



**Rowany Golf Club Limited**  
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# Newsletter

## 18<sup>th</sup> July 2024

### **The Kitchen Table**

The Clubhouse, *including the bar*, will open daily from 8am to 8pm.

The opening hours for The Kitchen Table are as follows:

Monday	09:00 - 14:30
Tuesday	09:00 - 14:30
Wednesday	09:00 - 20:00
Thursday	Closed
Friday	09:00 - 15:00 then 17:00 - 20:30 (Thai takeaway)
Saturday	08:30 - 19:00
Sunday	08:30 - 17:00

For Club Nights and competition days, the opening times will be adjusted to suit the circumstances.

### **Gents Club Nights**

Wednesdays. Tee reserved 4pm to 6pm.

### **Presentation of Prizes**

The Presentation of Prizes for the Week of Golf will be held on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July at around 9pm. The Presentation of Prizes for July, excluding the Week of Golf, will be held on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> July at around 8pm after the Gents Club Night presentation.

### **Press Report**

The Port Erin Cup is a fine piece of Silverware sponsored by our landlords, the Commissioners. The extra run on the course and the reduced rough meant that scoring was competitive, and Stephen Grant found conditions very much to his liking with a very steady round of 86-21=65 containing 5 pars and no real disasters. Mark Hayward was second (76-10=66) and will be disappointed to have scored a 7 on the shortened par 5 tenth hole, but his back nine was good enough to edge out Dave Corrin (83-17=66). The Ladies prize was won by Claire Humphreys-Jones (88-21=67) beating Jackie Fisher by one shot.

The Tower Insurance Sunday Stableford series is hotting up with the best six scores from a maximum of twelve counting. Andrew Ronan is leading the way, but this week's competition might have led to some matrimonial strife with Neil Campbell beating his better half, Jenny Costain-Campbell, on a countback with both on 41 points. Making up a golfing menage-a-trois was Dave Faragher who also had 41 points but managed to get a 7 on the par 4 seventeenth which meant he lost out on a back three countback.

The Seniors played for the Doug Gardener Trophy Individual Stableford sponsored by Richard Miller and George Quayle. Confusion reigned as what was meant to be 8 three balls and a two ball became 6 three balls and two four balls but all's well that ends well, especially for Roy Pledger who picked up the trophy with a steady 37 points and he also picked up two nearest the pin prizes. Phil Scott was second on 36 points despite failing to score on three holes and Ron May was one behind on 35 points having also failed to score on three holes. May also picked up two golf balls but his were ones which were found by other members in various parts of the course with his characteristic marking on them!

Next week is our Week of Golf which starts with the Ocean Ford Am-Am on Saturday. See social media for full details and go online or ring James on 834072 to book.

*Robin H-Jones*

### **Care of the Greens and Fairways**

Players are requested to ensure that they repair their pitch marks on the greens – and those of others if seen. This to help our greenkeeping staff maintain the greens in top condition.

They are also asked to replace divots and to consider using mats (*except in counting competitions*)

### **Coaching**

To book a lesson contact John Tinsley on 452262, e mail [john@jdtinsley.co.uk](mailto:john@jdtinsley.co.uk), visit [teeitup.im](http://teeitup.im) for further details. John caters for all levels of player from beginner to elite. He is the islands leading golf performance coach with NLP Sports Coach, NLP Golf, Mindfulness Golf and Mind Factor Golf Certification.

## Recent Results

### 13<sup>th</sup> July

#### The Port Erin Town Cup

*Sponsored by Port Erin Commissioners*

Winner	Stephen Grant	65Nett
Runner-up	Mark Haywood	66Nett c/b
Third	Dave Corrin	66Nett
Best Gross	Mike Rae	73 c/b
Best Lady	Claire Humphreys-Jones	67Nett
Nearest the Pin 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Mike Rae	
Nearest the Pin 8 <sup>th</sup>	Orry Teare	
Nearest the Pin 13 <sup>th</sup>	Mark Haywood	
Nearest the Pin 16 <sup>th</sup>	Kevin O'Loughlin	

### 14<sup>th</sup> July

#### Tower Insurance Stableford Series Round 8

*Sponsored by Tower Insurance*

Winner	Neil Campbell	41Pts c/b
Runner-up	Jennie Costain-Campbell	41Pts c/b

### Ladies

#### 15<sup>th</sup> July

#### Invitation FBBB

Winners	Fran Tinkler & Louise Cowley	47Pts
Runners-up	Karen Slack & Natalie Bush	46Pts
Third	Rosey Corrin & Elaine Taggart	43Pts

### Seniors

#### 16<sup>th</sup> July

#### Doug Gardener Memorial Stableford

*Sponsored by Richard Miller & George Quayle*

Winner	Roy Pledger	37Pts
Runner-up	Phil Scott	36Pts
Third	Ron May	35Pts
Nearest the Pins	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 16 <sup>th</sup> Gordon Pairman; 4 <sup>th</sup> & 18 <sup>th</sup> Duncan Matthews; 8 <sup>th</sup> Geoff Corke; 16 <sup>th</sup> Roy Pledger	

## Upcoming Competitions and Events

### Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Rowany Week of Golf

*Please note that, in line with the wishes of the sponsor for Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July, J. Cowley Gardening Maintenance, the Texas Scramble will be a 4-person event and not a 2-person event as previously published.*

Saturday	27 <sup>th</sup>	Haven Members Open Stableford
Sunday	28 <sup>th</sup>	9-hole Mixed Open Individual Stableford Finish Quarter Finals Falcon Cup

### August

Saturday	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Carrick Cup <i>Sponsored by Celtic Associates</i>
Sunday	4 <sup>th</sup>	Tower Insurance Stableford Round 9
Saturday	10 <sup>th</sup>	August Medal <i>Sponsored by Tower Insurance</i>
Sunday	11 <sup>th</sup>	Tower Insurance Stableford Round 10 Finish Quarter Finals Falcon Cup
Saturday	17 <sup>th</sup>	Club Championship First 18 Holes <i>Sponsors Canaccord Genuity Wealth Management</i>
Sunday	18 <sup>th</sup>	Club Championship Second 18 Holes <i>Sponsors Canaccord Genuity Wealth Management</i>
Saturday	24 <sup>th</sup>	Terry Croft Memorial Stableford <i>Sponsored by Tim Croft</i>
Sunday	25 <sup>th</sup>	Tower Insurance Stableford Round 11 Finish Semi Finals Falcon Cup
Saturday	31 <sup>st</sup>	Greenkeepers Benefit Open Stableford