** The speed limit on the drive is 10 mph. Please be careful.

Please help to reduce our bills by **turning off lights** when they are no longer needed.

The **heating of the club** is to be reviewed in the hope that it can be made more efficient.

## Captain & Lady Captain's Charity ( Prostate Cancer )

Captain & Lady Captain have so far raised over £2200 this year, boosted recently by £482, raised by Ina's son Andrew ,who ran the London Marathon. There are 2 further charity fund raising events in the near future.

A **Strawberry Tea** is to be held at Christine Walkden's home on Wednesday 22nd July. Tickets are available for this from the ladies' committee

A **Charity Open Golf Day** on Sunday August 30th 2009.

Captain & Lady Captain would be grateful to anyone prepared to sponsor a hole or to donate a prize for this event. There are a few morning tee times available for this mixed competition.

## Forthcoming Competitions

Tuesday July 7<sup>th</sup> Lady Captain's 1<sup>st</sup> Round  
 Saturday and Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> July, Captain's Weekend  
 Tuesday July 14<sup>th</sup> Lady Captain's 2nd Round  
 Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> July Captain's v. President's  
 Tues 21<sup>st</sup> July, Greenacres Summer Bowl  
 Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July Caulfield Cup  
 Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> July Mixed Open  
 The Greenkeeper's Shield has now been rearranged for Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October.

Several **Opens** are arranged during the year, which allow less fortunate golfers to appreciate the facilities at Haydock Park. If any members are available to act as starters at these competitions, please contact Enid in the office or members of the Golf Committee.

## Juniors

Two of Haydock Park's juniors, **Rory Pyke** and **John Crompton** played 72 holes in eight and a half hours on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June in aid of junior funds. The total raised was over £700. All the Juniors will be provided with a red golf shirt bearing the club motif. Another possibility is a Junior tie which the Juniors will help to design.