



University of
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600
YEARS

The 600 Club

Saints Golf Donor Fund



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The University of St Andrews

The University of St Andrews is Scotland's oldest university, and the third oldest in the English speaking world. Over six centuries the University has established a reputation as one of Europe's leading and most distinctive centres for teaching and research. From small beginnings, the University now boasts over 7,700 students, with a third of all students coming from outside of the UK.



St Andrews & Golf



St Andrews is known throughout the world as the *Home of Golf*.

The St Andrews Links have been enjoyed by golfers for over 600 years, and despite a few early attempts to ban it, the game has flourished. The famous Old Course is one of seven courses operated by The St Andrews Links Trust, with which the University enjoys a very close association.

A number of the game's biggest names, including Jack Nicklaus, Renee Powell, Seve Ballesteros, Tom Watson and Arnold Palmer, have been awarded honorary degrees by the University. Graduate Charles Blair Macdonald (1855-1939), who learned the game from Old Tom Morris, went on to create the first 18-hole course in the USA. We have scholarships in the name of Arnold Palmer and The R&A supporting current students and supported by the generosity of those involved in the game.



The University of St Andrews Golf Programme

We provide students with access to some of the best facilities in the world in which to develop their game, thanks to a unique partnership with The St Andrews Links Trust.

The programme includes:

- access to top-quality coaching and the facilities of The St Andrews Links Trust, including the seven courses and the St Andrews Links Golf Academy
- professional coaching in the field of sports psychology, lifestyle management, nutrition and strength & conditioning
- warm-weather and pre-season training camps
- team golf equipment and clothing
- competing nationally in the UK and internationally, recently in the United States, Peru, Sweden and South Africa



Team members at Redstone GC, supporter trip to Texas



“ At Saints Golf our ambition is simple – to have the best University Golf Programme in the world – one that gives student golfers the chance to achieve their golfing ambitions, whatever they may be, whilst gaining a world-class academic degree. We aim to give our players unparalleled life and golfing experiences that make them proud to represent Saints Golf. ”



David Watt,
Director of Golf and Men's Head Coach

XXV Campeonato Internacional de Aficionados
2013, Lima GC, Peru

The 600 Club

The 600 Club exists to support the growth and development of the University of St Andrews Golf Programme. Our aim is to attract the brightest and best students to St Andrews, where they can pursue their golfing ambitions to the highest level whilst simultaneously studying for a degree at one of the finest academic institutions in the world.



Gabrielle Macdonald with Scottish Amateur trophy at Prestwick GC

The fund has four areas:

- **Equipment and Clothing** – providing Saints Golf players with specific, quality equipment and clothing allowing them to look and perform to their best.
- **Arnold Palmer Scholarship** – an endowed fund enabling students with recognisable golfing ability to attend the University of St Andrews and play for Saints Golf. The scholarship will assist with travel, equipment, maintenance and accommodation for the duration of their undergraduate degree at St Andrews.
- **International Travel Fund** – As Saints Golf grows the opportunities to travel and compete abroad increase. This fund exists to support the squad in taking advantage of these competitive opportunities whilst also allowing us to create and attend supporter and alumni golf events around the world.
- **Coach's Discretionary Fund** – allowing the team's Head Coach to channel funding to the areas that need it most throughout the programme.



Girls team with Coach Kevin Hale at Monterey Peninsula GC

Levels of Support

With an annual budget of £250,000/\$375,000 for coaching, travel, scholarships and equipment we rely on the support of donors to achieve our aims. There are a range of giving options available to help support the Saints Golf Donor Fund.



The team being interviewed at Bay Hill

£250 /
\$375:

an annual contribution will give you membership of The 600 Club and you will receive:

- a Saints Golf bag tag
- a regular newsletter

£500 /
\$750:

an annual contribution will give you silver membership and you will receive the benefits above, plus:

- a Saints Golf team hat
- opportunities to play with the team
- named supporter of the Golf Programme

£2,500 /
\$3,750:

an annual contribution will give you gold membership and you will receive the benefits above, plus:

- the opportunity to join golf tours and training camps
- named support of a team member of the Golf Programme
- a Saints Golf team bag

£5,000 /
\$7,500:

an annual contribution will give you platinum membership and you will receive the benefits above, plus:

- named support of a specific golf tour or training camp
- opportunity to join the team at supporter events around the world



Gifts of £250,000/\$375,000 will endow our scholarship programme in perpetuity.

Please note the Fair Market Value at each level is calculated as follows:

£250/\$375: £5/\$7.50; £500/\$750: £20/\$30; £2,500/\$3,750: £120/\$180; £5,000/\$7,500: £120/\$180



Warm-weather training at Bay Hill with Arnold Palmer



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I wish to support the University of St Andrews Golf Programme through The 600 Club with a gift of:



☐ £250 / \$375 (annually)

☐ £500 / \$750 (annually)

☐ £2,500 / \$3,750 (annually)

☐ £5,000 / \$7,500 (annually)

☐ Other amount £/\$ _____

for a period of _____ years

I would like this donation to go to:

☐ Equipment and Clothing Fund

☐ Arnold Palmer Scholarship

☐ International Travel Fund

☐ The Coach's Discretionary Fund

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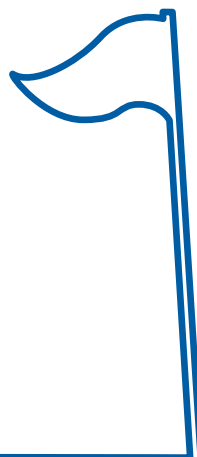
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