



Press Release

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‘The Irish Thoroughbred Marketing Supporting Greatwood Charity Golf Day Raises £14,000’

The Lambourn Allstars (Captain Warren Greatrex)
Vs.
The Wiltshire Wanderers (Captain Alan King)

For the third year running Greatwood is honoured that our golf day has been sponsored



30 teams played the Red Course at Frilford Heath Golf Course in Oxfordshire on Monday 9th May, with many numerous well known faces of the racing fraternity turning up to support this ever growing popular day in the Greatwood calendar.

Our thanks go to Greatwood’s Patrons and racehorse owners, Russell and Lesley Field, who ably steer this event to success each year. Not forgetting the indomitable Jenny McCririck who once more came up trumps with tempting Auction prizes.

Fortunately, the rain stayed away for the gallant golfers, who included Channel 4 Racing presenter, Mick Fitzgerald; the legendary John Francome; National Hunt trainer, Warren Greatrex; Founder of Rewards4Racing.com, Josh Apiafi; Barbury Castle Estate and racehorse owner Nigel Bunter; Grand National winning owner John Hales, Racing UK’s Alex Steedman; as well as Irish visitors Aidan & Caren Walsh and Charles McCreevy to name but a few - all of whom generously played to raise money for Greatwood to the tune of £14,000.

After a closely fought contest ‘The Lambourn Allstars’, captained by a jubilant Warren Greatrex, were victorious over the outgoing champions ‘The Wiltshire Wanderers’, captained by a magnanimous in defeat, Alan King.



Warren Greatrex accepting the trophy from Greatwood's Managing Director and Co-Founder, Helen Yeadon along with Greatwood's Patron, Russell Field in close attendance

Greatwood would like to thank Irish Thoroughbred Marketing for their generous sponsorship of the event for the second year running; as well as the team captains Oliver Sherwood and Alan King; not forgetting Russell and Lesley Field for all their tireless work in organising the event for the last six years. The tees were also sponsored by generous racehorse owners: Whitson Bloodstock, Tim Syder, Peter Andrews, Nick Mustoe, Mrs Lesley Field, Jules Sigler, Mrs Skan, Mrs Caren Walsh, Nigel Bunter, David Bellamy, Niall Farrell, Mrs Eileen Murphy, David Hill, Mr & Mrs Harris, David Bellamy Jr, Ken Biggins & McNeill Family.



Thanks to all those who sponsored the tees

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