

# LANGLANDS GOLF CLUB



Langlands Golf Club Newsletter

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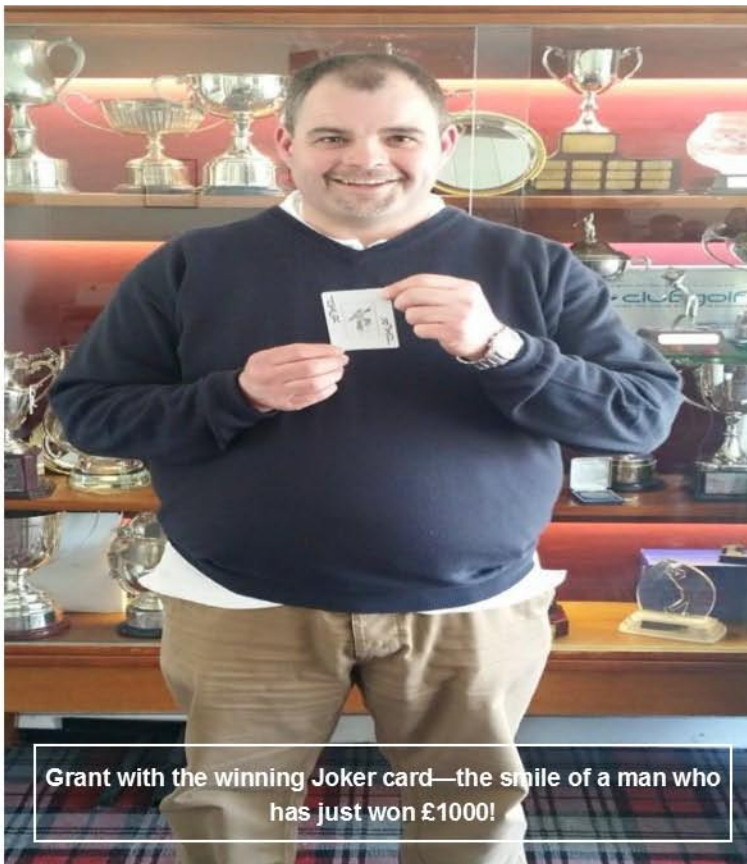
A warm welcome to you all. It feels like the golf season has properly begun now that The Masters has been played - congratulations to Jordan Speith, golf's newest superstar. It has been a busy month at Langlands, with the first medal competitions being played throughout April.

Entry forms are now available for this year's matchplay competitions—you can pick one up from the clubhouse. This season we have some new rules for those competitions to ensure all ties are played on time. Please make sure you read the notice displayed on the match board.

All golf clubs in Scotland have faced some tough times lately with several clubs closing for good. We have not been immune to this financial pressure; a severe winter closed Langlands for almost two full months in December and January, and the club continues to deal with the financial pressure this has placed us under. The club has bills to pay throughout the year, and the management committee are trying to organise a number of social events in order to raise funds. We hope that as many members as possible support these events to ensure our club continues to survive. If anyone has ideas for how we can raise more funds then please talk to us about them.

Here's to a great golfing month of May. I hope to see you all out on the course and in the clubhouse soon.

Davie Mortimer, Club Captain



Grant with the winning Joker card—the smile of a man who has just won £1000!



## Jackpot Joker

The Jackpot Joker draw returned after his winter break on Saturday 4th April. It's still only £1 to play. Congratulations to our April winners:

4th April—Tom McDermott £10

11th April—Alex McLaughlin £10

18th April—Peter Campbell £15

25th April— Grant Carruthers wins the £1000 jackpot!



The Charity Texas Scramble was played in challenging weather conditions on Saturday 11th April 2015. Thanks to all who took part. The results on the day were as follows:

1st: B Barlas, D Hollywood & R Johnston 63.1

2nd: D Young, S Browning & J McGuigan 63.1

3rd: Alan McTurk, Richard Cassidy,  
David Thomson 63.7

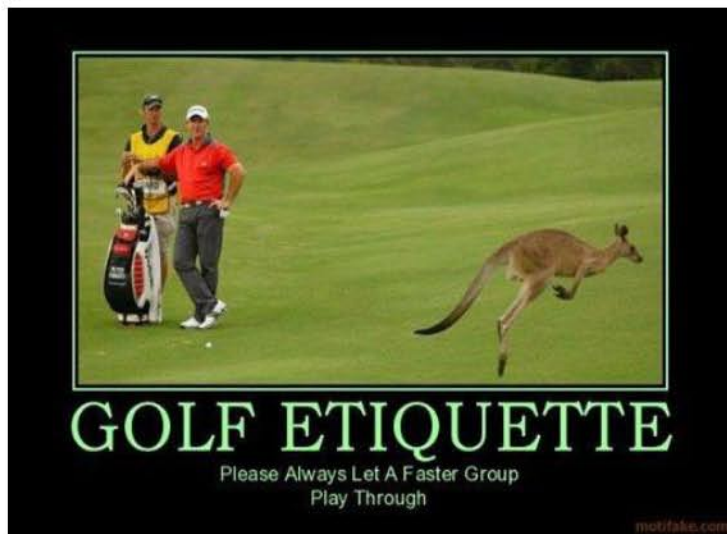
Thinking of organising a social event? Birthday party? Anniversary bash? Christening? Why not consider Langlands as the venue? Ask any member of the clubhouse staff for details on how to book us as your next party venue!

Please avoid slow play at all times—keep up with the group in front of you, not just ahead of the group behind.

A warm welcome to more new members to the club this month:

Ian Laird, John Masterton, Steven Erskine, James Ogilvie,  
Jonathan Tilly & David Grant.

Welcome to Langlands guys, we hope you have fantastic 2015 season here.



Did you  
know.....?



A “no return” score in a medal round does not necessarily mean an immediate 0.1 increase to your handicap. By continuing to record scores for the remaining holes of your round it is possible to make the buffer zone or even get a handicap reduction!

The “NR” score counts a nett double bogey for that hole (the stroke index of each hole is detailed on the scorecard, if your handicap is less than or equal to that particular number you get a stroke at the hole).

Follow your medal scores every week by registering to [www.howdidido.co.uk](http://www.howdidido.co.uk)!

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