



September Newsletter

Well, what an 'almost' year we've had! As well as setting up a new business we managed to fit in a wedding. However, that's behind us now so our focus is now very much on the business.

Thank you to everyone that has made us feel welcome and helped so far in their own way, whether it be advice or simply to offer their time.

There's still a mountain in front of us, and it's ever growing, but we're not ones to shy away from a challenge and we can still see the potential at Brinkworth Golf Club and we've not even touched the surface!

Two of our buggies will be going back at the end of September, however, we will be keeping the remaining two. Just because winter is ahead of us does not mean we won't get some sunny days I'm sure!

Wednesday Roll Up is coming to an end. The last day will be Wednesday 18th September. And with Sunset coming early, roll up will start at 5.30 on Wednesday 11th and 5.15pm on Wednesday 18th September.

I'm quite sure there's a few points I've missed but this quarter has been rather jam packed personally, so forgive me.

COURSE NEWS

With Justin's contract at Westonbirt ending in August, I am personally pleased to see him on the course more! You may have also noticed another new face on the course...please say hello to Callum next time you see him. He's a quiet lad but a great little worker.

There's still more signage to change on the course, so bear with us.

Two of our bridges will soon be getting their much-awaited overhaul. Our flatbeds arrived and we have been assessing the best way to repair each damaged bridge. We appreciate some of you may think this is taking a long time, but these bridges have been crumbling for quite some time, in fact a long time before we took over. We merely took the decision to remove them from play for health and safety reasons. Rest assured these are a priority for us.

Works have re-started on the back greens. We are currently working on 'half' of each hole numbered 10 to 18, therefore the other half is currently GUR. We are scarifying,

hollow coring, over-seeding and top dressing. Please note that if your ball lands on any of these GUR sections, FREE RELIEF may be taken, not near the hole on the other side of the green.

Our volunteers have also been busy these past 3 months...painting yardage markers, strimming, repairing machinery and watering greens with lots more work planned. Well done guys and a huge thank you from us as usual.

Quite a few matches have been played and won. You can see some of these achievements on our website at www.brinkworthgolfclub.com

CLUBHOUSE NEWS

We will be ordering our new 'winner board' shortly, before the season ends. As promised, the winners from the end of last year will be featured on the new board to get it started.

And as the darker nights draw in, the clubhouse will soon be having a much needed make over and plans are in place to attract more lady members. I am currently sourcing a new coffee machine, as you've probably noticed the old one has been out of action recently. You won't believe how hard it is to acquire a touch screen coffee machine without having to take out a small mortgage or a lease agreement!

Cooked breakfasts will soon be offered from Friday to Sunday 7.30 am to 11.30am only. Look out for more details coming soon.

We are looking to resurrect the Race Night. But I've since been informed that this was previously more of a 'summer event'. However, I'm keen to hold an event this Autumn (not necessarily fireworks) so if anyone has any suggestions, I would be happy to hear them.

Our next newsletter is scheduled for December. As always, your input will be most grateful in any way, shape or form. Please email kay@ohmynosh.co.uk with your contributions. I must admit that I've not received any input from members EVER...don't be shy, I'm sure most of you have something to say!