#### This week on the course

### **Monday 1st October**

Our winter working hours commence 7am-2.30pm. Greens were mowed at 4mm, all aprons and some tees mowed at 12mm, all bunkers were checked for footprints and rabbit holes and raked where required. Temporary greens were given their first cut with the tees mower. Winners boards out of the dining room were taken down ready for this seasons winners names.

### **Tuesday 2nd October**

Remaining winners boards were taken down, bunkers checked and raked as required. All main greens were top dressed with around ten ton of Mansfield sand, then matted in and followed up with the vibrating rollers to ensure a true surface following the dressing. Tees mowing was finished off.

## Wednesday 3rd October

All bunkers were raked and pin positions moved for competition play. Debris from strong winds was removed from the greens with the switch cane as the leaf blower had broken down. Temporary greens were mowed with the greens mower at 7mm. Work began to trim the hedge at the first tee. New direction signs were put in place on the course.

### **Thursday 4th October**

All greens were mowed at 4mm, temporary greens were top dressed with dressing being brushed in. 1st cut on the semi rough was mowed at 37mm, aprons were also mowed. Bins on the course were emptied and the ball washers were topped up with water. Hedge on the 1st tee side was finished .

# Friday 5th October

Following 11 mm of rain, standing water was removed from the putting surfaces. Greens were cleared of debris using the leaf blower witch had been repaired and returned. Two members of staff were on holiday.