



Club News

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April 2024

DIARY DATES

MAY 2024

Saturday 4 May: Monthly Medal
1st Round Kiewa Hydro Cup

Saturday 11 May: 2nd Round Kiewa Hydro Cup

Saturday 18 May: Par-Alf McBain Memorial Cup

Saturday 25 May: Stableford

JUNE 2024

Saturday 1 June: Monthly Medal

Saturday 8 June: Stephen Green 4 Ball
Stableford Memorial

Monday 10 June: King's Birthday Stableford

Saturday 15 June: Par

Saturday 29 June: 2 Ball Stableford Multiplier

The full 2024 schedule of events can be viewed
[HERE](#)

COMMITTEE NEWS

The 2024 Golf Program has been posted on the website.

It is basically 'Business as Usual' for the club at the moment. A couple of large spend items, namely coring/sanding of the greens & the new electronic Honour Boards was covered by the increase in Green Fees & Cart Hire over Easter & most of April.

Our thoughts & efforts are now turning to implementing a few infrastructure items which have been on the back-burner for a while. Cart Paths & Irrigation Systems are taking priority at the moment, along with some Drainage & Tree removal near the top of the list.

We welcomed 3 Full Members in April - Scott Travers (Mount Beauty), Alex Taylor (Falls Creek) & Liam Pearce (Tawonga) to the Club. The Committee hopes you will enjoy your membership with us.

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

FOODWORKS

If anyone has anything to put up on our Facebook ([MtBeautyGolf](#)) or Instagram page ([mtbeautygolfclub](#)) please send your news to communications@mtbeautygolfclub.org.au.

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

COURSE NEWS

The Greens are recovering from a very unfortunate incident which happened in conjunction with their fertilisation program. The coring has certainly enabled a quicker recovery. The weather is great and we encourage you all to come out and have a round of golf & try out the new [Carts!!](#)

A fair bit of Tree Removal has taken place at the latter end of April. The pines on the left of the 7th near the green have been removed along with the Blue Spruce on the 18th. The 1st, 6th & 12th have also had some removals done.



The skills of local Tru Tree Care in Felling our pines onto the burn pile on the 7th



Dave Browning & his trusty Forklift cleaning up

NO CARTS are to be driven closer than **10 metres** to **ANY green**.

A big 'Shout Out' to all the volunteers who are working on keeping the course in such great condition.



The recent burning off by Parks at this time of the year never fails to produce some spectacular sunsets. The smoke does not seem to bother the Roos.
Thanks to Roger Church for all of these photos.

PAST EVENTS



A large turnout, 51 players, for our Easter Monday 4 Ball Ambrose was very welcome as was the BBQ cooked by Len Tonn, Joe Mero & Jim Crebbin after the round. The sausages for the BBQ were kindly donated by Will Hood from the Tawonga South Butchery. Will also donated Tawonga South Butchery peak caps for the winners in Brett Williams, Sam Perry, Alex Taylor & Ali Barr with a net 55 on a countback from Alec Harrowfield, Ross Wilson, Tristan Hall & David Drew. Taff Sullivan, Peter Hertzog, Mick Luscombe & Peter Johns also got a ball each for their net 57.125.

NTP on the 7th & the 18th was Roger Church, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Michael Bartholomew. 17th to Ali Barr & the money on the 18th went to Paddy Dodd.





The men endured a rain interrupted Monthly Medal round. There were 22 starters for the round with only 8 able to finish before the rain washed out the course.

The eventual victor was Stuie Jelbart (pictured) with a net 78 from Mick Luscombe, net 81. It was obviously tough going! 2 visitors from Muswellbrook GC, Cameron & Brady Benkovic, had the better scores, net 75 & 78 (C/B), but were ineligible for the Monthly Medal. We had 2 other visitors, Angus Watt from Kurri Kurri GC & Russell Munro from Yackandandah GC join us for the day. We hope they enjoyed their rounds despite the weather.

NTP on the 7th went to Peter Hertzog, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th was Dave Browning, 17th Gerad Biesboer. The money on the 18th was won by Stephen Short.



32 Men played their postponed 3rd Round of the Club Championships on Saturday 13 April in glorious conditions in contrast from the previous week. We welcome 2 visitors on the day, Russell Munro from Yackandandah GC & Michael Stephenson from Warragul CC.

Coming in with a great round was Sam Perry (pictured) with a net 68 from Peter Partington, net 69, Roger Church & Rick Biesboer on net 70. 3 players rounded out the ball getters with their net 72's, Tony Campen, Michael Bartholomew & Keith Archibald. NTP on the 7th was Victor Selway, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. 9th was Peter Partington. 17th and the money on the 18th was Peter Dilley. Fred Gerardson got closer on the 18th but was not in the Money Hole comp.



CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Saturday 20 April was the 4th & final round of the Club Championships. The round was won by Trevor English with a net 68. Rick Biesboer managed a net 70 with 3 on net 71, Dave Browning, Wes Dowell & Alex Taylor. Net 72 was achieved by Dave Etherton & Peter Partington.

The club kept the ball & the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th was Peter Dilley. 17th Taf Sullivan. The money on the 18th was collected by Victor Selway.

With everyone's best 3 of 4 rounds completed the scores were in for the Men's Club Championship's.



Club Champion for 2024 is Rick Biesboer with a gross 229 narrowly defeating Victor Selway 231 & Roger Church 239.

B Grade Champion is Trevor English with his gross 257 from Ross Rynehart 264 & Stephen Short 274.

C Grade Champion is Michael Bartholomew with his gross 286 from Stuie Jelbart 296 & Fred Gerardson 301.

The 54 Hole Champion is Trevor English with net 203 from Rick Biesboer 211 & Victor Selway 219.

Right to Left:

Rick Biesboer – **Club Champion**

Trevor English – **B Grade & 54 Hole Handicap Champion**

Michael Bartholomew – **C Grade Champion**

To see how you fared in the Club Championships see the next couple of pages



A GRADE

Pos ▼	Name ▼	Latest ▼	R1 ▼	R2 ▼	R3 ▼	R4 ▼	Total
1	Rick Biesboer 6	76	77	-	76	76	229
2	Victor Selway 4	78	76	77	78	-	231
3	Roger Church 5	81	83	-	75	81	239
4	Samuel Bellchambers 7	87	82	-	80	87	249
5	Peter Dilley 10	84	85	-	82	84	251
6	David Browning	78	-	85	89	78	252
7	Allan Retallick 8	84	86	86	-	84	256
8	Gerad Biesboer	87	-	83	88	87	258
9	Peter Hertzog	88	-	87	93	88	268
10	Michael Luscombe	85	-	82	85	-	167
11	Peter Johns 10	84	84	84	-	-	168
12	Keith Archibald	80	-	-	80	-	80
13	Don Mason	90	-	-	-	90	90

B GRADE

P Partington was ineligible

Pos	Name	Latest	R1	R2	R3	R4	Total
1	Peter Partington	84	-	83	82	84	249
2	Trevor English 18	83	90	84	-	83	257
3	Ross Rynehart 11	88	87	89	-	88	264
4	Stephen Short 14	89	96	-	89	89	274
5	Ron Gallagher 15	92	92	92	-	-	276
6	David Etherton	89	-	94	95	89	278
7	Malcolm Deans	99	-	97	94	99	290
8	Wesley Dowel	82	-	-	-	82	82
9	Solomon Edwards 15	84	84	-	-	-	84
10	Tony Campen	86	-	-	86	-	86
11	Tristan Hall	88	-	88	-	-	88
12	Alec Harrowfield	93	-	93	-	-	93
13	David Drew	99	-	99	-	-	99
14	Darren Flay	102	-	102	-	-	102
15	Heath Hudson	102	-	-	-	102	102

C GRADE

Pos	Name	Latest	R1	R2	R3	R4	Total
1	Michael Bartholomew 21	92	94	100	92	-	286
2	Len Tonn 20	93	98	-	100	93	291
3	Stuart Jelbart 21	101	99	96	-	101	296
4	Fred Gerardson	97	-	101	103	97	301
5	Joe Mero 28	103	103	-	112	103	318
6	Bruce Plant 29	106	95	118	106	-	319
7	Taf Sullivan	114	-	112	111	114	337
8	Alex Taylor	98	-	-	102	98	200
9	Brett Williams 28	106	98	-	-	106	204
10	Brian HENNING	102	-	-	104	102	206
11	Sam Perry	95	-	-	95	-	95
12	Rod McMahon	101	-	101	-	-	101
13	Jason Gentile	104	-	104	-	-	104
14	Steuart Snooks	104	-	104	-	-	104
15	Ben Ritson	105	-	-	105	-	105
16	Dale Neave	106	-	106	-	-	106
17	Hayden Etherton	108	-	-	108	-	108

Mount Beauty Golf Club

Tournament : 54 Hole Championship
Competition Saturday, 16 March 2024
Description :
Course Name :

Competition Nett
Total Entrants : 46

Rank	Golflink	Participant Name	Handicap	Total NETT	Rounds
1	3141402788	Trevor English	18	203	72, 66, 65
2	3141402831	Peter Partington	13	210	70, 69, 71
3	3141402870	Rick Biesboer	6	211	71, 70, 70
4	3141402916	Victor Selway	4	219	72, 73, 74
5	3141402866	Peter Dilley	10	221	75, 72, 74
6	3141402773	Michael Bartholomew	21	223	73, 79, 71
7	3141402860	Roger Church	5	224	78, 70, 76
8	3141402969	David Etherton	17	227	77, 78, 72
9	3141403100	Gerad Biesboer	10	228	73, 78, 77
10	3141402954	Samuel Bellchambers	7	228	75, 73, 80
11	3141402960	Fred Gerardson	24	229	77, 79, 73
12	3141402858	David Browning	7	231 C/B	78, 82, 71
13	3141402875	Len Tonn	20	231 C/B	78, 80, 73
14	3141402947	Ron Gallagher	15	231 C/B	77, 77, 77
15	3141402994	Ross Rynehart	11	231	76, 78, 77
16	3141402814	Stephen Short	14	232 C/B	82, 75, 75
17	3141402812	Allan Retallick	8	232 C/B	78, 78, 76
18	3141402987	Bruce Plant	29	232	66, 89, 77
19	3141402874	Stuart Jelbart	21	233	78, 75, 80
20	3141402919	Joe Mero	28	234	75, 84, 75
21	3141402794	Peter Hertzog	10	238	77, 83, 78
22	3141402915	Malcolm Deans	17	239	80, 77, 82
23	3141402819	Taf Sullivan	24	265	88, 87, 90
24	3141402797	Peter Johns	10	148 C/B	74, 74
25	3141402949	Brett Williams	28	148	70, 78
26	3141403126	Alex Taylor	25	150	77, 73
27	3141402802	Michael Luscombe	8	151	74, 77
28	2121108212	Brian HENNING	25	156	79, 77
29	3141402998	Sam Perry	27	68	68
30	3141403122	Solomon Edwards	15	69	69
31	3141403002	Tristan Hall	17	71 C/B	71
32	3141402895	Wesley Dowel	11	71	71
33	3141402777	Tony Campen	14	72 C/B	72
34	3010300851	Keith Archibald	8	72	72
35	3141403124	Alec Harrowfield	18	75	75
36	3141402950	Rod McMahon	25	76	76
37	3141402804	Don Mason	10	80	80
38	3141402942	David Drew	18	81 C/B	81
39	3141402972	Steuart Snooks	23	81	81
40	3141403115	Ben Ritson	23	82	82
41	3141403102	Jason Gentile	20	84 C/B	84
42	3141403114	Heath Hudson	18	84	84
43	3141403117	Hayden Etherton	23	85	85
44	3141402790	Darren Flay	16	86 C/B	86
45	3141400002	Dale Neave	20	86	86
	3141402822	Syd Thomas	25	null	

ANZAC Day, Thursday 25 April, was a Stableford round with 27 men & 3 ladies taking to the field. The winner was Will Hood with 41 points from 4 men on 40 points, Macca Deans, Steuart Snooks, Victor Selway & Len Tonn. Two more got 38 points, Sam Perry & Rick Biesboer. Tough going when you can't win a ball playing to your handicap!

NTP on the 7th was Len Tonn, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th was Leesa Bevan. 17th Victor Selway while Fred Gerardson managed to win the money on the 18th.



On Saturday 27 April the men played a 2 Ball Stableford multiplier. The winning pair was Steuart Snooks & Mark Redmond with 86 points. A fine effort considering par for this format is 72 points! Second in was David Drew & Tristan Hall with 81 points. To round out the podium with 78 points were Dave Etherton & Trevor English. Again, par golf was not good enough! NTP on the 7th was Ross Rynehart, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. 9th was Keith Archibald. 17th was Allan Retallick. Ron Gallagher took the money on the 18th.

Better individual scores on the day were David Drew with 43 points, Mark Redmond 41 points, Trevor English 40 points, Ross Rynehart 39 points while Tony Campen & Victor Selway had 38 points apiece. Victor

played a Par round on the day and only just managed a ball for his efforts.

As the winning pair played in a group of three Steuart Snooks played with Mark Redmond in one pair & Neil Tappe in the other. Steuart managed to pull off a, not often repeated, feat in that he came both first & last!

LADIES COMPETITIONS

The Ladies played the Back 9 on Wednesday 3 April which was won by Ruth Rynehart with 19 points from Liz Harvey on 17 points.

NTP on the 18th (2nd shot) was Liz Harvey.

Heavy rain prevented the Ladies from playing their comp on Saturday 6 April

18 Holes was played by the Ladies on Wednesday 10 April seeing Liz Harvey lead the pack with her 36 points from Lynda Barter & Jooyon Kang-Redmond on their 34 points apiece.

NTP on the 7th (2nd shot) was Liz Harvey.

The Front 9 was played by 3 Ladies on Saturday 13 April with Ute Svoboda winning from Jooyon Kang-Redmond on a countback with their 14 points each.

The remaining 6 Ladies played the 18 holes. This was won by Gill Harrowfield (37 points) over Karen Etherton (35 points).

NTP on the 7th (2nd shot) was Helen Whittaker.



The Ladies played the Back 9 on Wednesday 17 April with Jooyon Kang-Redmond successful with her 17 points from Gill Harrowfield with 16 points.

The rest of the Ladies played on for 18 holes and were joined by visitor Chris Fitzgerald from Links Lady Bay GC who took the NTP on the 18th (2nd shot). The comp winner was Lynda Barter with 32 points on a count back from Carol Bartholomew & Ruth Rynehart with their 31 points.

On Saturday 20 April Jooyon Kang-Redmond was again successful on the Back 9 with 20 points on a count back from Ute Svboda. Jooyon also took the NTP (2nd shot) on the 18th.

The 18 hole comp on Saturday 20 April was won by Karen Etherton with 41 points from Carol Bartholomew & Ruth Rynehart with their 36 points apiece.

The Ladies played the 18 holes on Wednesday 24 April with Ruth Rynehart putting in a blinder with 39 points to win over Gill Harrowfield who could only manage 31 points. Ruth also took the NTP (2nd shot) on the 7th.

The Ladies again played an 18 hole comp on Saturday 27 April which was won by Lynda Barter with 39 points from Liz Harvey on 35 points.



3 Ladies ventured over to Beechworth to take on their Sand Scrapes on Tuesday 16 April. With not very much experience between them on sand the team were Runners-up. This was Gill's first tournament away from Mount Beauty.

Gill Harrowfield, Ruth Rynehart & Jooyon Kang-Redmond (L to R) played in a tournament which was specifically for those with a GA handicap of over 30.

They had a great day and finished Runners-up on with Gill having the best score of the day, 36 points.

Congratulations to her and the team.



Around the same time Karen Etherton, Ruth Rynehart and Liz Harvey played in the Thurgoona Bowl which was very well attended with teams from 17 different clubs & 130 players. Although Mount Beauty didn't get amongst the winning teams it was great being part of the event.

UPCOMING EVENTS

[Here is a link to the Tee Time Sheets](#) where you can put your name down for a tee time on Saturdays, Wednesdays & special days. The Full Program for 2024 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 are currently playing at 11am for 11.15am while the weather is hot and the Men at noon for 12.30pm both days.

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MOUNTAIN MONK BREWERS RAFFLES

Mountain Monk Brewers, formerly 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 will be **FRIDAY 7 JUNE**

If you are at a loose end please come down to Mountain Monk 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.



NEW LIVERY FOR OUR CARTS



All decked out with their new livery from the Mount Beauty & District Community Bank branch of the Bendigo Bank. Thank you from Mount Beauty Golf Club for your generous grant which enabled us to purchase 2 of these carts to hire out to all comers.

If you wish to book a cart for your use for either 3 or 5 hours of a day please [CLICK HERE](#)



FALLS CREEK COACHES EAGLE'S NEST RAIDED AGAIN!



Not 4 days went by before the Falls Creek Coaches Nest was raided again.

This time it was Graham Beer's turned to Eagle the Par 5 1st on Saturday 27 March.

Great hole Graham

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 2024 have been loaded to this website.

Myrtleford GC will host a Challenge Bowl on Thursday 9 May. 9:00 for 9:30am shotgun start. 18 hole Individual Stableford plus Bowl team of 4 with best 3 scores to count. Entries by [email](#)

Yackandandah GC will host a Bowl on Wednesday 22 May. 9am for 9:30 shotgun start. Entry Fee \$30 – Payable on the day. Part of the Heather Eggleston Trophy. Entries to Libby M'Crystal ygcwomenscaptain@gmail.com P: 0499 111 005 or Margo Northey margonorthey@gmail.com P: 0447 848 604

The NEDGA Women's 36 Hole Championship and Foursomes Championship will be hosted by the Bright Country Golf Club. Foursomes: Monday 3 June. 11am shotgun. 36 Hole Championship: Tuesday 4 and Wednesday 5 June from 9am. Draw both days. Go to www.nedga.org.au and select Events to enter. Max 40.0 GA Handicap Limit at the time of entry

The Tarrwingee Bowl will take place on Friday 7 June. 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 \$30.00. Includes Lunch. Payment on the day. Email entries to [Di McLaughlin](#)

CLUB SHIRTS



We have received our order of Club Shirts which are available for purchase at the Clubhouse Bar. They are a Travis Matthew brand with our Logo on the right side and a Drummond Club logo on the right sleeve. Retail for these is normally \$90.

Our price is \$75 for members and \$85 for non-members.



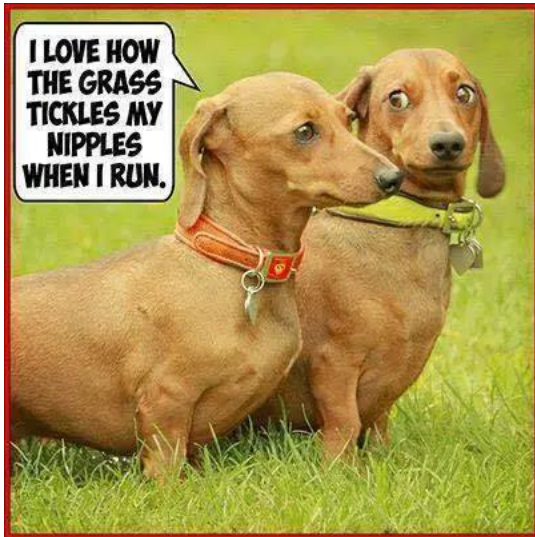
AAH! AUTUMN

What a beautiful time of the year to be in the valley



LAUGH TIME

(Thanks this time to Richard)



The main function of the little toe on your foot is to make sure that all the furniture in the house is in place.

Try to remember, the greener grass across the fence may be due to a septic tank issue.





**Did you know on
the Canary
Islands there is
not one canary?
And on the
Virgin Isles?
Same thing - not
one canary there
either!**



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:

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11th: [Available](#)

12th: [Alpine Valley Real Estate](#)

13th: [Available](#)

14th: [Available](#)

15th: [Available](#)

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17th: [Tawonga South Newsagency](#)

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Eagle's Nest: [Falls Creek Coach Service](#)

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NTP's: 7th [Tawonga South Newsagency](#)

9th Don Mason

17th Peter Hertzog

18th Dave Browning

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General: [Drummond Golf](#) 3NE

For info on how to become a sponsor please contact: [The Treasurer](#)

SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE

The Mount Beauty Golf Club are now asking for any business or individual's consideration in sponsoring any Sponsor Category at the Mount Beauty Golf Course. The club has put together a package which we hope will satisfy your requirements as a sponsor.

1. New larger signage on the main tee areas (example photo below)
 2. Links to our website, monthly newsletter, Facebook & Instagram pages
 3. Four free rounds of 9-hole golf for you or a staff member
 4. A fun Annual Golf Day for all sponsors, members, and visitors
- Rates: \$390.00 Inc GST per year or \$1000.00 Inc GST for 3 years for Hole Sponsorship. Other categories: P.O.A.



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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