

THE OXFORDSHIRE GOLF CAPTAINS



MATCH SECRETARY'S REPORT FOR COMMITTEE MEETING AT DRAYTON PARK GOLF CLUB ON TUESDAY, 11th OCTOBER, 2016

(1) 2016 FIXTURES

The Cornish tour was another huge success in terms of pleasant conviviality with our West Country friends, even if the results, three matches to love against us, were the worst we have ever managed. We did lose at home in 2001 but by one match to two.

This left the match season complete, having played all of our 20 games, in which have WON 7, HALVED 2 and LOST 11.

(2) 2017 CALENDAR

Peter Harris, the Cornish Secretary, has been replaced and I am therefore now hopeful of receiving next year's venues from them soon, having sent two reminders since their visit to us last month; these items are still all that remain adrift from next years' calendar.

(3) THE CORNWALL AND BELGIUM TOURS

The list for Cornwall 2017 is open to applicants; I already have more than 40 names on that list, so we need to hold a ballot this year, although it does tend to trim down once I go seeking deposits. However, please let me know soon if you wish to attend.

I'm still putting together the detail for our Dartmouth jaunt in September next year but it already looks quite good, after a little gentle negotiation and bartering, at around £330 a head for four nights' bed and breakfast with two dinners and 5 days' golf; this on the basis of two people sharing a twin room. Once I have a final acceptable figure I will make the initial deposit.