Like anything else in life, you only get what you pay for and that is particularly true of irrigation systems. The Hallamshire GC, a long established members’ club near Sheffield in the UK, needed a new system, and the Club and their Course Manager, Gordon Brammah, went for the best: Rain Bird.

Gordon Brammah: “We were very impressed by the sheer quality of the design, equipment and approach of Rain Bird. The Rain Bird system does everything that it says on the tin. It’s extremely reliable and always works whenever we want it to. The software’s very user-friendly, very simple and straightforward. This particularly suits my long held belief and philosophy in minimum water usage. The added advantage of the Rain Bird system is to be able to exercise that approach far more accurately.”

**Forwards- and backwards-compatibility**

Unlike other systems, from software to sprinkler Rain Bird’s irrigation systems are all forward- and backward-compatible, which extends the lifetime of any Rain Bird system and ensures it is always capable of benefiting from new developments.

**Best quality tools in top working order**

“A golf course is always under pressure to be in the best playing condition all the time, and it needs a good reliable irrigation system. It’s a tool, but to achieve high standards you need the best quality tools you can get, and in top working order.

“That what we’ve now got with Rain Bird.”