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GOLFERS' OPTIONS FOR PLAY

OLD COURSE

To enter the Ballot there must be at least two players and you may enter online via our website www.standrews.com, in person, or by telephone on + 44 (0) 1334 466666 **prior to 2.00pm two days before you hope to play** the Old Course.

The Ballot will take place every day of the week with the exception of Friday as there is no play on the Old Course on Sundays.

Please check the Busy Dates on our website to ensure the Old Course is open on the day you wish to play – www.standrews.com/Play/Busy-Dates

All Ballot entries require names, home clubs and handicaps and local golfers need to provide yearly ticket numbers as well.

Preferential Ballot Times for Local Golfers:

(Golfers holding full Resident, Student, NEF, R&A* yearly tickets & RES ID cards may apply)

October – March

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri	8.00am - 9.00am 1.00pm - 2.00pm
Thur	8.00am - 9.00am plus every alternate time after 12noon
Sat	8.00am - 10.00am plus every alternate time after 12 noon (all subject to daylight permitting)

April – September

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri	8.00am - 9.00am (8.00am – 8.50am Aug & Sept) 5.00pm - 6.00pm
Thur	8.00am - 9.00am (8.00am – 8.50am Aug & Sept) plus every alternate time after 12 noon
Sat	8.00am - 10.00am (8.00am – 8.50am Aug & Sept) plus every alternate time after 12 noon (all subject to daylight permitting)

*Any R&A ticket holders applying for alternate pm times on Thursdays and Saturdays, including afternoon preferential times and dark times, must be local R&A members.

For times after the last bookable tee time but prior to closure at 6.30pm during the months of May, June, July and August, please refer to the 'dark times policy' in the Links Ticketholder section of our website.

Casual Play

By turning up at the **STARTER'S BOX** and taking the next available time.

Unused Ballot times in winter

From November to March only, after the Ballot has been published and prior to the day of play, golfers may phone our Clubhouse Reception on 01334 466666 to reserve a fully available start-time e.g. a start-time with no golfers attached to it and not a 'Dark time'.



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Predominantly a first come, first served course, but golfers should note that R&A members have the right to claim every alternate tee-time, except on Sundays and when the Club has times on The Old Course reserved exclusively for its members for two hours a day in August and three hours a day in September. By agreement, the R&A also do not use their rights when local clubs are holding significant competitions.

Locals have priority between 5.00pm – 6.00pm every day when daylight permits. (To qualify, golfers must hold Resident, Student or NEF yearly tickets).

JUBILEE COURSE

Times are allocated preferentially for all Yearly Ticket Holders to book from **seven days** in advance between the times shown below, when daylight permits:-

November – March

8.00am - 9.28am

Note: two of these times are also bookable by all ticket holders online through the Links Trust website www.standrews.com up to nine weeks ahead

11.28am - 12.24pm

April – October

8.00am - 9.28am

Note: two of these times are also bookable by all ticket holders online through the Links Trust website www.standrews.com up to nine weeks ahead

1.28pm - 2.24pm

Golfers may also book any time available 24hrs in advance, not just the preferential. For the seven day ahead bookings, application may be made up to **a maximum** of seven days ahead (e.g. book Monday for the following Monday). The yearly ticket number of the golfer making the reservation is required at the time of booking.

Buggies for the Jubilee Course may be booked seven days ahead by those golfers who have booked a time seven days ahead, subject to availability.



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EDEN COURSE

Times are allocated preferentially for all Yearly Ticket Holders to book from **seven days** in advance between the times shown below, when daylight permits:-

7.04am - 8.24am (There will always be a minimum of 7 local times made available)
Note: two of these times are also bookable by all ticket holders online through the St Andrews Links website www.standrews.com up to nine weeks ahead

Golfers may also book any time available 24hrs in advance, not just the preferential. For the seven day ahead bookings, application may be made up to **a maximum** of seven days ahead (e.g. book Monday for the following Monday). The yearly ticket number of the golfer making the reservation is required at the time of booking.

Buggies for the Eden Course may be booked seven days ahead by those golfers who have booked a time seven days ahead, subject to availability.

STRATHTYRUM COURSE

Times are allocated preferentially for all Yearly Ticket Holders to book from **seven days** in advance between the times shown below, when daylight permits:-

8.32am - 09.28/10.00am* Note: two of these times are also bookable by all ticket holders online through the St Andrews Links website www.standrews.com up to nine weeks ahead.
*From 1 January 2020, these times will be extended to 10.00am

1.28pm - 2.24pm

Golfers may also book any time available 24hrs in advance, not just the preferential. For the seven day ahead bookings, application may be made up to **a maximum** of seven days ahead (e.g. book Monday for the following Monday). The yearly ticket number of the golfer making the reservation is required at the time of booking.

Buggies for the Strathtyrum Course may be booked seven days ahead by those golfers who have booked a time seven days ahead, subject to availability.

BALGOVE COURSE

First come, first served course.



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THE CASTLE COURSE

Times are allocated preferentially for all Yearly Ticket Holders to book from **seven days** in advance between the times shown below, when daylight permits:

March

7.30am - 9.00am - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID
12.40pm - 1.40pm - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID

April, September and October

7.30am - 9.00am** - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID
1.00pm - 2.00pm - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID
4.00pm - 5.30pm - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID

May - August

7.00am - 8.30am** - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID
1.00pm - 2.00pm - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID
4.00pm - 5.30pm - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID

November

8.00am - 8.40am - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID
11.00am - 12.00pm - Yearly ticket holders and RES ID

**With the exception of Castle Course maintenance days when these times will be 9.00-9.50am. Please see our Busy Dates on www.standrews.com for Castle Course maintenance dates.

At times of reduced daylight the number of times allocated preferentially will diminish equally between visitor times and local times. Note: two of these times are also bookable by all ticket holders online through the St Andrews Links website www.standrews.com up to nine weeks ahead.

Golfers may also book any time available 24hrs in advance, not just the preferential. For the seven day ahead bookings, application may be made up to **a maximum** of seven days ahead (e.g. book Monday for the following Monday). The yearly ticket number of the golfer making the reservation is required at the time of booking.

Buggies for the Castle Course may be booked seven days ahead by those golfers who have booked a time seven days ahead, subject to availability.

LOCATIONS TO RESERVE YOUR TEE-TIME

Clubhouses, Receptions } all Seven day-ahead bookings, day-
Starter Boxes & Old Pavilion } ahead bookings and Ballot applications

On all courses a minimum of two players is required to reserve a start-time.



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YEARLY TICKET HOLDER ONLINE TEE TIMES

All ticket holders can book online ticket holder tee times nine weeks in advance of play through the St Andrews Links website www.standrews.com. Booking of ticket holder times in advance through our website may only be made using computers which **do not** belong to the Links Trust.

OTHER OPTIONS

Guest Reservations - Using Concessions

Guests may be introduced on the courses and days of the week which your Yearly Ticket entitles you to play. e.g. a Restricted-5 Day ticket holder would only be allowed to introduce a guest Mon – Fri on any course other than the Old or The Castle. The Yearly Ticket holder must play with their guests and may take a maximum of three guests at any one time. Exception – Restricted ticket holders will be able to use their points to introduce guests when playing the two £10 rounds to which they are entitled at The Castle Course. Restricted-5 Day ticket holders can use their £10 rounds on the Castle Course over seven days.

These guest concession reservations are subject to the Yearly Ticket holder having sufficient guest points and payment of the appropriate Guest concession fee.

For Old, New, Jubilee and Balgove courses payment is made at the Starter's Box.

For Eden, Strathtyrum & Castle courses payment is made at the appropriate clubhouse.

If a Yearly Ticket holder secures a local Preferential time on any course, guests may play with the Yearly Ticket holder (for Old Course please see 'Local Ballot Process' on our website for further details of replacements & additions).

Advance Reservations for play with guests may only be made through the Reservations Department or by booking online ticket holder tee times from nine weeks ahead through the St Andrews Links website.

Telephone: +44 (0) 1334 466718 (Monday to Friday only)

Office hours: Mon-Fri 09:00 to 17:00 (Thurs 09:30)

Email reservations@standrews.com

Website www.standrews.com

Reservations may be made **up to two** days ahead as long as golfers are using guest points or paying the normal full green fees. At least 50% of players in any group should be guests. Fees are payable at the time of booking and guest ticket points will be deducted at the same time. Only golfers holding R & A and full Adult tickets may apply for guest rates on the Old Course. Bookings are subject to availability, which is particularly tight in the high season. Golfers must play with their guests and may take a maximum of three guests at any one time.

Note: Guest ticket points may only be used within the current yearly ticket period (1 April – 31 March) and may not be carried forward. Bookings may be made in one yearly ticket year for the next, providing the yearly ticket has been renewed by 31 March.



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CLUB TIES

Through the Secretaries of local golf clubs (The New Club, St Andrews GC, The St Rule Club, St Regulus GC etc.), golfers may reserve a time for an approved club tie (subject to availability), up to a minimum of seven days ahead for a club fee of:

£2.50+ VAT - Old Course & Castle Course

£1.50 + VAT – New, Jubilee, Eden & Strathtyrum Courses

BUGGIES

For Senior Citizens and golfers with medical certificates only, two person buggies may be hired for play as follows:-

New/Jubilee Course (max 4 buggies available on both courses)

Bookings taken no more than one day ahead (unless for a local preferential time on the Jubilee in which case no more than seven days ahead)

Eden/Strathtyrum Course (max 6 buggies available)

Bookings taken no more than one day ahead (unless for a local preferential time in which case no more than seven days ahead)

The Castle Course (3 buggies available)

Bookings taken no more than one day ahead (unless for a local preferential time in which case no more than seven days ahead)

The above buggies are subject to availability all year round, but the Trust reserves the right to withdraw all buggies in severe weather conditions or when course conditions dictate.

For Yearly Ticket Holders only who are either senior citizens or hold a medical certificate, a reserve buggy (paid for by the R&A) is available at the time of play on the Strathtyrum or Balgove courses and will be allocated by the Starter to the qualifying golfer whose starting time comes first, e.g. a golfer teeing off at 09.28 takes precedence over one teeing off 30 minutes later **irrespective of the time of request.**

The Old Course (2 buggies available)

Yearly Ticket Holders must be permanently disabled and a caddie driver is required unless the Yearly Ticket Holder is a fully trained permanently disabled regular buggy user. For more information on how to complete buggy training please contact 01334 466618 or email buggies@standrews.com.