



Dear Member,

Please find attached the 5th edition of the Resort News Bulletin.

We hope you are finding this a useful source of information to keep you up to date and informed of development changes.

It is available to view on the website, via email and on the relevant club notice boards.

As ever, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and patience as we work to improve the facilities for your future enjoyment.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Stephen Towers', is located below the text 'Yours faithfully'. The signature is fluid and cursive.

**Stephen Towers**  
**Resort Director**

June 2009

### **Car Parking**

We finally received planning approval for the car park lighting scheme on 1<sup>st</sup> May and as you will have noticed, work is already well progressed. Unfortunately the fittings for the tops of the poles were on a 12 week lead time, which is why they are not complete, however we have been working with the manufacturer and hope to get these ahead of schedule.

The final layers of tarmac have been going down this week, which means all car parks will be fully open. The contractors will also be largely completed and therefore there should be no conflict with parking availability.

The external and internal signage provision is also to be completed by end of June, albeit signage for the Kernow course will not be completed until the final configuration is in place.

### **Club House**

#### **Hotel**

On June 1<sup>st</sup> the new hotel opened its doors to customers for the first time. The new 80-bedroom 4-star hotel is a welcome edition to the resort and customers who have been accommodated in the stylish contemporary rooms have been impressed with the experience. The hotel incorporates resort and superior rooms (golf course facing) as well as two fantastic suites on the top floor. If you wish to see one of the rooms please do not hesitate to see hotel reception.

#### **Nicklaus Golf Bar**

Incorporated in to the new hotel building is the new Nicklaus Golf Bar. With its own individual menu and south facing terrace directly overlooking the 18<sup>th</sup> Green on the Nicklaus course it is the ideal place to relax after you round of golf.

#### **An Boesti**

Situated on the ground floor and accessed from the new hotel 'An Boesti' is the a la carte restaurant for the resort, giving members and guests a great blend of dining experiences. An Boesti is scheduled to open in July, once final alterations to the kitchen areas have been completed.

#### **Bewdern Bar & Brasserie**

Now that the golfers' bar has been completed the Bewdern will be focussed more on brasserie style dining. There is a new breakfast menu available and a much more extensive breakfast buffet. The main menu has also changed and will continue to evolve as the new outlets settle down into their final guises.

If you have any further questions regarding the resort please do not hesitate to contact us at the club or speak to a member of staff.

## **Golf Course**

### **June Overview**

Those golfers who have played the Kernow course in recent weeks will have noticed that sections of the new configuration on the front nine are now in play. By using the new '19<sup>th</sup> hole' Mike Bush and his team have been able to reduce the number of temporary greens to only two (16<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>). The remaining new holes are progressing well and as soon as they are ready to come into play these temporary greens will no longer be required.

The new holes on the front nine incorporate the previous design of the old course as originally built. These include the stunning downhill par 3 7<sup>th</sup> hole which is framed by the rolling countryside in the background, a great addition to the course.

All the bunkers on the Kernow course have now been cored out and re-shaped ready for lining and sand fill. We are hopeful that these bunkers will be in play later this month as we are now only waiting for decent weather window to complete this project.

The Nicklaus course continues to go from strength to strength and is currently in excellent condition. The re-development work completed in 2008 has given the course the best opportunity to flourish this summer and having the completed irrigation system now in place allows the green keeping team to maintain the course to the highest standard.

## **Golf Shop**

### **Festival of Golf 5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> July 2009**

St Mellion is home of the UK's first and finest Jack Nicklaus Signature Course and it celebrates it's 21<sup>st</sup> Birthday on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2009. To mark the occasion we are hosting a Festival of Golf with a variety of events for social and competitive golfers.

To get involved simply or to find out more information call in to the golf shop to speak to a member of the team or collect a leaflet from the membership office.

### **Driving Range**

We are pleased to announce that the Driving Range will re-open later this month. The redeveloped range will offer golfers of all standards an improved practice experience with more defined targets and distances to help get the most out of your game.

To help you maximise your practice time why don't you book a golf lesson with one of our PGA qualified professionals. To do this simply call the golf shop on 01579 352023.

### **Online Bookings**

The online booking system is now fully operational, with already a large number of members taking advantage of the facility. Using the booking system allows members to book tee times from midnight 12 days prior as apposed to waiting for the Professional shop to open. Please visit [www.st-mellion.co.uk](http://www.st-mellion.co.uk) to book your tee times now.

### **Get Into Golf**

For the relative or friend the Golf Academy Team is offering its unique coaching scheme Get into Golf for an unbelievable price of £249.00. This consists of unlimited lessons with one of our Qualified Golf Professionals who will personally teach you all the aspects of the game from the technical side to the etiquette of the game. At the end of the course you will be ready to compete on the golf course. Please don't miss this great opportunity, please ask a member of the Professional Shop for more information.

### **Golf Shop Opening Hours**

The golf shop is now open until 7pm all week throughout the golf season.

### **Golf Changing Rooms**

The ladies changing area has been completed and operational for the past 6 weeks, the newly refurbished men's golf changing area will re-open on 15<sup>th</sup> June.

### **Aero Leisure Club**

Both the female and male changing areas have been completed and have now been in operation over the past 2 months. We have been very pleased with the improvements and feedback that we have received and hopefully you will be able to experience them in future years.

Again we would like to thank all members for their patience during the times of the changing room refurbishment.

### **New Gym Challenge**

Looking for a helping hand to get that beach body this summer? The gym team have developed a fantastic gym challenge to keep you motivated this summer. The 'Around the World Challenge' is a team event taking participants around the world to conquer famous landmarks.

Those wishing to participate are required to enter and be part of a team between 4 and 7 people, do not worry if you are on your own and wish to take part as you can easily be paired in to a team.

For further information please contact the gym team when next attending the club.

### **Feedback**

The Leisure Club Feedback system we introduced at the end of last year has certainly been a successful and positive means of communication. Comments put forward have largely been constructive and have helped us to improve and develop the service and facilities for members. Forms are available at the leisure reception desk and responses from the Leisure Manager are displayed on a board by the Spa.

### **Classes**

These are a great way of getting into shape and also meeting fellow members. There are a wide range of classes available to suit everyone and timetables are available at the desk. Please remember to book well in advance to avoid missing out as numbers are limited for health and safety reasons.

For all those people who are unsure about participating in fitness classes, as they are not aware of what takes place during each class Diane Watson, a fitness instructor from the gym holds weekly studio inductions on Mondays 9.20am-9.50am and Wednesdays 6.15pm-6.45pm

Bookings can be made either in person at Aero Reception or over the telephone up to 7 days in advance.

### **Spa**

A wide range of spa treatments and products are available for members to experience and purchase. When you book a treatment remember to produce your membership card to receive your 15% discount on any treatment.

### **Crèche**

The crèche team are continuing to develop a range of Birthday Parties for member's children. You are able to choose from Wet 'n' Wild, Sports or a more traditional party theme.

If you are interested in a no mess, no fuss, enjoyable party please contact the crèche on 01579 352003 or email [stmellion-leisure@crown-golf.co.uk](mailto:stmellion-leisure@crown-golf.co.uk).

## **Forthcoming St Mellion Events**

### **June**

#### **Fathers Day Lunch Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2009**

Tables available between 12.30pm – 2pm

4-Course Lunch in Bewdern Brasserie

Cost per adult - £18.95

Cost per Child - £10.95

Please call 01579 352021 to book your table

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### **FREE Guest Friday's**

All adult members are invited to bring in a friend to use the Aero Leisure Club and Friday during June

For further details please speak to the membership team on 01579 352022

## July

### **Business Exhibition 2009**

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2009**

The Ultimate Network Event

- Over 70 exhibition stands
- A comprehensive programme of informative seminars with guest speakers
- Networking & refreshment lounge

For more details contact Regan Bailey on 01579 352047

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### **Festival of Golf – 5<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> July**

#### **Calendar of Events**

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July - Mixed Open

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July - Ladies in Golf Day

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July - Ladies Open

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> July – Pro-am

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July – St Mellion Members Golf & BBQ

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July – Team Challenge Event

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July – Men's Open

For further details on any of the above events please contact Julie Gray or David Moon on 01579 352031 or email [stmellion-golfdays@crowngolf.co.uk](mailto:stmellion-golfdays@crowngolf.co.uk)