

## THE OXFORDSHIRE GOLF CAPTAINS



### MATCH SECRETARY'S REPORT FOR COMMITTEE MEETING AT HENLEY GOLF CLUB ON WEDNESDAY, 22<sup>nd</sup> JUNE, 2016

#### (1) 2016 CLUB CAPTAINS

Recruitment this year remains pretty abysmal; we have still only enrolled 9 of the twenty 2016 batch of club Captains into our ranks and there are still 8 at whom we should be looking; of these, there are two who have home matches against other Counties at their clubs, ie Studley Wood in July and the Wychwood in September.

#### (2) 2016 FIXTURES

We have been experiencing more people dropping out of matches this year, averaging four per match, than in the recent past, some are a trifle annoying inasmuch that they have known for ages, eg holidays, that they could not play but wait until they receive the match letter to let me know.

The match season is now almost at the half way point, having played 9 of our 20 games; thus far, we have WON 4, HALVED 1 and LOST 4 - not a bad start because we usually finish the year strongly!

#### (3) 2017 CALENDAR

I am still waiting on replies from a couple of my tardy recalcitrants and, frankly, for the time being at least I have surrendered and stopped chasing them to finalise their venues and dates.

#### (4) THE CORNWALL AND BELGIUM TOURS

Nothing to add here really, except to say that I shall have to be chasing up the final payments for Belgium in the coming couple of weeks.