



# Club News

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*A Happy New Year to  
all our members,  
friends, Sponsors,  
Reciprocal & Local  
Clubs*

The month's program for both the Ladies' and the Men will be posted on the window of the office at the clubhouse and the more major events are published in the 'This Week in Falls Creek and Mt Beauty' magazine.



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[facebook.com/MtBeautyGolf](https://www.facebook.com/MtBeautyGolf)



## Committee News

The Committee did not have a meeting in December. The next meeting will be on January 17 2017.

## Course News

Thanks to all those who volunteered to man the Clubhouse over the Christmas / New Year period and I hope all were kept busy.

News from the Bore front is that we have ample water for our needs.

## Diary Dates

January / February 2017

**Saturday 7 January - Men's  
Monthly Medal**

**Wednesday 1 February –  
Ladies Monthly Medal**

**Saturday 4 February – Men's  
Monthly Medal**

**The Captain is in the  
process of compiling the  
fixtures for 2017. The  
program should be available  
for the February Newsletter.**

A reminder that anyone leaving their clubs and buggy in the clubhouse buggy room does so at their own risk. We recommend that you mention this to your Home Insurance company and have it noted on your policy that your golf clubs are stored at the clubhouse.

All Committee members can be contacted at:

[committee@mtbeautygolfclub.org.au](mailto:committee@mtbeautygolfclub.org.au)

**Don't forget to give your  
points to Mt Beauty Golf  
Club at Foodworks in town.**

**Our number is 1036**

**THANKS**

The 2017 Golf Programs will be available soon at:  
<http://www.mtbeautygolfclub.org.au/current-golf-program>



We have applied for permission to use up to 19 Gigalitres per annum and works will commence shortly on the installation of the

115,000 litre holding tank, pumps and piping.

Anyone who can spare some time (even an hour) to mow or water please contact [Peter Hertzog](#) or [Stephen Short](#), or any of the committee, and we will have you mowing in no time.



### **Wildlife on the Course**

Please be aware that all wildlife on the course can be dangerous if approached. With the increasing numbers of kangaroos on the course if your ball happens to go near them it is safer to take relief and drop another ball, no closer to the hole, no penalty, rather than try to retrieve your ball from within the mob.

### **Upcoming Events**

The Ladies' Monthly Medal day is the first Wednesday of the month, being 4 January and 1 February. The Men's Monthly Medals will be contested on 7 January and 4 February.



### **Christmas Party**



The Christmas Party held on Thursday 8 December was a great success. All who attended enjoyed themselves

despite rain washing out the chipping and putting contest.

The 3 course meal with all the trimmings served up by Allan Ferrari was up to his usual standard. Thanks to Allan and all who helped out on the night serving, dishwashing and tending the bar.

A milestone was celebrated on the night with Allan Retallick adding another year of experience under his belt. Congrats Al and may there be many more.



### **Past Events Information**

The December Men's Monthly Medal was won by Peter Dilley with a net 68 followed by Ben Charlton with a 72. NTP's 7th Trevor English, 9th Peter Dilley, 17th Stephen Short, 18th Ben Charlton. Pete now qualifies to compete for the CAZNA Cup in November 2017.

Congratulations to all who took podium positions and NTP's throughout December. Apologies for not having results to hand.



### **2016 Longest Day of Golf**

Sunday 18 December was the Longest Day of Golf endurance golf challenge for an intrepid team of eight, calling themselves the 'Happy

Hackers'.



The team, consisting of, Darren 'Rattles' Flay, Ben Charlton, Dave Browning, Peter Hertzog, Ben Peacock, Taf Sullivan, Heath Fallon, Craig Brown, chauffeur and caddy extraordinaire, and Stephen Short. Hertz actually walked 2 of the rounds, an amazing effort.



The Last Putt after 72 Holes

Winner after the 4 rounds was Taff. Great results were obtained by all players with numerous birdies and NTP's achieved among them all. Thank you to all who helped out on the day, donated the use of carts for the men and all who came along to cheer them on and, of course, thanks to all who gave generously to raise funds for skin cancer research. Last count was up to \$3000 raised on the day. Well Done!



### **Junior Golf Clinics**

Liz Harvey reported that the "junior golf coaching finished

up on Sunday 11 December with some fun golf games followed by a sausage sizzle and party for the participants and their families.

The coaching consisted of 9 Sunday mornings with a variety of weather, ranging from freezing cold and windy to hot and humid with flies! However, we had a good turn up most days with 19 participants altogether and 15 of them coming for our fun golf day. We had students from Mt Beauty Schools, Tawonga Primary School, Falls Creek Primary School and two students from Jindera (Grandma lives in Tawonga and was very happy to have the grandchildren come every weekend)

We had a few competitions on the day with putting, chipping and, of course, the favourite of everyone, driving! The group was divided into 3 by ages and in each age group we had a variety of winners in each event which was a good result.

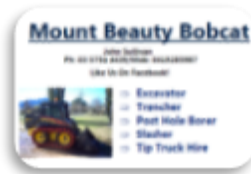
Our thanks go to the ladies who helped every week, Julie Chapman, Lynda Barter, Leesa Bevan, Sue Roman, Ashleigh Smith and Anne Bellingham.

At the same time Carol and Michael Bartholomew were available to accompany and give help to any adults who wished to have a few holes while their children were playing."

The Junior Clinics will be held again in Term 4 for anyone interested. Please contact Liz on (03) 57544077.

### **Findlay Shield 2016**

Following their victory in 2016 Taff is looking for players for 2017 –  
[jsu56771@bigpond.net.au](mailto:jsu56771@bigpond.net.au)



### **Reciprocal & Local Club News**

Legacy Day will be held at the Huntingdale Golf Club on Monday 23 January 2017. Entry is \$130 per person. There will be an 8am and a 1pm shotgun start for the 18 hole Men's and Women's Individual Stableford event. Registrations by phone on (03) 8626 0500 or at [legacyathuntingdale2017@eventbrite.com.au](mailto:legacyathuntingdale2017@eventbrite.com.au)

Tocumwal's Summer Tournament is scheduled for 26 to 29 January. Enquiries to [reception@tocumwalgolf.com](mailto:reception@tocumwalgolf.com)

Golf Vic is calling for volunteers for the running of the 2017 Oates Vic Open from 9-12 February at Thirteenth Beach Golf Links, Barwon Heads. Apply on-line at [www.golfvic.org.au](http://www.golfvic.org.au)

Tocumwal Golf Club will be staging the Victorian 36 Hole 2 Person Ambrose event on Friday, Saturday and Sunday 10, 11 and 12 February 2017. Details and entry form at [www.tocumwalgolf.com.au/](http://www.tocumwalgolf.com.au/)

The 2017 Men's, Colts & Boys Country Championships will be contested at Rosebud Country Club on Saturday & Sunday 25 & 26 February 2017. Enter on-line at

[www.golfvic.org.au/](http://www.golfvic.org.au/)

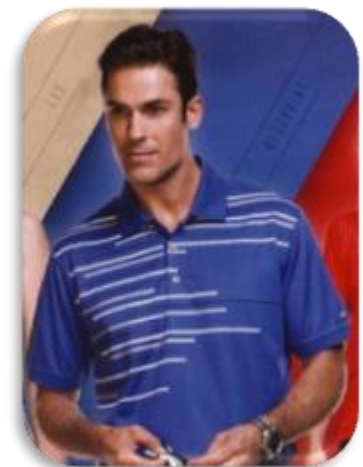
The 2nd Rotary Charity Golf Day, a 4 man Ambrose starting at 10am, is to be held at the Myrtleford Golf Club on Sunday 12 March 2017. Put this in your diary for next year as this will fit in with the Myrtleford Festival. An earlier start so all can participate in the Street Party. Enquiries to Gill Piggot on 0400 566 935 or email at [gildavep@internode.on.net](mailto:gildavep@internode.on.net) Proceeds will go toward a Learner Driver Car for Myrtleford Youth.

A Veterans Autumn Tournament will be held at Tocumwal Golf Club from 20 to 24 March 2017. Enquiry to Pro Shop: 03 5874 9172; Clubhouse: 03 5874 9111 or email: [reception@tocumwalgolf.com](mailto:reception@tocumwalgolf.com)



### **Shirts for Sale**

We have only a few shirts left incorporating our new logo



**For Sale - \$50**

Available at the clubhouse or ring 0418 431 531

## Ball Markers

Two types of ball markers are available, one attached to a pitch mark repairer and the other to a hat clip. The marker bears our Logo. All items can be purchased separately and are available at the clubhouse.

## Stubby Holders

We have our own Stubby Holders with exclusive branding incorporating an iconic photo of West Peak from the 2<sup>nd</sup> fairway and our logo. These can be purchased at the clubhouse for \$8.

## Laugh Time

A reminder to check the chairs on the deck at the clubhouse BEFORE sitting on them:



Perhaps the Treasurer could find a few dollars for new chairs? No beer was spilt during the taking of this photo!

## Golf Trivia

Guess what Santa bought for the Editor?

'The golf course at Camp Bonifas in South Korea has a minefield on one side and

military bunkers on the other' And we think bunkers and water are tough!!

In the same vein....  
'During WW2, Richmond golf course in England drew up a set of rules to apply in case of Nazi bombs falling during a game'

Did you know?... Four under par on a par 5 is known as a Condor.

## Sponsors

A very important part of the Club is the support given by our many sponsors. Please give these businesses the opportunity to supply your products or services. I am sure you will get looked after as a member of the Mt Beauty Golf Club, but it is just as important to show support to our sponsors by driving business their way.

The following businesses have agreed to sponsor our holes and tees:

- 1st: [Mt Beauty Holiday Centre](#)
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- 3rd: [Kiewa Country Cottages](#)
- 4th: [Available for sponsorship](#)
- 5th: [Snow View Holiday Units](#)
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- 7th: [Tawonga South Butchery](#)
- 8th: [Altitude Electrical](#)
- 9th: [Falls Creek Coaches](#)
- 10th: [Bendigo Bank](#)
- 11th: [The Blue Manor](#)
- 12th: [Alpine Valley Real Estate](#)
- 13th: [Belmores Accountants](#)
- 14th: [Available for sponsorship](#)
- 15th: [Available for sponsorship](#)
- 16th: [Falls Creek Resort Management](#)
- 17th: [Tawonga South](#)

## Newsagency

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'Hole in One': [Tate's Funeral Services](#)

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[Home Improvement Centre](#)

General: [Drummond Golf](#)

## Drummond Club



You can join Drummonds as a Lifetime Member via the Golf Club at a substantially discounted price. Please see John or Belinda at Drummonds in Albury and tell them you are a member of Mt Beauty Golf Club.

And then.....

mention Mt Beauty Golf Club at any Drummonds Store when you make a purchase and not only do you get a very good discount, 5% of your purchase goes to club. Cards should be delivered soon for all those who have joined already.



We are a Level 3 Good Sports Club

## HAVE YOUR SAY....

Email letters, contributions, etc. are most welcome.

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