



# MMGC Monthly Newsletter

Sept 2019

## Club Captain's Team Sneak the Wyder Cup



On Friday 20 September, 24 golfers travelled to Carden Park near Chester for Melton Mowbray Golf Club Captain Gerry Stephens' away weekend. The format for the weekend would be the Wyder Cup (Ryder Cup) and the Captain led them out on the first day of the pairs with the outcome 4 wins to 2 for the Vice Cap-

tain, John Harvey's team. On the 2nd day the roles were reversed with the Captain's team winning the combined Stableford matches 4 wins to 2. So it was all to play for on the final day of the singles.

After 10 matches it was all square. The Captain v Vice Captain match finished with a half after the Vice Captain sank a 40 foot putt to grab the half. The final matches came in with both wins going to the Captain for a final score of 13 wins to 11.

## Superb Away Break for Ladies at Horsley Lodge

Eighteen ladies signed up for the Away Break at Horsley Lodge, Derbyshire on Sunday 8th and Monday 9th September and the venue turned out to be an inspired choice. From the very first moment, the Ladies were superbly well looked after and nothing was too much trouble. The welcome, ambiance and scenery were delightful and the golf enjoyed by all.

The winning team on the first day with 71 points were Jean Moulds, Liz Clark and Sally Hudson, with 'Drina Terzza securing nearest the pin on the 10th and Avis Webb the longest drive. The individual winner on a drizzly Monday was Jean Moulds on count back and nearest the pin on the 12th was Jane Berry—a lovely birthday surprise for her.



## Leicester Tigers warmly welcomed by Melton

The annual match between MMGC and the Tigers Past Players took place on Sunday 15th Sept. The Melton team was led out by Club Captain Gerry Stephens and the Tigers team by Phil Smith and the format as usual was a four ball better ball.

After an excellent post match meal the Tigers spokesman said: We had a splendid reception from the whole of MMGC and the hospitality was second to none in the halfway house with food provided by Chris Stephens, the Club Captain's wife, Lady Captain Nancy Denny and Carol Solloway.

Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the day which was took place with great camaraderie, as ever, in what turned out to be a win for Melton. The "Shot of the Day" was Ray Needham (Tigers) a left handed golfer, when blocked out by a tree produced a right handed 7 iron from his bag to hit a superb straight shot towards the 2nd green.



## CLUBHOUSE NEWS

As we move into the winter season, the drainage work is already ready coming into its own with the wet weather we have experienced.

Monday Morning Mingles will be up and running soon, as will the Autumn Trophy so there will be plenty of winter golf on offer.

Come and relax in the Clubhouse too with a quiz on October and our Christmas Dinner Dance early December—details below.

**Saturday 26th October 2019**



£10 ticket to include a hot buffet and quiz entry  
Food from 6.30pm  
Quiz at 8pm

BOOK IN AT THE BAR  
QUIZ ENTRY ALONE £1

Melton Mowbray Golf Club  
Thorpe Arnold  
LE14 4SD  
Tel: 01664 562118  
Option 5

**CHRISTMAS DINNER DANCE (Fundraising Event)**

**Saturday 7th December at 7.30pm**

**£25 per person**

To include a glass of Mulled Wine on arrival,  
**Three Course meal & Disco**



**VENUE**

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## UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**6th Oct** RWS Shootout

**7th Oct** Monday Morning Mingles

**9th Oct** Ladies' Ludlow Bowl

**19th Oct** RWS Final Woodhall Spa

**20th Oct** Interteam Challenge

**24th Oct** C Team Bash

**25th Oct** SCARY SCRAMBLE OPEN

**26th Oct** Halloween Quiz Night

**27th Oct** Autumn Trophy Round 1

Check noticeboards & our website for a complete list of events.

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Alison or Helen on the secretary email above.