



Group Society Golf Days

AT

NORWOOD PARK GOLF COURSE





Norwood Park and its Golf Course

For some 800 years Norwood Park was owned by the Archbishop of York as part of the Manor of Southwell which was given to him in 956 by the Saxon King. In early mediaeval times a Deer Park was created in a tract of woodland pasture, notable for its fine specimen oak trees and fish ponds, by enclosing it within an earthwork that still exists.

Edward Cludd, the estate Manager at the time of the Civil war, used his friendship with Oliver Cromwell to acquire the Park. He built the first 'pretty little brick house'. Too small for John Sutton who later took over the lease of the Park it was replaced by the present handsome Georgian mansion in the 1760's. At the same time the Park was landscaped with the addition of the Temple, two more fish ponds and the Lime Avenue.

Since 1881 when Lewis Starkey moved his family from Yorkshire, Norwood has been home to five generations. John Ralph Starkey planted the first Bramley orchard in 1910 when MP for Newark. William and now John have kept the fruit growing tradition alive which also includes a substantial strawberry enterprise.

The late Georgian Stables and Coach House block, which were converted to fruit stores in the 1950's have recently been refurbished as a suite of Palladian Style reception rooms with splendid views over the cricket ground. The Stables Gallery seats 120 for Conferences or Dinners and is ideal for Wedding Receptions, Dances or special Events. Numbers can be increased to 250 by using the Courtyard and Marquee. Civil marriages may be held in the house and product launches and Corporate Activity days are a speciality.

The idea to incorporate and develop a superb golf course within the grounds was first explored in the late 1980's, but it took until 1999 to open the first nine holes. These are set within 100 acres which comprise part of the original Deer Park and the site of the original Bramley Apple orchard. The second nine holes, set in a further 75 acres on the western side of the estate, opened for play in June 2002. The American course designer, Clyde B Johnston of Hilton Head Island, South Carolina, has succeeded in creating a magnificent layout which blends sympathetically with the historic setting of the Park and highlights its natural features and views. The course and Practice Area appeal to the experienced and intermediate golfer who appreciate the well-shaped fairways, large undulating greens, challenging surroundings and panoramic views.

The course measures over 6800 yards from the back tees and all eighteen holes have their own particular characteristics. Particularly demanding are the four par fives where, with the greens being out of range in two shots for all but the most talented of golfers, pars are difficult to come by and birdies even more so. The numerous water features on the course lie in wait for the wayward shot and on the ninth, the back tee is only used for special occasions because of the challenging tee shot over the water hazard in front of the fairway. To maintain the natural beauty of the original Deer Park there are no bunkers on the four holes that lie within it but this in no way detracts from the challenge as the natural features and hazards have been used to full effect.

The Practice Area, opened in the summer of 1998, is a special feature of Norwood Park Golf Course. It incorporates a 350 yard plus driving area, practice putting, chipping and pitching greens and a large practice bunker. Playing off grass all year round, weather permitting, these facilities have proved a popular attraction for experienced golfers and beginners to practise both their long and short games.

With our academy course opening in April 2009, there is little doubt that, with its superb surroundings and challenging course, Norwood Park is rapidly becoming one of the top venues in the area.

Group / Society Packages

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Groups and Societies are very welcome at Norwood Park.

To take advantage of our special group/society rates, a minimum of 12 persons is required.

Tee-times are available any day of the week. At weekends the tee-off time will be no earlier than 12noon.

We operate a tee booking system at all times. To help ensure these times can be adhered to:

Four ball play **must** be stableford, better ball, greensome or foursome format.

Please note that society tees are normally yellow for gentlemen, red for ladies

Dress rules: Whilst we try to encourage a relaxed, happy atmosphere at Norwood Park and try to keep rules to a minimum, we give below, for your guidance, an indication of what is not allowed with regard to dress:

track suits; shell suits; beach shorts and similar; shirts without collars; trousers tucked in socks; hats worn back to front; unsuitable footwear.

To book this Society Day, please ring 01636 816626. A letter confirming your booking – subject to completion of a booking form and receipt of your deposit within 4 weeks, will be sent to you.

Longest drive/nearest the pin. We have markers which if you wish to use we can organise them being put out on the relevant holes.

241 Vouchers cannot be used as part payment for group bookings.

Buggies – We have 12 buggies for hire at a cost of only £10 Mon – Thurs and £16.00 Friday to Sunday each for 18 holes.

Book **5** in advance and as the organiser you will get the **6th** one **FREE**.

(Please note: If less than 12 people arrive on the day the deposit paid will not be refunded).



Group Society Packages for 2008-09

Please note the following: All prices are based on groups of 12 or more golfers. The 'Diamond' package is only available Monday – Friday. Prices quoted are per person.

Summer packages (1st April – 30th September)

Bronze

Coffee and bacon roll followed by 18 holes of golf

Weekday £21 weekend £29

Silver

Coffee and bacon roll, 18 holes and a light lunch

Weekday £26 weekend £34

Gold

Coffee and bacon roll, 18 holes and a 2 course meal

Weekday £29 weekend £37

Platinum

Coffee and bacon roll, 9 holes on the "West Wood" academy course, lunch, 18 holes on the "Norwood" main course and a 2 course meal to conclude

Weekday £39 weekend £47

Diamond

Coffee and bacon roll, 18 holes on the "Norwood" course, lunch, another 18 holes on the "Norwood" course and an evening 2 course meal

Weekday £46 weekend not available

Winter packages (1st October – 31st March)

Ice

18 holes followed by steak pie & chips

Weekday £15 weekend £25

Snow

Coffee and bacon roll, 18 holes and steak pie & chips

Weekday £18 weekend £28



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Group / Society Day

Booking Form

Today's Date: _____ Name of Society / Group: _____
(Please use block capitals)

Date of event: _____

Name of contact: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Telephone Work: _____ Mobile: _____

Email: _____

No. of players: _____ Additional requirements: _____

No. of buggies required: _____ Vegetarian meals: _____
(Please give number required)

Preferred Tee Times 1st Round _____

No. of Holes _____

2nd Round _____

No. of Holes _____

How did you hear about Norwood Park? _____

Please return completed form, enclosing deposit of £50 for week-day bookings and £100 for week-end bookings.

This form must be returned within 2 weeks to confirm your booking to Norwood Park Golf Club Ltd, Southwell, Nottinghamshire. NG25 0PF

Signed : _____ Date: _____

Should you have any queries contact Carolyn Cowley on (01636) 816626

For Administration purposes only:			
	Date:	Initials:	On System:
Replied and deposit paid:			
Confirmation form + letter sent:			
Confirmed 2 days prior to event:			
Food chosen + Nos.:	BC	LL	EM

Please Note: Deposits will not be refunded if cancellation of the event is made less than 28 days prior to the vent.

Society / Group Food Menu

Light Lunch

- § Soup and Sandwiches
- § Ploughman's Lunch
- § Cottage Pie and Vegetables
- § Deep Fried Fish, Chips and Peas
- § Lasagne
- § Ham, Egg and Chips
- § **Vegetarian** options available upon request

2 Course Dinner

- § **Homemade Steak and Mushroom or Chicken and Ham Pie**
(served with vegetables and potatoes)
- § **Supreme of Chicken Chasseur**
(breast of chicken pan fried and topped with a white wine, mushroom and tomato herb sauce)
- § **Choice of Roast Beef and Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Chicken or Pork Chop**
(served with seasonal vegetables, potatoes and gravy)
- § **Shepherds Pie**
(served with vegetables and potatoes)
- § **Coq au Vin**
(chicken marinated in red wine and garlic, slowly cooked in the oven and served with vegetables and potatoes)
- § **Vegetarian** options available upon request

Desserts (Season dependant)

- § Apple Pie and Custard
- § Fruit Crumble and Custard
- § Cherry Trifle
- § Fresh Fruit Salad
- § Black Forest Gateaux
- § Strawberries and Cream
- § Cheese and Biscuits