



**This is a draft Charter for the Formation of the Ladies Golf Committee of FFGC
It will be finalised upon appointment of the committee members.**

Committee Composition - After year two the committee will be elected by the ladies membership at AGM

1. President (Only votes when deciding vote is required) - 3 Year Post
2. Captain - 1 Year Post (Can be 2 years if role is shared)
3. Vice Captain - 1 Year Post (To be chosen by previous Captain)
4. Treasurer - 3 Year Post
5. Members' Representative 1 (Competitive Fixtures Secretary) - 2 Year Post
6. Members' Representative (Friendly Fixtures Secretary) - 2 Year Post
7. Members' Representative 3 - 2 Year Post

Mission Statement

The Ladies Committee will work to grow participation, encourage engagement, and provide a platform for social and competitive play among the lady members of Ferndown Forest.

Guiding Principles

The committee will consider each of their decisions impact on three fundamental criteria to ensure alignment with its mission and promote the enjoyment, engagement, and participation of lady members:

Enjoyment – *Evaluate whether the decision enhances the experience and enjoyment of FFGC's lady members.*

Engagement – *Assess whether the decision encourages communication and develops more social interactions among lady members.*

Participation – *Determine whether the decision will increase or maintain the level of active participation in ladies' golf at FFGC.*

Aims & Responsibilities

The Ladies Golf Committee will uphold the following minimum responsibilities to support the growth and cohesion of the ladies' golf community:

Team & Competition Management

Organise and manage competitive teams, including entries into local leagues and knockout events. Each team can have separate Captains.

Weekly Competitions and Events

Coordinate Wednesday morning competitions with a mix of qualifying events and fun gatherings. Schedule three qualifying competitions per month during the season, focusing on enjoyment and minimal medal events. Organise at least one "fun" event per month for a more relaxed play style.

Annual Competitions

Annual Club Championship
Annual Singles and Pairs Matchplay events
Annual Charity Captain's Day

Regular Roll-Ups and Social Play

Coordinate roll-up sessions every Monday and Friday morning.
Schedule a weekly summer evening roll-up for added flexibility and social play.

New Member Integration

Hold a minimum of two new member social events each year to welcome, introduce, and integrate new lady golfers into the FFGC community.

Social and Non-Golf Events

Plan social, non-golf gatherings throughout the year to promote community and strengthen friendships among lady members.

Annual General Meeting & Prize Giving

Conduct an Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Prize Giving event, to be held at The Forest Inn, celebrating achievements and discussing future plans.

Competition Administration

The Golf Shop will oversee on the day competition administration, including:

- Entry management, fee collection, result tracking, and prize distribution.
- Allocation of entry fees: 80% towards prize funds and 20% allocated to support the Ladies Committee's activities.

This charter provides a structured framework for the Ladies Golf Committee at FFGC, fostering an inclusive, engaging, and enjoyable environment for lady members to pursue their passion for golf.