

## ELLCGA SPRING MEETING AND CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018 on GULLANE NO 1

- The format of the Spring Meeting is stroke play. The top 16 scratch scores qualify for the knock-out stages of the County Championship, to be played at Gullane on Monday 7 and Tuesday 8 May. The best 8 nett scores of the remaining players will qualify for the knock-out stages for the Handicap Quaich, to be played at Gullane on Monday 7 and Tuesday 8 May.
- All players will be asked to indicate on their score cards their availability for the knock-out rounds. Players who qualify for the knock-out rounds will be notified individually as soon as possible, hopefully on Tuesday 24 April.
- All scores on 23 April will be returned to members' home clubs. In the event that you are unable to complete a hole, and will be submitting a 'no return' (NR) for the competition, *please continue to record your scores for the remaining holes* as this is required for handicapping purposes.
- Parking is at the rear of the Members' clubhouse and also at the Visitors' Clubhouse.
- Please arrive in good time for your tee time and enter the clubhouse by the front door where the registration desk will be located. Cards should be returned to the registration desk at the end of your round.
- Golf shoes (so long as they are not metal spiked) are permitted in all areas of the clubhouse but jackets etc should be left in the locker room. Denim jeans are not permitted. There is an air cleaner at the bag drop area so please make sure your shoes are clean before entering the clubhouse.
- The locker room is well appointed with coin operated lockers, showers, hair dryers etc.
- There is a practice ground adjacent to the Visitors' Clubhouse – both long and short game and putting. Tokens for the ball machine can be obtained from the No 2/3 starter. There is also a putting green adjacent to the first tee.
- Stroke savers, trolleys, balls etc are all available from the Pro Shop which is close to the first tee.
- There are 150 distance posts plus sprinkler head distance markers. A pin placement card will be issued with score card.
- There is an on-course toilet near the 4th green, 7th green, 10th green and 14th fairway.
- Catering is available from 7.30 am. A full menu, including daily specials, sandwiches and toasties will be available until 5.30 pm. Players who will return to the clubhouse after 5.30pm and would like some food should speak to the bar staff before playing.
- The CSS for the day will be posted on the ELLCGA websites and all scores will be returned to home CDHs.
- Mobile phones cannot be used for making or receiving calls in the lounges or dining areas and should be on silent mode in all parts of the clubhouse.
- There will be a voluntary twos sweep - £1 per person.
- Presentation to the County Champion and Handicap Quaich winner will take place in Gullane Clubhouse following completion of the Championship Final.
- In case of cancellation/general enquiries please contact Jane Nelson as follows by email at [secretary@ellgolf.co.uk](mailto:secretary@ellgolf.co.uk) or by phone at 07980 984413 except on the morning of the Spring Meeting (up till 1pm) when you should contact Elaine Dick at 07730 414071