

# Oxford University Intercollegiate Golf Tournament

## Frilford Heath Golf Club on Friday, 13th April 2018

### EVENT DETAILS FOR ALL PLAYERS

The broad details of the OUIC golf tournament are similar to previous years. The green fees at Frilford have however increased and we are continuing the subsidy to players under 25 years who are still in full time education. We are also using a rebate from Hertford to subsidise what we hope will be an excellent reception and dinner at Corpus Christi and overall the costs for golf and dinner are slightly less than last year.

#### **Programme**

7.30am onwards	Bacon rolls and coffee available in the clubhouse
8.30 to 10.30 am	Tee off times for the main competition – 18 holes individual Stableford off full handicap up to a maximum of 20. Please ensure you are ready to play at least 10 minutes before your tee time.
12.30 to 2.30 pm	Lunch. Non-players & guests are welcome.
2.30 to 3.30 pm	We have courtesy of all 3 courses. Those who want to play can do so, in whatever format they wish and should play on whichever course is allocated for that day for their chosen format (ie 2-balls and foursomes on the course allocated for 2-balls etc.) However, there is no competition.
7 for 7.30 pm	Corpus Christi College – Reception followed by dinner & prize giving in the Hall.  <i>Dress: Jacket &amp; tie. Players' guests are welcome to attend. A cash bar will be open after dinner.</i>

**To avoid any confusion about who is eligible to participate, the golf tournament is open to all matriculated members of the university and to members of the academic staff.**

The team event for the **Hennessey Cup**, as in the past, will be decided on the best 6 Stableford scores from nominated College teams of up to 10 players. A team will be recognized if there are six or more players from the same college. If any college wishes to enter more than 10 players, they should first nominate their team of 10 and any further players will play as reserves if space permits, however this may not be finally confirmed until the tee times are distributed between one and two weeks before the event. The scores of those not in the team of 10 will only count for the individual prizes.

Colleges who can't raise a full team are welcome to send in individual entries and if you know of any matriculated members of the university from colleges who don't have teams (or organisers) but who wish to play, please ask them to contact us and we will try & fit them in. The individual prizes this year for all competitors will include tankards for nearest the pin and longest drive on both courses as usual but the two main individual prizes have been renamed as the Norman Riley Trophy on the Blue and the Mike Leigh Trophy on the Red, in honour of two of the stalwarts of the event.

There is a maximum handicap limit of 20. Players with higher handicaps can enter but will play off 20. Ladies can enter and will play off their handicaps using the ladies' pars and stroke indices. In accordance with CONGU guidelines concerning courtesy shots for ladies, ladies playing on the Red Course will have

their handicaps increased by 1, but there will be no adjustment on the Blue Course (because the SSS is the same for men and ladies).

Players can ask to be allocated a tee off time in half-hour slots between 8.30 and 9, 9 and 9.30 or 9.30 and 10. However, as the vast majority of those who express a preference opt for between 9 and 9.30, **it is impossible to accede to the wishes of everyone**. Please bear in mind that the tee times have to be organised so that each group of 3 comprises players with their handicaps balanced; so that no player is with a teammate; and so that each college's team is split evenly between the two courses. This is a difficult balancing act, so players are asked to bear with us if they do not get the time slots they want. It is also regretted that for the same reason we are unable to accept requests for players to play together.

**Overnight Accommodation** – please firstly contact your Development Office to see if they can provide a room. However we are aware that some colleges do not have rooms available because of the proximity to the start of term.

It is therefore suggested that people look at the following website where rooms in other colleges are made available at reasonable rates:

<http://www.universityrooms.com/en/city/oxford/home>

There should also be rooms available via <http://www.booking.com> or [www.laterooms.com](http://www.laterooms.com)

It is strongly recommended that college organisers recommend that anyone needing accommodation should book it at the earliest opportunity. If there are problems with accommodation that cannot be resolved via the websites suggested please let the organisers know and we will try to help.

**Costs** (including a contribution towards prizes and administration)

Tournament, including including bacon roll and coffee on arrival and two course carvery lunch	£59.00
Ditto for players <25 years of age and still in full time education	£29.00
Ditto for Frilford Heath Golf Club members	£26.50
Lunch for non-players – anyone is welcome to join us	£21.00
Reception & Dinner at Corpus Christi College – anyone is welcome to join us	£50.00

If there are any dietary requirements do please ensure that they are mentioned on your entry form.

One slight change from last year is that subject to our getting some confirmed results early pm we will have prizes (glassware) for individuals **not coming to dinner** to collect at Frilford Heath. There will be no presentation however as this will still be at dinner where all names will be announced as usual. However this change should allow anyone not able to come to dinner to collect their prizes as we know that several went missing last year.

## **ENTER NOW**

Your entry should be made (using whatever method of entry is adopted by your college organiser), together with payment of costs **to your own college organiser**. The deadline for your college entry is **28<sup>th</sup> March** so you should respond as early as possible.

Final details, including tee-off times, should reach you 7-14 days before the event and will be sent out via College organisers. However if we also have your email addresses on the entry forms we can contact you direct if there are any substantive late changes.

If you want to contact the organisers direct, please email us at [ouicgolf@gmail.com](mailto:ouicgolf@gmail.com)