

# ENTRY FORM

## The Golf Environment Awards 2020



### Get recognition for your ecological and environmental focus by entering the 2020 Golf Environment Awards.

Entry is open to all golf clubs and courses in the UK, no matter what size or type. Every golf course has an equal chance of winning an award – the judging is based solely on your environmental focus and projects.

It is free to enter the awards and the closing date for entries is **Friday 26th July 2019**.

You can enter by completing this Entry Form and sending to Golf Environment Awards, STRI, St Ives Estate, Bingley, BD16 1AU or alternatively you can enter online at [www.golfenvironmentawards.com](http://www.golfenvironmentawards.com).

Please contact the STRI Ecology Team on 01274 565131 or email [info@golfenvironmentawards.com](mailto:info@golfenvironmentawards.com) if you have any queries on the awards and/or how to enter.

Details on the categories along with tips on what to include in your entry can be found online at [www.golfenvironmentawards.com](http://www.golfenvironmentawards.com) and in our 'Awards Overview' leaflet.



#### Section 1 – Contact Details

Golf Club Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Address 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Address 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
City/Town \_\_\_\_\_  
County \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_  
Tel \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Job Title/Position \_\_\_\_\_

#### Section 2 – About the Club

Type of Club – please select one of the following:

Membership   
Private   
Pay & Play   
Other  (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_



### Section 3 – Environmental Management & Communication

A. Do you have an Environmental Management Policy or Plan? Yes  No

If Yes, how is your environmental policy/plan implemented and checked? \_\_\_\_\_  
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B. Do you communicate your environmental initiatives within the club and/or externally? Yes  No

If Yes, how do you communicate your environmental initiatives? \_\_\_\_\_  
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C. Do you consult other organisations regarding environmental issues? Yes  No

If Yes, which organisations do you consult? \_\_\_\_\_  
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D. Have you received any accreditations or awards for your environmental initiatives/projects? Yes  No

If Yes, please specify which accreditations/awards you have received? \_\_\_\_\_  
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### Section 4 – Select Categories

Please select which of the following categories you would like to enter. You can enter just one category or all the categories – it's up to the individual golf club to decide which award/s they would like to be considered for:

**Environmental Golf Course of the Year** – to be considered for this Award you will need to demonstrate efficient management of all the four categories below and provide details of the team and responsibilities involved in managing these initiatives/projects – **complete Sections 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d and 6:**

- a. Nature Conservation Management
- b. Turfgrass Management
- c. Waste Management
- d. Water Management

**Conservation Greenkeeper of the Year** – **complete Sections 7a & 7b**

**Outstanding Environmental Project of the Year** – Please select from the following categories:

- a. Nature Conservation Management - **complete Section 5a**
- b. Turfgrass Management – **complete Section 5b**
- c. Waste Management – **complete Section 5c**
- d. Water Management – **complete Section 5d**
- e. Other – **complete Section 5e**

## Section 5 – Environmental Projects & Management

Please complete the sections required as indicated in Section 4.

5a. Nature Conservation Management – please outline your strategy and initiatives for maximising biodiversity on your golf course.

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5b. Turfgrass Management – please describe your approach to turf management and your achievements in maintaining environmentally sound turf.

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5c. Waste Management – please outline your waste management policy and any initiatives undertaken to reduce your waste footprint.

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5d. Water Management – please give details of your water management policy and any initiatives related to water resource efficiency.

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5e. Other – please give details.

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## Section 6 – Environmental Management - Team & Responsibilities

Please complete the sections required as indicated in Section 4.

6. Please give details on why your team should be considered the most environmentally sound in the UK for 2016, including information on who your team is and what they are responsible for.

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