



BALLARDS GORE GOLF CLUB

YOUR GUIDE TO BALLARDS GORE GOLF CLUB



Welcome to Ballards Gore Golf Club

Ballards Gore plays hosts to some of the county's top competitions and P.G.A. events and is one of Essex's hidden gems.

A parkland course built in 1980, offering a good test for all standards of golf with diverse and interesting holes, a blend of tricky tree lined fairways and stunning lakes all set in 110 acres of picturesque countryside.

Ballards Gore has some of the best facilities in the county not only with a championship course but a superb practice area, modern clubhouse with bar, restaurant and decking area.

We can cater for all visitors, casual golfers, golf societies and corporate events where you will receive a warm welcome.



What we offer:

- Golf Membership
 - Golf Societies
 - Green Fees •

What we cater for:

Weddings
Family Celebrations
Wakes

The Course

Situated in 110 acres of mature rolling countryside the 18 hole, 6769 yard, par 73 championship length course makes excellent use of the surrounding landscape and its numerous natural features and beautiful man-made hazards.

The course, which opened in 1980, was designed to challenge all standards of golfer. Tricky par 3's, lengthy par 4's and the excellent use of 5 lakes ensures that a broad repertoire of shots is needed to master the course.

With excellent, free draining greens and very little rough, the clubs aim is to give everyone who plays the course an enjoyable experience.

Ballards Gore Golf Club also offers excellent practice facilities, whether you are an experienced golfer honing your skills, or are new to the game.

A 12-acre practice area and 100-yard practice hole allows golfers ample opportunity to practice every aspect of the game.





Become A Member

Playing golf is not only just great fun, it also gives you a great opportunity to keep active without it feeling like a chore.

Golf is a great way to make new friends and renew old friendships and at Ballards Gore Golf Club, members also enjoy many benefits.

All you need to do is fill in and return an application form, and you are on the way to joining one of the friendliest clubs in Essex.

- Membership starting from £375
- No tee time booking system
- Exclusive members only Saturday and Sunday Mornings
- CONGU Handicap
- Free cadet membership to children and grandchildren
- Clubhouse discount on food and drink
- Discounted buggy hire
- Free room hire for family functions



Visitors

Whether you are new to golf or a seasoned low handicapper, you will find Ballards Gore a friendly and relaxed club offering you the chance to play on a well established and challenging golf course.

Ballards Gore Golf Club offers a warm welcome from all members of staff, and superb surroundings for a thoroughly enjoyable day.

Golf Societies

Golf Societies are accommodated Monday to Friday from 8am, Saturdays from 12pm and Sundays from 11am with your own tee closure.

Whether it is from a coffee and bacon roll with 18 holes, or a whole day with breakfast, lunch and evening meal with 27 holes, we can tailor make any package to suit your society day.

The Pro Shop

Here in the Ballards Gore Golf Club Pro Shop you will be greeted by our P.G.A. Professional. The shop is fully stocked year round with the latest clubs and apparel from a range of brands including Lyle & Scott, Adidas, Ashworth and Glenmuir.

The Pro Shop also offers a wide range of repairs, including regripping, club length adjustment and reshafting.

For further details contact the shop on 01702 258 924

GREEN FEES - *Weekday from 8am - *Saturday from 12pm - *Sunday from 10am



Weddings and Functions

Here at Ballards Gore weddings we pride ourselves on making every brides day a day they will never forget. We can cater for a small intimate wedding reception to wedding breakfast for up to 120 guests, with an evening capacity of up to 180 guests.

We tailor make your day to suit all tastes and budgets, from a formal wedding breakfast with toastmaster to a reception buffet, we can provide all your requirements including dressing the venue with chair covers and bows to DJ's, sparkling backdrops and marquee hire.



A Ballards Gore wedding is run by an experienced wedding co-ordinator along with a friendly team who provide exceptional attention to detail. You will receive a professional personal service to make your day extra special.

We are only 10 minutes away from London Southend Airport with hotels nearby.

Please contact us on: 01702 258 917 for an informal chat or to request a wedding brochure or to make an appointment to come in and see us.

The Wedding Car Specialists

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Based in Essex and operating throughout London and South East England, whether it be for a private or corporate event, Vicarage Marquees can advise on various stunning marquees to host your event.

Vicarage Marquees is a long standing member of the industries governing body MUTA, giving you confidence and peace of mind.

You will be surprised how elaborate a marquee can be made, whether it is a wedding or a party, they will be with you every step of the way. Vicarage Marquees can also be on hand during your event to help in managing staff and other services. In addition they offer an event management service, which enables you to sit back, relax and let them take care of everything from flooring, decoration, lighting and heating, luxury toilets, generators and parking. Vicarage Marquees can even offer entertainment and catering packages.

If you are looking for a stunning wedding marquee, corporate marquee or the ultimate party marquee then Vicarage Marquees is the business to fulfil all your expectations.

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They have a wide selection of items to hire, which will suit your special day perfectly.

Their items range from a 100 guest furniture packages, to different styles of chair hire and even accessories, giving you fantastic choice and flexibility.

Alexander's Table & Chair Hire do not stop at just chairs, they also provide dance floors, led furniture, light up letters and a rustic range, to add a bit of shabby chic to your event.

Placing an order with them is easy, simply browse the website and choose the products you need. Once you have chosen your products, get in touch via phone or email and one of their friendly event advisers will be happy to take care of the rest.





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Be one of the first to take advantage of these amazing vehicles, for more information, visit their informative website.







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Making your garden wildlife friendly

There are approximately 15 million gardens in the UK with some estimates putting their collective area at up to three million acres. Since 1900 Britain has lost at least 154 species of animal and 109 species of plant.

Much of this is due to the loss of habitat from housing, industrial developments and changes in farming practices.

If each of us that have a garden does just one or two little things to help the remaining wildlife then it will have a much better chance of surviving.





The UK has lost 90% of its lowland ponds so those in our gardens have a very important role to play in preserving the fascinating creatures found in them.

As a bonus the frogs and toads will eat the slugs and snails that have been munching their way through our plants

If you are thinking of planting a tree, firstly make sure it is the right size for your garden. Secondly consider choosing a native species.

In a recent study it was found that over 284 species were associated with the Oak, 15 with the Sycamore and none with the Plane tree. This diversity is the keystone to the success of our wildlife garden.

There are a lot of us that only have a back yard or balcony and feel that there is little that we can do, but this is not so.





A bird table or a bird bath will attract lots of different species who, once they know that food or water is available will return regularly. Hang up feeders and fill them with peanuts or specialist bird food.

There are many places to obtain advice on wildlife gardening, your local library, the web, your local wildlife club. A good start for birds is the R.S.P.B, www.rspb.org.uk.

For other wildlife try the Wildlife Trust. Most important of all, relax, do not get hung up about it, anything you do is a help. Do something, sit back and enjoy the show.







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Ballards Gore Golf Club was built in 1979-1980 and has matured very well over the intervening years. There are many mature trees on the course and many of the holes have water hazard features.

As well as some long par 5's at Ballards Gore Golf Club there are also some tricky, short par 4's all with excellent putting surfaces.

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