

BEDFORDSHIRE LADIES COUNTY GOLF ASSOCIATION

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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE MEETING

held at

MILLBROOK GOLF CLUB

on

Monday 9th March at 1.00pm

The County Captain welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked Millbrook Golf Club for hosting the meeting.

THOSE PRESENT

L May (Captain), A Shuter (President), M. Watchorn (Vice President), E Bruce (Vice Captain), A Taylor (Treasurer), H Molloy (Handicap Adviser), G Smith (Past Captains' Captain), C Goldsmith (County Junior Organiser), E James (Course Assessor Officer), S. Cleaver (Competitions Secretary), C. Holden (Beds Golf Partnership), M. Faris (Past Captain), S., Turnbull (Seniors Captain), C Clarke (SB), H Nolan (B&Co), L Pearce (W), N Shane (Ca), Waters JOG), E Mackirdy (Mow), N. Jackson (M), G Walpole (PP), J Garratt (AG&WS), V.Lake & C. McDonald (Beds), J. Barton (Tils), B. Lee (AV) A. Stroomer (MP), A. Whitehouse (DD), M. Underhill (The Bedford), L. McCartney (B)

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies received from A Shirville (LB), B McMillan (SP), M. Seabrook (East Region Representative)

2. **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING (1st December 2008)**

These were agreed as a true record of the meeting and were signed by the County Captain. Some Minutes had not been passed on to new delegates – they could, however, get copies for their records from previous named delegates.

3. **MATTERS ARISING**

Cecilia Holden had asked whether the County could contribute towards the expenses of caddies at County Match Week. Lesley confirmed that the Executive had met and agreed a £25.00 a day contribution towards evening meals, petrol, accommodation etc. This would be reviewed every year.

The issue of the number of shots given in Shield Matches had also been reviewed by the Executive and it was agreed to abide by the CONGU ruling of giving full handicap difference.

4. **CORRESPONDENCE**

There was no correspondence for discussion.

5. GOLF PARTNERSHIP REPORT (Cecilia Holden)

In January, the Bedfordshire County Golf Partnership became the 31st formal County golf partnership (out of a possible 34) to be established. We are obviously late into the game but that does give us the benefit of being able to tap into work already done by others without having to re-invent the wheel.

A lot has been completed in our first 8 weeks, starting with the establishment of a Management Committee of six (Simon Kimber and Colin Chatwin representing BCGU; Cecilia Holden and Pippa Willis representing BLCGA and Paul Simpson and Matt Green representing the PGA) working in conjunction with Steven Peet (the Regional Development Officer for EGU/EWGA), Katie Cooper of The Golf Foundation and Melissa Bennett of Team Beds and Luton (the Bedfordshire County Sports Partnership).

So far, a Constitution has been drawn up and signed, a series of key objectives agreed, a website designed and launched (www.bedsgolfpartnership.com), and a bank account set up. An application for initial funding was submitted to, and approved by, the English Golf Partnership. An initial tranche of £2500 has been paid to the Bedfordshire County Golf Partnership. The money will be used primarily for to cover the cost of the website, public liability insurance and communication and advertising. In addition the Partnership was represented at a two day residential conference at Woodhall Spa run by the EGU specifically for County Golf Partnerships, where we were able to learn an enormous amount from more established partnerships, and also hear from Sport England, the EGU and the England Golf Partnership about the next 5 years. Key initiatives are the Golf Mark, Tri-Golf, the National Skills Challenge, and Club & Coach. Details of all these can be found on the Partnership website.

The objectives of the Partnership (again, full details of which can be found on the website) revolve around the main issues emanating from the two forums and cover both existing golfers, regardless of gender age and ability, as well as potential golfers.

However it should be made clear that we are not here to interfere with existing development programmes designed to grow already identified talent. Our role is focussed not on developing elite talent, but rather on getting people into golf, through locating potential talent, finding beginners and introducing people into, or back into, golf programmes.

The results of the two forums held at The Bedfordshire Golf Club and South Beds Golf Club in the last quarter of 2008 which raised a range of key issues surrounding golf and golf clubs today, have been circulated to all who attended. An e-mail was sent to all clubs, via the respective club secretaries, asking each club to nominate a person to act as the main contact point at their club for communication with the Partnership. So far we have had 12 responses. Can I ask any club that has yet to reply to please remind your club secretary do so as soon as possible.

The next major steps will be to produce a formal Development Plan for the County (which has to be approved by the EGU/EWGA before further funding can be granted by that source) and to develop other, more local, funding sources to assist with the chosen initiatives. The Development Plan is scheduled to complete in July. This may seem a long way away, given the amount of ground that we have covered in the first two months, but we have an enormous amount of work between now and then to create our strategy and plan. We will be contacting clubs individually to ensure that every club's needs are taken into consideration.

We do know that Golf Mark will form a large part of the Partnership's strategy. Clubs are encouraged to start the process now of becoming GolfMark accredited. In 2002, Sport England introduced Clubmark as a way of recognising junior-friendly sports clubs and facilities. GolfMark is golf's version and brings with it a number of benefits. For example, clubs are able to apply to Sport England in 2009 for foundation training/taster session funding. The first 350 non-GolfMark'ed clubs to apply will get £400 each. Any club with the GolfMark will get £800.

The Partnership believes it has made a positive start on what will be a far from easy range of tasks and looks forward to working with all clubs and others in helping to move forward golf and golf development in Bedfordshire. If clubs don't support the Partnership, future funding for golf in Bedfordshire may reduce or dry up as Sport England has already made it known that it will only deal with Partnerships and the formation of this Partnership will hopefully ensure that Bedfordshire gets its share of the recently announced £12.8m grant to golf from Sport England.

Cecilia asked all Club delegates to ensure that their clubs had responded with a contact name for communication from the Partnership as some clubs had not yet replied.

Chris McDonald from the Bedfordshire asked what exactly Golf Mark was. It was explained that this was awarded to clubs who had junior friendly facilities, including meeting child protection requirements. Also those Clubs with Golf Mark would be eligible for more funding. Tilsworth already have Golf Mark and 5 others have begun the process.

6. EAST REGION DELEGATE'S REPORT (Margaret Seabrook)

Margaret was sorry she could not be at the meeting owing to her father being unwell.

Since the meeting the notes below have been forwarded by Margaret Watchorn who attended the EWGA East Region meeting 26th January 2009

1. Change of Dates – 27th April from **20th April** 19th June from **15th June**. The October meeting is still on 26th October. All meetings will be at Gog Magog.
2. The Chairman reported on Holly's success on obtaining her card on the LET.
3. The earliest time that Rules Courses could be arranged would be next Winter. It may be possible to organise on a Regional Basis. A working party to be set up to assist with identifying any shortfall of R & A Qualified referees and observer referees in each County and Region.
4. The Norfolk Bowl will be the Trophy played for by the East Region at County Week – wording for the Engraving will be forwarded to Nicky (Norfolk Representative)
5. -Facilitation Fees have to be paid from the Competition Entry Fees --Engraving must be paid from the Competition Entry Fees. If there is a deficit Counties must send a copy of the Accounts to EWGA as soon as possible. A new schedule for Regional Events will be available soon. The Entry Forms referred to in the Regional Posters are **NOT** on the Website.
6. The East Region 36 Hole Foursomes Competition Entry form was reviewed and amended. The Conditions of the competition have still to be reviewed. The Final version of the Entry form will be sent to County Representatives.
7. County Championships – Players with handicaps up to 16 (presumably up to 16.4) should be allowed to play in their County Championship. There should be Scratch & Handicap prizes on the first day of the competition.

8. Using the template from the 36 Hole Foursomes Competition – a Standard format for all EWGA competitions will be sent to all County Representatives.
9. Juniors playing in County matches – Linda Bayman has said that juniors playing in 10 Matches plus a practice round is too much and County Captains should use their own judgement.
10. The Minutes from the last Operational Board Meeting were supposed to be on the Website on 26/1 but didn't appear until 31/1.
11. EWGA AGM - The Chairman reported that resolutions can be presented at a meeting providing they are supported by 6 Counties. Resolutions for 2010 will sent in October 2009 addressed to the Ladies Secretary – The Club Delegate will be advised when these have been sent.
12. Management Board will look into Ring Fenced Accounts.
13. EWGA Charitable Trust – Approval has been received from the Charities Commission to change the name From ELGA to EWGA. Packs advertising the Charity day Competition have been sent to Club Delegates. A check needs to be made to ensure Clubs are aware of the Rules & Regs of the Club Stableford Point Competition. A list of Clubs participating will be included in the Trust section of the EWGA Handbook.
14. Nemeysis (the company who designed the EGU Website) have been appointed to develop the new Website at a cost of £45K - it will take approximately 14 weeks to complete.
15. County Match Week Host County will receive £1200.00 towards expenses in 2009. The Club will receive £3000.00 facilitation Fee. Counties in the East Region will share the cost of the Cocktail Party. It is recommended that procedures and processes are written and updated each year. Norfolk will write the processes for the East Region Foursomes.
16. The EGU are launching a centralised Database for handicaps. The annual maintenance cost will be £30,000.00. Clubs will not have to pay. The information stored will be Club Name and handicap. Ladies will not be taking part for the first few months.
17. There will be 4 Regional Chairmen coming to the end of their term of Office in 2009 – A review of the situation will be conducted in June.
18. Regional Posters for 2010 will be reviewed in October 2009.
19. Club Delegates, Handicaps Secretaries are reminded that their reporting line is through their Area Authority NOT directly to the EWGA, EGU or R & A. Stuart Fowler is the only EWGA qualified referee on the EWGA Staff – he spends a lot of his time out of the Office. The Area Authority if unable to answer queries will know where to direct questions or issues too.
20. The EWGA will donate £100.00 towards the publishing of a Booklet on the history of the Pearson Trophy which is 100 years old in 2010.
21. Club Delegates Meetings – Nicky from Norfolk gave a very informative outline on how Club Delegates Meetings are run in Norfolk. This even included 9 Holes of golf after the meeting. Coronation Foursomes – Regional Finals do not link in with EWGA Regions. The LGU makes approaches to the Clubs direct. The Regional final was last held in our area on 2007 (Midlands Division) Clubs to be nominated for 2010.
22. Bedfordshire & Cambs & Hunts collect their Club subscriptions – all other Counties have the EWGA collect their subscriptions. Must be paid by 31/1.
23. All the Regional Trophies have now been returned to the EWGA. The EWGA are investigating holding the EWGA Medal Finals at the Belfry.

24. Posters have been sent to Clubs with all the Competition information for 2009.
(Distance measuring **cannot** be used in any EWGA Medal Competitions.
25. From 2010 Players will have to have an active Handicap to play in EWGA Medals
26. The Essex delegate advised the meeting that Juniors under the age of 16 were not allowed to play in inter club matches. The decision seems to have been made because of poor etiquette.
27. Val O'Grady asked on behalf of her CJO who is responsible for organising complementary golf when a County or National competition is held at a Club.
Answer the Club is as a service to their Members.
28. An EWGA conference is to be held on 31st March – No Agenda yet.

7. TREASURER'S REPORT (Ann Taylor)

I have so far received Subscriptions for 2009 from 14 Clubs, totalling £5,610.00. The following Clubs have still to pay:

Aspley Guise & Woburn Sands
Chalgrave Manor
Colmworth & Nth Beds
Millbrook
Pavenham
The Bedford
Stockwood Park

I have received £600.00 from Clubs applying for Course Cards.
The Insurance payment has now been made, a slight increase on last year, up from £374.00 to £388.21.

The Current Account now stands at £5,973.27
The Premium Account now stands at £14,478.11

I have received £400.00 so far towards Holly's Fund.

Ann Whitehouse from Dunstable Downs expressed concerns about the Divisional levy – this had originally been collected by the BLCGA and forwarded on. Lesley explained that the £15.00 was per club and not per member and she would check as to why there had been a change in the clubs now paying rather than the monies coming in through the County.

Lesley went on to say that the Executive had discussed the issue of support for scratch and plus players and said that the Executive had decided that if there was not support from EWGA then these players should be helped by Bedfordshire.

It was agreed that any such players would received help towards entry fees and travelling expenses when entering national competitions up to £350 per year. This would be reviewed annually.

8. COUNTY CAPTAIN'S REPORT (Lesley May)

I would like to start with paying tribute to Holly Aitchison, who obtained her full card to join the professionals on the 2009 Ladies European Tour. Holly finished top of all the English players. Bedfordshire County should be really proud of the way Holly has progressed through the junior

and county teams and the way Holly has supported the County during her progress. The committee felt that there may well be many in the county who would like to give Holly a helping hand in this exceptionally difficult year of 'credit crunch' and a poster has been sent for the clubs to display so that anyone may give a contribution. I know this will mean – and help- a lot to Holly.

The teams have been busy with Skills session on the last Saturday of each month. Our foursomes match against the men of Leighton Buzzard had to be cancelled because of the snow but we were able to have a practice game on the course. During the next month we are hoping to have a match against the John O Gaunt scratch team and also visit Pat Smillie in Yorkshire, who was so invaluable last year in helping the teams.

Next Saturday we start the 1st of the sessions for mid-handicappers 13 – 15/16. There will be four of these with Mark hoping to cover driving, irons, short irons and putting. Thank you to the delegates in helping to promote these and for the 1st session there will be six people for each hour. I find it very difficult to fill these sessions – so need your continued help in mentioning these to anyone who is interested in improving. It would be a pity to have to cancel them. I also hope the Clubs are using their £50 to help their golfers. It is proposed to help scratch and plus golfers, who do not receive any financial help from EWGA, with their travelling expenses and entry fees to national competition. This will be reviewed annually.

We had to cancel our Lady/Vice Captain's coffee morning on February 7th because of the snow and as a result the yellow booklets were late being distributed. We held it on February 21st and it was a great success and the feedback was that we should hold it again next year. The yellow booklets, this year, have been sunburnt and also the Seniors Championship has been omitted. My apologies for these errors. Also, on the very last page the date is 29th August and it should be 29th September.

By now I hope you will have visited our new whizzy web site and our thanks go to Cecilia Holden for all her hard work in reorganising the site and getting it up and running. I understand that changes and new information for this new site will be easier to make and I hope all of you will make use of it. You can download entry forms – especially the seniors championship. Explore the site and send us your news and comments.

County Cards for Bedfordshire County only are available from Ann at £2 per card. However, this year there is a county card available for £10 which will allow reduced green fees to over 700 clubs from Cumbria to Dorset. These are available from your Club Secretary/Manager.

EWGA will review the use of distance measuring devices at the end of 2009 but they remain banned for this season's competitions. The EGU are allowing them for their 2009 championships.

England's women golfers are to be allowed to use buggies in EWGA medal competitions provided clubs permit them. EWGA took over the running of medals from LGU on 1st February and it was initially decided that players could use a buggy only if they produced a medical certificate. However, many members felt this was unfair to those who did not have a certificate but who need a buggy to get round the course, for example because of their age. It is now agreed that buggies may be used at the discretion of the club, who can make a condition of competition to allow them. For County competitions it was agreed that players should apply to the Competition Secretary for exemption before the closing date of the competition they wish to enter using a buggy.

This year the regional final of Australian Spoons competition will be held at Dunstable Downs in July. This competition is open to handicappers of 21-36 and is stableford foursomes. The pair with the best qualifying score from each club will be eligible to play in the regional finals. Golfers can play as many times as they like during the club qualifying period and they don't have to stick to the same partner. It costs 50p per player per card to enter. So please encourage your players to enter.

The next meeting will be after the County Week in June – so I am now making a plea that you will try and get as many supporters in their yellow sweaters/shirts to come to Stock Brook Manor G.C Essex and cheer on Bedfordshire. Also, please try and promote the competitions – we are already in trouble with numbers for the meeting at Aylesbury Vale. They are very good value for the day and an opportunity to meet old friends and play different courses from your home course.

So have a good golfing season and let's hope good weather shines on all of us.

9. VICE CAPTAIN'S REPORT (Elaine Bruce)

Elaine reported that in view of the increased costs of travel and accommodation expenses would be paid to the 2nd team as the bank balance is quite healthy. There are 3 away matches this year. The first fixture is 6th April versus the County seniors at Wyboston Lakes.

10. COMPETITION SECRETARY'S REPORT (Shirley Cleaver)

Over 40 couples entered the county knock out competition which is in the preliminary round at present. I still need 7 results.

I only received 7 entries, and one 18 hole only entry, for the 2nd division spring meeting at Aylesbury Vale on the 1st April 2009. The committee discussed this prior to this meeting and decided to cancel the event. This would mean that there was no County Cup this year and that the Amptill Cup would only be played for over one round – i.e. the Autumn meeting.

Eleanor Mackirdy raised the issue of buggies and questioned if you could apply to use a buggy before a competition for a temporary injury rather than only being able to apply in January each year. This was confirmed. Nikki Jackson from Millbrook asked if you had a reapply every January and this was also confirmed.

Regarding the County Knockout Foursomes Liz McCartney from Beadlow asked if your name did not appear in the draw from the initial round did that mean you were automatically in the 1st round. This was confirmed.

The question was also raised as to whether the winners from the previous year received a bye – it was confirmed that this was not the case and it was a random draw.

11. HANDICAP ADVISER'S REPORT (Heddwen Molloy)

Unfortunately, since the December meeting our Assistant Handicap Advisor, Martine Frost has resigned as she felt she could not give sufficient time to her golf commitments. We wish her all the best. However, Shelagh Cormack as very kindly agreed to be co-opted onto the committee in her place for the remainder of the year and I look forward to working with her. Should you have any difficulty contacting me for advice on an urgent matter, please call Shelagh. Her telephone number and e-mail address will be distributed shortly.

At the end of January, Margaret very kindly came with me to the National Handicap Seminar in Edgbaston and following on from that we will be holding 2 Handicap Secretaries' meeting later this week. We felt it would be helpful to hold one mid-week and one at the week-end to pass on the information we received and to give clubs an opportunity to raise any queries they may have and also for Handicap Secretaries to meet other Handicap Secretaries, some of whom are new the position this year. On this subject, I would appreciate it if you would confirm to me the names of your Handicap Secretaries for 2009. I will leave a sheet for you to look at and amend if necessary and tick if it is already correct. (Clubs don't change committee members at the same time)

At the December meeting I mentioned that we had been asked to give feedback on the 9 Hole Competitions and Supplementary Scores. Thank you to those clubs who gave this. In England 830 clubs have applied for and received a 9 Hole SSS and apparently these competitions have been met with a mixed response even though the facility was aimed at those people who have difficulty playing 18 holes for whatever reason. EWGA feel that the interest in 9 hole competitions may change with the introduction of active and inactive handicaps. Feedback on the Supplementary Scores suggests that there has not been a good take up but again this may change with the active and inactive handicaps.

Each year an audit of Category 1 handicaps is carried out and to help with this I would ask any club with players who have a handicap of 1 or better to let me have a copy of their player's handicap record.

I would remind you that the EWGA, along with the R & A and other governing bodies in the home countries, with the exception of the EGU, do not allow the use of distance measuring devices in their events. The EGU allow DMDs but ONLY those which give distance only. The EWGA will review its position at the end of 2009 when it receives feedback from the EGU on its trial year.

Finally, could I just remind clubs that the EWGA runs the monthly Rose Spoon Competition where the golfer with the best net score of the month in each of four handicap divisions is given a silver rose spoon. A fifth spoon is given to the player with the best gross score of the month. Details in the EWGA handbook.

EWGA also runs a monthly draw for golfers who have scored a hole in one. The prize, sponsored by Titleist, is a dozen golf balls.

Heddwen confirmed that she would be circulating a telephone number and email address for Shelagh Cormack.

Two handicap secretaries meetings were due to be held later in the week – one mid week and one at the weekend.

Heddwen asked all delegates to check the handicap secretaries names shown on the list before they left the meeting.

12. JUNIOR ORGANISER'S REPORT (Cicely Goldsmith)

We held a New Year Get Together at Bedford & County Golf Club on Sunday 11th January. All the girls were invited together with their parents. After thanking Megan Birdsey, who was our Junior Captain for 2008, I introduced our new Captain, Katie Burman. We gave a brief outline of events planned for the New Year including the training that Gill had organised.

This was followed by a talk by County Vice President, Margaret Watchorn, on rules and etiquette, ably assisted by Shelagh Cormack. Cecilia Holden then gave some hints on course management. Then we adjourned for tea and cake.

The event was a new venture that I am sure will be repeated next year. It was a good opportunity for the girls to meet and socialise and they all seemed to enjoy it.

Training

Gill and Sharon arranged a training session for girls with no/high handicaps on 23rd December at Bedfordshire GC. 12 girls attended and these were split into 2 groups – one putting while the others were chipping. The Pro, Geraint Dixon, set targets and competitions. Following the training, the girls had a Christmas tea and the Pro gave some prizes. It is proposed to hold more Beginners training during each of the school holidays at a driving range. These are open to all girls interested and dates will be advertised in clubs. Sharon has acquired some Junior Golf Passports from the Golf Foundation and has issued these to the beginners. These passports set targets in various parts of the game and are signed off by a coach or group leader as they are achieved.

The new season training sessions have of course been delayed by the weather but are now in full swing. Four course management sessions with Paul Simpson of Stockwood Park and 4 short game skills sessions with Mark Wall of JOG are taking place during the spring for improvers. Girls with low handicaps have been invited to join in the County Squad training and also 6 low handicappers are taking part in the EWGA/County Birdies training at Cambridge Golf and Conference Centre at Hemmingford Abbots.

The playing season opens with the Past Captain's Salver on 19th April at Tilsworth followed by our first County Match on 26th April against Herts at Whipsnade.

Cicely reminded Clubs to let the County know of any girls at their clubs – only 6 clubs had returned their lists – there were 95 girls listed so far which is excellent.

Cicely then informed the meeting that Chris Sparks was being moved to EWGA Education from Regional Training Officer at very little notice. This was not good news as we would now have to share resources.

Lesley asked what would happen about birdie sessions in the future – the County was now being asked to take these over. Lesley asked Cicely to write to EWGA expressing our disappointment and our need for EWGA support.

13. SENIORS' CAPTAIN'S REPORT (Sam Turnbull)

The year has begun quite quietly with subscriptions coming in from most clubs. I have not received forms from Aylesbury Vale, Colmworth, Colworth, Mount Pleasant, Pavenham, Stockwood Park or Tilsforth so if the County Reps for those clubs are here please remind clubs to send them in as soon as possible.

I have emailed all the county reps the information for the Senior 2000. This is played with the May Medals in clubs. Last year several clubs forgot all about it so could the County Reps please remind their Competitions Secretary and also print off the information for them. It would be very good to see all the clubs represented in the knockout section of the trophy.

As Lesley has already mentioned the missing Seniors Championship form in the yellow book, all I need to do is thank the County Reps and ask them to remind ladies that the entry form can be downloaded from the web-site too.

The first match of the season is fast approaching. It is against the County 2nds at Wyboston and we are hoping for better weather than last year when it snowed! The rest of our matches begin in June.

Sam asked all delegates to remind their Competitions Secretary that the Senior 2000 competition should be played with the May medal.

14. PAST CAPTAINS' CAPTAIN'S REPORT (Gill Smith)

So far we have 175 Past Captain's join the section. I haven't heard from Colmworth, Colworth, Mount Pleasant, Pavenham or Wyboston as yet!

With regard to the matches, could I please ask, if you have been asked for names to play in any of the matches, could you please let me know ASAP if no one from your club is available? This will give me time to allocate those places to other clubs.

The team for the 1st match with the Men I will put on the website, and also contact the ladies involved with final details next week.

15. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Elaine James reported there was nothing of note to report on course assessments – she had been to John O'Gaunt and would be at Millbrook in June/July. The other courses due this year would be fitted in between.

Eleanor Mackirdy asked if Sue Whittaker had been retained as Chairman of the EWGA Management Board – this was confirmed.

Jan Garratt from Aspley Guise asked if the next contact list could include Vice Captains details and not just current Lady Captains.

Carol Clarke stated that the County Yellow book showed the Inter Club Shield being won by South Beds – this should be John O'Gaunt.

An update was given on the situation at Pavenham Park following the fire. The course was ok; the building however was in ruins. They had only just had a new floor and furniture put in. They had been burning some old furniture and the buggies caught fire – the fire hoses had not worked to start with. The Ladies Captain at Pavenham had been very appreciative of the support given by other Lady Captains in the County.

Jan Garratt gave her apologies for the next meeting and stated she would send a deputy,

Lesley thanked Millbrook for their hospitality and closed the meeting at 2.30 p.m.

16. DATE & VENUE OF NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING

The next County Meeting is on Monday 13th July 2009 at 1.00pm and will be held at Beadlow Manor Golf club.

Other County meeting dates are as follows

Monday 7th September – Dunstable Downs

Monday 2nd November – AGM – Leighton Buzzard

Monday 11th January 2010 – Aspley Guise

Signed _____

Date _____