

the war, they could not agree [to the proposal]! They did though offer the land previously used, sufficient for a 9-hole course, at a nominal rent of £10 for three years and thereafter at £50, subject to reservation of training rights and grazing rights. The committee were clearly not taken by the War Departments proposal and recommended that the Corporation could not entertain the proposal. As such

Dover Golf Course was never re-instated and appears to have been dissolved in 1948 when the secretary was T E Archer of Harold Terrace, Dover.

At the time the nine hole course had a Standard Scratch Score of 71.

The Dover Society Executive Committee

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Our Society is now in its 34th Year and continues to support, challenge, and develop all planning and day to day issues that affect our lovely town of Dover. During that time various teams and committees have evolved so as the varying interests of active members can be directed into meeting the Society's core objectives. Currently we have the Planning and Refurbishment Teams which meet mainly monthly. In addition to this there are the Project Teams such as Cowgate Cemetery and the River Dour which are physically active in meeting their remit.

Overseeing all this action is the Executive Committee comprising Chairman, Vice Chair, Honorary Treasurer, Secretary and between eight to twelve members. Roles covered by members include Membership Secretary, Minutes Secretary, Newsletter Editor, Newsletter distribution, Chairs of Planning and Refurbishment, Press Secretary, Social Secretary and Web Master. We are needing to give some of these long serving members a rest as they have 'served their time' and will be stepping down at the next Annual General Meeting in April. The Executive Posts that are available for you to consider are:-

Honorary Treasurer
Secretary
Membership Secretary

We have 'job descriptions' compiled by the current holder, and these are available on request to either alan.lee1947@ntlworld.com or jenny.olpin@gmail.com Further contact details are available at the front of this Newsletter. Certainly, do not hesitate to speak to those whom you might know and who are currently active on any of these Society groups.

Further to this our long serving Chairman is also involved in the Winter Monthly meetings. He now needs support with this role in seeking speakers and operating the 'tech' at the events held at St Mary's Hall. Monthly meetings are only held in October, November, January, March and April, the February meeting being a Quiz Night. Does this sound like a job you could do?

It is time to bring in new members to these Executive roles, which are not arduous, but crucial to the ongoing purpose and influencing the future development of The Dover Society. We need you and look forward to speaking with you.