

The Ladies Championship at Rothley Park was won this year by Carol Duncombe. Carol, who is 48, was thrilled to win the Ladies' Club Championship title as she was diagnosed last year with Psioratic Arthritis and didn't think her golf would ever be up to such a challenge:

"I've played golf since I was 10 years old. For many years my golf took 3rd place behind career and family but I found the time to play again when I changed career and my son grew up. In our family everyone plays golf, my sister is currently an LPGA professional golfer in Arizona. Never a week goes by that I don't thank my father for teaching me how to play golf!

"Rothley Park is without doubt the best club of which I've been a member. Golf is one of the rare sports that you can take up and enjoy at anytime in life. Many ladies I know who have taken it up later in life wish they'd started years before! Golf is losing the stigma that it's a game for older ladies, we have a thriving younger ladies section at Rothley Park and more and more young women are playing – and may I say looking fabulous in their golf outfits!"

Lady Captain, Janet McEwan says this year's Club Championship was very competitive, with ladies competing for winning scores in all divisions and, of course, for coveted title of Ladies Club Champion:



Carol Duncombe



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