



**YEARLY TICKET CATEGORIES AND PRICES 1 APRIL 2025 TO 31 MARCH 2026**

TICKET DESCRIPTION	TYPE	FULL	RESTRICTED	REQUIREMENTS & CONDITIONS OF USE
<b>Residents</b>				
Residents of the town of St Andrews	RES	£386	£198	Resident conditions apply (see note 4)
Residents of the town of St Andrews – 5 Day Monday to Friday	RES-5	£295	£147	Resident conditions apply (see note 4)
Residents of the town of St Andrews Straththyrum and Balgove only	RSB	N/A	£95	Resident conditions apply (see note 4)
<b>North East Fife</b>				
Residents of NE Fife who are members of recognised Golf Clubs in St Andrews	NEF	£658	£341	Proof of residence, current local club membership. (Proof of current handicap required for new full tickets only) Waiting list in operation.
Residents of NE Fife who are members of recognised Golf Clubs in St Andrews – 5 day Monday to Friday	NEF-5	£505	£255	Proof of residence, current local club membership. (Proof of current handicap required for new full tickets only) Waiting list in operation.
<b>Ordinary</b>				
Adult members of recognised Golf Clubs in St Andrews and who live outwith NE Fife Area	ORD	£931	£482	Proof of current local club membership. (Proof of current handicap required for new full tickets only) Waiting list in operation.
Adult members of recognised Golf Clubs in St Andrews and who live outwith NE Fife Area – 5 day Monday to Friday	ORD-5	£716	£363	Proof of current local club membership. (Proof of current handicap required for new full tickets only) Waiting list in operation.
<b>Open Links Ticket</b>				
Adult	OLT	£1249	£817	Proof of current handicap for new full tickets only. Waiting list in operation.
Adult - 5 Day Monday to Friday	OLT-5	£924	£590	Proof of current handicap for new full tickets only. Waiting list in operation.

\* Full tickets allow play over all courses. Restricted tickets give access to all courses except the Old & Castle courses.



February 2025

Dear Golfer

Your Yearly Ticket is due for renewal by 31 March 2025 for the year 1 April 2025 – 31 March 2026 and I am pleased to enclose a renewal form for you to complete and return, along with the Yearly Ticket categories and prices for 2025/26 which have been agreed by Trustees.

There is a waiting list for NEF, ORD and OLT categories of Yearly Tickets. Therefore, if you hold one of these Yearly Tickets you may lose your ticket if you do not renew by 31 March 2025. If you hold any other category and do not renew by this date your ticket will be suspended until you renew.

**Required for Renewing:**

Residents of St Andrews*	Completed application form returned payment (see note 1)
North East Fife**	Completed application form returned with payment (see note 1) 2025/2026 membership of Local Golf Club
Ordinary **	Completed application form returned with payment (see note 1) 2025/2026 membership of Local Golf Club ***
Open Links Ticket **	Completed application form returned with payment (see note1)

\* St Andrews Links Trust reserves the right to ask for additional information for proof of residence.

\*\* A current handicap card/certificate is required for those purchasing their first Full Ticket in NEF, ORD and OLT categories of ticket – please contact [yearlytickets@standrews.com](mailto:yearlytickets@standrews.com)

\*\*\* Those with ORD tickets issued prior to 1999 do not require Local Club Membership.

The decision of the Trustees of the St Andrews Links Trust as to an applicant's eligibility for any category of ticket shall be final.

Junior & Youth Ticket Holders will receive a separate Form and Guidelines.

Please see more information on the different ways you can renew your Yearly Ticket in the Yearly Ticket Information attached.

Your current ticket will be re-validated when payment is received unless you are changing your ticket category (see note 2).

Your Yearly Ticket can also be used to store credit for practice balls at St Andrews Links Golf Academy. Reduced rates are available to ticket holders on 600, 1200, 2400 and 12000 ball credits. To find out more, please ask staff on your next visit to the Golf Academy.

If you would like any further information about Yearly Tickets, please contact us by email [yearlytickets@standrews.com](mailto:yearlytickets@standrews.com) We look forward to receiving your completed renewal form and wish you success on the Links during the coming season.

Yours sincerely

John Grant  
Director of Golf

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## 2025-2026 Yearly Ticket Information

### 1. Renewal Options

We would like to encourage all Yearly Ticket holders to renew online. If this is not possible then the renewal form may be returned by post.

**a) Online:** <https://standrews.com/golf/links-ticketholders>

The online payment method is available up until midnight 31st March 2025

**Payment Method:** Debit or credit card.

If using this renewal method please do not send any documentation by post.

**b) Post to:** Reservations Dept., Pilmour House, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9SF

**Payment Method:** Cheque payable to "St Andrews LMC" (Please do not postdate cheques)

### 2. Changing your category of Yearly Ticket at renewal time

If you wish to change the category of ticket held or the amount of play within that category e.g. Full to Restricted or 7-day to 5-day, please mark clearly on the renewal form the new type of ticket you wish to purchase for 2025/2026

A new ticket valid from 1 April 2025 will be sent to you as soon as possible. (7-day allows access each day of the week. 5-day allows access Mon-Fri only.)

### 3. Changes at Quarterly Intervals

Changes in residence which result in a change of category of ticket e.g. OLT to NEF, will be permitted at the quarterly intervals of 30 June, 30 September and 31 December provided all criteria are met. For changes to play within the Yearly Ticket Category, an upgrade e.g. 5-day to 7-day play, will only be allowed at the quarterly intervals. A reduction of access within any category will only be permitted at the annual renewal.

With the exception of resident categories, any change from restricted to full ticket will require proof of a current official handicap.

### 4. Resident Yearly Ticket

Permanent residents of the town of St Andrews (and who are registered on the electoral roll) may apply for resident yearly tickets. The Trustees have adopted the boundaries contained in the St Andrews Local Area Plan approved by North East Fife District Council in March 1996. Only persons permanently resident within these boundaries may purchase resident yearly tickets.

Applicants must produce sufficient and acceptable proof of permanent residence within St Andrews. Additional evidence may be requested by St Andrews Links Trust.

**In determining questions of residence the decision of the Trustees of the St Andrews Links Trust shall be final.**

Children and young people not yet entitled to appear on the electoral roll in their own right must be able to demonstrate that their parents or guardians appear on the roll and that they are permanent residents of St Andrews.

Residents of St Andrews who move out of the town and who have held a resident ticket for a minimum of two full calendar years will be granted automatic transfer to a NEF or ORD category provided they are members of a local golf club, or OLT category if they are not.

### 5. NEF, ORD and OLT

There are combined limits on the numbers of tickets sold in these categories. **If you do not renew by 31 March 2025, you may lose your ticket.** All purchasers of NEF and ORD categories of ticket, including those renewing, **must be members of a recognised golf club in St Andrews.**

**To qualify** for any of the NEF category tickets, applicants must also be permanently resident within the 1996 North East Fife District Council boundary ("**North East Fife**") and be registered on the electoral roll. Applicants must produce sufficient and acceptable proof of permanent residence within North East Fife. Additional evidence may be requested by St Andrews Links Trust.

**In determining questions of residence the decision of the Trustees of the St Andrews Links Trust shall be final.**

Children and young people not yet entitled to appear on the electoral roll in their own right must be able to demonstrate that their parents or guardians appear on the roll and that they are permanent residents of North East Fife.

Open Links Tickets (OLT) are for golfers who are not members of recognised Golf Clubs in St Andrews and live outwith the town. If you do not renew by 31 March 2025, you may lose your ticket.

### 6. Guest Concessions

Guest concessions are available to golfers in the following categories: RES, NEF, ORD, OLT or Full Members of the R&A. **The guest must play with the Yearly Ticket holder who requires to have his/her yearly ticket with him/her for displaying to the Starter.**

For 2025/2026 qualifying ticket holders will be entitled to following number of guest points:

RES – 30 guest points - Full or Restricted

RSB – 20 guest points

NEF – 20 guest points - Full or Restricted

ORD – 20 guest points - Full or Restricted

OLT – 12 guest points – Full or Restricted

Guest points may be used on all courses available within the Yearly Ticket category.

Guest concessions do not apply to any Youth/Junior categories.

Guest concessions may be used in any permutation with the number of points used depending on the course being played. A ticket holder must play with his guests and may take a maximum of 3 guests at any one time. The points and charges for each course for 2025/2026 are set out below:

Course	No of Points	April Spring Shoulder Season	High Season	Oct/Nov Autumn Shoulder Season	Low Season
Old	4	£56.25	£85	£60	£42.50
Castle	3	£30	£45	£31.25	£22.50
New	3	£25	£37.50	£26.25	£18.75
Jubilee	2	£25	£37.50	£26.25	£18.75
Eden	2	£12.50	£18.75	£13.75	£9.50
Strathtyrum	2	£8.75	£13.75	£10	£7
Balgove	1	£2	£3.75	£2	£2

#### Old Course

Shoulder Season: 1 – 13 April and 20 – 31 October 2025

High Season: 14 April – 19 October 2025

Low Season: 1 November 2025 – 31 March 2026

#### Castle Course (closed tba November 2025 – 28 February 2026)

Shoulder Season: 1 – 13 April and 20 October – tba November 2025

High Season: 14 April – 19 October 2025

Low Season: 1 - 31 March 2026

#### Other Courses

Shoulder Season: 1 April – 13 April and 20 October – 30 November 2025

High Season: 14 April – 19 October 2025

Low Season: 1 December 2025 – 31 March 2026

### 7. Local Priority Tee-Times - Old Course

The Links Management Committee would like to remind all Yearly Ticket Holders that Local Priority ballot times must only be used by yearly ticket holders to play with other yearly ticket holders and/or to introduce bona fide guests, and must not be used for commercial/personal financial gain. These times give eligible ticket holders (RES, NEF, STU & R&A) a range of start times that only they can apply for which gives them preference over other ticket holders and visitors.