

NEWS RELEASE – 2 August 2018 Calling Wiltshire's junior golfers

Entries are open for the 34th Hills Wiltshire Junior Golf Championship being held at Broome Manor Golf Club on Wednesday 22 August.

Max Wrixon from Tidworth Garrison GC will be back to defend his title. Last year, at just 15 years old, he managed to card an impressive gross 74 to win the event.

The competition, which is sponsored by The Hills Group and run in conjunction with Wiltshire Golf, is open to boys and girls up to 18 years old.

Those with CONGU competition handicaps (28 for boys and 36 for girls) will play the 18-course in a medal format. Those aged under 10 years without CONGU handicaps are able to compete over a 9-hole short course. Entry fees, which include a meal, are ± 10.00 per player.



Prizes will be awarded for each age group including vouchers for gross and net scores for entrants in the 18 hole medal. Overall boys' and girls' gross score winners will receive trophies together with a trophy for best nett overall.

Entries, which close on Friday 17 August, can be made via the Wiltshire Golf website <u>www.wiltshiregolf.org</u> or The Hills Group website <u>www.hills-group.co.uk</u>

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Notes to editors:

- Notable past winners of the competition who all went on to become professionals include Swindonbased European Tour and past Ryder Cup player David Howell (1991 and 1992), Gary Harris (1989), Gary Haugh (2003), Richard Scarett (2004 and 2005) and Ben Amor (2009).
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