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# Winter Golf Series 2010/11 Yearbook

'The WGS is a series of events for ALL CATEGORY ONE golfers in Cornwall, around the County's finest golf courses. The aim is to raise the standard of competitive golf in Cornwall'

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## Did you Know?

- Jim Barnes from West Cornwall Golf Club dominated world golf between 1919—1925 by winning The Open, The USPGA & The US Open where he was presented with the trophy from US President, Warren Harding. He's still the only US Open Champion to be presented his trophy by a sitting President.

## Josh Greenaway wins 2010/11 WGS



Josh Greenaway (centre) from Bowood Park GC won the 2010/11 Winter Golf Series (WGS) Order of Merit. He won the series with an event to go by playing consistently great golf throughout the winter.

Josh set the pace early with strong performances in the first three events including a win at Perranporth Golf Club on the 19th of November 2010. Steve Chapman (left) from St Enodoc Golf Club secured second place in the OoM with his consistently good golf prevailing in the winter conditions. Chapman's winter series campaign got off to a quick start with a win in the first event at Bowood Park GC.

Jon Coleman from West Cornwall Golf Club (right) finished 3rd in the OoM just half a point behind

Chapman. Coleman won two events during 2010/11 WGS, one at Treose and one at St Enodoc.

### Order of Merit Prizes:

- 1st £300 + custom fitted Gel Putter (Greenaway)
- 2nd £200 + Gel Putting Mirror (Chapman)
- 3rd £100 + Gel Putting Mirror (Coleman)

This Yearbook highlights all of the events throughout the WGS 2010/11 including the match against Cornwall Pro's

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ner of the 2010/11 OoM received a FREE Hurrian Sedo 11 putter (RRP £185). Plus £300 in prizes money. These putters are seriously good. Dr Hurrian works as putting coach to Pdraig Harrington, Rory McIlroy, Lee Westwood, Paul McGinley, Robert-Jan Derksen and many more European Tour Players.

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## Chapman Stamps Early Authority on OoM @ Bowood

The first Cornwall Winter Golf Series event was held at Bowood Park Golf Club on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2010.

The conditions were very difficult with a strong wind proving difficult for the 25 competitors. It was former County Champion Steve Chapman (St Enodoc), who took the honours on the day.

Steve shot a fantastic score of 37 scratch stableford points and that was enough to win by 3 shots in both the scratch and handicap events.

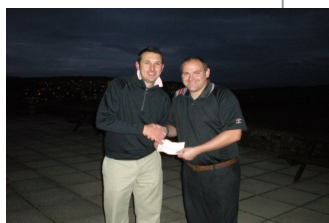
In second place in the scratch event was last year's Order of Merit winner Ben Westgate from Trevoze Golf Club.

This really was a fantastic round from Chapman who won the Cornwall Closed Championship around Bowood Park a year earlier. He said 'the course is really suits my game. Accuracy off the tee is a premium at Bowood with some tough driving holes. It has always played into my strengths and I thoroughly enjoy the layout. The condition of the course was fantastic for late season'.



Steve Chapman (right) from St Enodoc receiving the first prize at Bowood Park from WGS Co-ordinator, Simon Wood

For more info about Bowood Park visit [www.bowood-park.co.uk](http://www.bowood-park.co.uk)



Josh Greenaway, Winner of WGS Event 3 @ Perranporth GC who had a fantastic 37 Gross Points

## Greenaway states his claim on OoM with 37 Points

There were 2 successful Winter Golf Series events held in November 2010. One at Trevoze Golf Club and Perranporth Golf Club.

The Trevoze event was held on the 12<sup>th</sup> November 2010 and was won by Jon Coleman of West Cornwall with an excellent score of 36 scratch points in blustery

conditions. This event saw 'Exeter University Golf Squad' join in as part of their winter training. Their Performance Coach, Craig Townsend shot a very respectable 35 points to finish in joint 2nd.

Josh Greenaway of Bowood Park won the Perranporth WGS event

with 37 scratch points on a fine day on the 19<sup>th</sup> November 2010.

At this stage after three events Josh Greenaway (pictured left) now leads the Order of Merit on 47.5 points with Jon Coleman in 2<sup>nd</sup> place with 42.5 points and Steve Chapman (St Enodoc) in third place on 37 points.

For more information about Trevoze & Perranporth Golf Clubs visit:

[www.trevoze-gc.co.uk](http://www.trevoze-gc.co.uk) & [www.perranporthgolfclub.co.uk](http://www.perranporthgolfclub.co.uk)

## Downing Destroys West Cornwall with 66 Gross

Twenty-four of the best amateurs golfers in Cornwall played in the 4<sup>th</sup> Winter Golf Series event, held at West Cornwall Golf Club on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2010. There were some excellent scores and the best scratch score of the day was by Truro's Billy Downing.

Billy shot a fantastic score of 39 scratch stableford points to win by 2 shots from Josh Greenaway (Bowood) and Alex Glasson (West Cornwall). Alex Glasson won the handicap prize for an excellent score of 42 points round his home course. Glasson would show his potential later in the Series at St Enodoc.

Another fine performance from Greenaway allowed him to extend his lead on the OoM. He only requires a 2nd place or better in one of the final two events to take the OoM title.

The scoring at West Cornwall was fantastic with level par only gaining a share of 4<sup>th</sup> place. Ben Westgate (2009/10) champion took forth place in this event. There was some good golf from Aaron Stevens (Newquay) with 35 points and Connor Wilson from Perranporth who had 34 points.

For more information about West Cornwall Golf Club visit



**Billy Downing (Truro) in action after a fantastic 39 scratch points at West Cornwall in December**

## Greenaway Secures Order of Merit at Trevose.....an Event Early!



Josh Greenaway. 3rd Place at Trevose (WGS Event 5) was enough to clinch the WGS 2010/11 OoM an event early!

Josh Greenaway, the Golf Manager at Bowood Park Golf Club won the Cornwall Winter Golf Series for 2010/2011 with an event to go. His consistency throughout the winter led to him taking the top honours. This left Coleman & Chapman to battle it out for second at the final event at St Enodoc in February 2011

Greenaway came in third place in the 5th Winter Golf Series event of the 2010/11 campaign, which was held at Trevose Golf Club on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2011. 28 players competed on a windy day, which made the scoring tough and that was reflected in the scores. A huge thanks must go to Trevose Golf Club for hosting two WGS events at their great links during the 2010/11 WGS.

There were three scores of 32 scratch stableford points at the top of the leader board and the first three places were decided by count back. Billy Downing (Truro) made it back-to-back wins with the best back nine score.

Trevose's Managing Director Nick Gammon was in second place on count back and Greenaway in third place. Andy Acosta (Falmouth GC) won the handicap event with an excellent 34 points.

For more information about the great links and offers at Trevose visit

[www.trevose-gc.co.uk](http://www.trevose-gc.co.uk)



## Coleman takes final WGS title @ St Enodoc

Jon Coleman from West Cornwall won the final WGS event at St Enodoc on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> February in very windy conditions.

Coleman scored 32 scratch points for a two shot victory over Steve Chapman (St Enodoc), with Alex Glasson (West Cornwall) in third place on 29 points. Glasson also won the handicap event with 33 points.

The players were drawn in OoM positions so that Chapman & Coleman could keep an eye on each other. With the OoM title in the bag, Greenaway could relax and enjoy the day.

Coleman managed to get the better of Chapman down the closing holes. However, due the OoM being calculated by a play-

ers top four rounds in the WGS, it meant that the conclusion was far from over.....West Cornwall Alex Glasson who finished 3rd in the event missed from four feet on the last to nudge Chapman ahead of Coleman in the OoM by half a point.!

It's never over until the fat lady sings!



**Coleman managed to take the top honours in the final event at St Enodoc**

For more information about St Enodoc visit [www.st-enodoc.go.uk](http://www.st-enodoc.go.uk)

## Cornwall Pro's Retained the Trophy in April 2011 @ Perranporth GC

The annual match against Cornwall Pro's was another close affair. Sadly many of the top 8 in the original WGS OoM were unable to play due to other playing commitments across the UK. However, the team was made up of some fantastic players selected from their positioning in the final WGS OoM standings & availability. The match is played over 18 holes consisting of a fourball and a singles. A huge thanks to Perranporth Golf Club for hosting the match which was rescheduled due to moving dates because of a back-log of CTC matches that needed playing from the frozen winter conditions in Cornwall

### FOURBALLS

Mike Reynard & Steve Davis Beat Phil Brooks & Russell Binney by one hole.  
Jon Coleman & Steve Chapman lost to Richard Sadler & Gary Lenaghan 4 & 3  
Adam Taylor & Alex Glasson beat Paul Turpin & Grant Slater 4 & 3  
Josh Greenaway & Richard Ackland beat Scott Richards & Wayne Graham 3 & 2  
Chris Llewelyn & Connor Wilson lost to Adam Frayne & Simon Wood one down.

### SINGLES

Reynard beat Brooks 5&4  
Davis lost to Binney 3&2  
Coleman lost to Sadler 4&3  
Chapman lost to Lenaghan 6&5  
Taylor halved with Slater  
Glasson lost to Turpin 1 down  
Greenaway beat Graham 3&2  
Ackland lost to Richards 3&2  
Llewelyn lost to Frayne 5&4  
Wilson beat Wood 5&4

**Final Score: PRO'S 8.5 WGS 6.5**

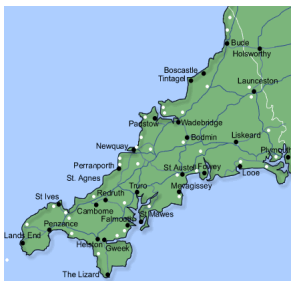
**Next year we'll beat 'em !!!!!!!**

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[www.truro.ac.uk](http://www.truro.ac.uk)

We have a Facebook group set up where players can view tournament reports and photos. Search 'Cornwall Winter Golf Series' and find us



**2011-12 WGS DATES**

Sun 2nd Oct 2011  
West Cornwall GC

Sun 13th Nov 2011  
St Enodoc GC

Sun 4th Dec 2011  
Newquay GC

Sun 22nd Jan 2012  
Trevose GC

Sun 5th Feb 2012  
Perranporth GC

**FINAL 2010/11 WGS Order of Merit**

Position	Name	Home Club	Points
1	Josh Greenaway	Bowood	69.33
2	Steve Chapman	St Enodoc	65.5
3	Jon Coleman	West Cornwall	65
4	Billy Downing	Truro	48.33
5	Ben Westgate	Trevose	47
6	Antony Nash	Newquay	44
7	Tom Fox	China Fleet	43
8	Adam Taylor	Perranporth	38.5



Players needed to play at least four events to qualify for the OoM. The top 17 players at each event get points.

The points in the league table above are the best four points scores that each player had. These top eight players qualified for the match V Cornwall Pro's (see page 3)

**Why have a Winter Golf Series & what will next year bring?..The 2011/12 Cornwall WGS**

Why have a Winter Golf Series? It's simple really. It's a reason to get all of the top players in Cornwall together more often, competing against each other. This is so hard to do in the summer with other tournaments and commitments. Of course the weather might be bad and we might have to cancel the occasional event, but you can guarantee that players will compete harder and be sharper in the early season of the following year.

**In our opinion the WGS = low players together = competing hard = More success for 'One & All' in future competitive situations**

The 2011/12 WGS will once again link up with Simon Wood (Cornwall Golf Development Officer) who will manage and administer the events. Our plan is to have all of the best players competing against each other on a regular basis to give all players more opportunities to 'GO LOW'.

The 2011/12 WGS will have a five events and we may well line up another match as well as the annual fixture against Cornwall Pro's.

If anybody would like to help with the WGS or if any one would like to support or sponsor the events we would love to hear from you.

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