**WALES GOLF PLAYER BIOGRAPHY**

**Full Name:**Llewellyn Thomas Matthews

**Club:**Southerndown Golf Club

**Handicap:**+2

**Age:**33

**How did you become interested in playing golf?**Caddying for my father from when I was 7 or 8. But in truth I would spend most the time fishing his golf balls from deep in the gorse bushes.

**At what age did you begin playing competitively?**I think was 13 when I played in my first Glamorgan Junior County Championship.

**What is your most memorable golf experience or moment?**Playing the British Open in 2007

**What is your favourite golf course and why?**St Andrews Old for its history!

**Who is your favourite golfer and why?** Luke Donald

**Who is the most influential person in your life?**Apart from my parents I’d have to say David Llewellyn. The wisdom and knowledge he’s given me in life and in Golf has been invaluable.

**What three words would you use to describe you?**Passionate Tenacious Competitive

**Where do you see yourself in 5 years from now?**Building golf courses

**Any honours, awards, and achievements in golf that you would like to share:**

Winner of the: Ian Forbes Memorial, St Andrews Links Trophy, Welsh Amateur Championship twice, Welsh Order of Merit twice,Trubshaw Cup, British Am Strokeplay medalist, Welsh Player of the Year. I’m very proud of representing Wales in 14 International events including 6 Men’s Home International’s, European Team Championship’s( Men’s, Youths and Boys), and World Team Championship. Finally Playing the British Open and Walker Cup both in 2007.