

WEST LINTON GOLF CLUB



Fixtures 2026

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CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP 2026

Club Championship Qualifying

Gents - Best two rounds from three Stroke Play Competitions, being the sum of gross scores returned in:

Sunday	17 May 2026	Mackenzie Cup (Men)
Saturday	13 June 2026	Cowan Ram's Horn - Round One (Men)
Sunday	14 June 2026	Cowan Ram's Horn - Round Two (Men)

Qualification will be based on scratch scores in three handicap sections:

32 players with handicaps +5 to 12 - **Championship and Plate competitions** *

16 players with handicaps 13 to 18 * - **B Section**

8 players with handicaps 19 * to 28 - **C Section**

* Subject to numbers playing and eligible for Qualification

The top 16 scores from players with handicaps +5 to 12 will compete in the Club Championship. The next 16 best scores from players with handicaps +5 to 12 will play for the George Farm Memorial Salver.

The top 16 scores from players in the B section and top 8 scores from players in the C section will compete in their respective Championships.

All knockout Ties are Matchplay and the draw will be seeded.

Club Championship Ties will be played on Tuesday 16, Wednesday 17 and Thursday 18 June 2026.

All Semi-Finals will be played on Friday 19 June 2026.

All Finals will be played on Sunday 21 June 2026.

Ladies - The best gross score from either medal (stroke play) round played on Sunday 31 May or Sunday 7 June 2026. The 8 leading scores from Divisions 1, 2 and 3 will proceed to the Matchplay stages. The best nett score from either round wins the Mary Gilbert Trophy.

Seniors - There will be a new Seniors Section Club Championship played in 2026. Details are still being finalised, but the same Gents Qualifying Rounds will be used and all Ties will be played during Championship Week.

All Semi-Finals will be played on Friday 19 June 2026.

All Finals will be played on Sunday 21 June 2026.

Juniors - Junior Medals and Competitions will be played throughout the Season and from these, players will qualify for the Club Championship Finals.

All Junior Finals will be played on Sunday 21 June 2026.

COMPETITION PROGRAMME 2026

* Indicates Drawn Medal

** All Senior Competitions are for people aged 55 years and above

JANUARY – RED AND YELLOW TEES	
Sun 11	Icicle Race (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Sat 24	Buchanan Cup (Icicle Race: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
FEBRUARY – RED AND YELLOW TEES	
Sun 8	Ian Wright Trophy (Icicle Race: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Sat 21	Icicle Race (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
MARCH – RED AND YELLOW TEES	
Sat 7	Icicle Race (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Sat 7	Ladies Winter Greensomes
Sat 14	Ladies Coffee Morning & Season Opener
Thu 19	Club AGM
Sat 21	Icicle Race Grand Final (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Sat 28	Men's Open - Pairs/Better Ball (Stableford)
APRIL	
Sat 4	Drury Jug: Spring Texas Scramble: Men
Sun 5	Ladies Texas Scramble
Sun 5	Junior Medal
Tue 7	Men's Seniors Medal (White Tees: Stableford)
Tue 7	Ladies April 9-in-90 (Stableford)
Sat 11	R&A 125 Quaich (Men: Stableford)
Sun 12	Spring Stableford (Ladies)
Fri 17	Ladies Flag Night
Fri 24	Fun Fours (Mixed: Stableford)
Sat 25	Ladies Coronation Fours Qualifier
Sat 25	Junior Medal
Sun 26	Jack Martin Trophy (Ladies: Stroke Play) *
Sun 26	Jack Martin Trophy (Men: Stroke Play) *
Tue 28	Men's Seniors Medal (Yellow Tees: Stableford)
Thu 30	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stableford)
MAY	
Sat 2	Westwater Trophy (Men: Stableford)
Sat 2	Mackie Rose Bowl (Ladies: Stableford)
Tue 5	Men's Seniors Medal (White Tees: Stableford)
Wed 6	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford) [First of Series for Midweek Shield]
Sat 9	Clifford Trophy (Ladies: Stableford)
Sat 9	Junior Medal
Sun 10	Seniors Jubilee Trophy & Under 55s Medal (Men: Stroke Play)
Wed 13	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Thu 14	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stroke Play)
Sat 16	Men's Open - Texas Scramble (Teams of 4)
Sun 17	Mackenzie Cup (Men: Stroke Play) – Championship Qualifier 1 *
Sun 17	Gilroy Medal (Ladies: Stroke Play) *
Mon 18	Ladies May 9-in-90 (Stableford)
Tue 19	Men's Seniors Medal (Yellow Tees: Stableford)
Wed 20	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Sat 23	St Mungo's Medal (Ladies: Stroke Play) *
Sat 23	Ford Tournament (Men: Stableford)
Sun 24	Junior Medal
Wed 27	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)

Thu 28	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stableford)
Fri 29	Fun Fours (Mixed: Stableford)
Sun 31	Ladies Championship Qualifying Round 1 *
Sun 31	Captain's Trophy (Men: Stroke Play)
JUNE	
Tue 2	Men's Seniors Medal (White Tees: Stableford)
Wed 3	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Wed 3	Ladies June 9-in-90 (Stableford)
Sun 7	Cochrane Medal (Men: Stroke Play) *
Sun 7	Ladies Championship Qualifying Round 2 *
Tue 9	Men's Senior Open (Stroke Play)
Wed 10	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Thu 11	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stroke Play)
Sat 13	Cowan Ram's Horn Round 1 (Men: Stroke Play) * Championship Qualifier 2
Sun 14	Cowan Ram's Horn Round 2 (Men: Stroke Play) * Championship Qualifier 3
Tue 16	Club Championship Knockout Stages
Wed 17	Club Championship Knockout Stages No Wednesday Medal
Thu 18	Club Championship Knockout Stages
Fri 19	Club Championship Semi-Finals (All Sections)
Sat 20	Junior Medal
Sun 21	Club Championship Finals (Course Closed until 3.00pm)
Tue 23	Macpherson Quaich (Men's Seniors Medal: Stroke Play)
Wed 24	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Thu 25	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stableford)
Fri 26	Fun Fours (Mixed: Stableford)
Sat 27	Edinburgh Crystal Trophies (Men & Ladies: Stableford)
Sun 28	Mixed Open (1 Gent/1 Lady) - Pairs/Better Ball
Tue 30	Men's Seniors Medal (Yellow Tees: Stableford)
JULY	
Wed 1	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Thu 2	Men's Senior Open (Stableford)
Sat 4	Junior Medal
Sun 5	Bigga Quaich (Men: Stroke Play)
Tue 7	Men's Senior Medal (White Tees: Stableford)
Thu 9	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stroke Play)
Sat 11	Silloth (Men's Invitational: Stroke Play)
Sun 12	Vice Captain's Trophy (Ladies: Stableford)
Sun 12	Junior Medal
Wed 15	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Fri 17	Ladies July 9-in-90 (Stableford)
Sat 18	J G Jigger (Men: Stableford)
Sun 19	Lady Captain's Challenge
Tue 21	Men's Senior Medal (Yellow Tees: Stableford)
Wed 22	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Thu 23	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stableford)
Sat 25	Summer Shield (Ladies: Stableford)
Sat 25	Junior Medal
Sun 26	Men's Open (Stroke Play)
Wed 29	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Thu 30	Men's Senior Open Texas Scramble (Teams of 3)
Fri 31	Fun Fours (Mixed: Stableford)

AUGUST		
Sat	1	CT Gray Trophy (Men: Stroke Play) *
Sat	1	Centenary Trophy (Ladies: Stroke Play: Millennium Qualifier) *
Sun	2	Ladies Open Tri-Am
Tue	4	Men's Senior Medal (White Tees: Stableford)
Wed	5	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Sat	8	West Linton Pro Day
Wed	12	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Thu	13	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stroke Play)
Sat	15	Royal Bank Quaich (Men: Stableford)
Sun	16	Junior Medal
Mon	17	Ladies August 9-in-90 (Stableford)
Tue	18	Jack Muir Trophy (Men's Senior: Pairs/Better Ball)
Wed	19	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford)
Thu	20	Ladies Thursday Medal (Stableford)
Sat	22	Millar Medal (Men: Stroke Play) *
Sat	22	Lewis Medal (Ladies: Stroke Play) *
Tue	25	Men's Senior Medal (Yellow Tees: Stableford)
Wed	26	Wednesday Medal (Men: Stableford) (Last in Series for Midweek Shield)
Thu	27	Mixed Senior Open (1 Gent/1 Lady) - Greensomes
Fri	28	Fun Fours (Mixed: Stableford)
Sat	29	Junior Medal
Sun	30	Thorburn Medal (Ladies: Stroke Play) *
Sun	30	Fergusson Medal (Men: Stroke Play) *
SEPTEMBER		
Tue	2	Men's Senior Medal (White Tees: Stableford)
Fri	4	Ladies September 9-in-90 (Stableford)
Sat	5	Charity Day Texas Scramble
Sun	6	Samantha Wright Trophy (Ladies: Stableford)
Sat	12	Bruce Henderson Trophy (Men: Stableford) [Can only be won by Non-Winners in 2026]
Sat	12	Ladies Winners Play Off (Stroke Play)
Sat	12	Mendick Trophy (Ladies: Stableford) [Can only be won by Non-Winners in 2026]
Sat	12	Junior Medal
Mon	14	Course Closed for Maintenance
Tue	15	Course Closed for Maintenance
Wed	16	Course Closed for Maintenance
Tue	22	Men's Senior Medal (Yellow Tees: Stableford)
Sat	26	Shotgun Texas Scramble End of Season Bash (Men)
Tue	29	Men's Senior Champion of Champions (White Tees: Stableford)
OCTOBER – RED AND YELLOW TEES		
Sat	3	Ladies End of Season Flag Day & AGM
Sun	11	Icicle Race (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Wed	21	East of Scotland Golf Alliance Event (Men)
Sat	24	Prize Giving - Shotgun Start Pairs/Better Ball (Stableford) [2026 Competition Winners Invited to Enter Team]
NOVEMBER – RED AND YELLOW TEES		
Sun	1	Alec Cooper Cup (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Sat	7	Icicle Race (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Sat	14	Icicle Race (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Sun	29	Nigel Burkitt Trophy (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
DECEMBER – RED AND YELLOW TEES		
Sat	5	Icicle Race (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)
Sat	12	Icicle Race (Men: Stableford: Yellow Tees)

SPECIAL NOTES ON ETIQUETTE

Members are obliged by their Membership of West Linton Golf Club to observe the Rules and Etiquette as detailed in The Rules of Golf, Section 1 – Etiquette AND to adhere to the following requirements of Council:

- Always repair **Pitch Marks** and **Divots** and direct the attention of others who fail to do so.
- Maintain reasonable quiet when others nearby are playing.
- **AVOID SLOW PLAY**, West Linton Golf Club supports Ready Golf.
- **Slow Play** - That three or four ball Matches **must** invite two ball Matches to play through when a delay occurs.
- **Slow Play**, further - If a Match fails to keep its place on the Course and loses one clear hole on the Group in front, it **must** allow the Match following to pass through.
- Always rake over footmarks etc. in Bunkers.
- Be appropriately dressed in the Clubhouse and on the Course.
- Practice on the Course is prohibited i.e. repeated shots from the same position. Please use the numerous and exceptional practice facilities the Club has, to do this.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

- Members must purchase a ticket for their Guest(s) prior to commencing play. This can be done either in the Pro Shop or at the Bar. In the case of these premises being closed, payment should be made by BACS transfer (West Linton Golf Club, 83-26-09, 00137927), using your name as a reference. BRS must be correctly updated to show the Member has played with a Guest(s).
- A Member may introduce up to three Guests at one time.
- The same Guest can only be introduced a maximum of 12 times per year with a maximum of two introductions in any one month.

PROFESSIONAL SHOP OPENING HOURS

These will be circulated to the Membership throughout the year. In the event of the Course being closed, the shop will only open as necessary.

CLUBHOUSE OPENING HOURS

These will be circulated to the Membership throughout the year.

COURSE CLOSURE OR RESTRICTIONS

These will be posted on BRS and generally accompanied by an email. If the Course is Closed for Play then the same Restrictions apply to the Practice Facilities.

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