

# Gareth's Course Blog



Hello to all of the members and friends of our Llanwern Community. I hope everybody is well and staying safe. I am all good if not starting to get a little lonely! I have even started talking to my little friend pictured with me above for some company!

Good news though as I will have some more company to look forward to because the moor hen eggs have started to hatch. So far there are two chicks. Mother and babies are doing fine and are looking forward to getting all the lovely food the members feed them hopefully soon.

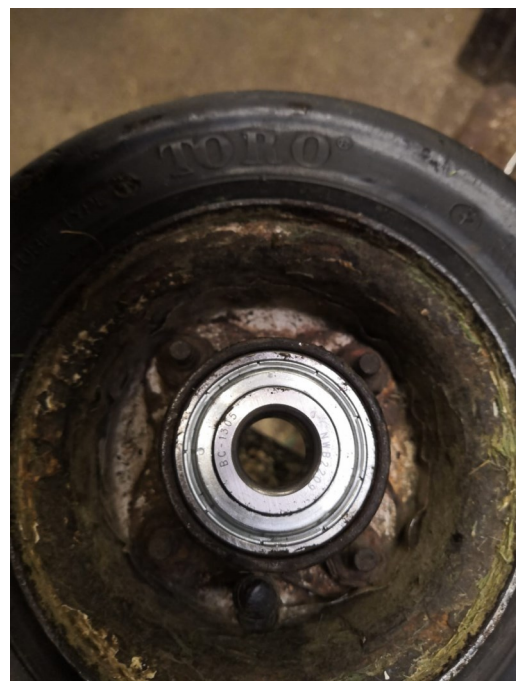


Well my sun tan that was coming on great guns last week has come to a shuddering halt with the last few days rain. Even if I do look a little grumpy in the pic I was actually grateful for some!!



I can't actually believe I am saying I was grateful for rain after enduring the wettest winter on record but the course did actually need it. I managed to make the most of it by spraying some wetting agent combined with a small amount of nutrition and a growth regulator to help slow down the top growth.

The heavy rain also afforded me some time to get on top of a couple of maintenance jobs including replacing some wheel bearings with nice shiny new ones!!



This past week has also seen work start by British Rail installing a new fence that will run the length of the 5th and 6th holes and the practice area.



I have been keeping in regular contact with Steve who has been giving me feedback from the members. He has said lots of you are asking for more pictures of the flowers that have been planted. Here are the wild flowers between the 5th and the 6th plus a couple of others.....Beautiful.

Until next week

Stay Safe Everybody

**Gareth x**

