

## West Lothian Golf Club Junior 5 Hole Primary Course

A Junior 5 Hole Primary course has been designed and built at minimal cost with the support of the Greenkeeper team and volunteers. This was in response to Council's vision to grow the game by creating an entry level course aimed at supporting a playing pathway and ensuring younger golfers were course ready before progressing to the main courses.

This course makes use of existing practice facilities and the 9th green on the 9 hole option on Airngath (Kinglassie green). We are committed to growing the game and supporting more children to play golf, but not at the expense of the practice facility. We believe that the two facilities can co-exist, but that it may take a little time to establish exclusive use of both these areas. Both facilities are on ClubV1 and this will generate data over the coming months that will inform our plans going forward.

In the meantime there may be occasions where these facilities are being used at the same time and we thank everyone in advance for their patience and understanding.

Conditions of use of Junior 5 Hole Primary Course:

- For children under 12 years of age only;
- Children must be supervised by an adult at all times;
- Adult members accompanying children may also play the course;
- Course to be played during opening times only (dovetailing with practice area availability and nine hole course being open);
- Due care and consideration needs to be taken by ALL golfers at the Coffin (8<sup>th</sup> green) where the Primary Course runs in close proximity to Airngath;
- Use of the course is extended to Caimin's School of golf (supervised only);
- Council can close the course at their discretion throughout the season.
- Golfers playing Airngath 9<sup>th</sup> hole (Kinglassie green) and utilising practice areas (Stey Brae and Kinglassie) should give way to those playing the Junior Course; and
- Dogs should be kept on leads and under control on the Junior Course when children are playing;

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