

## Ladies Captain`s newsletter January 2018

This is my last newsletter as ladies captain; I hope you have found it useful and that together with the minutes of the ladies committee meetings it keeps you in touch with our section and the golf club. The November minutes are attached to this newsletter as usual.

I would like to thank everyone for supporting fundraising throughout the year for my charity Marie Curie Nurses, in particular the raffles and the Christmas card donations, everyone has been exceedingly generous and I will announce the final total at the end of February.

The practice area enhancements and new golf shelter have nearly been completed so there is no excuse for not getting out there to enhance your swing if the weather is not so good! The new carpet in the club house looks much better as does the refurbished upstairs ladies toilets.

The Handicap Committee have completed their annual review and ladies will have been informed of any changes. The new CONGU Handicaps came into operation this month; Julie our Handicap Secretary will explain the implications of this at the AGM on 1<sup>st</sup> March. I hope as many of you who are able will come to the AGM. The nomination form for officers and committee members will soon be posted in the locker room, there are vacancies on the committee as some members are standing down so if you are interested in standing please talk to myself or any member of the committee.

Next year`s diary will soon be available; lists of important dates for 2018 have already been posted in the locker room together with the dates for Interclub, Beales and friendly matches and the signup sheets for the club knockout competitions. Dates for Mixed friendlies have been put up on the notice board next to the office.

Finally we were all very sad to hear that Jennifer Kimberley passed away earlier this month, she was ladies captain in 2005 and a popular and respected member of the golf club. Her funeral is on 29<sup>th</sup> January at 11am at All Saints Church, Wyke Regis; all of our thoughts are with her husband David and her family and friends at this difficult time.