



MATCH COMMITTEE NEWS

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MORE HISTORY AS LIA IS CROWNED BEST OF THE BEST

There is only one place to start as we hand out plaudits for golfing achievements in the past week.

Lia Maxwell won the Fife Champion of Champions competition at Burntisland GHC on Sunday in extremely windy conditions to make history as the first Aberdour Lady golfer to win the regional accolade.

Eighteen club champions from Ladies sections all over the Kingdom took part and four players were tied at the close of play, however Lia won the silverware by two strokes on the better inward half.

Considering the quality of Lady golfers to play out of Aberdour over the years, it is an achievement of some magnitude for Lia to be the first from our club to win this event.

Despite a highly decorated golfing career, which has included twelve club championship titles as well as countless other victories, not to mention several years as a Category 1 player, this is undoubtedly the cherry on the cake for Lia.

Elsewhere in competitive action over the last seven days, **Pete Thow** won the Brett Trophy with 41 points on Saturday while **Maureen Richardson** took the spoils in the Ladies August Medal with a nett 38. The 3/4 Century Cup, for our "experienced" members was won by **Gavin Hughes** with 38 points.

Pat Macdonald won the May Walker Trophy on countback after signing for 33 points, while **Jack Small** won the latest round of Pennycook & Muir Medal in the junior section with a nett 70. **Willie Crowe** (nett 65) and **Lia Maxwell** (33 points) won their respective Wednesday Medals.

Gents Winter 4-Ball Competitions

Entries for the MacRobert Thistle Cup (Gents) and Paul Ramshaw Trophy (Senior Gents aged 55+) will open on Saturday morning.

Members can enter via the clubhouse touchscreen or on the HDID website. All players must have a valid competition handicap for the entire tournament.

If you currently don't have a playing partner, but would like to be involved, please contact Match and we will see if we can pair you up with someone.

The entry deadline is Saturday, 5th October and the group stage draws will be made the following day.

All-Finals Day

Six of the club's summer match play tournaments will be decided on Sunday, 22nd September. Stuart McGaulley faces Craig Hempseed for the Walker Trophy.

Colin Gray will play Jordan Clark for the Moubay Cup while Greg Anderson & Ryan Finesy take on Mike Grigor & Brian Lord in the Drybrough Cup.

Elsbeth Miller plays Irene Stuart for the Club Trophy, with Ann Matheson & Norma Pajak playing Lesley Irvin & Anne Farquharson to decide the Inchcolm Rose Bowl.

Holders Ian & Flora Dickson will battle David & Pat Ritchie with the Walter Bald Cup up for grabs.



COMPETITION RESULTS

Gents

Ladies

Seniors

Mixed

Juniors

Saturday, 31st August	
BRETT TROPHY	
Qualifying Stableford	
Pete THOW	41
Bill ROBERTSON	38
Murray ANTHONY	38
Craig MCGUFF	36
David COLEMAN	36

Saturday, 31st August	
MONTHLY MEDAL	
Qualifying Strokeplay	
Maureen RICHARDSON	68
Lia MAXWELL	70
Kathleen NORRIS	75
Sheila PAGE	76
Pat RITCHIE	77

Saturday, 31st August	
PENNYCOOK & MUIR (R3)	
Qualifying Strokeplay	
Jack SMALL	70
Thomas WILSON	73

Wednesday, 4th September	
WEDNESDAY STROKEPLAY	
Qualifying Strokeplay	
Willie CROWE	65
Colin RUSHFORD	66
Derek GORMAN	66
Walter HEGGIE	69
Ken WALKER	69

Wednesday, 4th September	
WEDNESDAY STABLEFORD	
Qualifying Stableford	
Lia MAXWELL	33
Sheila PAGE	31
Alison CHALMERS	27
Elspeth MILLER	26
Pat RITCHIE	24

Monday, 2nd September	
MAY WALKER TROPHY	
Qualifying Stableford	
Pat MACDONALD	33
Ann MATHESON	33

Tuesday, 3rd September	
3/4 CENTURY CUP	
Qualifying Stableford	
Gavin HUGHES	38

TEAM MATCHES

Friday, 30th August	
KINGHORN	4
ABERDOUR	2
Gents Inter-Club Match	
Ian GORN	W
Derek GORMAN	
Steven BRAND	W
Murray ANTHONY	
Lewis FARRAR	L
Steven CRIGHTON	
Allan MACLEAN	L
John MCGREGOR	
Craig MCGUFF	L
Robert LATIMER	
Gary CRUICKSHANK	L
Pete HARDING	

MATCH SNIPPETS

- Allan Maclean's first match as Captain of the Handicap Winter League team will see Burntisland visit Aberdour on Sunday, 27th October.

In the 9-team section, Aberdour will also host Dunnikier Park, Thornton and Glenrothes 'B', with away trips to Canmore, Lochgelly, Kirkcaldy and Balbirnie 'B'.

- Please remember that the club has a Local Rule to cover the Aeration Holes which are currently prevalent on our putting greens as a result of the course coring procedure.

Free relief is permitted in the General Area or on the Putting Green by following the instructions outlined in the Local Rule which is displayed at various locations around the clubhouse.