

Women in Golf Charter

The Women in Golf Charter is essentially about getting more women and girls playing golf and more women working in the golf industry and was launched by the R&A in 2018. With this initiative they set out to unify the world of golf around this common objective. The Charter is designed to inspire an industry-wide commitment to developing a more inclusive culture within golf around the world and enable more women and girls to flourish and maximise their potential at all levels of the sport.

Axe Cliff Golf Club was one of the first clubs in Devon to have their commitment to the Charter signed off by England Golf and therefore become an official signatory to the Charter. Signatories to this charter commit to develop and implement strategies for enhancing gender balance at every level in the club by strongly advocating more women and girls playing and working in golf. This will be done by working with key stakeholders to develop and embed a more inclusive culture.

Axe Cliff Golf Club plan to achieve this by formally promoting inclusion to the wider community via the club website, social media accounts and local community groups. We will deliver at least 2 initiatives each year targeting women/girls and families and provide opportunities for mixed golf participation in both friendly and competitive rounds. In order to attract more women and girls to the club we will promote a membership pathway, for women/girls and families to progress within the club. Further to this, by becoming a Safe Golf accredited club we will ensure policies and procedures remain up to date and we will appoint a designated Charter Champion within the club who can assist with the promotion and reporting of the Charter.