

McGhee

bunkers

O'Neill

By David Harrison

WOLVES and Leicester are at war again — this time after an astonishing bust-up at a charity golf match.

Leicester manager Martin O'Neill is even considering legal action as a result of the row, which erupted at a tournament at The Warwickshire course this week.

The two Midlands clubs entered teams in the event, which was organised by the Midlands Football Writers' Association.

And they had been deliberately kept apart by the organisers because of their previous fall-out over the acrimonious departure of former Foxes' manager Mark McGhee to Molineux.

But their paths crossed when McGhee hooked his ball on to a neighbouring fairway, where it landed alongside Leicester boss O'Neill, who was searching for his own ball.

Demoted

After the event McGhee reported his fellow manager to the organisers for playing the wrong ball.

It cost O'Neill the celebrity individual prize, and meant that Wolves were promoted to second place and Leicester demoted to fifth in the team event.

O'Neill and his chairman Martin George had already left when the presentations were made. But they were furious after learning of McGhee's action.

O'Neill believes he has been accused of cheating and is ready to consult a solicitor over the incident.

Organiser Ralph Ellis said: "We're sorry the two parties fell out — we thought the day might rebuild bridges."

McGhee had no regrets. "I felt within my rights — the wrong ball was played."