

Junior minutes

Meeting Monday 7 April 2025 at 6pm in the clubhouse

Item 1-Attendees-John Sheffield (JS) Chris Malpas (CM) Paul Butler (PB) Barry Rogers (BR) Ingrid Mutch (IM) Mike Davidson (MD) Phil Park (PP)

Item 2 -Apologies-Mike Dixon (MD) George Parkes (GP)

Item 3-Minutes of last meeting-3 march 2025- these were agreed.

Item 4-Safeguarding-Safeguarding accreditations still to be completed for IM, MD. And PB. Raise at next junior meeting for progress.

Item 5-Coaching – 2025- including feedback from latest sessions with the Hub.

The final session of winter coaching for selected juniors at Penrith Golf Hub has been concluded. The sessions have been led by Andrew Pickering, Professional at the Hub and been enjoyed by all those attending. It was felt that these sessions should be completed during next winter period.

Junior coaching at the club will commence on Monday 28th April 2025. Registration at 5.15pm and sessions to conclude by 7pm. A feature has been prepared for the Herald but it was felt that all aspects of social media should be utilised.

CM has booked a professional from the HUB to assist at junior coaching on alternate weeks. It is hoped that Will Marklew will also be able to assist when he is available.

ACTION-PP to progress publicity and CM to check availability of Will.

Item 6-Junior competitions 2025

Following dates have been arranged for junior competitions;

America Cup-21 June 2025

Richardson Trophy-10th and 11th May 2025

Allison Trophy-20th May 2025

Bob Sly Trophy-31 May and 1 June 2025

Mattinson Trophy--9th and 10th August 2025

Junior Captains Day-still to be confirmed but either 21 or 28th July 2025.

There are four remaining trophies to compete for which include the Miller, Bell, Charters and Pariso trophies. This will allow some varied formats to be introduced to ensure that all juniors have an opportunity to take part.

Item 7 -Super “Sixes” 2025 and potential “Nines” format.

The Super Sixes format will continue. The following teams will be competing;

Penrith, Brampton, Workington and Maryport.

It is hoped to play the NINES format with Kendal as a friendly.

Item 8-Junior Team-the following fixtures have been arranged.

Carlisle-Home-5pm-12th May 2025

Maryport-2.30pm-24th May 2025

Carlisle-away-2pm-30th May 2025

Maryport-away-10am-22 June 2025

Brampton-home-5pm-7th July 2025

Brampton-away-5pm-18th July 2025.

Workington and Silloth still to be confirmed.

The provision of golf tops for the junior team was highlighted and further initial discussions will take place with Will Marklew on this matter.

ACTION-CM to progress.

Item 9-Penrith Junior Open-It is some time since a Penrith Junior Open has been held due largely to COVID and it will be important that there is plenty of marketing for this event as many other clubs are also hosting junior opens.

ACTION-JS to have discussions with Will Marklew to see if he can offer assistance with this event.

Item 10-Finance including feedback from Council if received with bid for funding support.

The Council have considered a bid for funding support to the junior section at their last meeting. This has been followed up with further discussions with representatives from the junior committee together with the Council Chair and Financial Officer. A further update will be provided to the juniors on this matter once remaining members of the Council have had the opportunity to consider feedback from the discussions. This was a constructive and helpful meeting.

Item 11-Any other business-MD raised the schools event taking place at Brampton on 8th April 2025. George Parkes and Leah Butler representing Ullswater CC.

Item 12 Date of next meeting-Tuesday 13th May 2025 at 6pm in the clubhouse.