

**A Message from the Dorset Golf Captains New President  
for 2022 and 2023  
Bill Kent MBE**



Fellow Captains

I am most honoured and very proud to have been elected your President for 2022 and 2023 and intend to serve you all to the best of my abilities.

We are all aware of the impact that COVID 19 has had on all aspects of our life over the last 2 years. I truly hope and pray that the worse is over and that life for all of us returns to normal. I am sure that we all look forward returning to a life based on family gatherings and the social interchange that takes place with sports and all other activities in the countryside.

My thanks go to last year's President, Derek Grimes and Captain Peter Foster who worked so hard to deliver as much of the planned centenary golf celebrations. They were ably assisted by the Hon Sec Nigel Mobbs and David Picton (fixture Secretary) dealing away in the background in changing golfing locations and matches venues. Last but not least was our Web page guru, David Kimberley who pulls the web page together for us all to read.

I genuine believe that our Dorset Golf Captains web page is the glue that ties us all together no matter where we play in the County and intend to use the web to keep all members as fully informed as possible. Any suggestions or comments on how we can enthuse and encourage more Club Captains to join would be most welcome. Any member willing to help the Committee in this area should contact myself or the Hon Secretary, Nigel Mobbs.

You will have all received the golfing programme drawn up by the Committee for 2022 and trust that you are content with those you have been selected to play in. We hope that many of you will also join us at the events such as our Invitation Day, or the Captain 's and/or mixed golf day. A day not to be missed will be the 9-hole event at Folke GC.

Enjoy your Golf and I hope to meet many of you this year enjoying a game. May all your drives be on the fair way and your putts drop!

Remember, it is a fun game and patience is a virtue? Really?

Best Wishes, Enjoy Yourselves, and the Game,

Warm Regards **Bill Kent**