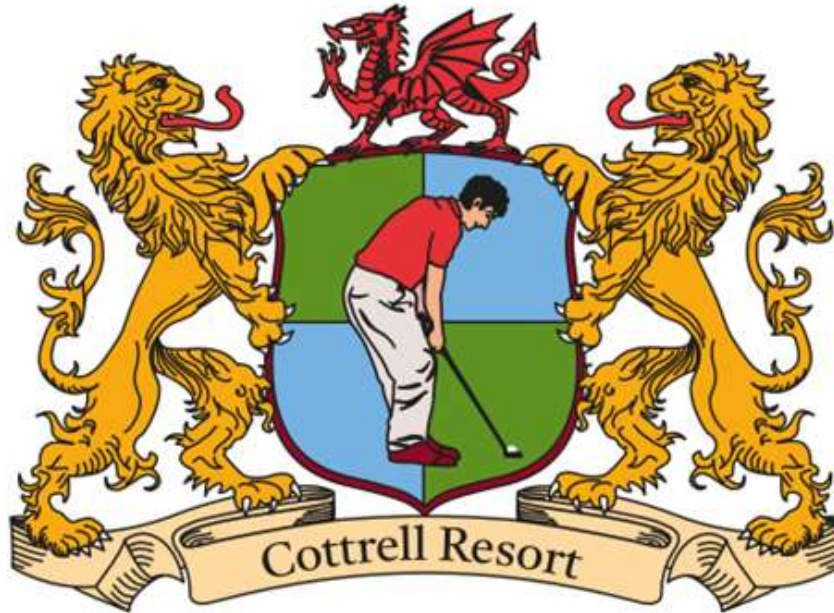


Cottrell Seniors Section

2024



“In the end it's still a game of golf, and if at the end of the day you can't shake hands with your opponents and still be friends, then you've missed the point.” – Payne Stewart.

Welcome everybody to the Seniors Section for 2024. I must say I am looking forward to my year as captain of the largest Senior Section in Wales. Firstly my thanks to the outgoing captain Huw for the way he ran and enthusiastically promoted our section over the last year. Also my thanks to the committee who's hard work behind the scenes throughout the year ensure that we can all just turn up on the day and enjoy a game of golf. Many thanks gentlemen.

The Diary of Events list the full programme for the year ahead. The inter-club matches provide a great opportunity to get to know other members of the Section and to play against other Golf Clubs, and all at a modest cost. Anyone can participate, no matter what handicap, and I would encourage you to take part whenever possible. Please also enter as many knock-out and weekly competitions as you can. The more that take part the better.

Again this year there will be two away days and one 3 day Summer tour. The first away day will be at The Kendelshire Golf Club just north of Bristol on May 17th. Bring a few balls with you for the island green! The second away day will be at Cradoc Golf Club on the 10th or 12th of September which many of us have played and enjoyed before. The Summer tour will be at The Players Club again north of Bristol on August 19-21st. See if you can get on the 634yd par 5 in 3 shots!!

My charity this year is close to my heart and is the MND Association.

Motor Neurone Disease is an incurable and degenerative disease with sufferers typically surviving 1-2 years from diagnosis although some do survive longer. The charity provides funds for research into a cure and to help those with the disease. There have been some famous sufferers such as Stephen Hawking, Doddie Weir and Rob Burrow the last two of which have brought the disease to the public's attention through their TV appearances and fund raising events. Please support the various fund raising events as generously as you can. Thank you.

I look forward to seeing you all out on the course and wish you all a very happy and successful golfing year ahead.

Regards,

John Jenkins



Captain
John Jenkins



Vice-Captain
Mike Milburn



Past Captain
Huw Morgan



Treasurer
Graham Elvin



Match Secretary
Hugh Williams



Handicap Secretary
Richard Hoey



Competition Secretary
Keith Hayden



Open Day Coordinator
Bob Jessop



Secretary
Vacancy

Past Captains

1997	Gordon Bousie	2016	Les Fair
1998	John Roberts-Jenkins	2017	Sam Smith
1999	Eric Turner	2018	Bruce Rankine
2000	Eric Turner	2019	Robbie Norris
2001	Iain Ross	2020	Martyn Hurst
2002	David Currie	2021	Martyn Hurst
2003	Robert Stokes	2022	Bob Jessop
2004	David Stephenson	2023	Huw Morgan
2005	Dill Alexander		
2006	Patrick Wilkins		
2007	Brian Pritchard		
2008	Graham Kellett / Patrick Wilkins		
2009	Alan Crossley		
2010	John Clarke		
2011	Eugene Murphy		
2012	Richard Daniels		
2013	Ben Davies		
2014	Steve Cross		
2015	Bill Aspinall		

Competition Winners

36-Hole Strokeplay

2000	Bob Voss	2022	Lawrence Hill
2001	Bob Voss	2023	Les Fair
2002	Eric Williams		
2003	Bryan Williams		
2004	Henry Filer		
2005	Henry Filer		
2006	Ron Chamberlain		
2007	Richard Daniels		
2008	Terry Hoggett		
2009	Dave Green		
2010	Chris Glenny		
2011	Dave Cope		
2012	Dave Cope		
2013	Ray Reakes		
2014	Steve Charlton		
2015	Jon Owen		
2016	Brian Pritchard		
2017	Jon Owen		
2018	David Stephenson		
2019	Bill Aspinall		
2020	Cancelled Covid-19		
2021	Neil Evans		

Individual Knockout

1999	Norman Mainwaring	2022	Jon Lott
2000	Iain Ross	2023	Huw Thomas
2001	Iain Ross		
2002	Bryan Williams		
2003	Hayden Painter		
2004	Iain Ross		
2005	Gregor Munro		
2006	Gareth Gambling		
2007	Gareth Gambling		
2008	Patrick Wilkins		
2009	Marcus Wilkinson		
2010	Bruce Rankine		
2011	Alan Gregson		
2012	David Stephenson		
2013	John Lovell		
2014	Jon Owen		
2015	Jon Owen		
2016	Eric Fortt		
2017	Bill Bryce		
2018	Tony Williams		
2019	Ray Reakes		
2020	Cancelled Covid-19		
2021	Bill Bryce		

Pairs Knockout

1998	Nigel Anderson & Tony McCarthy
1999	John K Collin & Eric Williams
2000	John K Collin & Arthur Goodman
2001	Derek Love & Iain Ross
2002	Peter Blackman & Hayden Painter
2003	Dill Alexander & David Stephenson
2004	Aubrey Bowen & Chris Ward
2005	Derek Love & Iain Ross
2006	J Colin Jones & Henry Filer
2007	Trevor Wooding & David Williams
2008	Gareth Gambling & Peter Roe
2009	Chris Glenny & Bryan Williams
2010	Chris Glenny & Bryan Williams
2011	Paul Wilby & Peter Whiting
2012	Terry Hoggett & George Duncanson
2013	Dilwyn John & Peter Fryer
2014	Tony Johns & Bruce Rankine
2015	Peter Fryer & John Caines
2016	Jon Owen & Ray Reakes
2017	Terry Hoggett & George Duncanson
2018	David Stephenson & Mike Quick
2019	Bill Bryce & Tony Williams
2020	Cancelled Covid 19
2021	Cancelled Covid 19

Pairs Knockout

2022	Roy Denton & Griff Osborne
2023	Bob Jessop & Lawrence Hill

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2001 Aubrey Bowen
2002 Gregor Munro
2003 Eric Williams
2004 David Currie
2005 Hayden Painter
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2007 Alan Gregson
2008 Gregor Munro
2009 Hayden Painter
2010 Bryan Williams
2011 Hayden Painter
2012 Charles Vicary
2013 Terry Scott
2014 Ian Norton
2015 Steve Charlton
2016 Jon Owen
2017 Ray Reakes
2018 Dave Jackman
2019 Ray Reakes
2020 Cancelled Covid-19
2021 Neil Evans
2022 Tony Fisher
2023 Mike Preece

Stableford Golfer of the Year

2016 Phil Sweet
2017 Roger Evans
2018 Tony Fisher
2019 Tony Williams
2020 Cancelled Covid-19
2021 Graham Elvin
2022 Lawrence Hill
2023 Lawrence Hill

Golfer of the Year

2023

Alan Elston

Golfer of the Year

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2000	Tony McCarthy		
2001	Bob Voss		
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2004	Aubrey Bowen		
2005	Hayden Painter		
2006	Patrick Wilkins		
2007	George Duncanson		
2008	Terry Hoggett		
2009	Gregor Munro		
2010	Dave Cope		
2011	Tony Johns		
2012	David McNeely		
2013	Eric Fortt		
2014	Gregor Munro		
2015	Ray Reakes		
2016	Phil Sweet		
2017	Ray Reakes		
2018	Tony Williams		
2019	Eric Fortt		
2020	Neil Evans		
2021	Roy Denton		

Trehill Trophy

1997	G Parfitt	2021	Russell Clements
1998	M Fullbrook	2022	Mike Preece
1999	I Cunningham	2023	Martin Brown
2000	K Davies		
2001	IG Ross		
2002	H Painter		
2003	H Painter		
2004	G Derbyshire		
2005	T Winterbottom		
2006	D Currie		
2007	A Gregson		
2008	C Glenny		
2009	B Williams		
2010	P Wilkins		
2011	D Haslett		
2012	C Glenny		
2013	P Sweet		
2014	L Fair		
2015	L Dickson		
2016	G Watkins		
2017	C Hopkins		
2018	W Bryce		
2019	R Reakes		
2020	Cancelled Covid 19		

Duffryn Sprint

1999	Derek Love	2023	Haydn Pike
2000	David Stephenson		
2001	Nigel Anderson		
2002	Arthur Goodman		
2003	Richard Jones		
2004	Robert Stokes		
2005	Nigel Anderson		
2006	Dai Rees		
2007	Gareth Gambling		
2008	Aubrey Bowen		
2009	Peter Owen		
2010	Ben Davies		
2011	Dilwyn John		
2012	Alan Crossley		
2013	Henry Filer		
2014	Chris Stanlake		
2015	Trevor Williams		
2016	Phil Sweet		
2017	Phil Sweet		
2018	Eric Fortt		
2019	George Duncanson		
2020	Malcolm Jones		
2021	Colin Fisher		
2022	Henry Filer		

Summer Eclectic Gross

2009	Brian Pritchard
2010	Hayden Painter
2011	Hayden Painter
2012	Iain Ross
2013	Bruce Rankine
2014	Jon Owen
2015	Jon Owen
2016	Paul Edwards
2017	Jon Owen
2018	Jon Owen
2019	Tony Williams
2020	Edwin Yhap
2021	Tony Williams
2022	John Williams
2023	Tony Williams

Summer Eclectic Nett

2009 Brian Pritchard
2010 Hayden Painter
2011 Chris Stanlake
2012 Steve Cross
2013 Bruce Maskell
2014 Phil Sweet
2015 Mike Wood
2016 Phil Sweet
2017 Phil Sweet
2018 Huw Morgan
2019 Glen John
2020 Gareth Pritchard
2021 Alun Powell
2022 John Williams
2023 Griff Osborne

Winter Eclectic Gross

2009 Patrick Wilkins
2010 Bryan Williams
2011 Bryan Williams
2012 Hayden Painter
2013 Chris Osmond
2014 Jon Owen
2015 Jon Owen
2016 Jon Owen
2017 Jon Owen
2018 Bill Bryce

Winter Eclectic Nett

2009 David Hawkins
2010 Norman Rees
2011 David Hawkins
2012 Hayden Painter
2013 Steve Lucas
2014 Peter Fryer
2015 Steve Charlton
2016 Ray Reakes
2017 Bob McArtney
2018 Bill Bryce

Winter League

2019 Eric Fortt
2020 Gareth Norris
2021 Cancelled Covid 19
2022 Martin Brown
2023 Alan Elston

The Golden Egg Trophy

2009 John McGlyne

2010 Eric Williams

2011 Terry Hoggett

2012 Iain Ross

2013 Chris Stanlake

2014 Eric Williams

2015 Sam Smith

2016 Phil Sweet

2017 Phil Sweet

2018 Ray Reakes

2019 Bruce Rankine

2020 Edwin Yhap

2021 Phillip Williams

2022 David Jackman

2023 Phil Williams

Diary of Events

2024 -2025

- Trophy Events & S.G.O.T.Y.
(Includes 36 Hole Stroke Play Competition)
- Matches
- Summer Eclectic
- Fun & Team Games
- Medals, Ladies Competitions, Committee Meetings,
Captains Away Days & Summer Tour
- Winter League

March 2024

Wednesday	06/03/2024	Fun Comp - Team Scramble	Button	08:00-11:00
Tuesday	12/03/2024	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	13/03/2024	Winter League 10	Mack	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	20/03/2024	Lunch & AGM		
Wednesday	27/03/2024	Fun Comp	Mack	08:00-11:20

April 2024

Wednesday	03/04/2024	Individual Stableford (Summer Eclectic 1)	Button	08:00-11:20
Monday	08/04/2024	Match V St Athan	Button	11:30
Tuesday	09/04/2024	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	10/04/2024	Individual Stableford (SGOTY 1)	Mack	08:00-11:20
Monday	15/04/2024	Match V Vale	Mack	11:30
Wednesday	17/04/2024	Captain's Drive In	Mack	09:00 Shotgun
Monday	22/04/2024	Match V Llanishen	Mack	11:30
Tuesday	23/04/2024	Ladies V Seniors Charity Shield	Button	09:00-10:10
Wednesday	24/04/2024	Medal 1	Button	08:00-11:20
Monday	29/04/2024	Match V Forest Of Dean	Button	11:30

May 2024

Wednesday	01/05/2024	Individual Stableford (Summer Eclectic 2)	Button	07:40-11:20
Thursday	02/05/2024	Match V Morlais Castle	Away	11:00
Tuesday	07/05/2024	Match V Southerndown	Away	11:00
Wednesday	08/05/2024	Individual Stableford (SGOTY 2)	Mack	07:40-11:20
Tuesday	14/05/2024	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	15/05/2024	Medal 2	Button	07:40-11:20
Friday	17/05/2024	Seniors Captains Away Day	Away	
Monday	20/05/2024	Match V Green Meadow	Button	11:30
Wednesday	22/05/2024	Memorial Bowl (SGOTY 3)	Mack	07:40-11:20
Wednesday	29/05/2024	Captain'S Charity	Button	07:40-11:20

June 2024

Wednesday	05/06/2024	36 Hole S/Play Rd 1	Mack	07:40-11:20
Monday	10/06/2024	Match V Morlais Castle	Button	11:30
Tuesday	11/06/2024	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	12/06/2024	36 Hole S/Play Rd 2	Button	07:40-11:20
Monday	17/06/2024	Ladies V Seniors Fun Competition	Mack	09:00-10:10
Wednesday	19/06/2024	Individual Stableford (SGOTY 4)	Mack	07:40-11:20
Monday	24/06/2024	Match V Wenvoe	Away	11:00
Wednesday	26/06/2024	Individual Stableford (Summer Eclectic 3)	Button	07:40-11:20

July 2024

Monday	01/07/2024	Match V Woodlake Park	Mack	11:30
Wednesday	03/07/2024	Medal 3	Mack	07:40-11:20
Tuesday	09/07/2024	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	10/07/2024	Individual Stableford (Summer Eclectic 4)	Button	07:40-11:20
Saturday	13/07/2024	Club Captains Day – Stableford	Mack	07:00-14:00
Wednesday	17/07/2024	Seniors Open Day	BOTH	07:40-11:20
Tuesday	23/07/2024	Match V St Athan	Away	11:00
Wednesday	24/07/2024	Individual Stableford (Summer Eclectic 5)	Button	07:40-11:20
Monday	29/07/2024	Match V Green Meadow	Away	12:00
Wednesday	31/07/2024	Duffryn Sprint (SGOTY 5)	Mack	07:40-11:20

August 2024

Monday	05/08/2024	Match V Southerndown	Mack	11:30
Wednesday	07/08/2024	Medal 4	Button	07:40-11:20
Tuesday	13/08/2024	Match V Forest Of Dean	Away	11:00
Wednesday	14/08/2024	Individual Stableford (SGOTY 6)	Mack	07:40-11:20
Wednesday	21/08/2024	Captains Day Shotgun	Button	09:00 Shotgun
Monday	26/08/2024	Ladies And Seniors Mixed Texas Scramble	Mack	09:00-10:10
Tuesday	27/08/2024	Match V Llanishen	Away	12:30
Wednesday	28/08/2024	Trehill Trophy (SGOTY 7)	Mack	07:40-11:20

September 2024

Wednesday	04/09/2024	Individual Stableford (Summer Eclectic 6)	Button	07:40-11:20
Monday	09/09/2024	Match V Wenvoe	Mack	11:30
Tuesday	10/09/2024	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	11/09/2024	Medal 5	Mack	07:40-11:20
Monday	16/09/2024	Match V The Vale	Away	12:00
Wednesday	18/09/2024	Individual Stableford (Summer Eclectic 7)	Button	07:40-11:20
Monday	23/09/2024	Match V Woodlake Park	Away	10:30
Wednesday	25/09/2024	Individual Stableford (SGOTY 8)	Mack	07:40-11:20

October 2024

Wednesday	02/10/2024	No Competition - hollowcoring 30/09 - 06/10		
Tuesday	08/10/2024	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	09/10/2024	Medal 6	Mack	07:40-11:00
Wednesday	16/10/2024	Individual Stableford (SGOTY 9)	Mack	07:40-11:00
Wednesday	23/10/2024	Individual Stableford (SGOTY 10)	Mack	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	30/10/2024	Fun Comp - Team Texas Scramble	Mack	08:00-11:00

November 2024

Wednesday	06/11/2024	RBL Charity Day	Mack	08:00-11:00
Tuesday	12/11/2024	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	13/11/2024	Winter League 1	Button	08:00-11:00
Saturday	16/11/2024	Mixed Presentation Day	Mack	09:00 Shotgun
Wednesday	20/11/2024	Winter League 2	Mack	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	27/11/2024	Fun Comp - Individual Best 15 From 18	Button	08:00-11:00

December 2024

Wednesday	04/12/2024	Winter League 3	Mack	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	11/12/2024	Presentation Lunch		Book own
Wednesday	18/12/2024	Winter League 4	Mack	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	25/12/2024	No Competition		

January 2025

Wednesday	01/01/2025	No Competition		Book own
Wednesday	08/01/2025	Winter League 5	Button	08:00-11:00
Tuesday	14/01/2025	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	15/01/2025	Winter League 6	Mack	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	22/01/2025	Fun Comp - Ind Alt Yellow & Red Tees	Button	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	29/01/2025	Winter League 7	Mack	08:00-11:00

February 2025

Wednesday	05/02/2025	Winter League 8	Button	08:00-11:00
Tuesday	11/02/2025	Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	12/02/2025	Fun Comp - Individual Best 15 From 18	Mack	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	19/02/2025	Winter League 9	Button	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	26/02/2025	Winter League 10	Mack	08:00-11:00

March 2025

Wednesday	05/03/2025	Winter League 11	Button	08:00-11:00
Tuesday	11/03/2025	Seniors Committee Meeting		
Wednesday	12/03/2025	Lunch & AGM		Book own
Wednesday	19/03/2025	Fun Comp - Team 3 Player 2 Ball Better Ball	Button	08:00-11:00
Wednesday	26/03/2025	Captain's Drive In	Mack	09:00 Shotgun

Contact List as of 13 March 2023

Dillwyn Alexander	01446 775958	07895 811963
Mel Amos	02920 594636	
Ken Andrew		07587 095858
Terence Ankin	02920 594252	
George Ash	01443 222360	
Bill Aspinall	01446 792194	
John Barker		07533 406994
John Barrett	02920 706931	07768 701043
Andrew D. Billington	02920 754470	
Aubrey Bowen	01446 710266	
Jon Brazier	01446 775909	
Richard Breeze		07309 007001
David Brown	02920 793730	07811 009604
Martin Brown		07578 402781
Bill Bryce	01633 815636	
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John Caines	01446 774138	
Stephen Cavill		07867 115061
Ron Chamberlain	01446 772148	
Russell Clements		07711 003762
Stephen Clemo		07446 159461
Philip Cliffe		07879 493447
Norman Cole	01656 863440	
John K Collin	01446 781610	
Harry Collins	02921 409637	
Nicholas P Cooke	02920 593044	
David Cope		07762 251332
Alan Crossley	01446 775468	07749 818693
Ian Cunningham	01446 775348	
Eric Dafydd	01446 736757	
Anthony (Tony) Daly		07950 929416
Jeremiah Daly	01446 710198	
Richard Daniels	01446 773428	
Ben Davies	02920 217130	07855 477550
Dave Davies		07970 229516
Keith Davies	01446 793063	
Philip Davies		07505 235176
Roy Denton		07523 968383

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A Little Light Relief

Kicked Ball

A group of golfers were putting on the green when suddenly a ball dropped in their midst. One of the four winked at the others and kicked the ball into the hole. Seconds later a senior golfer puffed on to the green quite out of breath and red of face.

He looked around distractedly and asked: "Seen my ball?"

"Yeah, it went in the hole," the joker answered with a straight face. The senior golfer looked at him unbelievably. Then he walked to the hole, looked in, reached down and picked up his ball. His astonishment was plain to see.

Then he turned, ran down the fairway and as he neared his partner, the group on the green heard him shout: "Hey, Sam, I got an eleven."

Riders

A foursome of elderly gentlemen went to the bar after a round of golf. At the bar, the new Pro asked them "How did your game go today?"

The first said he had a good round with 25 riders. The second said he did OK with 16 riders. The third said not too bad since I had 10 riders. The fourth was disappointed and said that he played badly and had only two riders.

The Pro was confounded by this term "rider" but not wanting to show his ignorance just smiled and wish them better golf the next time.

He then approached Fraser the bartender and asked "Can you tell me what does this term 'riders' mean?" Fraser smiled and explained that a "rider" is when you have hit a shot long enough to take a ride on a golf cart.

Hole in One

Jimmy had been playing for twenty years but never had a hole-in-one. As he was blasting away in a sand trap one day and he voiced the thought. "I'd give anything to get a hole-in-one."

"Anything?" came a voice from behind. Jimmy turned to see a grinning, red-clad figure with horns and a tail.

"What did you have in mind?" Jimmy asked. "Would you give up half your sex life?" asked the devilish figure.

"Yes, Yes I would." Jimmy replied. "It's a deal then." and the figure faded from sight.

On the very next hole he did it!

The ball soared from his club in a perfect arc right into the hole for his first ever hole-in-one. And amazingly, he aced every other hole that he played the rest of the day!

At the end of the round, the figure in red appeared again. "Now for our bargain," he said. "You remember you must give up half your sex life."

Jimmy frowned. "That gives me a bit of a problem," he said. "You're not backing out of this," cried the figure. "We struck a bargain and you agreed to it."

"Yes, of course. But I do have a problem. Which half of my sex life do you want ... the thinking or the dreaming?"

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The MND Association was founded in 1979 by a group of volunteers with experience of living with or caring for someone with MND. Since then, we have grown significantly, with an ever-increasing community of volunteers, supporters and staff, all sharing the same goal – to support people with MND and everyone who cares for them, both now and in the future. The MND Association focuses on improving access to care, research and campaigning for those people living with or affected by MND in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.