LEGS Captains Report 2025

My Captains year seems to have flown by and I must say how much I have enjoyed it from beginning to end and for this I would like to thank you all for your enthusiastic and very generous support.

I have been most fortunate to have been part of a very efficient, good humoured and responsive Committee which has made the role of Captain very easy. Colin has been a great Secretary and has done a fantastic job at keeping us all informed and in the right place at the right time, a significant upgrade on the previous incumbent! Colin also pulled out the stops in organizing a brilliant Tour to the Cotswolds in September which we all thoroughly enjoyed. I know he will make a great Captain in the year ahead.

Jeff continued to keep us solvent and accurate from a financial perspective which is very reassuring and vital in these times. His calm professionalism and positive communication is very much appreciated by us all as well as by the clubs we have visited this year.

Andrew has once again excelled in so many ways over and above keeping the results and handicaps in order and is always willing to help, advise and proactively find solutions to the occasional challenges that have arisen. That he still takes great pleasure in cutting handicaps whenever he can shows his enthusiasm for the roll remains undiminished.

I would also like to shout out for Andy Pohler for all that he does in keeping our website and communications up to date, professional and clear.

As you know, my chosen Charity this year has been CRISIS, the UK homeless charity and thanks to your ongoing generosity we have managed to raise a total of £2767 this year which is a fantastic result and one that we should all be proud of. I know how appreciative the Charity have been.

I have had the pleasure of playing golf with a number of different members this year which has been great fun (for me at least!). We have been fortunate also to host a number of guests and, particularly, to welcome three new members in Andrew Randall, Brian Bamber and John Paterson. Welcome aboard! I do believe this is an area we need to keep a focus upon as some of the longer term Members 'mature', however as always, quality over quantity must remain the primary objective.

Finally, I am pleased to advise that we have an exciting programme ahead for 2026, including some excellent golf venues and a new Tour destination, just announced, and I do hope as many of you can join in, play and/ or attend the post-match dinners as possible.

My sincere thanks once again to each and every one of you for your positive support and friendship.

Graham Shennan