

A WORD FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear members,

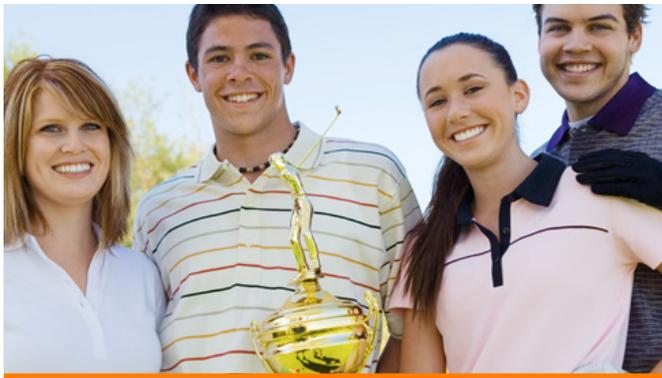
On 15 February André Mambourg stepped down as President of the EUGC and I was elected his successor at the General Assembly. My objective – and indeed the objective of the whole committee – is to provide our members with the best golfing experience possible: a rich and varied programme, including two weekend golf trips; management of competitions and handicaps; a friendly welcome to newcomers; to continue to improve our club (corporate) identity and internal communications; further improve the understanding that golf rules are there to help, not punish; and to cooperate actively with all Belgian golf federations. I hope you feel proud to be a member of the EUGC.

Christian Ehlers

President



EUGC AND YOU



WINTER CUP RESULTS

Here are the results of the [Wintercup](#). The prize giving for this competition will take place at the Château d'Ardenne asterix competition on June 24.

Category 1:

1. Christophe Besse 2. Filip Vercruyssen 3. André Mambourg

Category 2:

1. Nigel Scott 2. Joao Almeida Da Silva 3. Bojidar Kabaktchiev

Category 3:

1. Paul Bonnefoy 2. Claus Bergman 3. Thérèse Hellström

READY ? PLAY !

The R&A, which governs the sport of golf worldwide, has made several recommendations which were tried out at the end of the 2017 season.

Among them is "Ready Golf". The idea is simple: it is no longer obligatory for the player furthest back (or furthest away from the hole when on the green) to play first.

If, for whatever reason, your partner is not ready, then you should go ahead and play.

However, only do so if you are not in their line of play or on their putting line.

GOLF RULES & SLOW PLAY

As a member of the EUGC, you are an ambassador of your club and the game of golf. Find out more on the Royal and Ancient [modernisation of golf rules](#).

CLUB OUTFIT

For some competitions, wearing Club colours is recommended.

To purchase a polo shirt and pullover, please [send us an email](#) stating your size and we will arrange for you to try before you buy!

Bought together, these quality Glenmuir items cost just under €90.



CORA CHALLENGE IN WIMEREUX

Eight members of the EUGC played the 37th edition of the CORA Challenge in Wimereux on April 7-8 and finished in 13th place.

Sunny conditions for Friday's practice round and a lovely evening meal at the Hotel du Centre were perfect preparation for the actual tournament. 192 players, forming 24 teams, participated in the single Stableford competition on Saturday and the Foursomes on Sunday.

The majority of single handicap players were too strong to beat, but every player received a goodie-bag. Our team enjoyed and contributed to the traditionally friendly but competitive atmosphere. More pictures can be found on our website.

The rooms for the 2019 edition are reserved. We'll be back !

Pictures

THE NATIONAL

[THE NATIONAL](#) will host an EUGC competition on Friday May 18.

We have reached the minimum of 20 EUGC players to obtain a negotiated green fee rate (€ 70 instead of € 120).

There are still some places left. Do not miss this opportunity to play on Belgium's newest championship course.



COMING SOON: EUGC ONLINE SHOP

The Committee is currently working on an online platform for our members to buy and sell golf gear. The articles available in the online shop will need approval of the committee before publication.

We want to guarantee a good deal for a fair price. Via our webshop, you will also be able to order the Club Outfit and EUGC golf balls.

EUGC UPCOMING EVENTS

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP IN PIERPONT

The EUGC Club Championship will take place on Sunday 10 June. Strokeplay for Category 1 players (0-18.4). Single Stableford for the other categories.

GOLF WEEKEND DUNKIRK

In september 2018, our club will organise a golf weekend in [Dunkirk](#). The dates will be communicated in due course.