



Celebrating our 75th Anniversary
1945 - 2020

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Individual Success

Balbriggan Golf Club does not boast of many individuals playing to national or international standard. But, in Robbie Cannon we have one who has achieved this high level. It is always a proud day for us to see Robbie's name up in lights.



2009 South of Ireland



2013 Irish Amateur Open



2018 Irish Amateur Close



The winning putt in 2013



Robbie playing in the Irish Open in 2014

In an impressive amateur golfing career Robbie has represented Ireland in the Home Internationals in 2009 and 2018 and has represented Leinster on seven occasions between 2001 and 2018. Robbie won the South of Ireland Championships in 2009, the Irish Amateur Open Championships in 2013 and the Irish Amateur Close Championships in 2018. In 2014 he received an invitation to play in the Irish Open at Fota Island.



Dearbhla Behan PGA

Dearbhla Behan, joined BGC in 2002 and came up through our Juvenile ranks. She is currently the resident professional in Rush Golf Club. A wonderful achievement considering there are only 4 female club professionals in Ireland. In 2004 Dearbhla won the Captain's and the President's Prize to Juveniles and was the 2004 Juvenile Golfer of the Year. In 2005 she won the North Leinster U-21 Championship at Laytown and in 2007 & 2008 she won the Philomena Garvey Trophy in Baltray. Dearbhla has 4 caps for Leinster.

As Balbriggan Golf Club celebrates its 75th Anniversary it is good to see that Robbie Cannon & Dearbhla Behan are following in the footsteps of Mark Gannon and Oonagh Purfield who were very successful in previous years.

Niall Turner won the Irish U-17 Boys Championships in Strandhill in 2002. He represented Ireland at all age levels and has also represented the UK & Ireland team in the U-18 Jaques Leglise Trophy. When studying in the USA, at The University of Minnesota, he won the 2006 Gopher Invitational and was a two time All-American - the highest accolade a collegiate athlete can achieve. In the 2006 Irish Amateur Championship he lost in the final to Shane Lowry. After turning professional in 2008, Niall has played on the Asian and European Tours. Career highlights in Asia include winning the 2014 Jakarta Classic and has had seven top 5 finishes in major Asian Tour events. Niall joined Balbriggan Golf Club in 2018.



Niall Turner PGA

Three Major Cup Wins in 2005

In 2005 Balbriggan Golf Club achieved great individual success. Dearbhla Behan won the North Leinster U-21 Championship at Laytown & Bettystown. Cathal Hurley won the Junior Scratch Cup at Woodbrook and Dave Brabazon won the Junior Scratch Cup at Hollywood Lakes.



(L-R): Cathal Hurley, Lady Captain Sandra Downes, Dearbhla Behan, Captain Brian Flynn and Dave Brabazon



Kitty Guinan, Mary Ryan, Mary Rowley & Ann Griffin (2010)



Mary Kavanagh, Maura Faughnan & Bernie Lewis (2010)



Anne McEvoy, Anna Hannon, Sandy Forsyth & Sandra Downes (2010)



Ann Darcy, Pauline Fraher, Mary McCarthy, Claire Kenny & Ann Joyce (2011)

The Lady Captain's Away Day