

# STANDARD ATHLETIC CLUB

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## Golf Section



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Dear Golfers,

Those of you who are members of Villarceaux will have already received the subscription call for 2018 from Jacques. After no change last year, Villarceaux has increased their subscriptions by just  $30 \in$ , which I find to be very reasonable. Should you decide not to renew your membership, which I sincerely hope will not be the case, I would be grateful if you would let me know as this has a direct knock-on effect on our overall package.

The subscription request from Villarceaux also signals the fact that it is now time to pay your modest subscription fee to the Golf Section. This is  $50 \in$  for Villarceaux members and 25 euros for Section "only" members. The more eagle-eyed of you will have spotted an increase  $5 \in$ , the first since 2011, is to help face the increased running costs of the Section and to support our investment in trying to attract new members to the Section and Villarceaux alike in 2018.

Please either give me a cheque directly or send it to my home address (1 rue Chateaubriand, 92500 Rueil Malmaison). Cheques should be made out to the Standard Athletic Club - Golf Section. If by any chance, you have changed your contact details, especially e-mail or telephone numbers, please be kind enough to mention this when sending payment.

I would like to take advantage of this mailing to bring a few dates and events to your attention.

#### Spring Weekend: 20th-22nd April, 2018 at Omaha Beach

We need to confirm numbers to the hotel very soon now so if you haven't let Frédéric know yet that you would like to come, please drop him a mail quickly (<u>frederic.thiriet44@gmail.com</u>) The cost per golfer is 436€ for 3 rounds of golf, two lunches and two dinners. The single room supplement is an additional 55€ per night. If you haven't yet paid your deposit, please arrange to do so.

### Autumn Weekend: 21st-23rd September, 2018 at l'Ailette

Claude is very kindly organizing this return outing to this challenging course. The cost per golfer for 3 rounds of golf and 2 dinners but excluding lunches is estimated at 370€. The single room supplement is an additional 50€ per night. I realise this event is a long way off but unfortunately both the hotel and course are asking for a firm commitment from us by the end of January. Claude will do his best to postpone the deadline but, in the meantime, would be grateful if you could indicate your interest (joc|jacques@yahoo.fr).



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#### Other Dates for your Diaries

You may like to already note the following dates for your diaries:

•	Spring Cup	Saturday, May 26 <sup>th</sup>
•	Autumn Vase	Saturday October 13 <sup>th</sup>
•	Centenary Cup	Saturday, September 1st
•	RBL Poppy Cup	Wednesday, November 7 <sup>th</sup>

#### Trip to Ireland

I know that several of you would still be interested in participating in an organized outing to Ireland. Frédéric is diligently investigating various options and we hope to be able to bring more news early in the New Year.

Needless to say, I look forward to receiving your cheques 25€ or 50€ per person for your Golf Section membership and Golf Section + Villarceaux membership respectively.

I wish you and your loved ones a very happy festive season and a healthy, prosperous and above all, peaceful New Year.

Sue

Chairman, Golf Section