

<u>MISSION STATEMENT</u> BURY ST EDMUNDS GOLF CLUB CENTENARY COMMITTEE

What

To plan and oversee the implementation of celebrations to mark the Centenary of Bury St Edmunds Golf Club (BSEGC)

Why

It is appropriate that we celebrate and acknowledge the foresight, generosity and efforts of those responsible for the formation of BSEGC. It is because of them that we have a course and facilities to be proud of.

It is also appropriate that we celebrate one hundred years of golf at BSEGC and acknowledge the contribution over the years of all those who have helped develop the Club into what it is today be they Officers of the Club, Committee Members, Voluntary Helpers or Staff.

The Centenary will provide an opportunity to promote the cohesiveness of our Club emphasizing that whatever Section of the Club we belong to or whatever group we play in we are all members of one Club with one hundred years of history and development behind it.

The Centenary will provide an opportunity to identify a project, that can provide a lasting tangible legacy of the Centenary and provide ongoing benefits to the whole membership.

The Centenary will provide an opportunity to promote the values of our Club, the rules and etiquette of this great game and to set a positive tone as the Club embarks on its second century.

How

By effective communication ensure that the membership is aware of the approaching Centenary to promote identification with it and enthusiasm for celebrating it.

Seek the views and ideas of the members as to what might be considered as part of the Centenary Celebrations.

Contact other clubs who have recently celebrated their centenaries to learn from them. Liaise with the Suffolk Golf Union and the England Golf who are celebrating this year to avoid duplication and clashes.

Consider how any annual events at the Club might reflect or be affected by the Centenary in 2024.

Within the existing Club structure seek to strengthen those Committees that will have a leading part to play in delivering a successful Centenary Celebration.