

## **This week on the course**

### **Monday 10th June**

We started the week with the tining of the greens, they were tined to the depth of 4 inches, this is done to help air get into the root system of the green to help reduce stress and release compaction of the putting surface. If this job was not done on a regular basis (every 4/6 weeks) then the greens would become too hard and unreceptive to shots into the greens and become susceptible to turf disease. The greens tees and fairways were all mown.

### **Tuesday 11th June**

The tining of the greens was completed, once this was done the greens were mown and top dressed, once the dressing was brushed in the greens were rolled to help work the dressing in further.

### **Wednesday 12th & Thursday 13th June**

Over the course of the two days there was very heavy rain meaning that there was very little work carried out on the course so work was limited to machinery and equipment maintenance.

### **Friday 14th June**

The greens were mown in the morning with the bunkers being raked and the tee markers being checked. The aprons and the 1st cut of semi cut were also mown. Persistent rain throughout the morning and over the previous days meant that water began to gather on the greens so the water was needed to be removed using the squeegees to get the women's competition completed.