



Bramhall Golf Club Ladies



My birthday balloons are deflating [I know the feeling], but I have to say that as they have survived eight weeks, I think that must be something of a record.



The season is underway, but we're still waiting for the sunshine, it did appear briefly on 19th April, but didn't hang around for long. It was a taste of what we will be expecting very soon we hope.

Start of Season took place on 12th April. Presentations in the evening included the winner of the Rose Bowl, and the Winter League. Congratulations to Wendy Woodhead winning the Rose Bowl and to Linda Walker on winning the Winter League [she managed to attend the evening in a wheelchair after breaking her leg in three places following a skiing accident]



The evening was a great success attended by around 85 ladies.

The draws have now been made for the Knockout competitions, the first round to be played by 11th June. Also, please note that there is still time to enter the eclectic competition, but you only have a couple of weeks to be included. Sign up in the Pro shop.

Matches are underway, the season started with a Friendly warm up for the A team with Bramhall Park which we lost 4 ½ - 2 ½
Since then all our teams have made a very good start, results to date are shown below.

Friendly at home v Chapel en le Frith won 3 ½-2 ½
B team away v Hazel Grove drew 3 ½ - 3 ½
Plate home v Didsbury won 4 ½ - 2 ½
A team home v Sale won 4-3
B team away v Birchwood won 5 ½ - 1 ½
Added to this, the Bell Cup match was played at home against Blackley, and again the result was a win to Bramhall 4 - 3
These are impressive results which we hope will continue throughout the season.
Many thanks to all the ladies who play in the teams.

The Archie Preston mixed competition is also underway. We have won two rounds, beating Chorley and Pleasington, both played away. A great start.

Success continues with Caroline McGeorge and Linzi Webster winning their first two rounds in the Daily Mail Foursomes, beating Hazel Grove and Bramhall Park. Good luck to them both in the next round.

The next big event on the Ladies golf calendar is the Open on 16th May. Thanks to Dehrne for organising this, together with all the volunteers of help on the day. We hope for good weather.

The Challenge Bowl is on 24th May, and we are planning to have a light meal following the competition and presentation, as we have done for the last few years. There will be a sign up on HDID nearer the time.

Finally, if you want an Indemnity tag to ensure you don't have to pay when you go in the Captain's pond on the 4th, or Lady Captain's bunker on the 3rd, there is a supply of these tags on the bar. A donation of £5 is suggested, and payments are to be put in the charity box.

Sandra Smith
Lady Captain