

Captain's Report

July 2022

Having played in the County Championships at Machynys in April, my eyes were opened to some new talent and a reminder of the quality of players we have in our small County. From here, I could work on putting a team together along with the expertise of former Captain Cath Jones who's help and advice has been invaluable.

The first County match was held at Tenby Golf Club v Monmouthshire on May 16th.

Team members were Wendy Edwards, Nicola Ward, Sophie Anderson, Olwen Davies and getting their first caps, youngsters Marni Copeland & Dwynwen Holgate.

Despite our best efforts, particularly in the afternoon singles with many matches going to the wire, we went down 7/2 to a strong opposition.

Particular mention to Dwynwen (County Champion 2022) who played against Monmouthshire County Champion Lauren Hillier (former professional player) in the afternoon singles. This match was all square after 18 holes, unfortunately on the 1st extra playoff Lauren managed to squeeze the win. An amazing performance!!

A big thank you to Tenby for looking after us so well and ensuring the day ran smoothly.



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The next 1st Team match of the season took us to Radyr Golf Club where we faced an experienced Glamorgan side.

To our delight, after the morning Foursomes we were 2-1 up and now full of optimism. In the afternoon singles we started with 2 wins from our newly found talent Dwynwen Holgate (4&3) and back from America for the summer Carys Worby (6&5). From here the opposition found another gear and began to put pressure on our players. We suffered 3 losses and were now all square in match results. The last match on the course went to the 18th where we narrowly missed out on victory. Commendation to our team who are a credit to the county.

I would like to thank team members Carys Worby (back from America for the Summer and playing fabulous golf), Dwynwen Holgate, Ffion Evans, Marni Copeland, Nicola Ward & Wendy Edwards.



We have one final match of the season on Wednesday 10th August at Clyne Golf Club. 2nd Team match v Glamorgan 2nds. I look to field some younger players along with the more experienced in order to keep building for the future.

I look forward to working with our new Junior Organiser Simon Nand-Lal and developing the younger talent we have in the County.

I would like to thank the Committee for your ongoing support and look forward to the remainder of the season.

Rhian Walters

County Captain

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