



## **Breezes from the Lea November 2016**

### **November Social Calendar**

**Thurs. 3<sup>rd</sup>: Bingo Night**

**Fri. 4<sup>th</sup>: Music from Neil Gallagher**

**Fri. 11<sup>th</sup>: Music from Cut 'n Two**

**Sat. 12<sup>th</sup>: Gentleman's Evening & Annual Prize Giving (*Details below*)**

**Thurs. 17<sup>th</sup>: Bingo Night**

**Fri 18<sup>th</sup>: Music from Kelly Smiley**

**Fri. 25<sup>th</sup>: Music from Kelly Smiley**



**Please note that Prize Night this year will be held on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November 8-11 pm with music in the main bar by Impact. The evening starts at 7.00 pm and the dress code is smart/casual. Prizes will be presented at 8.00 pm when, in addition to the main prize winners, the Holt Shield will be presented to this year's champions. A Hot Supper will be available at a cost of £5 and Double Discount (30%) on bar cards will run all night!**

### **Ladies Section**

**The Summer Friendly League team came out on top for the 2nd year in a row and collected the Shield at a Dinner in Mahee Island Golf Club on 14 October 2016.**

**Ladies from left to right: Lady Captain Gladys Bond, Margaret Bailie, Hilary Gilmore, Helen O'Rorke, Jenny Cummins, Debbie Eadie, Margaret Clarke (Team Captain), Hilda Andrews, Gladys Price Henry, Jean Smith, Val Owens & Liz Burnside.**



**This year, instead of having a Fundraiser for the Lady Captain's Charity, the Ladies Section decided to raise some funds for the Club by running a Table Quiz. A total of £420 was raised which paid for a new, much needed computer for the Ladies Section. Lady Captain Gladys Bond presented the cheque to Club Captain Roy Beattie.**



### **Holes in One!**

**Well done to Gary Bingham and Brian Gibson on their holes in one on the ninth. To Stephen McCabe who tells us nobody loves him because his hole in one was not mentioned, we hope that this is now ok and you enjoyed your Pizza? Well done to Raymond Burton for a hole in one on the 15<sup>th</sup> in the Happy Mondays.**



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### **Nomads President's Day**

*Nomads President Stevie Duff took his troops to Portstewart this year for the Annual President's weekend when an excellent time was had by all 24 gentlemen who made the trip.*

*Major prize winners were Colin Trueman & Vice Captain Bernie Duffy*



*... while some others simply there for the craic ...*

### **The Fourballs**



### **A little bit of history ...**

*The name Carnalea takes its origin from the Celtic meaning "The Little Grey Mound or Rocks". In 1892 The Royal Belfast Golf Club leased 50 acres from Kerr estates for 21 years at £3.00 per acre to form a new 9 hole course at Carnalea. In 1926 Royal Belfast Golf club moved to a new home and Bangor Urban District Council purchased the course. In the following year, it was converted to an 18 hole course operating as a municipal course –the first in Ireland.*

*For the official opening on 7<sup>th</sup> May 1927, an exhibition match was held in front of several thousand spectators on a beautiful summer's day. Two famous professionals, Harry Vardon & Sandy Herd defeated two local pros, Pat Sawey (Carnalea) & John Hamill (Bangor) by 5 and 3.*



*First tee Harry Vardon, Pat Sawey and William Robinson*



*At opening of the new course*



*Harry Vardon driving at the first tee*