CHESTER-LE-STREET GOLF CLUB

Course Bulletin – 22nd September 2016

1. Plans for Autumn 2016

Further to the last bulletin sent out at the beginning of September, we would like you to be aware of some changes to the plans for the autumn.

Owing to an anonymous donation we now intend to add many of the new features to the tenth hole. This is in addition to the work already planned on holes 1, 2, and holes 11 through 14.

In regard to the 10th, the new medal tee will not be added just yet but we will install the two fairway bunkers, (one grass, one sand). We will also carry out the work to soften the bank RHS of the green.

26th September for 2 weeks:

The focus of the work during this period will be two new ditches which will be located LHS of the eleventh hole and across the twelfth hole. The greenside bunkers on the twelfth hole will also be reconfigured. The work on the tenth hole, described above, will be carried out, as well as other features in phase one if time and weather allow. These will be agreed in conjunction with the course architect.

9th to 25th November:

The construction of new features on the remaining 5 holes in phase one is scheduled for this period.

As ever, the new features are detailed in the plans we have made available in the club house and on the club web site. There are some dramatic enhancements in store for these holes so you may like to refresh your memory by reviewing the plan from the course architect, Ken Moodie.

In summary, the plan is to address 7 holes instead of 6 during this phase. This is great news which has only been made possible by a very generous donation. Many thanks go to that individual.

C Henderson Hon. Secretary On behalf of the GP committee