



# Royal Tara Golf Club Newsletter

March 2011

## Welcome to your newsletter

We want to keep you informed of all that is going on at Royal Tara Golf Club. 2011 is shaping up to be a very busy year and we will use this e-newsletter to keep everyone up to date with events and news. If you have any suggestions or items that you would like included please let us know at [info@royaltaragolfclub.com](mailto:info@royaltaragolfclub.com).

## Club News

- **Fixtures Diaries 2011** can be collected in the main office.
- Reminder - **Annual subscriptions are now due**. Don't forget you can now pay by installments.
- Contact Declan/Riona in office re **Direct Debit monthly payment** system.
- **New Royal Tara web site** to be launched in March, watch this space!
- Submit your **e-mail address or mobile phone number** to Riona or Declan to add to the Royal Tara database and you will receive latest updates from the club.
- A **suggestion box** is available in the locker rooms. Please offer any suggestions for golf, course, service or membership.

## Membership Information Day

Membership Information day was held on Saturday 5th March 2011 1.00 pm to 4.00 pm as advertised on LMF and in the Meath Chronicle. It is important to note that: family members can now join **without an entrance fee**; introducing a new member is rewarded with a **€150 social voucher**; a new **installment option** is available for payments; and a **special green fee scheme of €250** is available for first time golfers during 2011. These are subject to T&C and for full details please contact Riona or Declan at 046 9025367 or email [info@royaltaragolfclub.com](mailto:info@royaltaragolfclub.com)

## Teams

The Inter Club matches will soon be upon us. Details for these will be posted to the notice boards. **Men's Team information is on the notice board in the locker room**. Ladies, check the notice board in the ladies locker room for details of teams and **enter your name if interested in being on the panel for the teams**.

**Good luck to all of the teams and their managers for their upcoming matches.**

## Competitions



**7th March:** Entries open for all matchplay competitions Ladies & Gents

**20th March:** Final of Ladies 9 & 18 hole league

**27th March:** Men's Monthly Medal

**7th April:** Ladies prize giving

This year, the **Wednesday semi-open** will be played as **2 x 9 hole competitions**, thereby giving the option of playing either 9 or 18 holes. First Wednesday semi-open is Wednesday 9th of March.

There is only one qualifying day for the **Mens Foursomes Club Matchplay** - Sunday 13th March

There is a NEW qualifying day for the **Mens Fourball Club Matchplay** - Saturday 19th March

Entries are now open for the **3rd Annual Meath Matchplay Championship - The Jimmy Bligh Memorial Cup**. Format is singles Matchplay, and entrance fee is €25 which covers all green fees. Contact the Competition Secretary at the Glebe Golf Club 046 9431926, or [glebegc@eircom.net](mailto:glebegc@eircom.net)

## Solheim Cup



Killeen Castle are offering an Exclusive Ticket Package for March and April only incorporating special incentives for members of Irish Golf Clubs. Tickets can be purchased through your Solheim Cup Ambassadors - Paula Kennedy and Angela Murray. **Look out for these offers on the notice boards and on the website.**

## Course



**New marker stones** will be placed on the yellow nine - will be similar to the ones on the main course. The green keeping staff have been busy throughout the winter. A lot of trees have been cut back and new trees planted. The tee boxes have also been re-levelled and re-surfaced.



### Key Dates

**Captain's Drive In:** Don't forget the Captain's Drive In will be held on Sunday the 10th of April.

**Fashion Show:** Thursday, 24th March will be a major event for the Ladies. Tickets €20, selling fast and includes wine reception, available from Ladies Committee.



### Congrats!

**Congratulations to John McGrath** on his election as GUI official

**Congratulations to Lucia Farrell** on her appointment as ILGU secretary of North Leinster District.



### Junior Members

Junior Registration Night and Introduction Night for parents will be on **7.30pm**

**Wednesday 13th April.** Congratulations to our new Junior Captains Cormac O'Leary and Caroline Moloney.