





Welcome to the first edition of the Anglo Catalan Sant Jordi Golf Society Newsletter. I hope to make this a regular feature to circulate a week or so after the monthly tournament giving you the latest news.

Hanslope Park Visit.

2007 promises to be an exciting year with a number of new proposals in the offing. Hot off the press we have a visit from the Hanslope Park Society headed by our good friend Gary Peers who will captain his team that will visit us in Spain for the traditional (4th) Sant Jordi Hanslope match. This will be hosted on the 25th and 26th April the venues still have to be finalised but will take place in all probability at the PGA, Costa Brava or Gerona Golf Clubs. Unfortunately, Montanya will be tied up with an Official Federation Tournament that week. Please watch this space for more information.

Order Of Merit.

2007 also sees the introduction of the 'Sant Jordi Order of Merit'. This is a point's classification based on your results from the monthly tournaments. It carried bonus points for your position in each of the two handicap categories. 20 points for first down to 1 point for tenth place. Points for 'nearest the pin', 'longest drives' and for playing in the tournament. The order of merit position can gain you access to the Sant Jordi Team, where the proposal is for the top 4 in each category to gain access to the team to play Hanslope Park and 4 Captain's choices. So please bear in mind the more tournaments you play in directly relates to increasing your chances of access to the Team. Good Luck to you all. The latest 'Order of Merit' will be circulated with this newsletter.

Views from the Side.

The January Tournament was played in beautiful weather. We were privileged with a cool day and bright sunshine. There were rumours that Graham Nash even took his cardigan off and played in short sleeves for a while. We all noticed a sudden rise in temperature as he strode down the fairways. He was 'HOT' shooting a magnificent score in the 70's and coming in victorious with '51' points. Richard Rose with 43 and Mike Thom and myself with 41 were the other placed golfers. Well done Graham, a handicap adjustment will be welcomed for the February tournament!

Order of Merit position (After Jan Tournament)

Graham Nash 23 Points
Richard Rose 21
Mike Thom 17
Adrian Cox 17
Michael Robson 15
Roy Waters 15
Ralph Griffin 13
Fergus Muirhead 13
David Goss 11
Keith Babes 11
Paul Smith 9
Edwin Hebink 9
Roger Hunger 7

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I can then give you all the details and latest info directly at home.

Suggestions.

You may be thinking that this Newsletter would be a magnificent opportunity to promote your business amongst members. Any suggestions, you may have would be welcome together with sponsorship for the 'Order of Merit' Prizes to be offered after the December tournament.

'Mention of the Month'.

Special tanks to **Graham** for organising the Tournaments over the years. He has worked very hard to promote us.... so he rightly deserved the honour of being our First 'Mention of the Month'. ...(and gets two bonus points for the order of merit).

New Members

A special welcome to our new members. This month we welcomed Fergus Muirhead into our group. Fergus apart from being and excellent golfer is also a semi-professional musician and expert Bagpipes specialist. A good contact for your wedding, christening or Christmas bashes (mail@fergusmuirhead.com)

See you all next month.

Adrian (I'm the eagle bit in the e-mail address; the 'slicer' bit is dedicated to Graham!





