

Hello Ladies

- As I sit here typing up this report the rain is lashing the windows. I feel relieved that today's Charity Day went ahead without too many people getting wet. The forecast on Tuesday looked as if there would be torrential rain all day but as my team went out to the first tee there was even a bit of sunshine – how lucky we were. Amazingly only the last ones out got a bit wet.
- There are so many people who have contributed to making the Charity Day successful but my special thanks goes to Margaret Quantrill who has been tireless in writing to sponsors, Christina Reid, who has all done a sterling job in designing and producing the leaflets. The Captain's job is made so much easier when you have a good committee and I am incredibly fortunate that I have the very best committee who are really hard working and give of their time without hesitation.
- I want to thank everyone who has donated gifts for the raffle, donated prizes and the very generous sponsors. I am always a bit nervous at this juncture because I don't want to miss any one out who has done their part to help and support this charity event: - Bill Garton and Richard Easton on the table, Jim Arnell and Vernon (my long suffering husband) for selling raffle tickets. The cake bakers and sausage roll provider, David Emberson, Paul Gorman, Lynn Hattle and Ann Furneaux who ran the half way house, Liz and Louise the flower arrangers, Phil Welby on the results board and David Quantrill and Paul Gorman who chased around all over the course putting out the tee sponsors. Our two starters Rob Duncan and Chris Whitfield, Janine and her catering staff and last but not least Steve Beverley and his team for their hard work in ensuring the course was in tip-top condition under difficult circumstances. You were all amazing – Thank you.
- Unclaimed raffle prizes are numbers 32, 45 and 272 (green) 89 and 91 (blue) 26, 229 (pink) and 86 and 103 yellow. Please see me if you are the lucky ticket holders.
- The winners of today's competition are up on the board outside the spike bar – Many congratulations to all the prize winners.
- Thank you ALL from the bottom of my heart for everyone who played and contributed with your generous donations - we raised an incredible £1,915 which includes the fantastic amount of £400 which Eleanor Grant (aged 13) raised for her sponsored walk, trek, mountain climb up Helvelin in the lake district.

See you all next week.

Anne Poultney
Lady Captain