



Invergordon Golf Club

**Weekly Newsletter – W/E 4th of March
2022**

Very sadly Rab Laird passed away Thursday the 3rd of March.

Rab loved his golf after taking it up around 7 years ago, some say he played more in the last 7 years than most pro's. What he classed as his biggest achievement in his golfing career was winning the Ford Frew. Rab had a great sense of humour and he was also a friend to many here at Invergordon Golf Club.

Invergordon Golf Club extends its heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends of this unbelievable man.

A funeral service will be held in Invergordon Church of Scotland on Monday the 14th of March at 11:00am. All friends are respectfully invited.

Fixture List – fixture list now available and will be handed out with membership renewals.

Membership Renewals – due at the end of March. To aid club cash flow and also help club budgeting, early payment of renewals would be appreciated where possible.

Pool Table – the club now have a pool table in the bar which is there for use by anyone. We hope that this will attract more people into the club/bar.

New Website/Booking – From Tuesday the 15th of March Invergordon Golf Club will be swapping over all tee booking from BRS to the Scottish Golf App and new Invergordon Golf Club website.

To assist with this transition the Club will be hosting a drop in evening on Thursday 10th March 2022 from 20:00 to 22:00 hours at the Golf Club. Val and Bryan will be there to demonstrate, assist setting up phone apps, accounts and show the functionality of the website.

They will also be available for membership payments too.

We understand that some of our members were being charged/couldn't book through the app and Scottish Golf have highlighted the following.

“There was a cleanse of the CDH database which may have caused a number of member's App's to switch to casual golfer.

This is easy to fix – all members just need to click on the “Golf Club Member” tab at the bottom of the home page and select their home club again.

This will re-set their App to their VMS record.”

Preparations are well under way on the course for the 1st competition of the season.

This week the greens will be verti-cut, and cut along with the application on sand.

Debris has been picked up from around the course and we hope to start cutting fairways later on next week.

We are looking to employ an assistant Greenkeeper and an apprentice Greenkeeper so if any of our members know of anyone who might be interested please get in touch with the club.

Please note that if your ball lands within the marked out winter greens please move your ball to the side no nearer the hole.

Please also ensure that all pitch marks are repaired and if you see another pitch mark on the green please take time to repair this also.