



Newburgh

LINKS

“Old fashioned links golf at its finest”



Welcome to

Newburgh Links Golf Club, one of the oldest and most historic golf courses in Scotland, founded in 1888 by John Udny of Udny and a group of passionate “founding fathers.” Nestled between the prestigious Cruden Bay Golf Club to the north and Trump International Aberdeen to the south, it boasts a prime location on one of the finest golfing coastlines in the UK. Originally a 9-hole course, it expanded to 18 holes in 1994 with the addition of a new front nine, further enhancing its appeal.

The course, which is regularly featured in Scotland’s Top 100 Courses, offers a blend of challenging fairways and stunning scenery, with breathtaking views of the Ythan Estuary and the North Sea. Though it may be overshadowed by the more famous courses of the region, it has been aptly described as a “Hidden Gem,” cherished by golfers who appreciate its natural beauty and the unique challenge it offers.

Strategically positioned between the 1st and 10th tees, the clubhouse is home to the The Taproom, offering a selection of craft beers, ales, and delicious local food. A community-focused hub for families, friends, and golfers alike, the vibrant and contemporary venue overlooks the dramatic Forvie Sand Dunes and the striking 18th green. The panoramic seascape is second to none.

In addition to the Taproom, the clubhouse features pool tables and a state-of-the-art sports simulator. This innovative feature provides a wide variety of engaging experiences, perfect for both golf enthusiasts and sports fans alike. The simulator also offers club fittings with Robbie Stewart, Newburgh’s very own PGA Golf Pro, ensuring that golfers receive personalised advice and equipment suited to their game.

Whether you’re a local or visiting from afar, Newburgh Links provides a unique blend of history, natural beauty, and modern amenities, making it an unforgettable golfing experience.



“ Play in the Spring and early summer and you will be overwhelmed by the scent and sight of the gorse drenching landscape. It is everywhere on this links north of Aberdeen. This is a course of contrasts with two very different loops of nine returning to a modern clubhouse.

The opening nine cavort over hilly, rumbling terrain and your balance may just be tested as you are gleefully tossed about. Greens are tiered which will test your approach play as they are often above or below you.

The second nine throws you into the densest gorse. What first appears flat is anything but, with fairways whipping left, right, up and over. This is perfect old school links, with blind shots, tricky twisting fairways and some perfect green settings. A links with punch and raw adventure.

Destination Golf Top 100 2025



The Front

1 Forswifit Par 4: 385 Yards

Uphill all the way, it can be a tough opening to your round. Bunkers to the left from off the front of the green can catch your ball if it comes up short. A large green slopes from back to front.

2 Neebra Par 3: 224 Yards

The 2nd hole is a 224 yard par 3. Chose you club carefully from the tee, the wrong bounce in front of the green can see your ball gobbled up by the green side bunkers on the right.

3 Pitscaff Par 5: 467 Yards

The first of 3 par 5's on the golf course, the 3rd hole is a 467 yard dog leg left to right with out of bounds up the right hand side. Look out for the large fairway bunker that will almost certainly cost you a shot if found.

4 Drovers Par 4: 354 Yards

The 4th and one of our most unique holes is a 354 yard par 4 with an out of bounds boundary between the 4th and 3rd holes. Avoid getting too close to the wall as it is "play as you lie" from there. [Click here for a spotlight with our pro, Robbie Stewart.](#)

5 St. Peter's Well Par 3: 201 Yards

This downhill 201 yard par 3 where it is better to be short than long. Bunkers guard the front right and left of the green that slopes from front to back.

6 Forvie Par 4: 347 Yards

The 6th is back up the hill with a slight dogleg at the top of the hole. Be sure to take note of the pin position when on the 5th tee as this will help you pick the right club for your second. Make sure and aim to the left with your approach as everything kicks right.

7 Funs Gap Par 4: 382 Yards

Laying up short of the bunkers is the play from the lower tee at this short par 4, leaving a full shot into the green. 278 yards from the lower tee offers a "risk and reward" option from the tee. The hole measure 382 from the back tee.

8 Puddock's Pond Par 4: 317 Yards

The 317 yard 8th hole takes you up a steep hill towards the green. It is important to ensure you take enough club for your second to get up onto the green as anything short will come back down the hill.

9 Corf House Par 5: 509 Yards

The play from the tee, at the par 5 9th, is to aim at the Fisherman's shed. Don't be too greedy with your second shot as trouble lurks to the left and right of the hole.



The Back

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Gallows Hill

Par 4: 339 Yards

The 339 yard 10th Hole looks straightforward from the tee but keep your tee shot up the right hand side of the hole for an easier approach to the green. The green, itself, is not an easy read. A good start to the back 9.

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Pavilion

Par 3: 440 Yards

A drive over the pole is the perfect play at the 11th hole. On the approach you should land your ball short of the green an run up towards the flag.

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Home

Par 4: 432 Yards

It is essential to find the fairway from the tee at the 12th. Ranked the hardest hole on the course you need to be careful with your approach as anything left is as good as gone.

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Majuba

Par 4: 316 Yards

This short par 4 should still be approached with care. A tee shot short of the pole gives the best view of the green. The green itself can be tricky to hold as it slopes off to the left.

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Prince Charlie

Par 4: 342 Yards

Aim left of the pole off the 14th tee as plenty of danger lies on the right. The approach shot needs to fly all the way to the green as your ball could stay short if it lands short.

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Boathouse

Par 4: 306 Yards

The 15th is a short par 4 but you are better left of this hole than right. The approach shot has to be up as a soft landing and you won't make the green.

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Short

Par 3: 150 Yards

The 16th is the shortest hole on the course but it still needs to be treated with respect. The beach lies to the left and a big bunker on the right awaits a loose effort. Club selection is key with the hole being partially blind from the tee.

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Billows Lime

Par 4: 364 Yards

The right hand side of the fairway is the place to be at the 17th. As far right you dare... This will give you a good angle into the green. Be careful on approach, a shot landing before the green will be the best play.

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Springbok

Par 5: 548 Yards

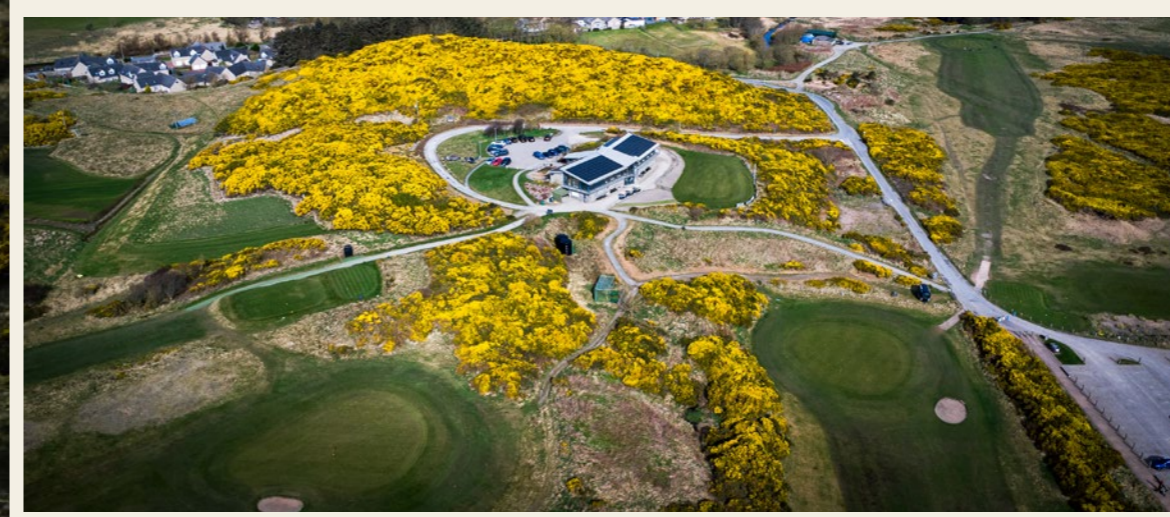
A great finishing hole which can ruin the best of scorecards. Avoid the bunkers from the tee and keep the second shot short of the hazard. Always take a club more than you think on approach to the green.



2026 Membership Fees

Annual Membership Fees 2026

Membership type	2026 price
Full Member	£775
Young Adult <small>(Aged 20-24 on 01:02:26)</small>	£475
Youth Member <small>(Age 20-24 on 01:02:26)</small>	£275
Country Members <small>(Outwith 50 miles)</small>	£295
Overseas Members	£295
Scottish Golf Affiliation <small>(Fee & Insurance)</small>	£22.50
Junior Member <small>(16-17 on 01:02:26)</small>	£75
Junior Member <small>(Under 16 on 01:02:26)</small>	£50
Student Member <small>(18-24 on 01:02:26)</small>	£275
6 Hole Course	2026 price
Adult & Family	£50
Junior Under 16 <small>(Under 16 on 01:02:26)</small>	£0



2026
Rates & Hire
 Costs

Visitor Rates
 2026

Months	Round	4-Ball
May - August	£125	£400
After 2.00pm	£85	£260
April & September	£75	£300

Equipment Hire
 Dependant on availability

	Price per round
Trolley Hire	£7
Electric Trolley Hire	£20
Buggy Hire (Not available after 2pm)	£35
Club Hire	£45
Caddy Hire (Available with prior booking)	£60+



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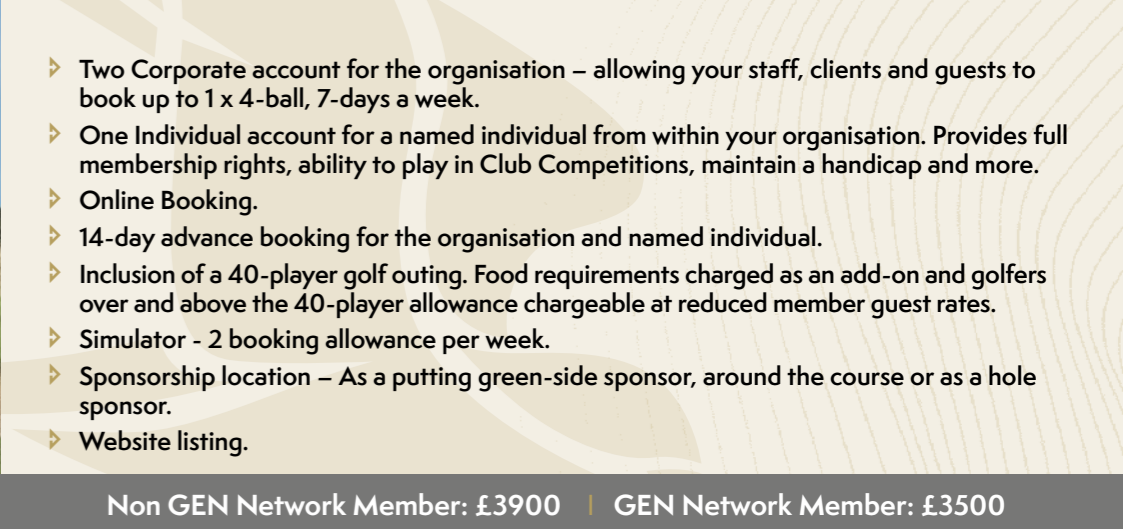
THE Platinum PACKAGE

- ▶ One Corporate account for the organisation – allowing your staff, clients and guests to book up to 1 x 4-ball, 7-days a week.
- ▶ One Individual account for a named individual from within your organisation. This provides membership rights, ability to play in Club Competitions, maintain a handicap and more.
- ▶ Online Booking.
- ▶ 14-day advance booking for the organisation and named individual.
- ▶ Inclusion of a 30-player golf outing. Food requirements charged as an add-on and golfers over and above the 30-player allowance chargeable at reduced member guest rates.
- ▶ Simulator - One booking allowance per week.
- ▶ Sponsorship location – Around the course or as a hole Sponsor.
- ▶ Website listing.

Non GEN Network Member: £2900 | GEN Network Member: £2600



THE Silver PACKAGE



- ▶ Two Corporate account for the organisation – allowing your staff, clients and guests to book up to 1 x 4-ball, 7-days a week.
- ▶ One Individual account for a named individual from within your organisation. Provides full membership rights, ability to play in Club Competitions, maintain a handicap and more.
- ▶ Online Booking.
- ▶ 14-day advance booking for the organisation and named individual.
- ▶ Inclusion of a 40-player golf outing. Food requirements charged as an add-on and golfers over and above the 40-player allowance chargeable at reduced member guest rates.
- ▶ Simulator - 2 booking allowance per week.
- ▶ Sponsorship location – As a putting green-side sponsor, around the course or as a hole sponsor.
- ▶ Website listing.

Non GEN Network Member: £3900 | GEN Network Member: £3500



THE Gold PACKAGE

- One Corporate account for the organisation – allowing your staff, clients and guests to book up to 1 x 4-ball, Monday to Friday.
- Online Booking.
- 14-day advance booking for the organisation and named individual.
- Inclusion of a 20-player golf outing. Food requirements charged as an add-on and golfers over and above the 20-player allowance chargeable at reduced member guest rates.
- Simulator - Discounted booking
- Sponsorship location – Around the course or as a hole Sponsor.
- Website listing.

Non GEN Network Member: £2000 | GEN Network Member: £1500



The Seals

Just a stones throw from the course, is one of the few spots in Scotland where you're guaranteed to see seals in the wild. This majestic colony of over 400 seals is a wondrous sight and one that will ensure your visit to Newburgh is a trip you will never forget.

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Newburgh's stunning surroundings



Aberdeen City and Shire is a captivating region in the northeast of Scotland, renowned for its unique blend of urban energy and natural beauty. With the vibrant city of Aberdeen at its heart, famous for its stunning granite architecture and rich cultural heritage, the area also offers a wealth of picturesque landscapes, from rugged coastlines and scenic countryside to charming villages. As the gateway to Scotland's Whisky Trail, it also provides easy access to some of the world's finest distilleries, offering whisky lovers a chance to explore the rich traditions of Scotland's famous whisky-making heritage. Whether you're drawn to the city's bustling shops, restaurants, and historic landmarks, or the serene countryside perfect for outdoor adventures, Aberdeen City and Shire is a destination that promises something for everyone.



Pitmedden Garden, famous for its geometric designs and vibrant floral displays is located just 8 miles from Newburgh Links. The meticulously recreated 17th-century Great Garden features six miles of clipped box hedging and over 30,000 bedding plants. The site also hosts a Museum of Farming Life, offering a glimpse into the region's agricultural past.



Slains Castle is one of our most dramatic historic landmarks, famously perched on the rugged cliffs overlooking the North Sea. Located just 10 miles from Newburgh Links, the striking clifftop ruins are rumored to have inspired the octagonal room in Bram Stoker's Dracula. Like many of the stately homes and castles scattered across Aberdeen and shire, it highlights the deep heritage of our region.



Forvie National Nature Reserve is one of our natural treasures, offering a unique landscape. The vast areas of sand and shifting dunes at the southern end create a strikingly wild environment. This protected area is a haven for wildlife, particularly bird species, and provides a serene escape into nature. The reserve lies opposite Newburgh Links, towards the north of the Ythan Estuary, offering stunning views and an unforgettable experience for visitors.



Follow the Aberdeenshire Coastal Trail north from Newburgh towards The Bulls of Buchan, a collapsed sea cave renowned for its dramatic cliffs, diverse seabirds, and remarkable geological features. This natural wonder is often home to nesting puffins, making it an ideal spot for birdwatchers to catch a glimpse of these charming seabirds.



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