

## Captain's Report for 2022 AGM

All in all, 2022 was a very successful year in so many ways.

We were able to complete a full list of fixtures for the first time in three years after COVID curtailed activities in 2020 and 2021.

Our Membership has been reasonably constant, our finances are in good shape and we were very pleased to welcome Mapledurham Golf Club into our association

We won more inter county matches than we lost and I was delighted that we were able to retain the Four Counties Trophy.

For me, it was a particular pleasure to play Tadmarton Heath in its centenary year and I'm sure it will be in the same great condition next year when we welcome six counties for the Queen's Jubilee event

Roger's report has more details of our matches but I would like to thank everyone that participated in our matches and hope they enjoyed the games as much as I did. My particular thanks go to Tadmarton players who turned out in force for the latter half of the season and brought home a large number of wins.

The weather was a feature of many of our matches; From driving wind and rain during the Cornwall tour in May to the scorching heat and barren fairways on many courses during the Summer. It was certainly a year of contrasts.

Our internal events were well supported and I was delighted that so many players were able to join me at The Oxfordshire for my Captain's Day and at St.Pierre for my tour. Congratulations to everyone that won any of our events.

These events, tours and fixtures do not arrange themselves, and we all owe a huge debt of gratitude to our Officers and the rest of the Committee who make these happen, particularly: -

- Bill for his secretarial work and who, with Stuart,. organises our internal events
- Chris for looking after our finances
- Glyn for keeping us clothed

And especially

- Roger for all that he does in arranging and rearranging fixtures and teams

Thank you all for the honour of allowing me to be your 2022 Captain. Your support has been fantastic.

Finally, I would like to wish everyone a very Happy Christmas and I look forward to an excellent 2023 under Keith's leadership.



Rob Daniels

Captain of Captains 2022