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### **Amy's award boost before bid for historic hat-trick**



Amy Boulden has been named as Welsh Amateur Golf of the Year as she prepares for Wales's attempt to achieve an historic hat-trick of Home Internationals titles on home ground in Cardiff this week.



The North Wales 17-year-old was presented with the award in a glittering ceremony at Ryder Cup venue Celtic Manor by Golf Union of Wales chairman Louise Fleet, the awards being sponsored by Cardiff company Future Financials.



But after the glamour it was straight down to business and practising at the Whitchurch club for the Home Internationals which Wales have won for the last two years, in fact Boulden has never been on a losing side after making her debut in that first victory.



Pic:- Amy receives her award from GUW Chairman Louise Fleet

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## **Rhys receives top Welsh award**

Rhys Davies has been named the Welsh Tour Professional of the Year after his first full season on the European Tour, including winning his first Race to Dubai event.

He was unable to collect the Future Financials Golf Union of Wales award in person at a glittering ceremony in the Ryder Cup venue Celtic Manor as he was competing in Switzerland.

Davies is also preparing for a special role at the Ryder Cup as assistant to captain Colin Montgomerie, picked out to gain experience of the unique event as a likely Ryder Cup player of the future.



Pic:- Rhys' father Graham collects award on Rhys' behalf from Ryder Cup legend Brain Huggett

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## **Andy's work bring top reward**

Golf professional Andy Humphries was determined to give youngsters in Mid Wales opportunities which he did not have growing up, as his parents clocked up the miles to let him develop his game.

That drive now has hundreds of children getting golf coaching through their schools, involving the area's seven clubs, and resulted in Humphries being awarded the Golf Development Wales PGA Professional of the Year at a glittering ceremony at Ryder Cup venue Celtic Manor backed by Cardiff company Future Financials.



The former assistant pro at Llanymynech golf club was appointed two years ago as a roving professional across all the clubs involved in setting up the Montgomeryshire Golf Forum.

Pic:- Andy receives his award from Andy Morgan Chairman of Golf Development Wales.

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### **Harlech rewarded for going back to the future**

One of the oldest and highest rated golf clubs in Wales was rewarded for modernising itself and preparing for the future when Royal St David's in Harlech was named as Golf Union of Wales Welsh Golf Club of the Year. The internationally reknowned course received the trophy in a glittering ceremony at Ryder Cup venue Celtic Manor with the presentation from Jim Smith, the managing director of Cardiff company Future Financials who sponsored the awards.



The course is regularly ranked in the top 50 in Great Britain and Ireland, has hosted several top events for both amateurs and professionals, including both the S4C Wales Ladies Championship of Europe and Ladies British Open Amateur Championship last year.

Pic:- Chris Kerin Captain and Trefor Davies Manager, receive the award on behalf of Royal St David's from the Manager Director of sponsors Future Financials Jim Smith.

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### **Europe win Mini Ryder Cup**

If Colin Montgomerie is looking for inspiration ahead of the Ryder Cup clash with the United States in less than a month, then he could look at a group of youngsters from host city Newport.

For more than 70 children from across Newport took part in a Mini Ryder Cup and Team Europe was victorious against Team USA by 22 and a half points to 17 – hopefully a good omen ahead of the Celtic Manor

contest where the real Team Europe will try to regain the trophy under Monty's captaincy.

The competition was at Caerleon golf club, just a couple of miles from the TwentyTen course itself, a nine hole academy course which was opened by former Ryder Cup captain Ian Woosnam as part of the Ryder Cup Wales Legacy Fund.



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## **Wales World Champs challenge**

Two of Wales's top juniors will be among the men's and ladies teams aiming to try and put Welsh golf on the map at senior level during next month's World Championships in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Amy Boulden and Rhys Pugh, who both turn 17 this year, have been selected for the Espirito Santo and Eisenhower Trophy teams respectively after an exciting summer of notable achievements.

Boulden showed she can already compete at the highest level of Ladies golf with a string on top quality performances including qualifying for the Ricoh Ladies' British Open, finishing runner up in the St Rule Trophy at St Andrews and the Ladies British Open Stroke Play at Tenby. [For full story click here](#)