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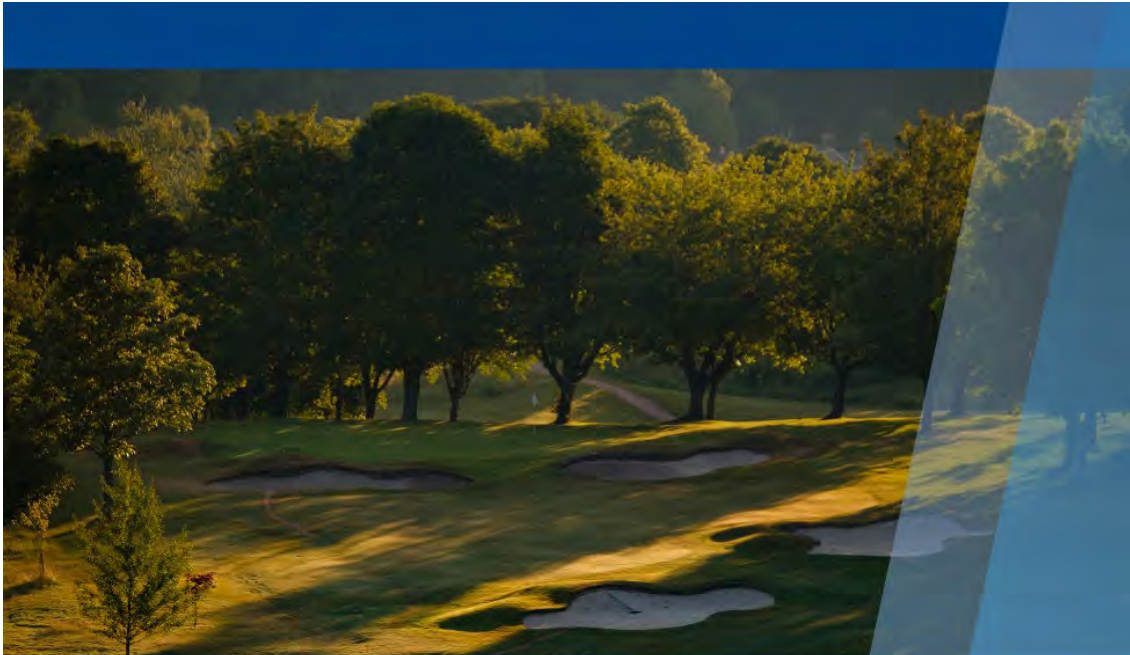
REMINDER TO REGISTER FOR OUR MARCH FORUMS

There's still time for golf clubs and Areas & Counties to register to attend one of our WHS™ and Handicapping Forums.

The Handicapping team will lead this series of face-to-face and virtual seminars, presenting the key changes around WHS™ for 2024, and will be sharing top tips and advice on how your club can successfully manage these changes when they come into effect on 1 April.

Attendees will also be offered the opportunity to ask any questions so you feel confident and well-prepared ahead of the new golf season.

[Find out more and register](#)



COURSE HANDICAP™ CHARTS

With the introduction of CR-Par (effective from 1 April 2024), there will be changes to the information displayed on your club's Course Handicap™ charts.

New Course Handicap™ charts (with CR-Par) are now available to view and print directly from your club's login to the Scottish Golf CDH Clubhouse or alternatively, you can contact the Handicapping team at Scottish Golf and we can issue you a chart from the WHS™ Course Rating System.

This will enable those clubs that choose to use physical Course Handicap™ boards, to view the information in advance of the April 2024 implementation of CR-Par.

[Find out more](#)



NEW COACHING WORKFORCE DATABASE

Volunteer coaches play a vital role in helping to grow the game of golf. We want to ensure they are fully supported, and properly developed, in their coaching capacity. Hence, we are updating our current qualification record and would like to invite your volunteer coaches to enrol onto our new coaching workforce database.

Ensuring we are providing the most effective training support for our national network of coaching volunteers, means equipping them with the best tools to drive golf participation forwards, both nationwide and in your club's coaching setting.

As a result, we have included a survey alongside the registration form in order to help us understand the impact of their coaching in your club's delivery setting, which will help shape our training.

[Find out more](#)



KEEP YOUR GOLFERS SAFE WITH A DEFIBRILLATOR

February is Heart Month and to promote this British Heart Foundation (BHF) is offering golf clubs affiliated to Scottish Golf an exclusive discount on a Defibrillator package.

The package includes

- Mediana HeartOn A15 Defibrillator
- Defibsafe2 Lockable External Cabinet with alarm
- Reliance Medical AED Prep kit
- Defibrillator poster
- Soft carry case

All for only £1250 + VAT. BHF also has an option with an internal cabinet available for £895 + VAT.

[Find out more](#)



GOLF CLUBS & LAND OWNERSHIP REGISTER (RCI) **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Golf clubs that own or lease land should act now to check if they are required by law to declare details for a new government register. Clubs may need to act if:

- they are a registered owner of land or property in Scotland
- they are a registered tenant with a lease of more than 20 years and have office-bearers that exercise general control and management of the land and property

Failure to register by the deadline of **1 April 2024** may result in a fine of up to **£5000**.

[Find out more](#)



NATIONAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS - NOW OPEN

Remember to ensure your club members are involved in the Scottish Medal Finals, Scottish R&A 9 Hole Challenge and Scottish Mixed Championship this year.

Your qualifying member will experience golf at a national level across a range of fantastic courses, whilst improving their game and having the opportunity to meet with like-minded golfers and the chance to win some fantastic prizes along the way.

Head online to the Scottish Golf website to find out more.

[Find out more](#)



JUNIOR FLAG CHAMPIONSHIP - REGISTRATIONS OPEN A WEEK TODAY

The perfect beginner golf programme to gain valuable on-course experience, the Scottish Junior Flag Championship is a programme which provides young golfers with fantastic playing opportunities in the early stages of their development.

If your club is looking to increase the number of juniors progressing to competition play, obtaining a handicap and being retained as members, then our Flag Events are perfect for you! They are also a great way of engaging parents and creating a buzz at your club on the day of the event.

[Click here for Junior Flag Championships - registrations open 26 Feb](#)

[Contact our Participation team for further information](#)



GIRLS' GOLF HUBS

REGISTRATIONS OPEN A WEEK TODAY

Recruit and retain female junior membership to your club by hosting this 6 week (one hour per week) coaching programme supported by our Learn to Golf resources!

This year we are offering clubs **£400** to facilitate your Girls' Golf Hubs coaching programme, purchase equipment or create further opportunities for the growth of girls' golf within your club.

Register your club from **26 February**.

Limited spaces are available.

[Find out more](#)



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NEED OUR HELP OR SUPPORT?

Scottish Golf is here to support you. If you have an enquiry then please contact us using the button below.

Many thanks,
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