

# Costa del Golf

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## Golf Boo a big hit at Marbella G&CC



Over thirty tour operators, golf agencies and members of the specialized press were invited to Marbella Golf & Country Club last Thursday to play in, what is hoped, will become an annual competition as a means of thanking them for booking thousands of green fee rounds.

Upon arrival at 08:30 coffee and pastries were served, scorecards and welcome bags were collected from golf course manager, Satu, and participants leisurely found their way to the back nine tees

for a 09:30 shotgun start. Conditions for golf were perfect, the heat as per most of spring wasn't oppressive. The course presented itself in fine conditions for which special mention must be given to course superintendent and agronomy specialist, Mike Rogers who has made a series of overall improvements. The course was redesigned a few years ago and has bedded in well; the well-documented saga of the dilapidated building by the 18th tee is no more and flawless views can now be enjoyed all along the Mediterranean. In fact, this hole has been recently lengthened and is no longer a mere 'drive and flick.' All were in unison that the greens were slick and true. This was reflected in the scoring with some decent cards being returned, if nothing spectacular. Robert Hall won the First Division with 36 points whilst yours truly finished 2nd on 34 points.

If you haven't been to Marbella Golf & Country Club before then one of the highlights is the splendid club house open to members and

visitors alike. As mentioned, the views from the terrace are second to none. It overlooks a double green - 9th and 18th - where you can witness many a good score being made or ruined on the expansive, sloping green. After a three-course lunch, general manager, Californian Mike Munden, thanked all attendees for their efforts and we look forward to returning in 2014.

It was also cause for a double celebration as the launch party for local golf internet portal, 'Golf Boo' got underway the same day at 4pm. This company, which has its office premises in the basement of the club house, is the brainchild of golf marketing guru, Antonio Conde, and business partner, Fabio Peral. Many



readers will recognize the latter name from his time as commercial manager at La Quinta Golf & CC. As the web

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Mon 17th	Santa Maria	at 11.04	47€ buggy 29€
Tues 18th	Parador	at 10.16	49€ buggy 25€
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Sat 22nd	Calanova	at 10.30	43€ inc. buggy

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site says the concept is simple: 'Rating the Golf World.' Cava was served and after the welcome Fabio gave an introduction and run through the system explaining that they had found a gap in the market for a worldwide website which rated golf courses internationally according to strict criteria; whilst for golf tour operators there is the opportunity to upload packages to reach a direct market. Fabio put it succinctly "Some people have said we are the Tripadvisor of golf. We are, but only better."

For the record, Marbella Golf & Country Club currently has an overall 7.6 rating with special mention to the greens

which golfers have awarded 9.0. Don't take my word for it!

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