



Echunga Putter

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Official Newsletter of the Echunga Golf Club Inc.

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From the Editor . . .

Hi Fellow Golfers! Reflecting back to March / April 2020, who can remember that we had about 5 weeks without comps due to Covid, seems a long time ago now.

As the fairways are steadily recovering now the watering system is back operating efficiently the most important help we can assist with is to fill divets and bare patches on every fairway we play on. Sand bins are on every tee block, so everyone can refill at every hole.

The greens also need our help by repairing pitch marks.

We can all do our bit to help tidy up the course.

Unfortunately, the Women's Pennant Teams were not successful this year, but proudly represented the Echunga Golf Club.

Best wishes to our Men's Teams as they start their Pennant season.

Club Championships are about to start, so good luck to all in the Qualifying Rounds and then in the Matchplay Rounds. I heard Bill Guy is not available, so 'A Grade' could be an interesting contest.

Good golfing to all.

If you have any news items, stories, achievements etc. please e-mail me at randryeates@gmail.com

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Up and coming events . . .

May

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|-----------|------------------|--|
| Saturday | 3 rd | Stroke - Club Championships Qualifying Rnd 1 |
| Wednesday | 7 th | Women - 3 rd Rnd <i>Club Championship Qualifying</i> , 3rd Round International Bowl, 2 nd Rnd Vets |
| Thursday | 8 th | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 10 th | Stroke - Club Championships Qualifying Rnd 2 |
| Wednesday | 14 th | Women - Shylie Rymill Handicap Foursomes |
| Thursday | 15 th | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 17 th | Stableford - Quarter Finals Club Championships |
| Wednesday | 21 st | Women - Club Championship Semi Final or Stableford or Laurel Wreath |
| Thursday | 22 nd | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 24 th | Stableford - Semi Finals Club Championships |
| Wednesday | 28 th | Women - Club Championship Final A 27 holes, B 18 holes (Stableford - 9 or 18 holes) Lunch |
| Thursday | 29 th | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 31 st | Par - Final Club Championships |

June

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|-----------|------------------|---|
| Wednesday | 4 th | Women - Stableford - 2 nd Rnd Leonore Steer Trophy |
| Thursday | 5 th | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 7 th | Stroke - Monthly Medal, Putting, Eclectic |
| Monday | 9 th | Stableford |
| Wednesday | 11 th | Women - 2 nd Rnd Monthly Medal, 3 rd Rnd Vets Trophy, 2 nd Rnd Putting or Stableford |
| Thursday | 12 th | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 14 th | Stableford - Legacy Day |
| Wednesday | 18 th | Women - 3 Person Ambrose |
| Thursday | 19 th | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 21 st | Par |
| Wednesday | 25 th | Women - Par |
| Thursday | 26 th | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 28 th | Stableford Rnd 2 "THE ECHUNGA" |

July

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|-----------|-----------------|--|
| Wednesday | 2 nd | Women - 3 rd Rnd Stroke, 3 rd Rnd Monthly Medal, 3 rd Rnd Putting or Stableford |
| Thursday | 3 rd | Thursday Comp - Stableford |
| Saturday | 5 th | Stroke - Monthly Medal, Putting, Eclectic |
| Wednesday | 9 th | Women - Stableford - Captain v Vice Captain Trophy |

Competition Results

1 Thursday 3rd April

Stableford **Field Size 59 Players**

Division 1		Division 2	
Tim Jenkin	39	J Paech	35
S Crump	37	K Jeanes	33
A Amberg	35	C Young	32
T Guy	35	S Ellis	31
T Trevorrow	34	E March	30
B Guy	34	J Tuck	30

NTP 2nd	B Guy
NTP 18th	K Hampton

POG	A Fort	19
	D Stevenson	19

1 Saturday 5th April

Opening Day – Ambrose 112 Players

E O’Young, S Foster, W Burt, T Woods 54.75



M Hodge, A James, C Grant, N Cock	55.12
A Fort, C Fort, J Blucher, S Bell	55.87
H Griffin, n Taverna, N Hall, A Conley	56.25
J Roberts, R Easling, M Bills, J Dray	56.37
A Head, P Head, S Wilson, R Oxenham	56.37
R Jones, I Bonython, Jase Hyland, Jack Hyland	56.62

T Trevorrow, A Sliuzas, R Paech, J King	57.62
S Koop, L Bowey, T Steel, R McLaughlan	57.75
D McGlashan, J McGlashan, Ant Pouw-Bray,	
M Doughty	57.75
Rob Eibisch, Robyn Eibisch, B Guy, T Spry	58.00
A Amberg, K Gerke, S Grivell, D Parrott	58.37
Z Bilandzic, M Haslett, T Steer, P Craven	58.37

NTP 2nd	Z Bilandzic
NTP 7th	T Steer
NTP 17th	n/a
NTP 18th	M Temme

NAGA

D Stevenson, M Lane, G Hart, D Holtham Lots

2 Thursday 10th April

Stableford **Field Size 65 Players**

Division 1		Division 2	
M Trafford-Walker	39	T Steel	40
R Jones	36	R McLaughlin	36
Tim Jenkin	36	R Hayden	35
D Parrott	36	K Wiese	34
M Henderson	35	E March	34
M Sapps	35	G Milne	33

NTP 2nd	J Lawson
NTP 18th	R Jones

POG	T Steel	21
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2 Saturday 12th April

Stroke **Field Size 113 Players**

A Grade		B Grade	
D Parrott	68	A Jennings	67
H Hodgkison	70	D Kerner	68
J Haslett	70	M Taylor	70
T Spry	71	E O’Young	71
J Wood	71	S Nailer	71
M Haslett	71	M Doughty	71

C Grade		D Grade	
V Teague	65	J Goff	70
P Downs	67	C Eldridge	73
N Smith	70	R Easling	74
S Wilson	70	B Fox	74
P Allen	71	B Wallace	74
R Eibisch	71		

NTP 2nd M O'Malley
 NTP 7th R D'Alessandro
 NTP 17th N Gould
 NTP 18th \$20 Hotel Barker Voucher
 T Cook

NTP in 2 (10th) \$20 Balhannah Hotel Voucher
 A-B E O'Young
 C-D R Hayden

Monthly Medals

A Grade	B Guy	73
B Grade	D Kerner	81
C Grade	V Teague	86
D Grade	C Eldridge	96

Putting Comp

A Grade	I Bonython	26
B Grade	E O'Young	24
C Grade	G Milne	27
D Grade	B Sparrow	29

3Thursday 17th April
Stableford Field Size 57 Players

Hole in One 17th Colin Stevens

Division 1	Division 2	
C Stevens 40	T Cook	39
R Jones 38	B Clark	38
B Guy 37	J Goff	38
M Henderson 36	A Morton	37
M Haslett 36	G Milne	35
A Amberg 36		

NTP 2nd S Nailer
 NTP 18th \$20 Hotel Barker Voucher
 M Henderson

POG T Cook 25

3Saturday 19th April
Par Field Size 98 Players

A Grade	B Grade
C Smith +1	M Roberts +3
Z Bilandzic Sq	K Truran +2
I Bonython Sq	A Hughes +2
C McLatchie -1	P Anderson -1
J Wood -1	M O'Malley -1
D McGlashan -2	A James -2

C Grade	D Grade
B Kidd +3	B Fox Sq
F Williams +2	L Bowey -1
R Conner Sq	M Wray -2
C Eldridge -1	J Goff -2
J Janson -1	R McLauchlan -2
	M Stevens -2

NTP 2nd M Roberts
 NTP 7th S Koop
 NTP 17th N Fenwick
 NTP 18th \$20 Hotel Barker Voucher
 Jase Hyland

NTP in 2 (10th) \$20 Balhannah Hotel Voucher
 A-B B Guy
 C-D N Kim

4Thursday 24th April
Stroke Field Size 64 Players

Division 1	Division 2
H Griffin 68	Ant Pouw-Bray 70
Z Bilandzic 69	P Leech 73
N Gould 69	E March 72
S Foster 70	D Parks 75
S Nailer 71	G Hart 75
R Jones 72	M Gallagher 75

NTP 2nd S Foster
 NTP 18th \$20 Hotel Barker Voucher
 H Griffin
 POG H Griffin 32.5

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4 Saturday 26th April

Stableford Field Size 110 Players

A Grade		B Grade	
D Stevenson	39	J Kerr	40
Z Bilandzic	39	G Foster	39
M Haslett	38	M Roberts	39
P Buying	37	M Doughty	38
M Trafford-Walker	37	P Head	37
B Guy	37	P Anderson	37

C Grade		D Grade	
S Wilson	39	R McLauchlan	39
T Woods	39	J Dray	36
A Head	37	T Nicholls	36
A Amberg	34	B Wallace	35
J Janson	34	K Wiese	35
A Horsfall	34	G Hart	34

NTP 2 nd	R Jones
NTP 7 th	R D' Alessandro
NTP 17 th	B Guy
NTP 18 th	\$20 Hotel Barker Voucher
	T Woods

NTP in 2 (10 th)	\$20 Balhannah Hotel Voucher
A-B	G Foster
C-D	S Grivell

Nearest the Pin:
(Extra sponsor's vouchers)

Hole in ONE on any Par 3 - \$100
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10th Hole - Nearest the Pin in Two
\$20.00 Meal Voucher Balhannah Hotel

18th Hole - Nearest the Pin
\$20.00 Meal Voucher Hotel Barker



**Trophy and Medal Winners
2024 - 2025**

Presidents Trophy	Rick Oxenham
Vice Presidents Trophy	Bill Guy
Captains Trophy	Rhys Paech
Vice Captains Trophy	Wayne Lobban
Spring Cup	Zelko Bilandzic
Summer Cup	Cooper Fort
Les Couch Trophy	Bruce Lenger
Doug McKenzie Trophy	David Kerner



Foursomes Senior	Andrew Head and Brian Menzies
Foursomes Gross	Bill Guy and Hugh Griffin
Foursome Handicap David Smart Trophy	Craig Smith and Steve Crump
Handicap Matchplay	Rick Oxenham
Runner up	Stan Whittam
Most Pennant wins	Aleks Sliuzas



Pennant Winners 2024-2025 C1 Team

Andrew Massie, John McDonald, Shaun McGlashan, Zac Bozic, Ki McLennan, Jake Haynes and Aleks Sliuzas

Medal of Medal winners

- A Grade Bill Guy
- B Grade Hodgy Hodgkison
- C Grade Andy Amberg
- D Grade Jack Hyland

Mixed Foursomes Gross

Esther O’Young and Nathan Separovich

Mixed Foursomes Net

Jill Williams and Tony Trevorrow

Hole in 1 Kym Truran and Ross Dyer

Life Membership Rob Eibisch

A Grade Champ Bill Guy
Runner up Hugh Griffin

B Grade Champ Peter Anderson
Runner up Don Beames

C Grade Kym Wenham
Runner up Jarrod Kerr

D Grade Joe Michalik
Runner up Eric March

Senior Cup winner Dan Stevenson

2024-2025 “The Echunga” Andrew Fort

Recent Achievements

Eagle

On the par 5, 14th hole on Saturday, 29th March.
Congratulations and Well Done!



Colin Stevens

Eagle

On the par 5, 14th hole on Thursday 3rd April.
Congratulations and Well Done!



Tim Jenkin

Eagle

On the par 4, 8th hole on Thursday 12th April.
Congratulations and Well Done!



Derek Parrott

Hole in One

Thursday 17th April

Colin Stevens



Had a Hole in One on the par 3, 17th
Congratulations Colin!

Eagle

On the par 5, 14th hole on Saturday 26th April.
Congratulations and Well Done!



Matt Doughty

MONTHLY MEDALS

April

A Grade	B Guy	73
B Grade	D Kerner	81
C Grade	V Teague	86
D Grade	C Eldridge	96



IF ANYONE GETS A MESSAGE FROM ME ABOUT CANNED MEAT, DON'T OPEN IT. IT'S SPAM.



Around the Club

NEW SPONSOR Hotel Barker

We have a new sponsor for the 18th hole and these guys replace the Hagen Arms for nearest the pin \$20 voucher for both Thursday and Saturday comps.

Built around 1840 and originally named the Scotch Thistle, this modernised and elegant hotel has retained many of its heritage features including much of the original stonework.

Located just 20 minutes from the toll gate up the freeway, in the heart of Mount Barker in the Adelaide Hills, The Barker Hotel maintains a warm and welcoming environment from the moment you step inside.

The ideal place for your next dinner, group event or function.

The Barker Hotel boasts a stunningly chic Lounge Bar with high ceilings, cosy fireplaces and large plasma screens, perfect for cocktail functions and corporate events, while the large Bistro, with its beautifully vaulted wooden timber ceiling and alfresco dining area, serves ideally for sit-down dinner style functions and celebrations.

Offering dining, beverage and gaming facilities, as well as a variety of free and live entertainment every week.



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VOLUNTEERS' REPORT

Willow tree on 16th



*It's gone.
Volunteers did a good mornings work.*

The Crew

She Didn't Realize Tapping Him On The Shoulder Would Make Him Do This...Wow.

Last Wednesday a passenger in a taxi heading for Midway airport, leaned over to ask the driver a question and gently tapped him on the shoulder to get his attention.

The driver screamed, lost control of the cab, nearly hit a bus, drove up over the curb and stopped just inches from a large plate window.

For a few moments everything was silent in the cab. Then, the shaking driver said, "Are you OK? I'm so sorry, but you scared the daylights out of me."

The badly shaken passenger apologized to the driver and said, "I didn't realize that a mere tap on the shoulder would startle someone so badly."

The driver replied, "No, no, I'm the one who is sorry, it's entirely my fault. Today is my very first day driving a cab. I've been driving a hearse for 25 years."

THE DIAGNOSIS....

Two medical students were walking along the street when they saw an old man walking with his legs spread apart. He was stiff-legged and walking slowly.

One student said to his friend: "I'm sure that poor old man has Peltry Syndrome. Those people walk just like that."

The other student says: "No, I don't think so. The old man surely has Zovitzki Syndrome. He walks slowly and his legs are apart just as we learned in class."

Since they couldn't agree they decided to ask the old man. They approached him and one of the students said to him:

"We're medical students and couldn't help but notice the way you walk, but we couldn't agree on the syndrome you might have. Could you tell us what it is?"

The old man said. "I'll tell you, but first you tell me what you two fine medical students think."

The first student said. "I think its Peltry Syndrome."

The old man said. "You thought..... But you are wrong."

The other student said. "I think you have Zovitzki Syndrome."

The old man said. "You thought..... But you are wrong."

So they asked him, "Well, old timer, what do you have?"

The old man said. "I thought it was a fart..... but I too was wrong !"



Women's Report

1 Wednesday 2nd April Stroke & Putting

Best Gross
R Eibisch 101

Best Nett
M Holton 70
E Handsaker 74
L Pride 75

Putting
J Hussey 31

Nearest the pin
R Williams

2 Wednesday 9th April Stroke

Best Gross
P Gray 98

Best Nett
P Umlauf 75
J Stenklev 78
M Rigby 78
S Telfer 78

3 Wednesday 16th April Stableford

J Stenklev 34
J Williams 34
L Pride 31
C Carter 30

4 Wednesday 23rd April Stroke

Best Gross
P Gray 100

Best Nett
L Pride 76
J Stenklev 78
P Gray 79
R Eibisch 80
K Clark 80

2025 Women's Pennants

We fielded two teams in the Southern Golf Group Women's Pennants Competition this year. One team played in the Division 2 Hills.



Div 2 Hills Team L to R Kathy Clarke, Marg Rigby, Robyn Eibisch, Julie Stenklev and Pam Gray



Div 2 Hills Team L to R Pam Gray, Julie Stenklev, Robyn Eibisch, Libby Pride and Sue Telfer



Div 2 Hills Team L to R Pam Gray, Libby Pride, Julie Stenklev, Kathy Clarke and Robyn Eibisch

The second team played in Division 3.



Div 3 Team L to R Elizabeth Handsaker, Shirley Cain, Marg Rigby, Rennie Williams and Jill Williams



Div 3 Team L to R Elizabeth Handsaker, Shirley Cain, Rennie Williams, Jill Williams and Carlsa Carter

Both teams consisted of 5 players and the competition was handicap match play.

Sadly, this year, neither team made the finals, but we did win several matches and quite a lot of games along the way, with a significant number being decided on the 18th hole.

We have an enthusiastic group of pennant players who enjoy the competition, the spirit in which it is played, experiencing other courses and sharing lunch and conversation afterwards.

I'd like to thank all who took part, whether playing every match, a few, or helping us by filling in, often at the last moment. It's the participation, being able to represent Echunga in a great team event and a sporting attitude which counts – winning is just the icing on the cake and there is always next year.

Elizabeth Handsaker
Women's Vice Captain and Pennant's Co-ordinator

For Sale

4 wheeled ride on golf buggy in good condition, can be viewed in golf shed where it is stored,

For Sale at \$1500 with 12 months storage paid.

See Mick Morton ph 0413943829



Golf Trivia

Who was the first woman to win the British Women's Open?

Last Month

What is the diameter of the hole in golf?

Answer;

4.25 inches

This Month's Teaser

I have four wings, but cannot fly, I never laugh and never cry; On the same spot I'm always found, toiling away with little sound. What am I?

Answer next month

Last Month's Teaser

They fill me up and you empty me, almost every day; if you raise my arm, I work the opposite way. What am I?

Answer;

A mailbox

Paranoid people who check behind their shower curtains for murderers:

If you do find one, what's your plan?

The older I get, the more I understand why cockerels scream to start their day.

You know you're over 50 when you have 'upstairs ibuprofen' and 'downstairs ibuprofen.'

If only vegetables smelled as good as bacon

When I lost the fingers on my right hand in a freak accident, I asked the doctor if I would still be able to write with it. He said, "Possibly, but I wouldn't count on it."

I woke up this morning determined to drink less, eat right, and exercise. But that was four hours ago when I was younger and full of hope.

Anyone who says their wedding was the best day of their life has clearly never had two **Crunchie** bars fall down at once from a vending machine.

We live in a time where intelligent people are silenced so that stupid people won't be offended.

The biggest joke on mankind is that computers have begun asking humans to prove they aren't a robot.

When a kid says "Daddy, I want mommy" that's the kid version of "I'd like to speak to your supervisor."

It's weird being the same age as old people.

Just once, I want a username and password prompt to respond "CLOSE ENOUGH."

Last night the internet stopped working so I spent a few hours with my family. They seem like nice people.

Weight loss goal: To be able to clip my toenails and breathe at the same time.

Some of my friends exercise every day. Meanwhile I am watching a show I don't like because the remote fell on the floor.

For those of you that don't want Alexa or Siri listening in on your conversation, they are making a male version; it doesn't listen to anything.

Reading gives us someplace to go when we have to stay where we are.



Visit to the IRS Office

An old man is met by his attorney, and is told he is going to be audited.

He rides to the IRS office with his attorney, and when he gets there, he begins to talk with the IRS agent.

"I bet \$2,000 I can bite my own eye!"

The IRS agent agrees to the bet, believing it an impossible task.

The old man laughs, pulls out his glass eye, and bites it.

The IRS agent is dumbfounded.

The old man bets \$3,000 he can bite his other eye. The IRS agent knows there's no way possible to do this, so he once more agrees.

The old man cackles, pulls out his dentures, and bites his eye. Then the old man finally wagers, "I bet \$20,000 I can stand on the far side of your desk, pee over the desk, and get it into your wastebasket, without missing a single drop."

The agent knows he won't be able to, so once more he agrees. The old man indeed misses, peeing all over the desk, and on the paperwork.

The IRS agent jumps for joy, but then notices the attorney over in the corner moaning.

"Are you all right?" asks the agent.

"No! On the way over here, he bet me \$400,000 he could pee on your desk and you'd be happy about it!"

Flashback!

On the Course...and around the Clubhouse.

30 Years ago

NEW CLUBROOMS

The suggested plans have been displayed in the Clubrooms and I thank the 4 members who made the effort to submit their thoughts in writing.

These have been discussed by the Management Committee.

Apparently the plans showed the kitchen & storeroom in the wrong positions. The storeroom should have been & will be alongside the bar and the kitchen will be alongside the BBQ room.

Plans are still on display and any further comments will be appreciated.

From the May 1995 Putter

15 Years ago

Foursomes Championship

Best Gross - Matt Hickman & Randy Jones 72

David Smart Trophy (Best Net)

Hugh Griffin & Oliver Temme 62 ½

Senior Foursomes (60 & Over Best Net)

Russell Yeates & Lloyd Mitchell 67

Congratulations to our Junior Pennant Team.

This year we have a group of Juniors who have represented the club in Southern Golf Group Junior Pennants.

On Sunday April 11th they won the B1 grade final at Ashbourne.

Congratulations to Christine Beasley, Elliot Willgoose, Jaden McGlashan, Billy Cawthorne and Tom Wellstead for their gutsy efforts on some very challenging courses.

From the May 2010 Putter

10 Years ago

Trophy Winners

David Smart Trophy

Bob Nunn & Lloyd Mitchell

Senior's Foursomes

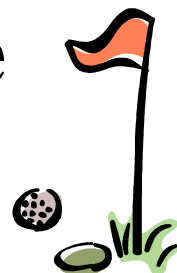
George Beltchev & Derek Parrott

Hole in One

Thursday 23rd April.

Grant Foster

had a Hole in One on the Temp 10th



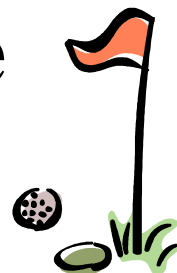
Congratulations and Well Done Grant!

Hole in One

Saturday 25th April

Rob Langbein

Hole in One on the 2nd



Congratulations and Well Done Rob!

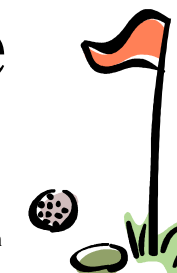
Saturday 25th April

Hole in One

Thursday 23rd April.

Naren Taverna

had a Hole in One on the Temp 10th



Congratulations and Well Done Naren!

Foursomes Champions

Congratulations to our 2015 Foursomes Champions, Andrew Keogh and Naren Taverna, who were victorious in the final over Ian Bonython and Pat Buying

From the May 2015 Putter

5 Years ago

How things were different

Hi Fellow Golfers! After having to bunker down for several weeks, it's great to be able to get back out on the course again.

Since February we have had 41 new members sign up, a positive sign for the club and it obviously shows we are a club that offers value for money and a great course to go with it.

Starting on Sunday 10th May, the weekly competition will recommence.

Full details of how to enter are on the web site.

The Management Committee, after closing the course as a precaution for several weeks, first opened the course to members, but only on a social basis with only pairs allowed, before increasing this to threes, resuming competitions and opening up to the public.

Following discussion with SAPOL, the committee has determined that we may sell soft drinks, water and other non alcoholic beverages to members and guests.

These will be available before, during and after the round.

BUT the beverages must be consumed AWAY from the clubhouse.

Only by doing this are we complying with the requirement to only provide take-away drinks. So any breach of this may result in a rescission of this decision.

The other C19 restrictions about 1 person in the clubhouse and social distancing remain as before.

Hopefully restrictions will again be eased in the coming weeks and we will be able to enjoy a beer after a game, but not quite as we did before.

Southern Ports Golf Week

Ben Slack tastes victory again!

After winning this event in 2016, Ben was again victorious this year. Congratulations and Well Done!

Southern Ports Golf Week (SPGW) is an event run by the Kingston SE, Robe and Beachport Golf Clubs.

Since 1975, SPGW has been held annually beginning on the last Saturday of February. This week-long event is made up of a 54 Hole Championship, Foursomes Events & Mixed Events, for all handicap ranges, with A, B and C grades (Men & Ladies).

The 54 hole Championship Event is played at all three clubs on Monday, Wednesday & Friday. Each grade plays on a specific course each day.

From the May 2020 Putter



Strathalbyn Ladies Gala Day

Theme: "Swing into Stardom"

FRIDAY 23rd MAY 2025

8.15am for 8.45am shot gun start

PINEHURST FOURSOMES

Entry Fee: \$40 pp (includes morning tea and lunch) *Lunch choices: Locally made pies - beef & red wine, chicken leek & bacon, roast vegetable (V, GF), meat & veg (GF).*

Cart hire: \$40 (limited carts available)

Novelty events, raffle, betting hole and trading table (bring small change!)

Strathalbyn Ladies Gala Day Theme:

"Swing into Stardom" Entries and Enquiries to:

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Bannockburn Golf Club
Hamilton Golf Club
Mildura Golf Club
Murray Downs Golf Club
Riverside Golf Club Mildura
Sale Golf Club
West Golf Club - Bacchus Marsh

New South Wales

Wentworth Falls Country Club

Northern Territory

Darwin Golf Club

Tasmania

North West Bay Golf Club

All Green Fees will be at ½ the standard Green Fees at each course.

Any competition fees would be in addition to the green fees as listed.

If you have details of any other clubs offering discounted rounds, please send me their details.
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May Birthdays

1 st	Shirley	Cain	
2 nd	Pat	Buying	65
3 rd	Nick	Hall	
4 th	Carlsa	Carter	
	Nicholas	Fenwick	
5 th	Craig	Eldridge	
	Danny	Wilkinson	65
6 th	Neil	Gray	
8 th	Andrew	Fort	
9 th	Alan	Norman	
	Sean	Rowell	
	Martin	Henderson	
	Archie	Gould	
10 th	Rod	Parr	
12 th	Geoff	Shearer	
	Dennis	Round	
	Ty	Pfeiffer	
13 th	Kim	Everuss	45
14 th	Peter	Vivian	
	Neil	Sylvia	
	Carol	Hasson	
15 th	Pauline	Lauritsen	
	John	Paynter	65
18 th	Jill	Braithwaite	
19 th	Jeanette	Rayner	
20 th	Mike	Haslett	65
	Harrison	Burt	15
21 st	Chris	Button	
22 nd	Rob	Jones	
23 rd	Pamm	Leech	
26 th	Ben	Gepp	
27 th	Anthony	Pouw – Bray	
28 th	Josh	Harrison	
	Nathan	Litchfield	
	Toby	Nichols	
29 th	Zack	Bozic	
	Carl	Waite	
31 st	Margaret	Rigby	
	Richard	Hill	70



Happy Birthday to all - especially those celebrating a milestone!

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We welcome your comments

The success of our newsletter is largely dependant on the contributions of the members.

If you have any snippets of information which you think might be of interest to other members send them straight to the Editor. randryeates@gmail.com