

## Long Nose, Early McEwan Play Club McEwan

Sold



REF: 28932

Height: 109 cm (42.9")

Width: 9 cm (3.5")

Depth: 5 cm (2")

## Description

Long Nose Scared Head McEwan Play Club, Musselburgh.

An elegant, early scared head long nose play club by McEwan of Musselburgh. This play club has a wonderful and graceful shape, the likes found on early feather ball era clubs. It has a lead weight to the rear and the traditional horn slip along the leading edge of the sole, the polished fruitwood head is stamped 'McEwan' and has a curved face. The original hickory shaft with full-length sheep skin grip with thick underlisting. This is a very nice example of a scared head golf club from the 1850's/ 60's in great original condition.

Approximate head size:-

a = 9cm

b = 2.7cm

c = 5cm

The early clubs are made with long slender shallow-faced heads with an ash or hickory shaft glued to the head by means of a splice or scare joint. This joint is then further strengthened by whipping with a pitched thread. All beautifully hand made by craftsmen of the time.