

BENTLEY GOLF CLUB

Membership Information Pack



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Bentley Golf Club has been established since 1972 and is set in attractive undulating Essex parkland.

The course measures 6,703 yards (par 72) comprising of four par 3s, ten par 4s and four par 5s.

The course was designed by Alec Swan of Golf Landscapes and is arranged in two loops of 9 holes starting and finishing at the Clubhouse.

The course is laid out over an undulating terrain that has a wealth of mature, mixed species trees and has many water features that make a fine setting and a great test of golf for all handicaps.

The Club has in recent years hosted the Essex County Championships, the Leslie Wood final, the Essex Ladies County Championships and the Essex Foursomes. This is indicative of the course quality and reflective of the nature of the golfing challenge that is Bentley Golf Club.

The course offers a good challenge for the more accomplished golfer but is nevertheless a very enjoyable layout for the less experienced player. This is an easy walking course that encourages golfers to think about their next shot and is therefore an excellent test for all golfers.



quality of the course and its surroundings is both maintained and enhanced.

Clubhouse facilities include a fully licensed bar with a separate spike bar and lounge / dining room. Golf facilities include putting green, 200 yards practice field, men's and ladies' changing rooms, and an on-site Pro-Shop (with buggy and trolley hire available). We have car parking for approximately 130 vehicles. We have a resident professional who can provide tuition for golfers of all handicap levels.

The Clubhouse is available for members to use for social functions (by prior arrangement) and an extensive range of Club social functions are arranged

COMPETITION										Please indicate which tee used	
DATE	START TIME			FINISH TIME			Handicap	Strokes Rec'd	PAR	72	
Player A									SSS <th>72</th>	72	
Player B									SSS <th>70</th>	70	
									PAR <th>74</th>	74	
									SSS <th>74</th>	74	
Marker's Score	Hole	Comp. Tees	Par	Normal Tee	Stroke Index	Score		Net Score	Points	Red Tee	Par
	1	389	4	375	10	A	B			365	4
	2	206	3	179	6					168	3
	3	490	5	483	16					401	5
	4	427	4	419	4					353	4
	5	493	5	483	14					469	5
	6	451	4	432	2					413	5
	7	336	4	320	8					305	4
	8	153	3	151	18					144	3
	9	531	5	528	12					487	5
OUT	3476	37	3370							3105	38
10	488	5	477	11						424	5
11	419	4	410	1						389	5
12	167	3	140	15						116	3
13	383	4	365	5						302	4
14	363	4	328	13						312	4
15	374	4	363	7						350	4
16	392	4	384	3						339	4
17	198	3	166	17						150	3
18	443	4	437	9						360	4
IN	3227	35	3070							2742	36
OUT	3476	37	3370							3105	38
TOTAL	6703	72	6440							5847	74
STABLEFORD POINTS OR PAR RESULT										HANDICAP	
Copyright Eagle Promotions Ltd 01853 344244										NETT	
Markers Signature										Holes won	
Players Signature										Holes lost	
										Result	

Hole 16 is our signature hole. After negotiating an acute dog leg to the right, the golfer has two options for their second shot: either, a long carry across the lake that fully protects the green or a lay up and then rely on an accurate pitch and putt to achieve par.

The course benefits from very good fairway drainage and the ongoing course improvement programme that exists ensures that the

throughout the year. Thanks to Dawn and her team, catering at the Club is of an excellent standard throughout the week and at weekends. Sunday lunches are always very popular.



Bentley Golf Club became the first new Members' Golf Club in Essex in the last 20 years in April 2004. That is a testament to the rarity of the occurrence and the enormity of the members' achievement. This is a club where the members drive the developments in the clubhouse and on the course through the various Committees.

Other than for drawn competitions, the Club works on a "no need for tee time bookings" basis for members.

The Club is able to offer comprehensive membership options, which, in addition to normal subscription membership can also include shareholder memberships, which become available when an existing shareholder seeks to sell their shares. There are active Veterans, Ladies and Junior sections and Bentley Golf Club participates in various County team cup competitions.



Bentley Golf Club Office

The Office is available for Society bookings and all general enquiries during the hours of 9am to 5pm Monday to Friday.

Telephone: 01277 373179

Website: www.bentleygolfclub.com

E-mail: secretary@bentleygolfclub.com (Mark Gallop, Managing Secretary)

Society Golf

We offer a range of packages from 18, 27 through to 36 holes of golf. Vegetarian and other dietary requirements will be catered for provided advance notification is received. A separate Society package is available upon application.

Membership

Bentley Golf Club is committed to promoting the playing of the game of golf by amateurs in Brentwood and the surrounding area and the participation of the whole community in the sport of golf.

Bentley offers a wide range of memberships including 5 and 7-day membership, junior, country and social membership.

There is a large competition golfing calendar, including monthly medals and many annual events taking place beside inter-club competitions to suit all abilities.

An extensive range of social events is also arranged here at Bentley.

Applications for membership can be made through the office.

Membership of the Club shall be open to anyone interested in the sport on application regardless of ethnicity, nationality, sexual orientation, religious or other beliefs, or of age, sex or disability, except as a necessary consequence of the requirements of golf as a particular sport. Membership may be limited to the available facilities, though where this is necessary; it will be applied on a non-discriminatory basis.

The Club may refuse membership only for good and sufficient cause, such as conduct or character likely to bring the Club or sport into disrepute. Appeal against such a decision may be made to the Club's Management Committee.

Shareholder Membership

The members successfully purchased the Club in April 2004 and the Share Prospectus remained open until 30th April 2006. The number of shareholders is therefore fixed at the current level of 365. If existing subscription members or new members wish to become shareholders, the only way to do so now is to purchase shares from an existing shareholder who is looking to sell. A register of potential interested parties' contact details is maintained at the Club Office. If anyone is interested in becoming a shareholder member, they should ask to see the original Prospectus and additional explanatory papers that have been produced.

By way of brief background, significant reductions to the annual subscriptions are available for shareholders. To qualify for such reductions, the shareholder has either to hold a block of 7200 £1 shares (7 day) or £5500 £1 shares (5 day) the shares are freely transferable.

If you have any queries on share membership, please feel free to call the office, or call Chris Bassett / David Scott, who are both Directors of Bentley Golf Holdings plc. They will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

Chris Bassett: 01277 232757

Coaching

The opening hours of the Bentley Golf Club Pro Shop are:

8am – 6.30pm Monday to Friday

7.30am – 6.00pm Saturday and Sunday

Telephone 01277 373179 EXT. 206

Application Process

Please complete the application form and return to Mark Gallop (Managing Secretary) who will arrange a time to meet and get you started as soon as we can.





Dress Code

Bentley Golf Club expects its members, their guests and visitors to dress in line with a modern day Members Golf Club. It is in all our interests to maintain reasonable standards of casual but smart dress in keeping with golfing traditions

In the Clubhouse

Clean Soft Spiked Golf Shoes may be worn in the Spikes Bar but please change shoes if using the lounge. No metal spiked shoes in the clubhouse

Dirty, faded or torn clothing, trainers and flip flops are not appropriate.

Please do not wear any wet or soiled clothing.

Football/rugby style shirts, tops with hoods, beach shorts, football shorts. $\frac{3}{4}$ length trousers or cargo shorts/trousers are not permissible.

On the Course

Recognised Golfing attire must be worn on the Golf Course

SHIRTS – At all times tucked into waistband of trousers or shorts
Ladies tops may be worn outside of trousers, skirts or shorts

SHORTS - always tailored and respectable length but not below the knee or three-quarter length

SOCKS - Must be worn with Golf Shoes and preferably white

Thank you for your co-operation

Mark Gallop
Managing Secretary

Please help us avoid the embarrassment of having to bring unacceptable dress to your attention

Benefits of Membership at Bentley Golf Club

- We are a Members Club which means that the club is run for the benefit of the Members, any profit the club makes is invested back into the club to improve the quality of your club.
- Regular Capital Investment for Course improvements. In the last couple of years, we have increased the length of paths by 500 metres and tarmacked 1000 meters, installed new drainage on fairways and redone the 12th green, all helping to protect the course and enable better playing conditions in the winter months. Last winter we refurbished and increased the size of the 18th tee.
- We don't use temporary Greens yet have some of the best greens in the region throughout the season, regular positive feedback from Visitors as well as the members themselves supports this.
- No tee booking system enables members to turn up and play, Society booking are communicated to members weekly to help them plan their golf. Saturday is for members only and Sundays until 1pm.
- We have two loops of 9 that enables different starting holes and with the 5th and 12th close to the clubhouse it is ideal for playing just a few holes especially after work in the summer.
- Regular Competitions throughout the year with opportunities to meet and play with new people. Some Serious – Some Fun – Some Serious Fun!
- All Members can trial for various Team Competitions, against other clubs, dependant on handicap. All members are able to get a club handicap.
- Summer Social golf on a Thursday evening for all Members 'Quids-In' is a fun 9-hole competition starting from 4.00pm.
- Practice field with balls available to hire from the Pro shop, Practice Driving Net and Large Putting Green.
- Fully stocked, recently refurbished, Pro Shop and Full Time Professional to help with all your golfing needs, from coaching and re-gripping your clubs to helping purchase your next set of clubs.
- 'SARG' – Sunday Afternoon Reciprocal Golf. During summer times, from 2pm, Full members can play at Upminster and Romford Golf Clubs for free!
- The refurbished and extended Clubhouse is open daily from 8.30am for home cooked food with daily specials as well as the usual golfers' favourites. A well-stocked bar is ready for you before and after your round. Members get 10% off food and drink.



BENTLEY GOLF CLUB APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Affix Photo Here

Full Name of Applicant:

Address:

Post Code:

Home Telephone:

Mobile Phone:

Class of Membership
Tick As appropriate
Subscription

7 day

6 day
(Sunday-Friday)

5-day
(Monday-Friday)

Junior/Intermediate
Up to 25 years

E Mail:

Date of Birth:

Occupation: (Optional)

Official Handicap Index
(If applicable)

CDH Number.....

PREVIOUS CLUB DETAILS

CLUB NAME	FROM	TO	REASON FOR LEAVING

NAME OF PROPOSER (If applicable – Not required)	ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER

I would like to become a member of the Bentley Golf Club Limited and I agree that if accepted I shall abide by the rules and regulations of the Club at all times.

I also agree to observe all the Rules and etiquette of the game of golf as laid down by the Royal & Ancient Golf Club.

PTO

We use the above information provided on your membership application form to allow us to fulfil our contractual obligations in processing your application and to administer your membership in accordance with our club's articles / rules / constitution and current Data Protection laws.

We only share this information with our external and internal Data Processors who adhere to our privacy policy.

We would also like to be able to correspond with you regarding our club activities including events and competitions by way of post, telephone, email or SMS.

'I am happy for you to communicate with me regarding additional club activities via the following means' Please tick the relevant boxes

Post ☐ Email ☐ Telephone ☐ Mobile ☐

The Club may wish to publish a membership directory or handbook. This would include member's name, email addresses, phone/ mobile number and will be available to all members, in either electronic or paper versions.

If you consent to your data being shared in this way, please tick here.

Please be aware that if you later decide to withdraw consent to your contact details being published it will not be possible to remove your contact details from printed material until such time as the next edition of the directory is printed.

We may also wish to share your information with the club professional so that they may send you information about their products and services by email.

If you agree to your information being shared with Nick Garrett please tick the box. ☐

You have the right to 'opt out' of the additional communications at any time by contacting us at secretary@bentleygolfclub.com or write to the secretary (Data Controller) at Bentley Golf Club, Ongar Rd, Brentwood, Essex, Cm15 9SS

Once a member you can update your preferences at any time by using our membership portal at bentleygolfclub.com

We want to make sure that your personal information is accurate and up to date. You may ask us to correct or erase information that you think is inaccurate.

Should I not obtain Membership then my details will be deleted.

A copy of our Privacy Policy, for your information, will be attached to your welcome letter.

'I confirm I am over the age of 18 and have read, understood and agree with the way my data will be used by the ... Golf Club' - If under the age of 18 a parent or guardian must sign this form on your behalf

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Signature: (Member / Guardian) Delete as appropriate

Date: