

RHS Golfing Society – Membership application management – policy

Background

Applications for membership of the RHS Golfing Society are welcomed and we maintain our friendly, open approach to making golf accessible, affordable, sociable and enjoyable for all. We have a waiting list of applicants, and we have a policy to prioritise applications for membership. General principles for prioritising applications are as below.

Prioritisation

All applications must be Proposed and Seconded by existing members (who are limited to Proposing one new member in each golfing year). Applications are prioritised against these criteria:

1. Players who have played the course as green-fee-paying Guests, accompanied by an existing member (or members), on at least three separate occasions, and using our tee-time booking system. Green fees of £5 (9 holes) or £10 (18 holes) should be paid to the RHS Golfing Society account, for which details can be provided. Applications not meeting this requirement will not be approved.
2. Applicants living locally (i.e. within a reasonable vicinity of Holbrook and the Shotley peninsula).
3. Family relatives and friends of existing members.
4. Staff and students of the Royal Hospital School, including ex-students and retired staff.

Waiting list

We are usually at (or near to) our full membership capacity and we have a waiting list of applicants. To join the waiting list, please request a Membership Application Form from the Membership Secretary. Please be patient while applications are reviewed.

Membership Secretary

RHS Golfing Society

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