



Mile End News Update

Members' Committee Newsletter

August 2013



Apprentice of the Year!

Mile End greenkeeper Tom Jones is pictured left receiving the Apprentice of the Year Award from Owen Paterson Secretary of State for DEFRA at a recent awards ceremony held at Walford and North Shropshire College where Tom has been studying. Well done Tom.

From the Proprietor

We hope that Mile End Members have been enjoying the recent fabulous weather and are pleased with how the golf course has been playing in recent weeks. The news of the forthcoming closure of the Welsh Border Golf Club at Crew Green will have come as a blow to its members, but it does represent an opportunity for us to welcome those golfers who wish to take up Membership at Mile End. Please continue to encourage any of your golfing friends & relatives to come and play our course while it is at its best and don't forget the 10% Referral Fee that is paid to your Club Account should you introduce any new Member.

August offers from the shop

R1 Taylormade driver was £349 now £229

Cleveland XL drivers were £189 now £99

All Ping G25 products in stock 10% off

£25 off Cleveland wedges when you PX
any old wedge

All Oakley clothing buy one get one half
price

Daily Mail Foursomes

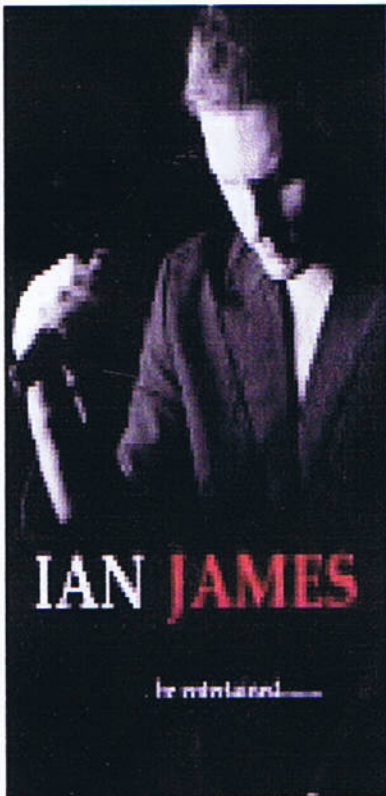
Dave Thomas and Darren Roberts are now in the sixth round of the Daily Mail Foursomes and now have a home match against Lancashire Club Grange Park. Good luck Guys!

John Wilson Charity Day

Excellent weather and a good turn-out meant that the 'John Wilson' Day was hugely successful with over £1,800 being raised on the day alone. Pictured right is Dave Berry receiving the winner's trophy from Club Captain Ron Pugh. Dave only needed 11 shots from his 22 handicap recording an eye watering 47 points!

Congratulations to Ian Thomas and his team of volunteers who organised the day. In addition to the funds raised on the day, thousands of pounds are raised through sponsorship and those sponsors will be invited to our 'Sponsors day' event to be held in September.





Annual Dinner Dance 2013

Following a disappointing turnout in January this year attributed to a combination of post-Christmas austerity and dreadful weather, this year's Annual Dinner at The Wynnstay Hotel will be held on Friday 22nd November. As usual the formalities associated with the transfer of Captaincies will take place then, but the 2014 Captains will actually 'drive-in' at the beginning of January.

Sponsorship has been secured which means that the price will be a very reasonable £23-50 per head and this year it will feature live music provided by the very talented Ian James. Ian offers all styles of music from tributes to Michael Buble, Ollie Murrs, Robbie Williams and the Classic Swing Greats. Ian has worked extensively throughout the UK and Europe and also entertains on cruise ships and in 2008 appeared in a charity show at the London Palladium. Ian's easy style cabaret act impressed audiences at Mile End at our Summer Ball in 2011. He is a very personable guy and engages with the audience. Using his witty banter and dry sense of humour we guarantee he will have you rolling in the aisles! There will be no loud disco this year as Ian will be providing all the music exclusively throughout the evening for us all to dance to at our hearts content.

On the Course

The carpentry skills of our member John Bradford have been put to good use again as John has been busy constructing three new benches for the course and they now grace holes 1, 2 and 6. Additionally, benches on the 5th and 18th have been restored to their former glory!

Seniors Matches

The strength of our current Seniors Section has been well demonstrated in recent match results with consecutive wins against Mold (A), Llangollen (H), Northop (A), Market Drayton (H), Old Padeswood (A) and Carden Park (H).

The combined points score 36-13. Life in the old dogs yet!

New 'Professional' Course record

Congratulations to Grant Edwards who set a new 'Professional' course record of 66 on John Wilson day.

RECENT RESULTS

Mens July Stableford

Div 1 1st Colin Amyes 2nd Paul O'Connor
3rd John Evans

Div 2 1st Gordon Manson 2nd Alan
Hoyles 3rd Kevin Harvey

Div 3 1st Gary Evans 2nd Jason Smith
3rd Tim Parkes

July Medal

Div 1 1st Paul Miles 2nd Darren Watkins
3rd Stuart Ball

Div 2 1st Keith Evans 2nd Frank Arthur
3rd Paul Eke

Div 3 1st Shane Hayward 2nd Tom Jones
3rd Tony Cartwright

Men's Club Championship

Overall Gross Winner Paul Miles

Overall Nett Winner Dave Thomas

Ladies July Stableford

Div 1 1st Janis Jones 2nd Sue Robson
3rd Anna Pugh

Div 2 1st Anne Walley 2nd Margaret
Salisbury 3rd Janet Bennett

Captains Day Winner Peter Beckett

Ladies July Medal

Div 1 1st Sue Robson
2nd Anna Pugh 3rd Moya Holmes

Div 2 1st Carol Evans
2nd Janet Edwards 3rd Susan Parry

Jack Jones Shield

Winner Dave Berry

Runner up Dennis Bellingham

Ladies Past Captains Trophy

Winner Anna Pugh

Seniors July Medal

Div 1 1st Brian Dando
2nd Jeff Roberts 3rd Allan Holyes

Div 2 1st Terry Owen
2nd Mike Pearson 3rd Peter Bailey

Mens Invitational

1st Keith & James Hampson
2nd Duncan & Adrian Wheeler
3rd Steve Henderson & Alex Woolley

Ladies Invitational

1st Karen Thaw & Sue Robson
2nd Amanda Ord & Barb Bebbington
3rd Linda Mottram & Anna Pugh

John Wilson Charity Day

1st Dave Berry **2nd** Shane Hayward

3rd Jamie Stokes **4th** Pete Austin