Different Strokes

Philip Reid

Rahm keeps Irish eyes smiling

Jon Rahm popped over to London to take in a bit of tennis at Wimbledon but the time out from golf will be a brief one, and the Spaniard – who has become something of an influencer in terms of promoting Irish links courses – will be back here during the week to continue his preparations for next week's 148th British Open at Royal Portrush.

In the aftermath of his latest DDF Irish Open success, Rahm's words of praise for Irish golf were like something that had been fed to him by a marketer in Tourism Ireland.

The word "great" featured quite a lot, as in: "It's a great golf course," he said of Lahinch.

"It's a great tournament," he said of the Irish Open. "It's a great host country," he said of Ireland.

Anyway, Rahm's decision to return to these shores in the coming days to get a further flavour of links golf is something of a throwback given that Tom Watson, Tiger Woods, Mark O'Meara and Stewart Cink – who actually numbered Lahinch among the prep courses he played ahead of winning his Claret Jug – all visited Ireland in their prep work ahead of playing in the Open.

Rahm certainly ticked all the boxes in claiming this latest Irish Open success, to go with his win at Portstewart in 2017.

And he also revealed a connection with Ireland rooted in his girlfriend's lineage.

Irish Open winner Jon Rahm of Spain celebrates with girlfriend Kelley Cahill

"When I come here, I feel like I'm at home, the support is unbelievable. I'm going to start believing it's because of Kelley. Here last name is Cahill and she's from this county originally.

Her mom's last name is McClean, so there's a lot of Irish in her family, so a little bit of that Irish luck when I come."

Apart from that great golf game, it would seem Rahm also has the gift of the gab; which is not a bad thing at all.

Word of mouth (I)

"It's very inspiring the way they play tennis. You can learn a lot how you want to play golf. There's so much commitment. There's no holding back, so much belief in their skills"

– Martin Kaymer on taking inspiration from watching Rafa Nadal and Roger Federer at Wimbledon

By the numbers

4.5m

The R&A has announced a 19 per cent increase in prize money for the upcoming AIG British Women's Open to $4,500,000. Georgia Hall (above) defends her title at Woburn next month.

Fitzgerald misses out on Wolff's win

Matthew Wolff's reputation as the next-great-thing in golf was given some credence with the 20-year-old's win in the 3M championship on the PGA Tour in just his third outing as a professional . . . and you can only wonder how JP Fitzgerald felt about it all.

Fitzgerald, of course, was the bagman for Rory McIlroy through his four career Major wins before getting the elbow just about two years ago and had stayed away from looping until a couple of weeks ago when he carried the bag for Wolff in The Travelers championship in what was seen as a trial run.

Unfortunately for him, Fitzgerald didn't get the gig. And Wolff's remarkable breakthrough win – quicker even than that of Tiger Woods back in the day – was achieved with a new caddie, Steve Lohmeyer, on the job.

Twitter twaddle

A big thanks again to @mcginleygolf and everyone involved at the @DDFIrishOpen for staging such a great event! Always a pleasure to play in front of the Irish crowds. Big congrats to Mr Rolex Series' @JonRahmpga on your third – **Bernd Wiesberger (right) showing a bit of class**

WOW, what an amazing week!! I love this tournament, the country and the people. Thank you for making me feel at home #DDFIrishOpen #RolexSeries #vamos

– Jon Rahm ticking all the right boxes

Well that was nothing short of amazing. Congratulations to our Champion @JonRahmprga on his victory and great gold all week. Thank you to our tournament host @mcginleygolf and also to all our sponsors and partners who helped make the 2019 @DDFIrishOpen the spectacle it was!

– the official Twitter account of Lahinch Golf Club, who emerged as winners in their own right too.

Word of Mouth (II)

"It's life-changing. You've seen it all before. First-time winners . . . this is something that I've always dreamed of as a kid growing up"

– Matthew Wolff, the 20-year-old American, on his breakthrough win – playing on a sponsor's invitation in the 3M tournament on the PGA Tour

Know the rules

Q Player A's tee shot is pushed into a wooded area. On reaching the copse of trees, and in searching for his ball, finds one which he believes to be a stray ball and lifts it up. However, on inspecting it, he then realises that that ball is actually the ball in play. He player then decides to play under the stroke and distance rule. What number shot is he playing next?

A Under Rule 18.1/2, a penalty cannot be avoided by playing under stroke and distance. So, Player A gets a one stroke penalty under Rule 9.4b in addition to the stroke and distance penalty under Rule 18.1, since at the time the ball was lifted the player was not allowed to lift the ball and had no intention to play under stroke and distance. The player's next stroke will be his fourth.

In the bag

Jon Rahm
Dubai Duty Free Irish Open

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Golf **Tour News**

McGinley rules out hosting again next year

Philip Reid
Golf Correspondent

McIlroy to resume competitive play at Scottish Open alongside Dunne, McDowell and Harrington

If anything the success of the Dubai Duty Free Irish Open at Lahinch – where the aggregate attendance figures of 86,793 were augmented by the wonderful atmosphere, the quality of the course and a gold-star champion in Jon Rahm – only served to underline the ability to think outside the box to make things work.

Paul McGinley, the tournament host, deserves great credit for daring to take the championship to Lahinch, where the host club, Clare County Council and the Garda worked with the PGA European Tour to ensure it maintained its reputation as one of the premier events on circuit this side of the Atlantic.

However, McGinley has ruled himself out of doing back-to-back hosting duties. And while he has a role in some decision-making at European Tour level as he is a member of the board and the tournament committee, the Dubliner will not be as closely involved in the mechanisms for next year's tournament at a time and place yet to be decided.

"The condensed schedule next year, it's put a challenge on us. Next year is accentuated by the fact it's an Olympic year and Ryder Cup year. When you put all those into the melting pot it makes it difficult, it makes it challenging.

Perfect way

"Honestly, I met with Keith Pelley [last Friday]. He doesn't know; he has no idea where we're going, and we don't know the [tournament] host yet. It might be Pádraig [Harrington] but we haven't confirmed that, honestly, and we haven't confirmed the venue, and we haven't confirmed the date," said McGinley.

"But like all things it will be resolved. It mightn't be resolved in a perfect way because I don't think there is a perfect way. But we will resolve it."

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The biggest fly in the ointment, so to speak, is the understanding that the PGA Tour wants to move forward the WGC-St Jude Classic to the same date in the calendar currently occupied by the Irish Open. On the last occasion such a clash happened (when the then WGC-Bridgestone was held directly against the French Open) the European Tour decided not to award Ryder Cup points to its players who competed in Akron over Paris.

"I don't know if that would really work to be honest," said McGinley when asked if that could be the case again in the event of a clash next year.

"We're working very closely with the PGA Tour, a lot closer than we have ever done. Relations between the PGA and European Tours are really strong, harmonious. I know this date, this Irish Open, is high on the agenda in the communication between Keith and Jay [Monahan, of the PGA Tour]."

That meeting between the two tour chiefs is scheduled to take place at Royal Portrush next week during the 148th British Open championship, when a clearer picture will emerge on how or if a clash can be averted.

On the tournament front this week, Rory McIlroy – who bypassed Lahinch last week as part of his scheduling aimed at peaking for next week's final Major of the season – resumes competitive play at the Scottish Open at the Renaissance Club outside Edinburgh. McIlroy is joined in the field by Paul Dunne – who needs a top 10 finish to have a chance of earning his ticket to Portrush – Graeme McDowell and Harrington.

Challenge Tour

After their fine performances in Lahinch, Cormac Sharvin – who jumped to 404th from 479th in the world rankings on the back of his top 15 finish – and Robin Dawson return to the Challenge Tour to compete in the Le Vaudreuil Challenge, where they are joined by Paul McBride, Gavin Moynihan, Michael Hoey and Ruaidhrí McGee.

Stephanie Meadow will be looking to end a run of missed cuts when competing in the Marathon Classic in Ohio, while Leona Maguire – currently third in the Symetra Tour order of merit – is back in action in the Donald Ross Classic in Indiana.

Cricket **CWC**

Kohli happy to bow to Rohit

Semi-final
India v New Zealand
Old Trafford, 10.30
Live on Sky Sports Cricket

Rohit Sharma's red-hot form has prompted India captain Virat Kohli to reinvent himself as India's middle-overs orchestrator, a role he is ready to reprise in today's World Cup semi-final against New Zealand, the 30-year-old said.

Opener Rohit became the first batsman to hit five centuries in a single World Cup and is the tournament's leading scorer with 647 runs heading into the knockout stages.

Kohli, the world's top-ranked ODI batsman, has strung together five consecutive fifties but is yet to register a hundred, something he attributed his new role as the team's middle-overs anchor.

"It's been a different kind of role I have played in this World Cup," Kohli taid at Old Trafford. "It's great that Rohit has been scoring so consistently, which means that coming in the later half of the innings, you have to play a different role, which is controlling the middle overs and letting guys like Hardik (Pandya), Kedar (Jadhav), MS (Dhoni) and Rishabh (Pant) express themselves.

Personal milestone

"I've understood that roles can vary a lot in one day cricket depending on the time you step in to bat and I've been very happy holding one end and letting other guys express themselves striking at 150-160 and even 200."

Personal milestones are the last things on the mind of the captain who is leading India's bid for a third World Cup title.

"Rohit said the same thing the other day, that he's trying to do the best for the team. In that process special things happen," Kohli said. "I'm very happy for him and hope he gets two more (centuries) so we can win two more games," said Kohli, terming his deputy as the best one-day cricketer at the moment.

Kohli identified New Zealand's captain and Ross Taylor as the key wickets for his bowlers.

"From our point of view, getting them early will be crucial because we know how strong they can be together in a partnership."

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AND
IN THE MATTER OF THE IRISH TAKEOVER PANEL ACT 1997
NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of an Order of the High Court of Ireland dated 20 May 2019 a meeting of the holders of the INM Ordinary Shares (as defined in the proposed scheme of arrangement between Independent News & Media plc (the "Company") and the Scheme Shareholders (as defined therein) (the "Scheme")) for the purpose of their considering, and voting on, a resolution proposing that the Scheme in its original form or with or subject to any modification(s), addition(s) or condition(s) approved or imposed by the High Court of Ireland be agreed to (the "Scheme Meeting") was held on 26 June 2019 and the holders of INM Ordinary Shares passed the necessary resolution at the Scheme Meeting approving the Scheme without modification.

NOTICE is hereby further given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the Company held on 26 June 2019 the shareholders of the Company in furtherance of the Scheme passed, inter alia, a special resolution to reduce the issued share capital of the Company by cancelling and extinguishing all of the Cancellation Shares (as defined in the Scheme) pursuant to section 84 of the Companies Act 2014 ("2014 Act") (but without thereby reducing the authorised share capital of the Company (the "Share Cancellation")).

NOTICE is hereby further given that consequent upon an application made to it by the Company on 4 July 2019, the High Court of Ireland has directed that an application by the Company for orders, inter alia, pursuant to:

1. section 453(2) of the 2014 Act sanctioning the Scheme; and
2. sections 84 and 85 of the 2014 Act confirming the Share Cancellation;

shall be heard by the High Court of Ireland at 10.30 am (Irish Time) on Tuesday 30 July 2019 at the Four Courts, Inns Quay, Dublin 7, Ireland.

Dated 9 July 2019
MATHESON
Solicitors for the Company
70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay
Dublin 2

Note: Any person who intends to appear at the hearing of the said application should notify the Company's solicitors, Matheson, 70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, Ireland (quoting reference BC/KR 663818/6) in writing not later than 5.00 pm (Irish Time) on Monday 22 July 2019 of that person's or persons' intention to appear at the hearing of the said application and should indicate to the said solicitors whether such person or persons intend to support or oppose the said application and should serve any affidavit evidence on which that person or persons intends to rely on the Company's solicitors by that date and time.

This notice is placed at the Order of the High Court of Ireland dated 4 July 2019.

PUBLIC NOTICES

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Arna dhátú an 9 Iúil 2019

Energia Renewables ROI Ltd.,
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PUBLIC NOTICE
APPLICATION FOR A FORESHORE LICENCE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 19 of the Foreshore Act, 1933 that Energia Renewables ROI Ltd., The Liberty Centre, Blanchardstown Retail Park, Dublin 15, D15 YT2H has applied to the Minister of Housing, Planning and Local Government for a licence under Section 3 of the said Act for the carrying out site investigation works to assess the suitability of areas off the coastline of County Waterford for the potential development of an offshore wind farm approximately 5km off Helvic Head, County Waterford.

A copy of the application, and the relevant maps, plans, and drawings, are available for inspection for the next 21 working days, free of charge, at Waterford Garda Station, Patrick Street, Waterford, Co. Waterford, X91 A076 and Dungarvan Garda Station, Youghal Road, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, X35 PX81.

The documentation is available on the Department's website
https://www.housing.gov.ie/planning/foreshore/applications/viridian-application-site-investigation-licence-windfarm-helvick

Any person who wishes to make an objection to, or a representation in respect of the grant of the licence sought should do so in writing, giving reasons, within 21 working days of publication of this Notice (quoting ref: FS006982), to the Marine Environment and Foreshore Section, Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government, Newtown Road, Wexford, Co. Wexford or foreshore@housing.gov.ie.

The closing date for submissions is close of business on August 6th 2019

All objections and representations received will be forwarded to the applicant for comment prior to any decision being made in the matter. Material upon which the Minster shall determine this application may be published on the Department's website. In this regard the Department wishes to draw attention to its policy on defamatory material that may be contained in submissions it receives, which may be found at: http://www.housing.gov.ie/planning/foreshore/public-participation-foreshore-consent-process

Dated this day 9th of July 2019
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