

Powfoot Golf Course

Our favourite but perhaps we are biased! This is an excellent 18 hole challenge close to the Solway Firth.

Laid out by the prolific James Braid at the beginning of the last century (the club was formed in 1903), the 6283 yards of this links course are woven across part of an undulating plain of sand. Excellent use of the land has been made and the neighbouring holes are frequently screened from the golfers' view as they play along the low links between high gorse topped dunes. The 8th and 11th are prime examples of this.

In dry weather this is classic bump and run territory and when the wind blows across the Irish sea and the Solway Firth then you will find a taste of the game for which the Home of Golf is so renowned. The greens are ample. The main hazards are gorse and some large bunkers. Some holes are easy (17th), some holes are dangerous (2nd) and others are just downright pleasant (6th). Mind you its not often you play a hole which has been bombed! Better watch for that crater at the 9th - its deep.



Golfing

The Powfoot Golf Hotel is of course situated next door to the famous championship links of Powfoot. As our reputation has grown for providing access to excellent golfing, so has our sphere of golfing influence which now takes our guests right across our home region and farther afield to the Scottish Borders and Cumbria.

Please ask us for details of our current golf breaks and packages.

The following pages contain details of the main courses you should consider when planning your stay with us.

Dumfries & County Golf Club

18 holes, 5918 yards, Par 69, SSS 69

A beautiful 18 hole course in undulating parkland bordering the River Nith where Robert Burns used to walk.

Thornhill Golf Club

18 holes, 6085 yards, Par 71, SSS 70

The course is a mix of parkland and heath land in Mid Nithsdale about 25 miles from the hotel. The journey is well worth it for this interesting course surrounded by wonderful scenery. The rare red squirrel is still seen in some of the wooded areas.

Southerness Golf Club

18 holes, 6566 yards, Par 69, SSS 73

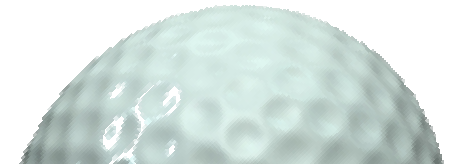
Championship links course. The heather and gorse together with the prevailing south-westerly wind make this excellent course a real challenge. Not recommended for beginners but considered by many to be the jewel in the crown of golf in Dumfries & Galloway.

Colvend Golf Club

18 holes, 5250 yards, Par 69, SSS 67

This shorter-than-average course, which was extended to 18 holes, has received unanimous approval from all of our visiting parties. A little hilly in parts but you will be rewarded with the same wonderful views as it's illustrious nearby neighbour, Southerness.

18 holes, 6283 yards, SSS 71



The Powfoot Golf Hotel and Powfoot Golf Course have together been described as a marriage made in heaven offering superb golfing in a beautiful location, overlooking the Solway Firth. As well as Powfoot there are over thirty golf courses in Dumfries and Galloway, ranging in styles. We are in easy driving distance of many of Cumbria and the Scottish Borders' finest courses too.

Here at The Powfoot Golf Hotel we offer various packages for golfers and can arrange your stay at the hotel and also rounds of golf at many courses in Dumfries and Galloway.



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The map below shows the location of the main courses you should consider when planning your stay with us.



For further details and travel directions to these courses visit our website golf portal at:

www.thepowfootgolfhotel.co.uk/golf

Lochmaben Golf Club

18 holes, 5954 yards, Par 70, SSS 70

Occupying an historic area around the Kirk Loch. This is an 18 hole parkland course and is one of our most scenic courses. The area has deep associations with Robert the Bruce.

Lockerbie Golf Club

18 holes, 5418 yards, Par 67, SSS 67

The 18 hole parkland course is in an open agricultural setting with some water hazards, which add to the challenge.

Moffat Golf Club

18 holes, 5218 yards, Par 69, SSS 67

A lovely upland course designed by Ben Sayers and opened in 1884. This can be a real test with the direction and strength of the wind adding to the challenge. The absolutely outstanding views alone make the 22 mile journey from Powfoot worthwhile.

Silloth on Solway Golf Club

18 holes, 6070 yards, SSS 70

On the other side of the Solway in Cumbria this is one of England's finest links courses. Playing Silloth, Powfoot and Southernness will give you a real feast of links golf.

Dumfries & Galloway Golf Club

18 holes, 6309 yards, Par 70, SSS 71

A challenging and varied 18 hole course set on the outskirts of Dumfries.