

Members Management Group

Minutes of meeting Friday 3rd April 2026

In attendance: C. Lumsdaine, G. Dalziel, M. McKechnie, D. Scott, J. Porteous

Apologies:

1. Course Update

J. Porteous said that new machinery was now on site, the new Toro fleet was operating well and providing a good quality of maintenance to the course. In addition to like for like replacements a new Sidewinder mower had been bought this would allow for a better cut to be produced on contours and around bunkers.

J. Porteous said the Short Game area was growing in well and the extra drainage that had been installed had been put to the test with some wet weather and was performing well.

Roped areas will be removed soon however if some areas are seen to still be weak the ropes would be kept in place a little longer to protect the weaker areas.

Greens have been overseeded and a top dressing was due next week.

Bunkers that have been worked on over the winter would be put back into play and sand distributed and topped up where necessary. J. Porteous said that this year the greens team would be burning or spraying the bunker faces to remove any tufts of grass on faces.

The bore hole pumps are to be removed and serviced.

2. Members Survey 2025

D. Scott provided summary and full responses to the MMG. Discussions at future meetings to cover any outstanding points.

3. Events

D. Scott confirmed the need for volunteers at a number of events this year including the Regional Qual, Scottish Open and Girls Am Champs. Numbers required varied but the Girls Champs would require a large number. It was proposed to host a volunteer golf day again at the end of the season to thank all those involved.

5. Booking System & Golf Genius

J. Porteous confirmed that both Golfmanager and Golf Genius were working to connect up the tee sheet to the competitions and handicap system. There were some issues relating to what details were available to be shown on the tee sheet and also when it would be sensible to move the tee sheet over to the members view. Details to follow.

6. AOCB

D. Scott confirmed that the course webcam was now operational and could be viewed by clicking the link on the home page of the Craigielaw website under Course Conditions.

G. Dalziel noted that the Craigielaw Winter league team finished 2nd in this years league division 1.

Dates of next meetings

2026 Dates

Fri 22nd May 8.30am

Fri 3rd July 8.30am

Fri 21st Aug 8.30am

Fri 2nd Oct 8.30am