# Gloucestershire Golf Captains

## Committee Meeting 15th January 2026

## Chipping Sodbury GC

Minutes of meeting 15th January 2026

Present:
Sam Collins, Paul Drinkwater, Trevor Stewart, Shaun Pearce, Chris Wagstaff, Jim Ford, Dereck Buttler, invited Pete House.

1. 2026 President
It was decided the best course of action was to revert to the situation prior to Nick's unfortunate demise therefore the 2026 President will be myself (Dereck Buttler).

2. June 16th, 2026
This day was to be Nick's Presidents Day.
Peter House was invited to the meeting to give Brickhampton Court GC point of view as to what/if they wanted to utilise the day as a memorial to Nick. Their view was that they would hold a Memorial Day for Nick on a weekend day so as many Brickhampton members could participate.
The decision was made to swap the Presidents Day and the Scramble therefore the President's Day would be held at Forest Hills Golf Club on 24th June 2026and the GGC Scramble would be held at Brickhampton Court Golf Club on 16th June 2026. New forms to be sent out.

3 Letter from member.
A letter was received from a member re-dress code of members after tournaments and matches. This was discussed at length with the result being there would not be any change to the dress code. It was felt it is very unpleasant to be seated with people that have not showered or changed after playing golf.
The second part of the letter asked why the wasn't a scoreboard for players to view scores.
"It is difficult to join a club's electronic display system, also many clubs do not have a whiteboard, however we will endeavor to inform members of the scores throughout the tournament.

4. AOB
A question was raised re does a member have to have held a position of Captain prior to being asked to be President. There is nothing in our constitution preventing any member from taking the position. His nomination, by the committee, is reviewed at an AGM for endorsement in line with our rules.

The position of website manager to be included in the committee members.

Dereck Buttler
Hon Sec/Treasurer.