

You Lucky People!!! – Who used to say that? Tommy Trinder?

First, Boris gives us clearance to play golf again, then you find Dave, Ned, and a few others have been able to keep the fairways, rough and greens in good nick, then we can look forward to 3 comps soon.

Dates for your diary:-

Sad to say, the competitions included in our published Fixtures List for the early weeks until end April have had to be cancelled due to Covid probs. However ...

April 19th – A new special Team AMAM– Pick your own team, book your tee times with Dave Raitt, 1 card per team (but all players to finish each hole and record scores), Team card goes into the box after. No entry fee and a bottle of wine for each of the winning team as a prize.

April 26th – Individual Special Stableford comp. Again, no entry fees, no 2s comp, small prizes for winners of each division plus vets. Sort out your own playing groups, book your tee times with Dave, 1 card per person in the box after – NO HANDLING OTHER PEOPLES CARDS!

May 10th - May Medal Entry sheet is on the notice- board with early start options.

Season kicks off again “as normal” – or as near as we can make it.

June 2nd - Seniors Open. 40 members paid last year and have reserved tee times for this. The Start list is on the board but if you aren't included, and want to play, just pick a spare slot and **write your names (it's a pairs comp!) on the start sheet** – AND PAY YOUR FEE (£8) TO A COMMITTEE MEMBER. Great prizes and a great day. We need lots more members to play, and lots more visitors too, so bring along a mate or 2.

August 11th – Captains Away Day at Leamington Golf Club. Make sure you get yourself booked into this treat as numbers will be limited Watch out for the entry sheet on the notice board soon.

Inter club Matches

April 30th – Beedles Lake away. Beedles Lake are exploring how they can host us, so watch this space for a plan or a cancelation / deferment.

May 14th Forest Hill (Home) – similarly we are looking at how we could host them while indoor catering is not permitted.

Dave Appleton (“Appy” to his mates) - another of Whetstones finest - passed away in hospital at the end of March. Not from Covid but Dave had been in poor health for several months unfortunately. Funeral details to follow.



Corona - Sounds like just about all us “olds” have had at least one vaccine jab and quite a few have said that they have already had the 2nd as well. So, WE should be **FAIRLY** secure. But we still need to be careful though to protect others and to cut down that risk even more of us catching it – 2 metres apart in all areas of the course **etc.**

Committee for 2022.

Yes its that old chestnut again Does anybody want to put themselves forward to fill any of the 10 committee places for 2022. It's not too early to start thinking of what you can do to help run our club. Most of the committee have been doing the job for a number of years now. Time for some new younger blood to take over.

WGC Membership fees 2021 / 2022.

Last year, in recognition of Covid lockdown wave1, Dave extended 2019 membership to June 2020 instead of March. Watch out for notices and letters about Dave`s plans for this year.

Safeguarding Policy - Have you had yours by e mail from the club secretary Paul Clarke?. Basically it's a policy and process to go through in case of any issues.

Handicaps – don't forget to use the new world handicap system when playing friendly / social golf or in the competitions.

Kibworth Seniors Open is on Thursday 20th May from 9.00am. If you want to play please contact Kibworth direct