



# Welcome to Lyme Regis Golf Club

## New Member Information



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## Welcome to LRGC

On behalf of the Club President, Club Captain and the Chairman, we wish you a warm welcome to Lyme Regis Golf Club.

This booklet will provide you with all the essential information you will need to help you with your membership as well as providing some insight into the golf club.

These details are correct as listed on 10<sup>th</sup> August 2022.

## How to contact us

Our Officers and Committee members are listed on the LRGC website. Members' contact details can be found within the members' area of the ClubV1 app.

You can contact us via the LRGC website or at the office by the following methods.

### Key Personnel

#### General Manager – Alan Feltham



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#### Secretary/Administrator – Gail Daines Events/Administrator - Juliet Helps



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We can also be found on:





## PGA Head Professional – Duncan Driver

Our PGA Head Professional owns and runs the professional shop and provides coaching and golfing advice to members on rules and competitions etc. His team consists of Alex Elwick and Cyndy Mudford.



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Duncan can also be found on:



## Other key positions

### Course

Our Course Manager Jamie Hughes and his team are responsible for the upkeep of the course, they normally work during the early part of the day to avoid the busy playing times.

### Catering

Contact the office to organize your events.

### Bar

Our Bar Manager Piotr Zuj and his team are responsible for beverages.

### Committees

We have two main committees, the Management Committee who are responsible for the general management of the club and the Captain's Committee for golfing and social events.

### Club Welfare Officer

Our Club Welfare Officer is Stephen Percival.



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## Benefits of membership

Golf is an activity the whole family can participate in ... and it's good for your health!

Lyme Regis Golf Club is a very friendly club and Joining us will give you a real sense of belonging to the Club and give you and your family the opportunity to make new friends.

You will have access to a range of competitions and social golf on a regular basis and by obtaining an official golf club handicap (WHS), this enables you to play in Open Competitions.

Throughout the year you will also have access to other golf courses through reciprocal agreements and local matches and competitions

You will receive a discount on bar, catering and driving range tokens.

Additionally, you have the ability to sign 3 guests in at a discounted rate.

## Our Golf Club Facilities

Here at Lyme Regis Golf Club we have a variety of facilities for our members and visitors:

<b>Course</b>	We have a Championship 18-hole course.
<b>Driving Range</b>	This can be used by all golfers. Discounts are available to members and tokens can be purchased through the Professional Shop. Members tokens are £1.75 Members Digi Cards are £12 for 10 credits.
<b>Practice Area</b>	A practice/chipping area with net is available, exclusive to members and green fees.
<b>Buggy Store</b>	A buggy/trolley shed is available where you can store and charge your push and electric equipment at an additional cost.
<b>Clubhouse</b>	<p>Our recently refurbished Clubhouse has a large contemporary dining room, restaurant, spike bar and general bar.</p> <p>We also have changing rooms including showers and lockers to place your valuables in.</p>



### **Professional's Shop**

Our well stocked golf Pro Shop is currently stocking Callaway, Ping, Yonex and Taylormade equipment, along with Titleist golf balls, Skechers shoes, Powakaddy trollies and a large range of golfing apparel.

A full custom fit studio is also available using Trackman and Hole More Putts analysis tool.

Trolleys and buggies can also be hired from here.

The shop is open 7 days a week and non-members are welcome.

## **Club Information**

All of our Club information can be found on our website or within the ClubV1 members' area which is updated regularly with news and important messages. Additional information can also be accessed via our notice boards and newsletters.

### **Notice boards**

These are located in the main entrance and ladies changing rooms and are a good source of information for members. Some notices are there for information such as dress code, but others require your input, such as signing up for matches, entering competitions and social activities.

### **Club Newsletter**

The club newsletter is emailed out twice a month. This will give you updates of latest achievements within the club, upcoming events and general information. It is important to read this as it will cover any rule changes and AGM notices.

## **Club Rules**

An important part of our golf club membership is that members are aware of club rules and abide by them. They are there to make the game more enjoyable and to help with the smooth running of the club.

A copy of The Lyme Regis Golf Club Constitution and Club Rules can be found on our website and within the ClubV1 members' area.

## Dress Code

The general principle is that visitors and members shall conform to the best of golf standards on both the Course and in the Clubhouse and be of smart and tidy appearance.

These dress rules are for the guidance of Members and visitors and are intended to be open, understandable and workable and to be consistent with standards of dress considered acceptable at modern-day golf clubs.

The rules are not intended to be fully prescriptive, and are in some cases open to interpretation, but Members are expected to take personal responsibility for observing standards of dress that reflect well on themselves and the Club.

Visitors, visiting societies, visiting teams and those participating in open competitions are required to comply with these dress rules. It is up to Members to ensure that their individual guests are advised accordingly.

Juniors are encouraged to dress in consideration to this Dress Code.

### On the Course



- All golf style shirts, including turtleneck
- Ladies may wear sleeveless golf shirts
- Tailored shorts
- Recognised golf shoes



- Sleeveless shirts for men, football or rugby shirts
- Shirts with large lettering or numbers
- Track suits
- Blue denim jeans
- Football, rugby or beach shorts
- Football or rugby socks or no socks at all
- Anything other than recognised golf shoes

### In the Clubhouse



- Smart casual



- Spiked shoes
- Wet waterproofs



## Registering on Club Systems

Our club software systems are provided by Club Systems and central to this is the ClubV1 members' hub.

It is important that you register on the ClubV1 hub either by downloading the app or going through our website members' area. In doing this you are ensuring your ability to make a tee time reservation and also to enable HOW DID I DO to update you with regards to your personal handicap changes and competition results.

You can gain further access to tee time reservations via the BRS app and additional information regarding your handicap via the England Golf app, both of which require you to register.

The England Golf app will require your unique CDH number which can be obtained from the office.

When registering on ClubV1, we would request members to give their permission for access to their telephone numbers and email addresses as they are important when entering competitions so that members can contact you to arrange games.

## Booking Tee Times

Tee times must be reserved via our BRS booking system. This can be accessed either by the use of the ClubV1 members' hub or via the free BRS app. Additional guidelines for installing the ClubV1 members' app are available on our website.

Members can book 3 weeks in advance and visitors 2 weeks.

Members need to be aware that the Club operates a rotational system whereby two and three ball matches are booked on one nine whilst the other nine holes are for three and four ball games. You must book in the appropriate area.

## Handicaps

In order to either enter a Club competition or represent the Club in inter-club team matches you must have an England Golf registered handicap.

If you are already a member of another club your unique CDH number will enable your handicap to be transferred to LRGC.



If you do not have a handicap then you must submit cards representing 54 holes of golf. You must play with either a member of LRGC or another recognised golf club and then you submit either an 18 hole or 9 hole card. Once they have cumulated to 54 holes a handicap will be awarded via England Golf. These cards must be entered into the computer terminal and placed in the competitions box.

For further information regarding the World Handicap System (WHS), see the LRGC website.

## General Play

Lyme Regis Golf Club is a very friendly club and welcomes all new members.

A principal vehicle for this is via a number of weekly roll ups which are in place. The concept of a roll up is to allow any member, irrespective of their playing ability, to join in and the roll up organisers must accommodate you.

A list of roll up organisers and timings are available within the ClubV1 members' hub.

## Competitions and Matches

We run various club competitions which vary in format and will endeavour to cater for golfers of all abilities. Some will be run at the club, others may involve playing at other clubs, through alliances and local leagues - speak to your Club Manager for further information should you wish to be involved.

A full list of competitions and knockouts can be found in the ClubV1 members' hub.

### **Stableford Competitions**

This is a popular format for competitions, as one or two bad holes do not stop you competing as per the medal format. Rather than the number of shots for the hole, you have a point system.

Points are awarded in the following way:

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| ▪ Above Bogey                   | 0 Points |
| ▪ Bogey (1 shot over par)       | 1 Point  |
| ▪ Par                           | 2 Points |
| ▪ Birdie (1 shot under par)     | 3 Points |
| ▪ Eagle (2 shots under par)     | 4 Points |
| ▪ Albatross (3 shots under par) | 5 Points |



Your shots are based on your handicap as follows:

- A player off 6 handicap gets a shot at the holes with stroke index 1-6
- A player off 18 handicap gets a shot at each hole
- A player off 24 handicap gets 2 shots at stroke index holes 1-6 and 1 shot at stroke index holes 7-18.

**Medal Competitions (Handicap)**

This is the format most commonly used by golf clubs for their monthly medals and other medal competitions. A player subtracts their handicap away from the total shots taken to give their nett score.

**Medal Competitions (Scratch)**

This is where only gross scores count, handicaps are not taken consideration. The format is normally used for category 1 golfers. The Club Championship usually uses this format.

**Foursomes**

In this format players (in pairs) hit alternate shots. Each player will hit 9 tee shots and then take it in turns until holding out. It is a quick format of golf as players can walk ahead to a point near to where their partner will hit the ball. You can either play in a medal or stableford format.

**Greensome**

This format is very similar to foursomes, the difference being that both players tee off at each hole, then pick one of the players drives (normally the best one) and the other player then plays and in turn from there until holding out.

**Texas Scramble**

This is played in a 3 or 4 player team format. You all tee off, all the players hit their second shot from where the best drive landed, then all hit a 3<sup>rd</sup> from where the best 2<sup>nd</sup> shot finished and so on until the hole is completed.

**Match Play**

A form of competition in which each hole is a separate competition, players can either win, lose or halve a hole, the winner is determined by the number of holes won rather than the gross, nett or stableford score. Once a player is up by a number of holes and there are less holes left to play then they have won, ie 5 up with 4 holes to play, the player has won 5&4. If a match is all square at the end, then you may need to play extra holes until there is a winner, referred to as sudden death.

**Knockouts**

Using the match play format, most clubs will run a variety of knockout competitions, these can either be singles, foursomes, better ball, mixed or for handicap categories.