



WEST LINKS JUNIOR GOLF CLUB

Privacy Statement

West Links Junior Golf Club is a club for junior golfers of all ages and abilities, formed in collaboration with North Berwick Golf Club and Tantallon Golf Club. West Links Juniors is a Scottish Golf affiliated club.

What we need

West Links Junior Golf Club will be a “controller” of the personal information you provide us, unless otherwise stated.

When you register as a member of West Links Junior Golf Club (including if you are registering or renewing on behalf of a child under the age of 18), we will ask you for the following personal information:

- contact details – name, address, email address and date of birth
- membership criteria / category – athlete, parent, volunteer

Why we need your personal information – contractual purposes

We need to collect our members’ personal information so that we can manage your membership. We will use our members’ personal information to:

- provide you with core member services, including insurance, licensing and PVG checks;
- set up your account for administration;
- send you membership communications by email in relation to essential membership services, including but not limited to, membership renewals.

If you do not provide us with all the personal information that we need to collect then this may affect our ability to offer the above membership services and benefits.

Why we need your personal information – legitimate purposes

We also process our members' personal information in pursuit of our legitimate interests to:

- promote and encourage participation in golf by sending our members communications and booking information for upcoming competitions and events. Or competitions and events may be filmed or photographed and your personal information may also be used in images captured from our competitions and events, which we use for promotional, education and development purposes
- provide competition in golf by accepting and managing entries for our competitions and checking your personal information to ensure you are entered into the correct category
- respond to and communicate with members regarding your questions, comments, support needs or complaints, concerns or allegations in relation to golf. We will use your personal information to investigate your complaint and take disciplinary action where appropriate.

Where we process your personal information in pursuit of our legitimate interests, you have the right to object to us using your personal information for the above purposes. If you wish to object to any of the above processing, please contact us on info@westlinksjuniors.com. If we agree and comply with your objection, this may affect our ability to undertake the tasks above for the benefit of you as a member.

Why we need your personal information – legal obligations

We are under a legal obligation to process certain information relating to our members for the purposes of complying with our obligations under the Protection of Vulnerable Groups (Scotland) Act 2007 to check that our coaches and volunteers are able to undertake regulated work with children.

Other uses of your personal information

We may ask you if we can process your personal information for additional purposes. Where we do so, we will provide you with an additional privacy notice with information on how we will use your information for these additional purposes.

Who we share your personal information with

We may be required to share personal information with statutory or regulatory authorities and organisations to comply with statutory obligations.

Such organisations include the Health & Safety Executive, Disclosure Scotland and Police Scotland for the purposes of safeguarding children.

We may also share personal information with our professional and legal advisors for the purposes of taking advice.

As an affiliated club of Scottish Golf we are required to ensure that all of our members are members of Scottish Golf as a condition of affiliation. We will share your name and membership category with Scottish Golf who will become a controller of your personal information when they receive it.

Scottish Golf's privacy notice explains how they use your personal information and can be accessed [here](#).

In the event that we do share personal information with external third parties, we will only share such personal information strictly required for the specific purposes and take reasonable steps to ensure that recipients shall only process the disclosed personal information in accordance with those purposes.

How we protect your personal information

Your personal information is stored on our electronic filing system and our servers based in the UK, and is accessed by our staff and volunteers for the purposes set above.

How long we keep your personal information

We will only keep your personal information for as long as necessary to provide you with membership services. Unless you ask us not to, we will review and possibly delete your personal information where you have not renewed your membership with us.

Your rights

You can exercise any of the following rights by writing to us at info@westlinksjuniors.com.

Your rights in relation to your personal information are:

- you have the right to request access to the personal information that we hold about you by making a “subject access request”;
- if you believe that any of your personal information is inaccurate or incomplete, you have a right to request that we correct or complete your personal information;
- you have the right to request that we restrict the processing of your personal information for specific purposes;
- if you wish us to delete your personal information, you may request that we do so.

Any requests received by West Links Junior Golf Club will be considered under applicable data protection legislation. If you remain dissatisfied, you have a right to raise a complaint with the Information Commissioner’s Office at www.ico.org.uk.