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“ It’s not easy to keep silent, when the silence is a lie ”

Kelly prank creates ‘hole’ lot of bother

Club chairman John Kelly has issued an apology after a Golf Day prank back-fired.

Having arrived late, Kelly



Apologetic Kelly poses with flag

was asked if he was going to “play a round”, which he understood as being an invitation to “play around” - which he did, by hiding the flag from the 16th green.

When weary golfers approached the hole, they were baffled as to where the pin was, and this confusion led to a course-wide hunt for the unmarked hole (right).

It was only when organisers realised that no one had managed to complete a full round, 8 hours after the first tee-off, did the inquest begin.

Since the incident, Kelly has

been banned from all golf courses across the UK and also had a restraining order slapped on him, preventing

him from going within 50 metres of the flag pole in Ruislip, just in case that goes missing too.



Not Lucan good

Since the news broke of Kevin Lynott’s hunt for Lord ‘Rolly’ Lucan’s buried fortune, the Roscommon fugitive has been trying to hide from the public eye.

However, one eagle-eyed Echo reader spotted Rolly at a recent high profile sporting fixture, leaving *The Echo* to suggest that maybe Rolly needs to work a bit harder on his hiding technique!



Rolly hiding behind a wire fence.

Canadians can’t catch Keane

Controversial Claretian Paddy Donaghy was this week criticised for posting pictures of his eldest son emerging from a Toronto police station.

The youth, who can not be named for legal reasons, was arrested and charged with a minor felony, which led to his deportation from Canada.

Posting on his Twitter account, Donaghy sen-

ior stated: “I couldn’t be prouder at this time #myboygotnicked.”

Canadian authorities are said to be keen to speak to a “dodgy Fa-

gan-like character” who was seen with the youth shortly before the arrest. A photo of the man has been released to the public.



Junior on release. Inset ‘Fagan-type’