



Echunga Putter

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Official Newsletter of the Echunga Golf Club Inc.

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From the Editor . . .

Hi Fellow Golfers!

Another year almost over and a year of changes within our club.

We have had changes in the green keeping staff and an excellent job they are doing with the presentation of the course, well done!

On the committee we have had some major changes with the changing of seats by some committee members and three new committee members elected and appointed to fill casual vacancies.

The upgrade of the 15th fairway and green, whilst delayed due to unforeseen circumstances has been worth the wait. It has encompassed ideas that we hope can be adapted to other holes to create a course able to handle our wet winters.

Presentation night was enjoyed those who attended and thanks to Heather and her helpers for once again presenting a great meal.

To Greg, who organised the trophies and Hugh who did the presentations, well done. Unfortunately a lot of their hard work was in vain as many of the trophy winners were not present to accept their trophies. It is disappointing for those putting many hours into running the competitions, getting sponsors to donate trophies and then have name after name called without recipients present to collect.

Ham & Turkey day was again a great day giving us a chance to mix with other players and enjoy the great meal which followed.

Thanks to all who have helped throughout the year with your contributions, and on behalf of the Management Committee and Staff of the club I would like to wish you and your families a very happy festive season.

Any items of interest, achievements, stories and news etc. please drop them in the putter box on the bar or send me an e-mail at ryeates@senet.com.au. Until next month, good golfing.



Up and coming events . . .

December

Saturday	22 nd	Stableford
Wednesday	26 th	Women – Boxing Day – No Play Twilight Golf – Stableford – 9 Holes
Thursday	27 th	Mid Week Comp – Stableford
Saturday	29 th	Stableford – 3 Clubs only plus Putter

January

Wednesday	2 nd	Women – Stableford Twilight Golf – Stableford – 9 Holes
Thursday	3 rd	Mid Week Comp – Stroke
Saturday	5 th	Stroke – Vice Captain's Trophy, Flag Comp, Monthly Medal, Putting Comp, 1 st Round Eclectic
Wednesday	9 th	Women - Par Twilight Golf – Stableford – 9 Holes
Thursday	10 th	Mid Week Comp – Stableford
Saturday	12 th	Stableford – 1 st Rnd Summer Trophy
Wednesday	16 th	Women – Stroke – Ginge Gilbert Memorial Trophy Twilight Golf – Stableford – 9 Holes
Thursday	17 th	Mid Week Comp – Stableford
Saturday	19 th	Par – 2 nd Rnd Summer Trophy
Wednesday	23 rd	Women – Stableford – May Sheehan Memorial Trophy Twilight Golf – Stableford – 9 Holes
Thursday	24 th	Mid week Comp - Stableford
Saturday	26 th	Stroke - 2 Man Ambrose
Wednesday	30 th	Women – Stroke – 2 nd Round Sharon Pascoe Award Twilight Golf – Stableford – 9 Holes
Thursday	31 st	Mid Week Comp – Stableford

February

Saturday	2 nd	Stroke – 3 rd Round Summer Trophy – Monthly Medal, Putting Comp, Eclectic
Wednesday	6 th	Women – Stroke – Match Play - Captain/Vice Captain trophy Twilight Golf – Stableford – 9 Holes
Thursday	7 th	Mid Week Comp – Stroke
Saturday	9 th	Stableford – 1 st Rnd Courier Trophy
Wednesday	13 th	Women – Stroke – 3 rd Rnd Sharon Pascoe Trophy
		<i>Last day of qualification for summer competitions</i>
Thursday	14 th	Twilight Golf – Stableford – 9 Holes
Saturday	16 th	Mid Week Comp – Stableford
		Par – Doug MacKenzie Memorial Trophy
Wednesday	20 th	Women - Pinehurst - Opening Day Summer Season Trophy Presentation Lunch Meeting 1.30pm (bring a plate of food) (Entries close for 2013 Laurel Wreath) Twilight Golf – Stroke – 9 Holes

Competition Results

Thursday 15th November Stableford CCR 69

Division 1		Division 2	
C Stevens	42	A Dutton	41
N McNicol	42	P Edwards	40
T Dolman	40	D Mengerson	40
B Slack	39	S Hickman	38
H Hodgkison	38	T Klar	38
NTP 2nd		B Spaven	
NTP 18th		T Klar	
POG		S Nailer	24
		B Slack	24
Hole in One		J Burt	17 th

Saturday 17th November Stroke CCR 70

A Grade		B Grade	
T Huckel	63	A Beltchev	66
C Nailer	65	B Wallace	68
M Lelliott	68	B Rogers	68
A Evans	68	M Willis	69
B Spaven	69	P Coldrey	69
C Grade		D Grade	
G Cooper	65	G Smith	69
N Sylvia	65	G Beltchev	70
K Hendrickson	67		
B Burnett	67		
D Leach	68		
NTP 2nd		B Guy	
NTP 7th		O Temme	
NTP 17th		N Taverna	
NTP 18th		B Sparrow	

Putting Comp

A Grade	T Huckel	25
B Grade	R Dyer	22
C Grade	J Thomas	25
D Grade	D Slater	28

Monthly Medal

A Grade	T Huckel	70
B Grade	A Beltchev	79
C Grade	G Cooper	86
D Grade	G Smith	98

Ladies Winners		M Semmelmann	69
		C Fensom	70

Thursday 22nd November Stableford CCR69

Division 1		Division 2	
R McLauchlan	38	B Burnett	39
B Elliott	36	S Beaumont	39
C Nailer	36	F Topham	38
B Wallace	36	D Gatehouse	37
M Lelliott	36	B Hughes	36
NTP 2nd		M Lelliott	
NTP 18th		L Mitchell	
POG		S Beaumont	19
		T Jansen	19
		B Hughes	19

Saturday 24th November Par CCR: 69

A Grade		B Grade	
B Guy	+5	C Golding	+8
S Koop	+3	B Rogers	+4
C Barker	+2	S Handke	+3
B Slack	+2	D Bell	+3
G Nicholls	+1	M Doughty	+3
C Grade		D Grade	
R Hughes	+5	J Goff	+4
P Rowe	+5	M Clark	+3
T Steel	+3	S Muzyka	+3
A Exner	+3	S Rowell	+3
P Edwards	+2	E Brown	+3
NTP 2nd		R Hill	
NTP 7th		J McGleish	
NTP 17th		P Downs	
NTP 18th		C Greenwood	
Ladies Winner		L Gray	-2

Thursday 29th November Stableford CCR 69

D Beames	40
F Topham	39
B Spaven	39
A Roberts	38
D Leach	37
R Hill	37
B Smith	37
POG	D Beames 24
NTP 2nd	G Watts
NTP 18th	G Watts
Eagle on the 13th.	R Hill

Saturday 1st December Stableford CCR 69
Trophy Winner:
Christmas Trophy N Sylvia

A Grade

C Barker 41
P Buying 40
A Evans 40
D McVitty 39
R Jones 36

B Grade

C Weinert 42
P Freer 40
J Michalik 39
D Wilson 38
A Horsfall 38

C Grade

C Button 40
N Sylvia 39
W Koop 39
S Hickman 38
T Sandery 37

D Grade

R Davidson 40
M Jenkins 38
J Mason 37

NTP 2nd

E March

NTP 7th

D McVitty

NTP 17th

D Midwinter

NTP 18th

P Buying

Ladies Winner

C Fensom 38

Thursday 6th December Stroke CCR 70
Division 1

R Hughes 64
C Stevens 66
J Reuter 70
B Hughes 70
C Nailer 71

Division 2

W Koop 66
J Mason 69
R Wilkinson 70
J Sexton 71
A Roberts 73

NTP 2nd

R Hughes

NTP 18th

B Penny

POG

J Reuter 28

Saturday 8th December Stroke CCR 70
A Grade

D Spaven 64
H Griffin 67
M Healy 67
I Bonython 68
T Huckel 68

B Grade

B Amos 65
A Beltchev 67
A Bailey 68
T Sandery 69
M Stevens 69

C Grade

S Hickman 69
B Hughes 70
M Mattler 70
A Head 70
K Hendrickson 71

D Grade

R Bodin 66
J Mason 66
B Nunn 70
H Eibisch 71
P Downs 71

NTP 2nd

B Sparrow

NTP 7th

D Spaven

NTP 17th

M Clark

NTP 18th

S Hickman

Putting Comp
A Grade

S Koop 23

B Grade

R Eibisch 27

C Grade

S Hickman 26

D Grade

J Mason 27

Monthly Medal
A Grade

D Spaven 72

B Grade

A Beltchev 80

C Grade

B Hughes 90

D Grade

J Mason 93

Ladies Winner

C Headland 73

Thursday 13th December Stableford CCR 69
Division 1

B Amos 39
R Hill 39
A Portlock 38
B Spaven 36
B Hughes 36

Division 2

J Nicholls 44
B Smith 39
L Mitchell 38
M Materne 37
N Holton 37

NTP 2nd

R Huisman

NTP 18th

R Materne

POG

J Nicholls 21

Saturday 15th December Ambrose
Ham & Turkey Day

B Cawthorne, A Mauviel, D Carver, J Nicholls 52 7/8
R Langbein, J Janson, B Hughes, D Caust 54
M Healy, T Guy, N Smith, E Burt 55 1/8
G Nicholls, J Paternott, A Head, C Walsh 55 1/8
R Jones, A Bailey, A Exner, R Davidson 55 1/4
D McVitty, C Edwards, D Leach, B Nunn 55 3/4
B Slack, J Westerholm, B Burnett, D Slater, 56
M Hickman, K Fairchild, D Bottams, K Bywaters 56 1/8

Z Bilandzic, A Amberg, J Anderson, D Manning 56 3/8

C Greenwood, B Sparrow, C Bedson, T Jansen 56 1/2
P Buying, R McLauchlan, A Pouw-Bray, P Leech 56 1/2

P Coldrey, N Gould, N Voigt, J Mason 56 5/8
H Griffin, N McNicol, A Dutton, G Smith 56 5/8

J Burt, C Golding, J Thomas, C Headland 56 7/8

NTP 2nd

Col Golding

NTP 7th

Niall Gould

NTP 17th

Andy Amberg

NTP 18th

Barry Sparrow

Trophy Winners

MONTHLY MEDAL NOVEMBER

A Grade	T Huckel	70
B Grade	A Beltchev	79
C Grade	G Cooper	86
D Grade	G Smith	98



MONTHLY MEDAL DECEMBER

A Grade	D Spaven	72
B Grade	A Beltchev	80
C Grade	B Hughes	90
D Grade	J Mason	93



Christmas Trophy

Held over 3 rounds, Stroke, Par and Stableford won this year by N Sylvia.
Well done! A great effort.

Eagle

Thursday 29th November
Eagle on the 13th.

Congratulations to **Richard Hill**
Well done.



Season's Greetings To All

Those wishing to apply for the position of Course Superintendant at the Echunga Golf Club should consult the notice board in the Clubhouse after Sat 29th Dec 2012 for application details.

Kym Wenham
(Hon Sec)

Captain's Report

What a busy time of year! I feel like I am only just coming up for air now as it's certainly been a hectic time since I came back from 3 weeks in NZ. Around the club we have seen the Club Championships finish up, our Mixed Foursomes were held, we had a great Presentation Night dinner and last week was the Ham and Turkey Day whilst Christmas is under a week away!

I would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, hopefully with a combination of holidays and good weather we can all get out and enjoy lots of golf.

Permanent tee bookings:

The permanent bookings will be starting on Saturday 22nd December. These have been delayed for a number of reasons, however members need to understand that this is not a simple exercise as multiple groups want the same spots, particularly in the 7:20 am - 8:00 am time slots. This means that groups have been randomly drawn for these times and has unfortunately lead to the majority of groups receiving a permanent booking time of up to 3 slots before their earliest preference. With more groups than times available this is unavoidable.

The success of this system is also heavily reliant on members with permanent bookings removing their names from the sheet as soon as they are aware that they cannot play. The match committee will be checking this and players will lose their spots if this is not followed.

Practice fairway:

It has come to light that some members are under the misguided directive that our 9th hole also doubles as a practice fairway. This is certainly NOT the case and never has been. Whilst there are a number of reasons for this (safety concerns, ability for everyone to use it, wear and tear) the main one is that it breaches the rules of golf. The penalty for such a breach is disqualification from the competition.

The practice of hitting balls from the temporary hole area down into the scrub next to the 7th to warm up before play is also not allowed. Members are reminded that ALL practice beyond putting and short chips must only be done in the nets.

Hugh Griffin
Captain

Echunga Golf Club

Autumn Classic

Golf Week 2013

In 2013 we are incorporating the Women's Open Day and the Autumn Classic with 2 other days of golf to give you a week of golf and sightseeing time in the beautiful Adelaide Hills

The Programme would be as follows

Monday 25th Feb.

Women's Open Day Canadian Foursomes
{9-00 a.m. Shotgun Start}

Tuesday 26th Feb.

Free time to sightsee or rest

Wednesday 27th Feb.

Mixed Male and Female Team's Better Ball comp
{9-00 a.m. Shotgun Start}

Thursday 28th Feb.

Men's Seniors Stableford
{9-00 am. Shotgun Start}

Seniors must be over 60 years of age.

Friday 1st March

Free time to sightsee or rest

Saturday 2nd March

Join in with our normal Competition after 10-30 a.m.

Sunday 3rd March

The Autumn Classic

There will be limited field numbers so get in early. Entries close 3rd Feb. 2013

Accommodation is available at Hahndorf, Mt Barker and Strathalbyn. Prices and availability are available on the internet or through the Adelaide Hills Visitor Information Centre Phone 08 83881185.

We are offering a discount to any golfer who enters on all 3 days. Please see the summary sheet.

Entry forms are available soon on The Echunga Website www.echungagolf.com.au and at the front bar at the club.

If you have any enquires please contact

Eric March at 08 8388 1991 email sales@ebmpl.com.au

The Echunga Autumn Classic Golf Week Committee.

From the President

Merry Christmas

It's that time of year again, the shops are full of Christmas goodies and we are hoping that we get something other than socks for Christmas.

Last month has been quiet after the excitement of the recent Club Championships and Presentation Night. I received many comments on what a great job Hugh and Greg did, (with support by Ben as only he can do). I would like to thank them for the effort they put into making it work. Well done, guys!

You may have noticed that we have been watering during the day for the past few weeks. This is because our 20 year old watering timer gave up the ghost. We are currently in the process of replacing it and the new model will be all radio controlled so the boys can operate it from anywhere on the course. I would like to take the opportunity to thank John and the boys who have put in a lot of extra hours in manually running the watering system, and protecting our course.

I wish staff and members a Merry Christmas. Keep safe and I will hope to see you in the New Year.

Rob Eibisch

President

ECHUNGA
AUTUMN CLASSIC
GOLF WEEK
Dates to put in your diary
Monday 25th February
Through to
Sunday the 3rd March 2013

For the Golfaholics

Nomination forms available soon

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Events of the
Echunga Golf Club

Women's Report Competition Results

Wednesday 14th November Stableford CCR 73

PINK RIBBON DAY

Div. 1		Div. 2	
Wendy Jackson	36	Yvonne King	37
Val Nairn	34	Barbara Cain	36

NTP		NTP	
Di Franklin		Esther Burt	

Long Drive		Long Drive	
Sue Maddern		Sheryl Fine	

Wednesday 21st November Stableford CCR 73

1ST Round Leonore Steer Trophy

Div. 1		Div. 2	
Pat Umlauf	40	Barbara Cain	35
Sharon Pascoe	40	Pat Ackland	33
Lisa Gray	38	Mary Holton	32

NTP		NTP	
Wendy Jackson		Beatrice Leonard	

Wednesday 28th November Stroke CCR 73

Echunga Pride Foursomes

Val Nairn/Leonore Steer	68
Ann Morton/Lisa Gray	77 ½
Esther Burt/Suzanne Skibinski	78

Wednesday 5th December Stableford CCR 73

2nd Round Leonore Steer Trophy

Div 1		Div 2	
Janeen Coleman	34	Sheryl Fine	34
Lisa Gray	34	Pat Ackland	33
Sharon Pascoe	33	Ann Morton	31

NTP		NTP	
Minnie Semmelmann		Pat Ackland	

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Wednesday 12th December Christmas Ambrose

12 Holes Stableford CCR 73

E. Burt/L. Pride/W. Jackson	32.3
V. Nairn/ J. Bramwell/S. Fine	32.6
P. Umlauf/S. Skibinski/P. Loughhead	34.3

NTP Div 1 Mary Holton

NTP Div 2 Esther Burt

Thank you

Dear Wendy

I just wanted to write and say a huge thank you to you and all your members for a great Charity Day today for a very worthy cause. I have a close friend in the UK undergoing treatment at the moment for breast cancer and the chemo is leaving her quite poorly at times so the charity is very close to my heart.

What a great course Echunga is! Such lovely condition. Do mention to your ground staff how impressive the course looked and played.

The lunch was really delicious and I feel I should take the idea back to the chef at Mount Osmond.

Your lady members obviously are a great bunch of ladies and really pull together on days like today. Everyone was so welcoming.

So... All in all a great day out and I hope to return to Echunga with my husband for a game in the not too distant future.

Many thanks and I hope we meet up again soon.

No cartwheels from Kim Murdoch today, but kangaroos on the 2nd fairway made a pleasant distraction!!

Thanks again

Ruth (Gwilliam)
(Mt Osmond Golf Club)

Coopers

Pink Ribbon Day

On 14th November we hosted a fantastic day of golf. The sun shone, the company was delightful and the course looked immaculate and prompted many messages of congratulations to the green keepers.

The field of 60 moved well and then retired to the clubhouse veranda for a meal of chicken yiros and salad wraps (many thanks to David Coleman who manned the barbeque) followed by watermelon, cakes and pink wrapped heart shaped chocolates. Our women really showed their calibre and cooperation as furniture was moved and decorated, chicken and salad stuffs were finely diced, dishes washed and guests entertained. We also held our now signature raffle – another success. Many visitors said it was the best day they had been to in a long while.

There were two divisions (0-32; 33-45) with Echunga and Visitor prizes in each.

Div 1 Visitor

1st Ruth Gwilliam (Mt Osmond) 35
2nd Brionne Vorwerk (Westward Ho) 34

NTP Linda Follett (Strathalbyn)

Longest Drive Jan van de Worp (Westward Ho)

Div 1 Echunga

1st Wendy Jackson 36
2nd Val Nairn 34

NTP Di Franklin

Longest Drive Sue Maddern

Div 2 Visitor

1st Marg Crutchley(McCracken) 34
2nd Pauline Burton (McCracken) 32

NTP Gaylene Bannon (Westward Ho)

Longest Drive Margaret Thompson (Willunga)

Div 2 Echunga

1st Yvonne King 37
2nd Barb Cain 36

NTP Esther Burt

Longest Drive Sheryl Fine

Out and About

At a recent Open Day at Tea Tree Gully, Mary Holton vanquished the roll and the bunkers and won the Guest Division Two with 30 points.

Oakbank 20th November

Six Echunga women played in a Pinehurst Foursomes. This was an extra invitation after the last guest day was curtailed through wet weather. The course is definitely drier now and there was plenty of run on the fairways and as usual the greens proved troublesome.

The winners were a combination of experience from Tailem Bend and inexperience in a new player from Oakbank who compiled a successful score of 66.

Libby Pride won the Div 2 longest drive.

On the same date, Lisa and Ann went to Blackwood to compete in their Open Day. They combined well and came in with 74.5 and were in the ball run down.

Christmas Celebrations

On 12-12-12 we played a 12 hole

Ambrose and then enjoyed a Christmas lunch. The heat had returned and so we were all glad to retreat to the cool of the



clubhouse. After a brief spell of socialising, the results were announced and the winners received prizes of plants or golf balls. The clubhouse looked very festive with its decorated tables. Veronica kept us entertained with Carol Pictionary (Lisa starred here).



Eyes down for Christmas bingo



Then with Christmas word bingo (won by Janeen).

Lisa provided a lucky door prize (won by Rosie).

Pat amused us with jokes, stories and an epic poem about Priscilla's upcoming big birthday and a quest for a swimming costume! Lunch was a delicious success (many thanks to the caterers) and we proved that many hands make light work as we all cleaned up afterwards.



Priscilla listening to Pat's Poem



Life member, Rhonda Martin, and Claudia (who with impeccable timing, was in Adelaide) were able to join us for lunch – providing a timely reminder that distance does not diminish the ties of friendship and shared history in our golfing community.



Winners - Esther, Wendy & Libby



Runners up Jean, Sheryl & Val



NTP Div 1 – Mary



NTP Div 2 - Esther

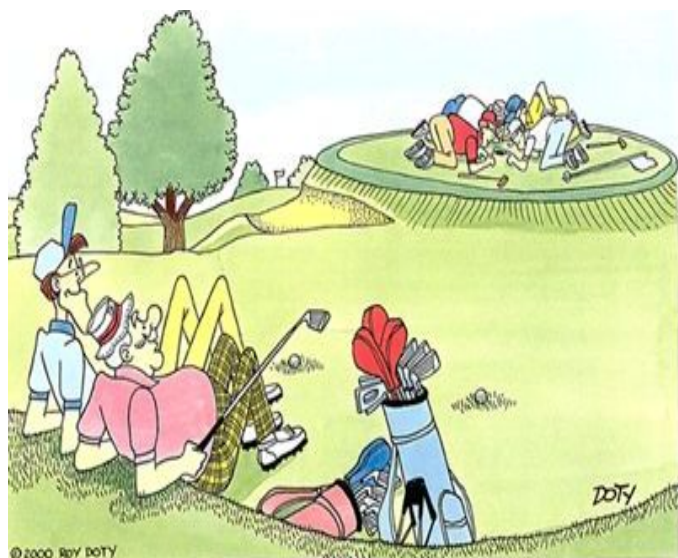
May we all have a happy, healthy 2013 with lots of birdies!

*Wendy Jackson
Vice Captain*

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THE "51103" CLUB

The **51103** is a social golf club for Echunga Members.

We will be visiting different courses one Sunday a month, running our own competition and handicapping cards.

Upcoming Events:

* 30 th December	Ashbourne
* 27 th January	Mt Barker
* 24 th February	Lady Bay
* 31 st March	Echunga

Booking sheet is on the notice board and numbers will be limited to 20, so book early to avoid disappointment.

Hi All,

Thanks to those who made the trip to Fleurieu on Sunday 25th November.

Results on the day were:

1 st	Doug Wilson	34pts
2 nd	Hara Taverna	32pts
3 rd	Naren Taverna	32pts

NTP 5 th	Dave Midwinter
NTP 12 th	Leigh Durdin

Next comp is at Ashbourne **on Sunday 30th December @ 8:30am**. Cost is regular \$5 comp fee and green fees \$15.

Booking sheet is on the notice board and **all Echunga members are welcome**.

Some players have made an excellent start to the Race to Echunga, and all those who play three rounds will qualify for the final at Echunga in March 2013. The programme is detailed below and full details are available in the club programme.

Cheers,
John Norman

Disease of Choice

An old woman was asked,

"At your ripe age, what would you prefer to get, Parkinson's or Alzheimer's?"

The wise lady answered,

"Definitely Parkinson's ~ better to spill half my wine than to forget where I keep the bottle."

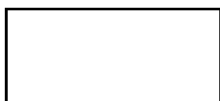
Flashback!

On the Course...and around the Clubhouse...

10 Years ago

Hear Tom Childs had a hole in one at Flagstaff Hill recently.

When asked for a photo his reply was...



I guess a picture is worth a thousand words.

I hear Lloyd Mitchell has retired...watch out for his handicap to start coming down.

Congratulations to Nick & Lachlan McNicol who took out the recent State Father & Son competition held at Kooyonga.

Club Championships

A Grade Champion	Trevor Huckel
B Grade Champion	David Norman
C Grade Champion	Ian Evans
D Grade Champion	Mike Bell

Taken from the December 2002 Putter

5 Years ago Club Championships

A Grade

Mike Haslett
Runner up Bill Guy

B Grade

Glynn Palmer
Runner up Col Golding

C Grade

Phil Jeffrey
Runner up Andrew Pietsch

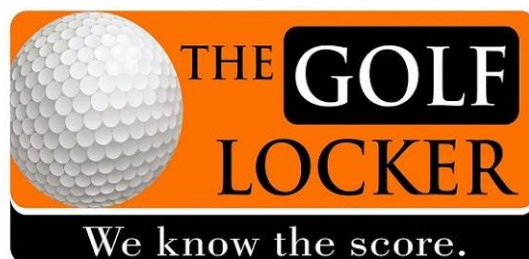
D Grade

Maurice Materne
Runner up Keith Healey

PS It has taken another 10years for Lloyd to
FULLY RETIRE. *Editor*

Golf Poem

In my hand I hold a ball,
White and dimpled...rather small.
Oh, how bland it does appear,
This harmless looking little sphere.
By its size I could not guess
The awesome strength it does possess.
But since I fell beneath its spell,
I've wandered through the fires of hell.
My life has not been quite the same
Since I chose to play this stupid game
It rules my mind for hours on end;
A fortune it has made me spend.
It has made me curse and made me cry,
And hate myself and want to die.
It promises me a thing called par,
If I hit it straight and far.
To master such a tiny ball,
Should not be very hard at all.
But my desires the ball refuses,
And does exactly as it chooses.
It hooks and slices, dribbles and dies,
And disappears before my eyes.
Often it will have a whim,
To hit a tree or take a swim.
With miles of grass on which to land,
It finds a tiny patch of sand.
Then has me offering up my soul,
If only it would find the hole.
It's made me whimper like a pup,
And swear that I will give it up.
And take to drink to ease my sorrow,
But the ball knows ...
I'll be back tomorrow.



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CLUBS with which we have RECIPROCAL AGREEMENTS**South Australia****Deal**

Barmera Country Club	½ OUR green fees
Blue Lake Golf Club	½ their green fees
Kingscote Golf Club	½ their green fees
Lameroo Golf Club	½ their green fees
Loxton Golf Club	½ their green fees
Lucindale Golf Club	½ their green fees
Millicent Golf Club	½ their green fees
Mount Gambier Golf Club	FREE
Murray Bridge Golf Club	\$ 10.00 green fees
Naracoorte Golf Club	½ their green fees
Peterborough Golf Club	FREE
Port Lincoln Golf Club	½ their green fees
Tailem Bend Golf Club	FREE
Whyalla Golf Club	FREE

Victoria

Bannockburn Golf Club		to be confirmed, Listed on their web site
Hamilton Golf Club	½ their green fees	
Mildura Golf Club	½ their green fees	
Murray Downs Golf Club	½ their green fees	
Mt Beauty Golf Club	½ their green fees	
Riverside Golf Club Mildura	½ their green fees	
Sale Golf Club	½ their green fees	
West Golf Club - Bacchus Marsh	½ their green fees	

New South Wales

Broken Hill Golf & Country Club	Comp Rounds \$6.50 Social Rounds \$ 5.50
Wentworth Falls Country Club	½ their green fees

Northern Territory

Darwin Golf Club	½ their green fees	to be confirmed, Listed on their web site
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Tasmania

North West Bay Golf Club	to be confirmed, Listed on their web site
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After contacting the Clubs listed above, they have agreed to continue our previous arrangement of reciprocal rights with the fees as listed. Any competition fees would be in addition to the green fees as listed.

I do have information on competition details for some of the clubs if required. A full list of contact details for all the clubs will be on our web site and the notice board in due course.

We were contacted by Mt Beauty Golf Club in North East Victoria and welcome them to our list.

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

Contact Russell Yeates 08 83374191 or ryeates@senet.com.au for more information

December Birthdays

1 st	Merv	Lelliott	
	Trevor	Klar	
	Brett	Rogers	
	Brendan	O'Donnell	
	Adam	Clarke	
	Kim	Harrison	
3 rd	Anthony	Evans	
4 th	Pat	Ackland	75
	David	Middleton	
6 th	David	Midwinter	
	Adam	Tischer	
	Carl	Baltussen	
9 th	Geoff	Quirk	
	John	Rowe	35
	Glynn	Palmer	
11 th	Rodger	Davidson	65
	Andy	Li	
12 th	Keith	Healey	85
	Malcolm	Bills	
	Mike	Stephens	
	Bryan	Reid	65
13 th	John	Doherty	
	Stan	Muzyka	
	Allan	Portlock	65
15 th	Tom	Steel	65
16 th	Sam	Wellstead	
17 th	Greg	Nicholls	
18 th	Robert	Drysdale	
	Klaus	Gerke	65
	Tony	Pope	
	Henry	Kehoe	
19 th	Paul	O'Callghan	
20 th	Di	Franklin	
	Dennis	Stevens	
	Daniel	Rosser	
21 st	Trevor	Sharp	65
	Justin	Sapio	
22 nd	Joe	Vartuli	
	Garth	Watts	
23 rd	Priscilla	Loughhead	70
27 th	Max	Govan	
	Neil	Hosking	
	Lindsay	Bowey	
	Craig	Weinert	40
28 th	Horst	Duisberg	75
	Ricky	Revilla	
	Mike	Edmondson	
29 th	Ross	Hosking	65
30 th	Andrew	Burt	
31 st	Ron	Materne	



**Happy Birthday to all,
- especially those
celebrating a milestone!**

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