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June 2022

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DIARY DATES

JUNE 2022

Saturday 4 June: Monthly Medal

Saturday 11 June: Par

Monday 13 June: Queen's Birthday Stableford

Saturday 18 June: 4BBB Multiplier

Saturday 25 June: Alf McBain Memorial Par

JULY 2022

Saturday 2 July: Monthly Medal

Saturday 9 July: 2 Ball Ambrose

Saturday 16 July: Men's Foursomes

Saturday 30 July: Par

The full 2022 schedule of events can be viewed

COMMITTEE NEWS

As you may be aware, the Golf Club has put together a proposal for a new clubhouse plus associated commercial and community space, and have been applying for grants to fund the work. So far the grant applications have been unsuccessful.

If the existing clubhouse and machinery shed are to remain fit for purpose for the long term, they will need to be either refurbished or replaced at some point in the future. Building or refurbishment works may also require a financial contribution from the club, even if we are successful in future grant applications.

To help prepare the club financially the committee has taken the decision to start a Building Fund to contribute to associated costs.

I you would like to help your Club by way of a contribution, large or small, that would be more than welcome at any time and can be either deposited into BSB 633000 A/c # 151028909 or via cash or card at the clubhouse or just a bit extra on your Membership payment. Specifics and future

planning on how we add to the fund over time will be communicated to members on a regular basis.

A reminder that Memberships are due at the end of June. Invoices will be sent out shortly.

Your prompt attention would be appreciated. Memberships for 2022/23 have been set at: Full Membership - \$390 Country Membership - \$235 (Outside 50kms from Mount Beauty PO) Junior Membership - \$50 (Under 18 or Full Time Student)





Don't forget to give your points to Mount Beauty Golf Club at the Foodworks in town. Our number is 1036.



This month we welcomed 2 new full members to the club: Ruth Rynehart & Mindy Stewart. The committee hopes you will enjoy your membership.

The Committee wishes to thank Dave 'Kiwi' Whelan' for his valued contribution over his time as a Committee Member. We wish him 'all the best' for his move back to New Zealand.



The raffle for the Sureshot GPS unit kindly donated by Murray Beaton was drawn on Saturday 30 April after our 4 Ball Ambrose event on the day. The joint winners were Taff Sullivan & Peter Hertzog. They donated the unit back to the club & it was purchased by Dave Etherton. Proceeds raised were over \$350.

A big Thank You to everyone who bought a ticket, & to Murray for his donation.

If anyone has anything to put up on our Facebook or Instagram page please send your news to communications@mtbeautygolfclub.org.au. The Facebook page is MtBeautyGolf. The Instagram address TBA.

If you wish to contact any of the Committee please do so at committee@mtbeautygolfclub.org.au or ring 0459 679 356.

COURSE NEWS

A prototype for the new signage for sponsorship at each of the holes has been installed on the 17th tee. The signs are larger than the existing ones placed on the tee markers & will raise the profile of our sponsors. A package will be worked out over the next few weeks and will be offered to existing & prospective sponsors.

We are taking part in a Wildlife Management Trial by DELWP to, hopefully, control damage being done to our greens, especially by the Sulphur-Crested Cockatoos. The types of deterrents can be

seen on the 9th hole at this stage. We will be trialling numerous different setups to determine which will suit our needs the best.

As always a big 'Shout Out' to all the volunteers who are working steadily on keeping the course in such great condition. Not to be forgotten are the Ladies who clean our clubhouse for us weekly. Please repair ALL Divots and Pitch Marks – even if they are not yours. Keep an eye out as you walk up the fairways and on the greens for any repairs needed.

PAST EVENTS



L to R: Don Mason, Alan Retallick, Peter Hertzog, Stephen Short

Saturday 30 April was a fun 4 Ball Ambrose event won by the team of Don Mason / Alan Retallick / Peter Hertzog / Stephen Short with 58.2 points. Balls in the Ball Comp went to Roger Church / Tony Campen / Ross Rynehart / Peter Johns with 59.2 & to Taff Sullivan / Dave Browning / Mark Redmond / Victor Selway with 59.9 points.

NTP's: 7th & Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office, Dave Browning, 9th Peter Hertzog, 17th Roger Church, 18th & the Money Tony Campen



Saturday 7 May was Monthly Medal as usual. The winner was Dave 'Kiwi' Whelan with a net 69 followed home by Sam Bellchambers, 71 & Tony Campen, 72. NTP's: 7th & Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office, Michael Bartholomew, 9th Ron Gallagher, 17th Roger Church, 18th & the Money Alan Retallick.

Congratulations Kiwi and to all who played.









Stephen Short & Victor Selway

Saturday 28 May was the very important Stephen Green Memorial 4BBB event which saw the team of Stephen Short / Victor Selway victorious on a count back from Leesa Bevan / Mick Luscombe, with 43 points apiece. Balls went to Stuie Jelbart / Peter Dilley & Roger Church / Peter Johns, with 40 points apiece. We also welcomed the 4 ladies who joined the field for the round. It is always a pleasure to have a mixed event. NTP's: 7th Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South

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This event is a very important one on our golf calendar every year as it was Stephen Green, back in 1998, who was instrumental in converting our sand greens to grass.

This task was completed over 2 years with the help of many volunteers. The fruits of their labours are very much enjoyed by the present membership and all who play our course. Thanks must also be extended to the current team of volunteers, under the direction of Stephen Short, who do a fabulous job of keeping our course in such great condition.

LADIES COMPETITIONS

On Wednesday 27 April the 9 hole Stableford Winner was Lynda Barter with 17 points

The Saturday 30 April 18 hole Stableford winner was Carol Bartholomew with 32 points.

On Saturday 7 May the 12 hole Stableford Winner was Leesa Bevan with 23 points followed in by Carol Bartholomew & Liz Harvey both scoring with 22 points.

Wednesday 11 May was a 12 hole stableford round won by Lynda Barter with 21 points on a countback from Liz Harvey. NTP on the 18th was Liz Harvey.

Saturday 14 May's 9 hole Stableford Winner was Julie Chapman with 17 points. R/U was Liz Harvey with 16 points. NTP on the 18th was Julie Chapman.

Saturday 21 May was an 18 hole Stroke comp seeing Winner Liz Harvey with a net 78. R/U was Leesa Bevan with net 80.

Wednesday 25 May an 18 hole Stableford event was won by Liz Harvey with 29 points. The runnerup was, newcomer to comps & regular Sunday Social golfer, Jooyon Kang-Redmond with 28 points.

Congratulations to all the Ladies playing on their comp days & to the month's winners & NTP recipients.



UPCOMING EVENTS

The Handicapper has asked that care be taken in filling out your score cards, **ESPECIALLY STABLEFORD POINTS** on stroke days.

Please circle all Birdies as this makes the job of the Eclectic compilers so much easier.

Here is a link to the Tee Time Sheets where you can put your name down for a tee time on Saturdays, & special days, comps. The Full Program for 2022 which can be viewed here

Anyone with a Handicap is welcome to join either the Men or the Ladies on Wednesdays & Saturdays for their comps. The Ladies play at 9am for 9.15am on both days and the men at noon for 12.30pm both days, with Wednesdays during Daylight Saving time having an extra tee off at 4pm.

Saturday 4 June is the usual Monthly Medal

Monday 13 June is the holiday for the Queen's Birthday and the format will be Stableford

Saturday 18 June is a 4BBB Multiplier. Partners required.

Saturday 25 June the Alf McBain Memorial Par title will be competed for.

Monthly Medal as usual on Saturday 2 July

Partners needed for the Saturday 9 July 2 Ball Ambrose

Partners required again for the Men's Foursomes event on Saturday 16 July

Good hitting to all & hope you will enjoy the next couple of very busy months.

SUNDAY LADIES SOCIAL GOLF

Liz reports that Sunday 15 May was the last of the 6 Sunday Social Days where 12 ladies attended. These Social Days are aimed at encouraging ladies to take up golf, whether competitively or just socially.

We were fortunate to have our own Leesa Bevan on hand to give us some hints about different strokes. We then headed off to play Ambrose in pairs. After golf we all went back to the clubhouse for a drink, nibbles and a chat.

This program will start again after winter, probably in October. Liz can be contacted on 0447 467 022 or by email

Editor: A special Thank You to Liz, Carol & Leesa for their time spent organising & running this important event for the Ladies of Mount Beauty. The number of the girls playing in the regular comps has dwindled to around 5, week in week out. We all hope that the efforts of these 3 ladies will pay off in the future to increase the interest and participation of some new faces on the course.





The Sunday Social Golfers

L to R: Ruth Rynehart, Sue Tilley Gill Harrowfield, Carol Bartholomew, Gayle Jennings, Helen Whittaker, Sandy Coleman, Jooyon Kang-Redmond, Leesa Bevan

EAGLE'S NEST RAIDED



Len Tonn landed his drive to the 10th in the gully over the first hill to the green. His 2nd shot to the Par 4 was hit sweetly, however none of his playing partners were aware of the outcome of the shot.....until they spent a few minutes searching over the back of the green for Len's ball......Parto suggested they have a look in the hole – and sure enough – there is rested, nestled in the bottom of the cup!!

Well done Len, hope you have many more. A good boost for the Eclectic!

Len kindly allowed all to share his winnings and also donated a few balls back to the nest.

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92 YEARS YOUNG



A hard day at the Office? Well, behind the wheel of the cart anyway. I even think he was the passenger on this occasion.

Syd Thomas enjoys a relax on the balcony after the Wednesday 4 May round with good mate Joe Mero.

Half your luck Syd. Great to see you still getting out & about, playing pretty good golf, by all accounts.

Syd has been able to play to his age a few times over the last couple of years. Still playing off low a 20's handicap.

A SIGHT TO ENJOY







What a treat to witness nature at its finest! These were taken on Saturday 28 May after a very brief drizzle late in the afternoon.

How lucky to be part of God's Own Country.

Thanks to everyone who contributed photos to my phone

WEST PEAK RAFFLES

West Peak Hotel have been conducting raffles for not-for-profit organisations such as the Golf Club for quite a while now. Our next turn to benefit from the proceeds of the raffle is **Friday 22 July**. If you are at a loose end on Friday 22 July please come down to West Peak around 5.30pm, enjoy a drink with mates and even stay for dinner & of course buy some tickets. All prizes are donated by local businesses and range from meat trays to wine to vegie boxes. Raffles drawn @ 7pm. We would love to see you there.

RECIPROCAL AND LOCAL CLUB NEWS

NEDGA now has a website @ nedga.org.au which has all the information needed to find out what is happening in golf in our district. The fixtures for 2022 have been loaded to this website.

The Tarrawingee Golf Club A G WAREHOUSE BOWL will happen on Friday 3rd June 2022. 9.00 for 9.30 Start. Including 18 holes Stableford. A, B & C grades, NTP's, Veterans and Super Veterans (18 hole), Small Teams. Entry Fee \$25.00. Includes Lunch. Payment on the day. Email entries to Di McLaughlin, laugh@westnet.com.au or Lorraine Grenfell, jandlgrenfell@bigpond.com or Enquiries to Toni Wilson 0357251720.

Tocumwal's Winter Tournament will be held from Saturday 11th - Monday 13th June 2022. Contact the club on 03 5874 9111 for details

Commercial Albury Women's Challenge Bowl Thursday 16th June, 8:30 for 9:00 shotgun start. Best 3 of a team of 4, plus individual Stableford, A,B,C grade. Visitors Trophy. \$35 including lunch. Email entries to: janbye@hotmail.com Queries to Jan Bye - 0407 244 510

In a world-first for golf, the Men's Australian Open and the Women's Australian Open are joining forces. The marquee events will be played at the same time and at the same venues, with the event to be held on the world-famous Melbourne Sandbelt from December 1 - 4.

Victoria Golf Club is the primary host venue across all four days of the tournament and Kingston Heath Golf Club is set to host play on the first two days.

A highlight of the Australian Open will be the third edition of the Australian All Abilities Championship, which assembles the top 12 players on the World Ranking for Golfers with Disability (WR4GD) from across the world.

LAUGH TIME

(Thanks to the usual suspects for these)





The other day someone told me that I could make ice cubes with leftover wine. I was confused... what is leftover wine?



your cards



At my age I need glasses.



-Don't Even ask--Rough Day--Easy Day-

IN WINE THERE IS WISDOM, IN BEER THERE IS FREEDOM, IN WATER THERE IS BACTERIA.

SOUVENIRS FOR SALE



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.



For the convenience of Members, Comp Players, Green Fee players and visitors we have stocked up on the 'disposable' items we sometimes forget to pack. A small sample is shown here at very reasonable prices. Enquire at the bar.

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 Mount 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, tees and other awards:

1st: The Park Mount Beauty 2nd: Available 3rd: Middy's Electrical 4th: Available 5th: Snow View Holiday Units 6th: Rocky Valley Bikes & Snowsports 7th: Tawonga South Butchery 8th: Altitude Electrical 9th: Falls Creek Coaches 10th: Bendigo Bank 11th: The Blue Manor 12th: Available 13th: Belmores Accountants 14th: Available 15th: Available 16th: Falls Creek Resort Management Board

17th: Tawonga South Newsagency 18th: Mount Beauty Hardware & Drapery Scorecard: Foodworks Mount Beauty Auto Repairs Mount Beauty Bakery Home Improvement Centre Eagle's Nest: Ridgeline Landscapes Hole in One: North East Funerals Meat Tray: Tawonga South Butchery NTP's: 7th Tawonga South Newsagency 9th Don Mason 17th Peter Hertzog 18th Dave Browning Practice Nets: Mount Beauty Hardware & Draperv General: Drummond Golf 3NE

For info on how to become a sponsor please contact: The Treasurer

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 Mount Beauty Golf Club.

And then.....mention Mount Beauty Golf Club at the Albury Drummond Store when you make a purchase and not only do you get a very good discount, 5% of your purchases go to club as a rebate.

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