



Jane and Christy crowned 2020 Champs

THE CLUB championships were settled over two rounds of golf at the weekend. Jane Brackenbury took the ladies' title for the seventh time in succession and Christy Whelehan won the men's title for the third time.

Christy takes the title

Christy Whelehan won the men's championship having won previously at the tender age of just 18 in 2009 and again in 2012.

Christy held an overnight lead with a one-over par round of 74 on Saturday while on Sunday the two-handicapper scored 77 for a total of 151.

Our champion for the past two years, Jason Kendal, scored a disappointing 82 on Saturday but returned the best

score of the day on Sunday with his 74 moving him from tied sixth place overnight to take second place with a total of 156. Greg Collins scored 78 and 80 and his 158 secured third spot.

Jane seven time champ

Eight-handicapper, Jane Brackenbury, became lady champion for the seventh consecutive year with a first round score of 89 followed by an 85 for a total of 174.

Tina Mulford who was second overnight with 100 scored 93 on Sunday to take second place while Pat Treacy scored 108 and 95 to take third spot.

Georgie Seaman took the prize for the best net score with a net 155.

Seamus wins Wise

Seamus Ramsey shot an 82 and 90 to win the Wise Trophy, a gross competition for men with handicaps between 13 to 18. His total of 172 was



six shots clear of the scores of Patrick Whelehan and Lewis Hackett who both scored 90 and 88 with Patrick taking second place on count-back thanks to a better back nine on Sunday. A good day for the Whelehan family!

Bennett Cup result to come

The result of the Bennett Cup for men with handicaps 19 and over had not been finalised at the time of going to press but will be announced shortly and covered in our next issue.



This week WHS is mostly ...

IN DEFERENCE to The Fast Show that is being celebrated on TV Gold at the moment we have to report that this week, England Golf is mostly talking about Course Handicap.

To learn more, see the posters in the clubhouse and go to either: www.Englandgolf.org/whs and/or the special WHS area in the members' section of our own website at: www.thewbgc.co.uk/world-handicapping-system.

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Skipper Rob takes Liddiard and the rest of the results

The much-delayed Liddiard Cup finally came to a conclusion on Wednesday September 2 when our men's captain, Rob Bridgeman, scored a fine 41 points to take the title. With 18 points after nine holes, Rob played the back nine in a two-over-par 37 to score 23 points and win the title by two points from Colin Price.

There was a five-way tie on 38 for third spot with the placing of Stephen White, 'Muz' Mzouri, Greg Collins, Christy Whelehan and Paul Barton decided on count-back.

Chris wins in midweek

Chris Brind won the men's midweek stableford on Wednesday August 26 with 40 points. Nick Sevier was a point back in second place while Simon Matton took third spot with 37 points.

Gerry takes the Saturday prize

Gerry O'Sullivan won the men's Saturday stableford competition on August 29 with 37 points. Phil Clare was a single point behind beating Nathan Keep on count-back to take second place.

Texas on Sunday

A mixed fun competition on Sunday August 30 took the form of a team of four Texas Scramble that was won by Lee Ruddle, Jonathon Dix and Graham and Matthew Harris with a score of 59.0.

Jason Kendal, Jane Brackenbury, Steve Cox and Kevin Wilkins were second on 59.8 while Tony Athawes, Shaun Ponsford, Jock Douglas and Tony Coventry were third on 60.7.

Liam starts off September in style

Liam Bint won the men's midweek stableford on Tuesday September 1 with 41 points, Chris Ward was second with 38 points while Steve Daly with 37 points beat Johnny Corbridge on count-back to take third spot.

Mixed in midweek

The first monthly midweek mixed competition since February was held on Tuesday September 1 in what organiser Jane Wilmore, described as perfect weather. Winners were the team comprising: Georgie Seaman, Dennis White, Susie Boulwood and Chris Capel with 102 points winning on count-back from Aileen Summers, Mike Sparvell, Derrick Perrin and Phil Eltham. Jane



Captain Rob

Wilmore, Sandy Miller, Phil Moss and Barry Francis took third place with 97 points.

Sounds as if the event was enjoyed by all those who participated, so let's hope there are more to come.

A MESSAGE FROM HANDICAPS

Appealing to you Cap-in-Hand

The new World Handicap System (WHS) starts on November 2 2020. Your *Handicap Index* will then be calculated from your best eight scores out of 20 games within the past two years.

Records show that some members are shy of that number and have not submitted sufficient qualifying scores. We appeal to you to submit one **Supplementary Card** a week during September and October.

You must inform the pro-shop prior to teeing off that you wish to submit a supplementary score. Then, to remain 'Covid-safe' you must mark your own card and have it checked by another member, then return your card to the pro-shop after your round.

Many thanks **WBGC Handicap Committee**

Rest of September at WBGC

- Mon 7 Men: Midweek Stableford (Y)
Ladies: Harris Cup Final (4pm)
- Tue 8 Mixed: Partners Trophy
- Fri 11 Seniors: Medal
- Sat 12 Mens: Stableford
Ladies: Monthly Medal
- Sun 13 Clama Trophy
- Tue 15 Ladies: Midweek Medal
- Thu 17 Men: Midweek Stableford (W)
- Sat 19 Men: Stableford
Ladies: Gillas Cup Rd 1
- Sun 20 Crawford Cup
- Fri 25 Men: Midweek Stableford (W)
- Sat 26 Men: Stableford
- Sun 27 Captain's Charity Day
- Wed 30 Men: Midweek Medal (W)