



## Easthampstead Golf Club Junior/Colt Membership Form

We are the Junior Section of the Easthampstead Golf Club, which plays on the Downshire public golf course. We have regular Junior evenings on Wednesday and Thursday nights and run regular competitions where you can qualify for a handicap or improve the handicap you already have.

As part of the Junior Section you will be able to get an official handicap which is registered with the English Golf Union. From time to time we organise coaching for members of the Junior Section with the course professionals. We also try and play in some external competitions to give you a chance to play against players from other clubs.

The Junior section meets every Wednesday and Thursday evening, summer and winter, from 6:30 onwards finishing at about 8:00. The activities during the sessions depend very much on the weather and light but tend to be on the pitch-and-putt in summer and on the driving-range in winter. We also have a putting competition either in the clubhouse or on the putting green. Evening sessions cost £3 and prospective new members are welcome to attend to see if they would like to join. The Downshire Professionals are available at roughly half of the evening sessions and their tuition at sessions is covered by the £3 session charge.

The Junior section contains both Junior Members and Colts. A 'Colt' is a Junior who having reached his 16<sup>th</sup> birthday has a playing handicap of 24 or less. The joining fee for a Colt is the same as for a Junior and they have more opportunities to play in Adult competitions. If you are not sure which group you fit into please see one of the Junior organisers on a Wednesday or Thursday evening.

The competitions we run are restricted to Juniors and Colts every fortnight and usually on Saturday mornings. Parents are welcome to walk round with you in any of these competitions. When you reach a sufficient standard you can also enter full competitions with our adult members. The transition process from Junior to Colt or from Junior to Adult membership is automatic.

We operate the recommended English Golf Union (EGU) Junior handicapping system. In order to gain a handicap you will need to submit three cards. Your handicap will be based on the best of the three cards you submit.

We have a web site at <http://www.ehgc.info/>, which has more information about the club. See the Junior pages for more details of the Junior sections activities.

We accept new members, boys and girls, from the age of 6 upwards. For members younger than 12 we ask that they attend a Wednesday or Thursday night session with a parent first. Young golfers are also catered for by Wayne's Golf Academy run at weekends from the pro-shop.

If you are interested in joining the club please fill out the application form on the reverse and send it to the address listed along with your cheque for £25.00 Junior or come along on Wednesday or Thursday and meet us in person.

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Easthampstead Junior organizer

President: J Dawkins Esq

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**EASTHAMPSTEAD GOLF CLUB**

**MEMBERSHIP FORM**

**Junior/Colt Membership Application for 2011 season**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (home) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to **apply for Junior/Colt** membership of Easthampstead Golf Club and enclose a cheque for **£25** made payable to Easthampstead Golf Club.

Junior - now **£25.00** (Normally Age 6+)

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Cheque No \_\_\_\_\_

**Data Protection Act**

- Your information will be used by Easthampstead Golf Club for the purpose of compiling a register of members and contacting you when required.
- Your phone number will be included in the annual members handbook to allow other members to contact you to arrange matches.
- We do not make your information available to any other organisations.

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