

# Club News

#### Mount Beauty Golf Club Inc.

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#### **July 2017**

## **Diary Dates**July / August 2017

July 2017

Saturday 1 July – Men's Monthly Medal

Saturday 15 July – 4BBB Stableford

Saturday 22 and Sunday 23 July – Dederang Annual Tournament

August 2017

Saturday 5 August – Men's Monthly Medal

Saturday 12 August – Canadian

Saturday 27 August – 2 Ball Ambrose

The 2017 Men's Golf Program is available at:

http://www.mtbeautygolfclub.or g.au/current-golf-program

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.



#### **Committee News**

All memberships are due by July 1 2017.

The Treasurer has sent out invoices for membership and cart shed dues. The Full Membership fee for 2017/2018 will be \$305 pa, Country Membership \$185 pa and Junior Membership \$50 pa. A space in the cart shed will be \$250 pa.

The Match Committee made a decision at our last meeting to alter the format for Saturday Competitions so all Men's Comps will be played from the Blue Markers and all Monthly Medal and Honour Board Events will be played from the Blue Tiles.

A monthly MIXED Comp day will be trialled starting soon. This will, hopefully, encourage the men and the ladies to play together and share the social ambience after the game. Stay tuned and notification will be forthcoming once dates are known.

A review of our Reciprocal Clubs was undertaken over

the past few months and a revised list can be found at: http://mtbeautygolfclub.org.au/our-reciprocal-clubs

Decisions were not taken lightly and were based on popularity within the club, their interest in our news and communications between our clubs.

All Committee members can be contacted at: committee@mtbeautygolfclub. org.au

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



#### Facebook

Please visit and Like us at: facebook.com/MtBeautyGolf



#### Course News

The course is looking pretty good at the moment thanks to ALL the guys and girls who spend countless hours keeping it in great condition.

With the onset of winter, albeit being a dryer than usual one at this stage, please be aware that the course could be wet in places and care should be taken on routes taken, especially in carts.

#### 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**

On Saturdays, some may have noticed, we have introduced the opportunity to purchase a hot pie or sausage roll when you sign up for the day's competition. The comp fee is \$7.50, so to avoid the usual \$2.50 in coins be given as change this can be spent on a pie or sausage roll, which will be available after the game, whilst on the deck.

The Ladies' and Men's Monthly Medal day is the first Saturday of the month, being 1 July and 5 August. Pairs will be again be needed on Saturday 15 July for another Men's 4BBB Stableford comp.

The following weekend, Saturday 22 and Sunday 23 July, is the Dederang Annual Tournament. Saturday 12 Aug will see a Canadian event for the Men. Get your partners organised.

A Men's 2 Ball Ambrose will be played out on Saturday 27 August. Pairs needed again.

It seems July and August will be a very social couple of months with numerous comps needing playing pairs.

Comp golf rounds are played every Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday.



#### Past Events Information

The June Monthly Medal was won by Stephen Johnston (pictured) scoring a net 74 on a countback from Ron Gallagher Balls in the Ball Comp were won by David Browning, 76, Allan Retallick, Trevor English, and Don Mason all with 77. NTP: 7<sup>th</sup> Allan Retallick 9<sup>th</sup> Allan Ferrari 17<sup>th</sup> Mick Luscombe.



The same day the 2<sup>nd</sup> round of the Jarman Cup was played with the winner being Stephen Johnston with a net 148 followed by Allan Retallick, 152 over the 2 rounds.

The following Saturday 10
June was the Men's
Foursomes Championships –
The winning pair were
Stephen Haugh & Allan Ferrari
with a 68.5 easily accounting
for Emil Solar & Mick

Luscombe on 75.5. Ball Comp winners were Ben Charlton & Stephen Short 76. NTP: 7th Allan Ferrari 9th Allan Retallick 17th Trevor English 18th Stephen Short.



Again, the following Saturday
17 June was a Par Honour
Board Event – The Alf McBain
Trophy. Captain Peter Hertzog
(pictured above) took the
honours with an admirable +4
from David Browning, Stephen
Haugh, Allan Retallick, James
Martin and David Whelan all
scoring -2. NTP: 7<sup>th</sup> Peter
Dilley 9<sup>th</sup> David Whelan
17<sup>th</sup> Stephen Short
18<sup>th</sup> Stephen Johnston.

Saturday 24 June was a most enjoyable pairs event with a 4BBB Stableford. The winners of this event were Ron Gallager & Peter Dilley with 47 points followed by Craig Brown & Peter Hertzog with 46. Ball Comp winners were Peter Johns & Mick Luscombe with a 42. Individual best scorers were Ron Gallagher with a creditable 44 points, (where were you Peter D?) and Peter Hertzog with 42. NTP: 7th Tony Campen 9th Trevor English 17th David Browning 18th Peter Johns.

It seems that June is our 'Honour Board Event' Month. All players were certainly taking advantage of a fairly unseasonable dry June to bring home some great scores.

Congrats and 'Well Done' to all the competitors during June.



#### **Juniors**

A Junior Program is still in the pipeline with a planned Golf Clinic, hopefully, in the September School Holidays.



#### Pennant 2018

The dates for the 2018
Pennant Season have been tentatively put down for the Sundays of 18 and 25 March, 8, 15 and 22 April 2018. With the Final being the 29 April 2018, which we will make this year – won't we!

All those who regularly play this event please put these dates in your diary so we can avoid last minute 'pull outs' next season.

Anyone wishing to play or needing further info please contact Michael Bartholomew or Ben Charlton or just reply to this newsletter.

#### Reciprocal & Local Club News

Corowa Golf Club are offering a Winter Special 2 night package at the resort for \$249 for 2 people. This includes 2 nights accommodation, 2 continental breakfasts, 2 days unlimited golf, 2 meal and 2 drink vouchers per person. To take advantage of this fantastic offer contact 1800 334 288 or email manager@corowagolfclubmot el.com.au

The 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Sapphire
Coast "Week of Golf" is being
held at the Pambula Merimbula GC from 21 to 29
Oct. 12 events culminating in
the 36 Hole Men's
Championship on 28 and 29
Oct. The week also includes a
number of Social Events as
well.

Details can be found at www.merimbulagolf.com.au



#### Shirts for Sale

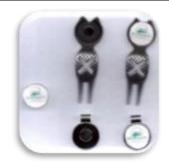
We have only a few shirts left incorporating our new logo



For Sale - \$50 \$40

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 (pictured above). These can be purchased at the clubhouse for **\$8**.

#### Laugh Time

### EXERCISE FOR PEOPLE OVER 60

Begin by standing on a comfortable surface, where you have plenty of room at each side.

With a 5kg potato bag in each hand, extend your arms straight out from your sides and hold them there as long as you can.

Try to reach a full minute, and then relax.

Each day you'll find that you can hold this position for just a bit longer.

After a couple of weeks, move up to 10kg potato bags. Then try 50kg potato bags and eventually try to get to where you can lift a 100kg potato bag in each hand and hold your arms straight for more than a full minute.

(I'm at this level).

After you feel confident at that level, put a potato in each bag.

(Thanks to the Echunga Putter)



#### Golf Trivia

Gene Sarazen's Double Eagle (Albatross) at the 1935 Masters became known as 'The shot heard around the world' and led to a bridge at the Augusta course being named after him.

Because of an argument over what form the game should take, golf was dropped from the 1908 London Olympics.

In the 'Monkey Tournament' organized by the Atlanta Women's Golf Association in 1927, the club to be used for each shot was decided by drawing lots.

(Now there is an idea for our Captain to ponder?)

#### 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 and tees:

1st: Mount Beauty Holiday

Centre

2nd: Mount Beauty Bobcat3rd: Kiewa Country Cottages

4th: Available for sponsorship

5th: Snow View Holiday Units

6th: Rocky Valley Bikes & Snowsports

7th: Tawonga South

Butcherv

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

18th: Mount Beauty Hardware

& Drapery

Eagle's Nest: Available for

sponsorship

'Hole in One': Tate's Funeral

Services

Scorecard: Foodworks

Mount Beauty Auto Mount Beauty Bakery Home Improvement

Centre

Meat Tray: Tawonga South

Butchery

General: Drummond Golf

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 any Drummonds Store when you make a purchase and not only do you get a very good discount, 5% of your purchases go to club.





We are a Level 3 Good Sports Club



HAVE YOUR SAY....
Email letters, contributions, etc. are most welcome.

Send to us