



Winter Maintenance Programme 2017

Hole 1:

- Construction of a new white and yellow tee box with a purpose-built pathway to make best use of the flat area of ground behind the current tee boxes. New tee built to approximately 8m x 25m. The new tee will create a more challenging opening hole. The proposed path to the left of the tee will also encourage golfers and buggies away from wayward approach shots to the 18th.
- Remove the damaged tree and roots to the left-hand side of the first green.

Hole 5:

- Repair the face of the first bunker on the right-hand side of the fairway which has become weathered over time.

Hole 6:

- Establish a new winter tee using a permanent mat. The area of ground commonly used as a winter tee is uneven and consists of poor turf quality.

Hole 7:

- Construction of an additional summer tee box to the right of the current tee boxes along the boundary. This tee box will aid recovery from divots on the current tee.
- Construction of a path from the current tee boxes to the bottom of the slope. The ground in this area has become increasingly worn and when wet dangerous. Using the same materials as the path from the clubhouse to the 10th tee we will eliminate the risk of walking on the bare land.

Hole 8:

- Remove gorse bush to the left of the tee and install a 6ft wide Astroturf path for trolley access to tee box from the bottom of the hill.

Hole 9:

- Thin out the area of trees on the right-hand side of the hole in order to allow the better established deciduous trees the room they require to continue their growth.

Hole 10:

- Plant trees in the left-hand side rough and newly sown area beside tee box of the hole and cut back the gorse on the left-hand side of the green. By planting trees in these areas and maintaining the greenside gorse the visual aesthetics on the hole and view from the clubhouse will be improved dramatically.

Hole 11:

- Remodel the area behind the green to improve surface quality using turf from the nursery. Currently the poor turf quality and corrugated type of ground in this area chips shots to the green become unpredictable and unfair.

Hole 12:

- Plant trees between the 12th and 13th holes.

Hole 14:

- Remodel the two greenside bunkers to avoid these bunkers continually washing away during periods of heavy rain.

Hole 16:

- Remove tree roots to the left-hand side of the green, level and re-turf the ground.

Hole 18:

- Establish a new winter tee, thin out the area of trees on the right-hand side of the hole with the view to mowing between the trees to remain consistent with the areas either side of the plantation. Also, to remove the fir tree at the left-hand side of the green and repair this area using turf from the turf nursery with the view to closely mow this area.

Miscellaneous

- Top up all bunkers with sand for the new season
- Remove the gorse and whins along the entrance drive between plots 1 and 3