



MIDLOTHIAN COUNTY LADIES' GOLF ASSOCIATION

PLAYERS' COMMUNICATION NOTICE SPRING MEETING / CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER MORTONHALL GOLF CLUB Monday 25th April 2022

We are looking forward to welcoming you to Mortonhall GC for our Spring Meeting and Championship Qualifier.

All covid rules and restrictions have been lifted in Scotland, but the virus has not gone away.

Use 'Covid sense' to protect yourself and others. Wearing a face covering or mask helps keep you and others safe from COVID-19. You can still catch and pass on the virus even if you have been vaccinated, so wearing a face covering helps to reduce the spread.

We would like to advise competitors of some information that should be observed, respected and followed on the day of the event at Mortonhall GC. Information has been categorise for ease of reading.

PARKING

- The car park is a one-way system, entrance nearer the clubhouse and then exit past the practice nets and through the overflow car park back onto Braid Road. There are approximately 60 car park spaces in the main car park and approximately 20 in the overflow car park.
- Should you be unable to park in the car park, please park with some consideration in the neighbourhood and ensure private driveways are not blocked.

BAR & CATERING

- The Clubhouse will be open from 07:30 to 21:00 with Catering available from 10:00 until 15:00. The Bar is open until 18:30. The usual golf club fayre will be on offer to players.
- Soup and sandwiches will be available from 15:00, when the normal bar menu closes and will be available until the bar closes at 18:30.

CHECK-IN

- **Check in will be in the Foyer in the Main Entrance.** The Clubhouse will be open (main door and course door) with no need to buzz in. This will be to confirm attendance, indicate intention to play in Championships and to participate in the optional 2s, sweep and raffle.
- We will be **using the Scottish Golf App** to enter the competition and record your score. You can view these videos in preparation if you are unfamiliar with using the App and we will be on hand on the day to provide any help:
 - [How To Enter A Competition On The Scottish Golf App](#)
 - [How To Submit Competition Scores On The Scottish Golf App](#)
- It can be helpful to wait until all members of your playing group are present before checking in on the App so you can agree whose card you will be marking (see second video above).

OPTIONAL TWOS, COMPETITION SWEEP & RAFFLE

- A Twos sweep, competition sweep, and a raffle will be in operation for the Spring Meeting/Championship Qualifier. Participation in each shall be optional. Each will be £1 and if possible, please bring exact amounts. Juniors may participate in the Twos sweep and the Competition sweep.

LOCAL RULES

- Local rules are on the Mortonhall GC scorecard. **Preferred lies will NOT be in operation** unless there are adverse weather conditions. The Head Greenkeeper has advised they intend to have the 1st green back in play by Saturday 23rd April. The cut height for the hand mowers have been lowered to 5.4mm, close to where we are with the other greens at the moment. They will be lowered to 5.0mm by 15 April and then 4.5mm to match the others green soon after.

STARTING PLAY

- The 1st tee will not have a starter and players are asked to tee off on time. The Club Pro will have a copy of the Tee sheet to keep play running smoothly.
- Play will be from the **Green Ladies Tees**.

COURSE TOILET

- **The code for the course toilet is 153.** This is situated at the back of the 7th tee, which is also close to the back of the 12th tee and also accessible from the 15th to 16th. This is also where our halfway house is situated, however, this is closed on a Monday.

SUBMITTING SCORES

- Scores are to be submitted on the Scottish Golf App (see video above) and enable you to check scores with your playing partner at the end. You may wish to keep a manual card as well in case you experience any difficulties with the App whilst on the course.
- All results will be detailed in a report on the Midlothian website.

WE HOPE YOU PLAY WELL AND ENJOY YOUR DAY

