



# Addington Palace Golf Club

## Membership & Information Pack



Addington Palace Golf Club is a fine golf course and events venue within easy reach of London. The course is acknowledged as one of the finest in the area, both for its layout and year-round condition.

We pride ourselves on the welcoming atmosphere at Addington Palace Golf Club - we are a warm and friendly Club.

The following information will give you an overview of the benefits of membership at Addington Palace Golf Club.



## The Course

The golf course, 6,406 yards off the back tees, Par 71 course, is recognised as one of the best in Surrey. Tree-lined fairways, a variety of challenging holes and stunning views across London make for a memorable golfing experience.

The course was designed and built by J.H. Taylor in 1930. The front nine holes are laid out in a more traditional parkland setting that has the Grade 1 listed Addington Palace as a stunning backdrop. The back nine holes are fringed by mature trees and follow a course through woodland. The course is free draining and does not need temporary greens or tees, even in the wettest months.

The club has over 60 category one golfers, i.e. handicap 5 or better, many of whom have developed through our academy and junior sections. Others have joined in order to be members of a thriving club with a true test of golf for players of all abilities.



# Benefits of Joining Addington Palace Golf Club

## Golf

- A range of Membership options to suit different lifestyles.
- Reduced subscriptions for those under 34 years of age.
- Practice Areas – chipping green, short-game area, and warm-up nets.
- Thriving sections for Men, Ladies, Seniors, Junior's, and plenty of opportunities for mixed golf.
- Daily roll-ups allowing new members to quickly find friends and playing companions.
- Reciprocal arrangements allowing weekday play locally at certain other golf clubs – please enquire in the office for details.
- Opportunities to obtain a official handicap if you don't have one.
- Discounted rates for members' guests and members' buggy hire.

## Competition Golf

- You must have an official WHS handicap.
- Medal and stableford competitions are held every month throughout the year, both at the weekend and mid-week.
- Full competition calendar that runs throughout the year, both qualifying and non-qualifying and several "fun" events.
- Inter Club matches, knockouts and a programme of singles, foursomes and fourball competitions in all categories.

## Tuition and Advice

- PGA Professional providing first class tuition and advice.
- Academy scheme for beginners or those coming back to the game
- Well stocked Pro shop with a brand new state of the art golf simulator.

## Members Club

- We are a private members club and members are our priority, both on and off the course.
- We are run by the members for the members, and you have a say in how your club is managed.

## Clubhouse and Social

- Member bar card entitling you to discount on food and drinks (10% off).
- Active social calendar including Sunday Lunches, Quiz Nights, live music events and more.
- Reduced function room hire for members.
- Two full size snooker tables and a pool table.
- Substantial on-site parking facilities
- Served by tram and bus links direct from East Croydon station, travelling time from Victoria Station is only 16 minutes. If you live in London, you don't need a car, but you can still play golf at a quality course and be home quicker than those who live within 2 miles.



## 200 Club

The object of the 200 Club is to raise funds to meet extraordinary expenditure of a capital and maintenance nature to improve the Golf Course. All playing and social Members of the Golf Club who are aged 18 and over are eligible to be a member of the 200 club. There are monthly prize draws you'd be entered into, as well as two bigger draws in May and November. Over the years, the 200 club has donated over £210,000 to-date to fund course projects and currently has over 200 enrolled members!

**PLEASE NOTE: New members will be automatically enrolled into the 200 club unless you let us know you do not want to be involved. The option to OPT-OUT is on the application form.**

- There are two times a year where 200 club charges take place and that is May and November. May is a half year charge of £45 and November is the annual subscription renewal charge of £90.
- **If you join the club between December and May, then £45 will be taken from your bar card with the May payments unless you specify you wish to withdraw.**
- **If you join the club between June and November, then £90 will be taken from your bar card with the November payments unless you specify you wish to withdraw.**

If you would like to learn more about the 200 club, please contact:  
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## Rules

### Dress Code



#### **On the course**

- Normal golfing clothing is ok
- No trainers
- No jeans
- No football type shorts
- No cargo shorts
- No round or V neck T-shirts

#### **In the clubhouse**

- No wet or muddy golf clothing
- No golf shoes in the lounge or dining areas
- No cargo shorts
- No flip flops
- No caps indoors

Our staff will not hesitate to pull you up on any incorrect clothing being worn so please do stick to the rules.

## Smoking

Please only smoke/vape in the designated areas.

## Pace of Play

Keep up with the group in front, not just in front of the group behind.

## Golf Course Etiquette

- Replace divots and repair pitch marks.
- Keep noise levels down if in big groups so not to disturb other golfers
- Be mindful when using a buggy due to the golfers around you.

## Bag Tag

All members are issued with a bag tag which indicates their category of membership. You must always display your bag tag whilst on the course. New members will be provided one upon joining and can be collected from the office or from the bar.

## Bar/Club Card

All members are issued with a club card, also referred to as the bar card. This along with the bag tag will be provided upon joining and we ask if you can make sure you look after this so that your card number stays unique to you and is used for your personal use only.

This card will be topped up £120 upon joining (unless otherwise stated by the office depending on your membership category) and is included on your invoice on each renewal of your membership.

As your card is used for food and drink, competition entries, club events and more, this needs to remain topped up and we ask to ensure this doesn't fall into a deficit, that you set up the Auto Top-Up function so that you don't have to worry about topping up with the bar staff. The auto top-up can be activated through the HowDidiDo App.

## HowDidiDo App

The HowDidiDo App can be downloaded from your phone's app store.



We use Club V1/Club Systems at the golf club and downloading this app will allow you to view your member profile and much more. You will be able to do things such as: pay any bills/invoices for your membership, top up your bar card, book tee times, view the club diary, see any important course updates and club news and see latest results (to name but a few).

Once you have downloaded the app, you will need to set up an account with HowDidiDo if you don't have one already, and this will be prompted within the app. You need to use your email address that you provide on the application form, pick a password, and follow the steps to select and link Addington Palace Golf Club as your club and this then should sync with your profile that we would've set up for you upon joining.

Please speak with an office staff member for more information on the app.

## Visitors & Members Guests

- No visitors before 2pm on Saturdays, or before 12pm on Sundays.
- No members guests before 1pm on Saturdays, or before 12pm on Sundays.

Members can bring guests to play a round with them at the guest green fee rate. The guest green fee rate is £40 Monday-Thursday, or £50 Friday- Sunday.

If it is noticed that a booking has been made not adhering to the rules, you will be contacted, and the booking cancelled.

## Golf

### Handicap

If you do not have an existing handicap, you will need to submit three valid cards for assessment. Your card must be marked by a member and submitted to the Office after your round, or via the score card box in the 19<sup>th</sup> bar. Please clearly indicate that the cards are for “handicap purposes”. The three cards should be submitted within a three-month period.

If you wish to transfer your handicap from another club, or are nominating APGC as your home club, please let the office have your CDH number on the application form.

Any queries regarding handicaps can be directed to our Golf Operations Manager Ian Slater ([golf@addingtonpalacegolf.co.uk](mailto:golf@addingtonpalacegolf.co.uk) or 0208 654 3061 option 3).

### Open Tees

It's a period at the weekend first thing in the morning where booking tee times is not required.

We can introduce you to groups who use the open tee slots, or you are welcome to turn up in your own group and use these slots.

## General Play

The course is open for general play at 8:00am each weekday and at 7:15am at the weekend in the summer, but 7:42am in the winter. We do operate an online booking system for tee times. There may be occasions where the tee is booked for a match or visiting society, please check the club diary which is accessed via the HowDidiDo App.

Play must start from the 1st tee only unless you have booked for 9 holes starting at the 10<sup>th</sup> tee.

## Roll-Ups

A number of roll-ups take place throughout the week and at the weekend where you can just turn up and play. You're free to join one or more!

Mid-Week Swindle	Monday, Wednesday, Friday. Meet in the 19 <sup>th</sup> from 10:15am, draw at 10:45am, start at 11.00am
The TNT's	Tuesday and Thursday meet in the lounge bar from 9.45am, start at 10.15am
Knobbly Knees	Thursday (April to October) A 9-hole competition, teeing off from 4:00pm, followed by food, a quiz (optional) and beer
Ladies Section	Tuesday and Thursday Roll up and play from 9:00am
Veteran's Section (>55)	Monday and Friday Roll up and play from 8:00am
Weekend Swindle	Saturday Meet in the 19 <sup>th</sup> from 10:00am, draw at 10:30am



# Addington Palace Golf Club Golf Academy

Learn to play golf at Addington Palace Golf Club.

Academy membership provides you with the chance to learn how to play the game and get to know some of the members at the club which will hopefully become your playing home. It's great for complete beginners, or if you're getting back into it after a long time.

It is the stepping stone to full membership and there are three stages of the Academy which you can progress through.

Academy membership is open to men and women and runs all year round.

## **Cost of Academy membership – starting at £655.00 per annum**

The following are included in Academy membership:

- Our Pro will assess your current clubs or recommend what you need.
- 15 x 30 minute lessons with our PGA Professional
- Unlimited use of all practice facilities (putting green, chipping area, nets and range area by 11<sup>th</sup> fairway)
- Play the course off our special Blue tees designed for our Academy Members\*
- Use of clubhouse locker rooms (lockers available for additional cost).
- Bar card giving you 10% discount on food and drinks.
- Use of snooker room with 2 full size tables and a pool table
- Discounted buggy rates
- Access to member social events
- Reduced venue hire
- Free WIFI
- Updates and newsletters – by email and check out our Website and HowDidiDo App
- WHS Handicap as you progress.
- An introduction to a member to show you the ropes



Once you leave the Academy and progress to a full membership with us, there is no joining fee applicable.

\*Your golf will be assessed and the Pro will let you know when you can go on to the course to play (either with another member or on your own), however there are time restrictions (after 1pm weekdays, weekends after 3pm in summer and 2pm in winter).

**IF THE ACADEMY IS OF INTEREST TO YOU, PLEASE REQUEST AN ACADEMY BOOKLET THAT WE CAN SEND THROUGH.**



## Frequently Asked Questions

**Q. I'm thinking of joining and would like to play the course first. Is that possible?**

A. Yes of course. You can play with a current member as their guest, however if you do not know a member you are welcome to pay a green fee (which will be discounted to the normal fee) and can be booked with a member of the office. If you go on to join the Club within one month of your round, the cost of the green fee will be taken off your joining fee.

**Q. I am new to the area and don't know anyone to play with, can you introduce me to members?**

A. Our 'turn up and play' policy virtually guarantees that there will be other groups to join. During the week and at weekends there are many informal 'roll-ups' – at least one each day. You will soon get to know people, but ultimately yes, our members are friendly and welcoming, and we can introduce you to members if you'd like.

**Q. Do I need a registered handicap to join?**

A. No. Applicants without a handicap are equally welcome and the Club Professional and/or Golf Operations Manager will guide you through the process to obtain a handicap when you join.

**Q. How soon can I become a member?**

A. Depending on whether we have a waiting list or not for your required membership category, we can sign you up right away. Once we have received your completed application form, we can get you set up on the system and provide your subscription invoice. As soon as payment has been received you may start playing and pick up your bag tag & club card. Memberships are started on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month and that can be in any month.

**Q. Do I have to book a tee time?**

A. Yes. You will need to download our members app to book tee times, or you can go through the Pro Shop.

**Q. Can I bring dogs on the course?**

A. Unfortunately not. Addington Palace Golf Club has a no dogs policy.

**Q. Can I get a locker and/or trolley storage space?**

A. The club does have lockers and trolley storage spaces for hire, however this is always subject to availability so please make sure to enquire with the office to see whether one or both can be allocated. These both come with an annual fee.



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### **Q. Can I pay in instalments?**

A. We do encourage payments to be made in full and there a couple of benefits for paying in full and on time, however if more financially viable, yes, we offer the ability to split the cost into quarterly instalments (playing members only), but the first instalment would need to cover the first quarter of the subscription as well as all additional fees.

When opting to pay in instalments, we advise you to set up a standing order with your bank, so payments are made on time and not forgotten. Full details of all our payment options and the payment breakdown will be sent with your subscription invoice if requested. Be aware that late instalment payments made can result in suspensions to accounts so to avoid disruption to your golf, these need to be made on time.

### **Q. Does the club have any reciprocal agreements with other clubs?**

A. Yes, we have several reciprocal agreements in place. Some are available to book all year round, others are seasonal, some are free or are charged at the members guest rate. Please enquire with the office for a list of the clubs involved.

### **Q. What happens if I need to leave the club part way through my membership?**

A. When you enter into membership with us at Addington Palace Golf Club, it is for a full year's membership. This is a financial commitment, so if you are aware your circumstances are due to change within your year, then you need to speak to the office for advice on how to proceed. We understand that circumstances can change and differ for each individual, however we do expect a year's commitment to the club when you join/renew.



Addington Palace Golf Club is affiliated to the Surrey County Golf Union and England Golf, and you will also be able to access benefits such as discounted green fee rates at courses across the country when you present your Surrey County Card.



## SUBSCRIPTION RATES 2025-26

CATEGORY	CRITERIA	FEE	VAT	AVAILABLE?
FULL	FULL	**£2,150		✓
FULL	AGED 31-33	*£1,935		✓
FULL	AGED 28-30	*£1,620		✓
FULL	AGED 25-27	*£1,400		✓
FULL	AGED 22-24	*£1,185		✓
FULL	AGED 19-21	*£970		✓
5 DAY MEMBERSHIP	MONDAY - FRIDAY	**£1,800		✓
JUNIOR	AGED 16-18	£350		WAITING LIST
JUNIOR	AGED 13-15	£305		WAITING LIST
JUNIOR	AGED 10-12	£185		WAITING LIST
JUNIOR	AGED 7-9	£65		WAITING LIST
COUNTRY – ZONE 1	Postcode 30 miles away from CR0 5BB	**£1,290		✓
COUNTRY – ZONE 2	Postcode 50 miles away from CR0 5BB	**£1,075		✓
OVERSEAS	<b>ENQUIRE WITH OFFICE at</b> <a href="mailto:info@addingtonpalacegolf.co.uk">info@addingtonpalacegolf.co.uk</a>			✓
ACADEMY ADULT		£655		WAITING LIST
SOCIAL		£118p.a	✓	✓
LOCKER RENTAL – LARGE	MEN & LADIES	£60.00		Enquire with the office
LOCKER RENTAL - SMALL	LADIES & JUNIORS	£30.00		✓
SINGLE SEATER BUGGY SPACE RENTAL		£190.00		WAITING LIST
TROLLEY SHED SPACE RENTAL		£50.00		WAITING LIST
AFFILIATION FEE	MEN, LADIES & JUNIORS	£22.00		N/A
*+ JOINING FEE	Intermediate (ages 19-33 categories)	£825		N/A
**+ JOINING FEE		£1,000		N/A
CLUB/BAR CARD ADVANCE	<b>THIS WILL BE ADDED TO YOUR INVOICE AUTOMATICALLY</b>	£120.00		N/A

- For Country Memberships, the distanced measured is using Google Maps shortest route.
- Proof of address is required for both Country & Overseas e.g. utility bill dated withing the last 3 months.

# Useful Contact Information

Club/General Manager – Andy Lendon  
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# Telephone Numbers

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Pro Shop – Option 1  
Membership & Events – Option 2  
Golf Operations & Societies – Option 3  
Club Manager – Option 4  
Bar – Option 5  
Accounts – Option 6

# Social Media



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Facebook - addingtonpalacegolfclub



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