"THE UPDATE" January `25

Your Committee for 2024

Captain – Tim Rogerson. Past Captain – Chris Hunt. Fixtures – Paul Danvers.

Treasurer - Peter Worton. Competitions* – Brian Arkle. Secretary – John Bostock.

Committee – Chris Page. Tony Frith. Adrian Beaumont*

- Competitions_- The post was not filled in the Seniors Annual Meeting or the Club AGM. At the first committee meeting of 2024 Brian Arkle volunteered to carry out the role, supported by John Bostock, and this was agreed
- Also, at the January Committee meeting Adrian Beaumont volunteered to join the committee in a general role, and has been gratefully accepted.

<u>Misc</u>

- The start age for Seniors participation in matches and competitions is now reduced to 55.
- A second defibrillator has been purchased and will be installed outside the clubhouse. Training on line will be available (supposedly foolproof process but they haven't counted on WGC Seniors!)
- In future, committee members can continue in their elected posts even if their membership has had to lapse - for the remainder of their elected time. The main committee are to find a way to have some form of associate membership to allow continuation.
- The current bedraggled and tatty WGC flag will be replaced by a new one at the end of March.
- Cap`n Tim is in final negotiations to hopefully hold his Captains Away Day on May 15th at Beeston Fields GC Nottingham. (Only approx. 34 miles and 45 mins drive.)
- The funeral of Anthony Fitzpatrick took place at Countesthorpe crematorium on Jan 8th and there was a good turnout from the club.
- This year's Club Charity is "Wishes 4 Kids" which helps make children's dreams come true. You will see a collection bin on the bar counter and our charity comps this year will all feed into it.

Up-Coming events –

- Winter League Knock out in Jan and Feb is based on the 3 rounds played so far. Deadline for 1st round is Feb 9th to take account of poor weather and course closures. Already some matches are being played.
- Discussions are going on about the format for the winter league for next year. Tell your committee member what you prefer!
- Monday March 4th The entry sheet for the Captains Spring Charity comp is on the board Texas scramble and choose your own teams.
- Monday Mar11th County Foursomes qualifier entry sheet will go up soon.
- Monday Mar 18th Blarney Cup entry sheet will go up soon
- **Inter-club** matches kick off at the end of March starting with Kibworth on the 28th. Watch out for team entry sheets.
- May 30th WGC Seniors Pairs Open The entry Sheet is on the board and already about 60 players are signed up. Time to start to sort out partners.

Results - none yet.