



Club News

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February / March 2024

DIARY DATES

MARCH 2024

Friday 29 March: Good Friday – Players Choice

APRIL 2024

Monday 1 April: Easter Monday 4 Ball Ambrose

Saturday 6 April: Monthly Medal
3rd Round Club C/ships

Saturday 13 April: 4th Round Club C/ships

Saturday 20 April: Par

Thursday 25 April: ANZAC Day Stableford

Saturday 27 April: 2 Ball Stableford Multiplier

MAY 2024

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1st Round Kiewa Hydro Cup

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Saturday 18 May: Par-Alf McBain Memorial Cup

Saturday 25 May: Stableford

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

COMMITTEE NEWS

The 2024 Golf Program has been posted on the [website](#).

Green fees are well up on our 3 year average which reflects the good weather we have experienced over Feb & March. The Hire Carts have paid for themselves already & are proving a good investment.

We are investigating the installation of electronic Honour Boards to replace the existing physical boards. The electronic ones are much easier & less expensive to update annually.

The increase in the number of members requiring Cart Accommodation has prompted us to seek quotes on extending the Maintenance Shed to house more carts.

We welcomed 3 Full Members in Feb / March - Ali Barr, Alec Harrowfield & Leif Moegel 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 course is in fantastic condition at the moment and is providing a fair bit of run. The weather is great and we encourage you all to come out and have a round of golf & try out the new [Carts!!](#)

In preparation for the winter months there has been a lot of new drainage dug & we are still working our way through more necessary drains in strategic areas to try to alleviate the worst of the wet areas we usually experience over the winter. As well as drainage we are looking at ways to stabilise the existing cart paths around the 17th and 18th.

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.

PAST EVENTS

Saturday 3 February was our Monthly Medal day which was won by new member Solomon Edwards with a net 70 on a countback from Macca Deans. Also getting a ball for their efforts were Victor Selway & Taf Sullivan (71 net apiece), & Trevor English with 72 net.

NTP's went to Mick Luscombe on the 7th, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Allan Retallick, the 17th was Victor Selway. Mark Redmond took home the money on the 18th.



On Saturday 17 February Trevor English won our Par round with his +2 on a countback from 6 other players, Steuart Snooks, Rick Biesboer, Jason Gentile, Michael Bartholomew & Dave Etherton.

NTP's went to Victor Selway, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Taff Sullivan. The 17th to Peter Johns. Macca Deans won the money on the 18th which he kindly donated back to the club.





The Monthly Medal was played on Saturday 2 March & was won by Dave Browning with a net 67 from Bruce Plant with net 68, Peter Dilley with net 69, Joe Mero with net 70, Steuart Snooks & Dave Etherton with net 72's.

NTP on the 7th went to Bruce Plant, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Dave Browning. 17th to Ross Rynehart. The money on the 18th was won by Macca Deans.

Labour Day, Saturday 11 March, was a 4 Ball Ambrose comp won by the team of Mark Redmond, Jooyon Kang-Redmond, Megan Redmond & Nigel Mateo with a net 56.375. Allan Retallick, Peter Hertzog, Craig Docherty & Ross Rynehart scored the next best with 56.75 net. Megan & Nigel were visiting Mark & Jooyon & are from the Mandalay GC.

NTP on the 7th was Ross Wilson, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Jooyon Kang-Redmond. 17th to Fred Gerardson. The money on the 18th was won by Will Hood.

The Club Championships were started on Saturday 16 March with the 2nd round played on Saturday 23 March. The final 2 rounds are to be played on Saturdays 6 & 13 April. The best 3 rounds to be counted.

The winner of the 1st Round was Bruce Plant with a net 66 from Solomon Edwards with 69 net. NTP on the day on the 7th was Trevor English, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Ron Gallagher, the 17th to Peter Dilley. The money on the 18th went to Bruce Plant while Roger Church, not in the money comp, was nearest the pin.

The winner of the 2nd round was Trevor English with a net 67 from Peter Partington, net 70. NTP on this day on the 7th was Dave Etherton, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Victor Selway, 17th to Taf Sullivan while the money on the 18th went to Alec Harrowfield.

Progress scoring after 2 rounds of the Championships shows:

A Grade: Victor Selway 3 strokes ahead of Rick Biesboer

B Grade: Trevor English 2 strokes up on Ross Rynehart

C Grade: Michael Bartholomew 1 stroke up on Stuie Jelbart

The 54 Hole Handicap Championship after 2 rounds is being led by Trevor English (net 138) from Rick Biesboer (net 144)



LADIES COMPETITIONS

The Ladies played the Front 9 on Wednesday 31 January with Helen Whittaker proving successful with her 21 points. Gill Harrowfield was next in with 17 points.
NTP (2nd shot) on the 7th was Ruth Rynehart

Saturday 3 February saw the Ladies play their 9 & 18 hole comps as seems to be becoming the norm. Great to see enough Ladies playing to be able to hold the 2 simultaneous comps.

The Front 9 comp was won by Liz Harvey with 17 points from Gill Harrowfield with 15 points.

The 18 hole comp was convincingly won by Helen Whittaker with an amazing 40 points from Karen Etherton who could only manage 29 points.
Helen also took the NTP on the 9th (2nd shot).

The Back 9 comp on Wednesday 7 February was won by Helen Whittaker with 16 points on a countback to Lynda Barter.
NTP (2nd shot) on the 18th was Ruth Rynehart

The Saturday 10 February Back 9 comp was won by Gill Harrowfield with 14 points from Ute Svboda on 13 points.

The Match Committee decided to open up the Matchplay Championships, which will start on Saturday 10 February, to all members with a handicap. In the past this comp has been a Men's comp. It is great to see a number of the Ladies take the men on head-to-head. Helen Whittaker was the 1st to win her match from Sam Perry 2 up in the 1st knock-out round of the comp. Well done to you Helen.
The 18 hole comp was won by Leesa Bevan with 36 over Helen Whittaker with 32 points.
NTP (2nd shot) on the 18th was Leesa Bevan.

The Saturday 17 February Front 9 comp was won by Ute Svboda with 18 points from Gill Harrowfield with 16 points.

The 18 hole winner was Liz Harvey on a countback from Helen Whittaker with 34 points apiece.
NTP(2nd shot) on the 7th was Liz Harvey.

Wednesday 21 February's Front 9 comp was won by Jooyon Kang-Redmond with 23 points from Helen Whittaker, 17 points.

The Front 9 was played on Wednesday 28 February which was won by Gill Harrowfield with 17 points on a countback from Ute Svboda.

On Saturday 2 March Ute Svboda was victorious on a countback from Lynda Barter & Jooyon Kang-Redmond with their 17 points apiece.

The Front 9 was played on Wednesday 13 March & was won by Ute Svboda with 19 points over Jooyon Kang-Redmond, 18 points.



The Front 9 was played on Saturday 16 March and was won by Liz Harvey with 19 points on a countback from Lynda Barter & Carol Bartholomew. NTP on the 7th, 2nd shot, went to Liz Harvey.

Wednesday 20 March Carol Bartholomew won the Back 9 comp with 18 points from Gill Harrowfield (17 points). NTP on the 18th, 2nd shot, went to Gill Harrowfield.

Saturday 23 March saw Carol Bartholomew win the Back 9 comp with 19 points from Jooyon Kang-Redmond with 18 points. NTP on the 18th was Gill Harrowfield.

Wednesday 27 March the Front 9 was won by Ute Svoda with 20 points from Lynda Barter 18 points. Some of the Ladies had an 18 hole comp which Carol Bartholomew won with 37 points from Liz Harvey with 33 points. NTP 2nd shot on the 7th was Liz Harvey.

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 9am while the weather is hot and the Men at noon for 12.30pm both days.

With Daylight Saving upon us the Men have an extra Tee Time for their Wednesday Competitions at 4.30pm to enable those players who work to be able to enjoy a Wednesday comp.

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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.

WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU THERE.

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](#)

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Mount Beauty & District

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Proudly supporting the Mount Beauty Golf Club

FALLS CREEK COACHES EAGLES NEST RAIDED AT LAST!



Not since January has the Falls Creek Coaches Nest been raided.

Trevor English chipped in from 60m to Eagle the Par 5 14th on Saturday 23 March.

Great shot Trev

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 2023 have been loaded to this website.

The Thurgoona Men's Tournament will be held on Sunday 7 April. Details soon

Corowa GC will host the Chomley-Davidson Bowl on Wednesday 10 April 8:30 for 9:00am shotgun start. Stableford individual A.B C Grades. Teams of 4 with best 3 to count. \$40 including lunch. Entry & Payment at: corowagolfclub.com.au : Enquires: Pro Shop : 02 6033 2162

Thurgoona GC will host a Women's Bowl on Monday 15 April. 8:30am for 9am shotgun start. 18 Hole Stableford event plus teams of 4 with best 3 to count for the Bowl event. Entry cost is \$35 which includes lunch. Email your entry to our Treasurer: Lyn Vey

NEDGA Judy Guilfoyle event for playing HC 30+. Tuesday 16 April. Shotgun 9:00 for 9:30pm. Individual stableford. GA of 31.0 or higher at the time of entry. Go to www.nedga.org.au and click on the EVENTS tab at the top of the home page and select the event to enter.

Mansfield GC will host a Women's Bowl on Wednesday 24 April. 9am for 9.30am shotgun start. \$30.00 per person (including lunch). 18 hole Stableford, three player team event plus individual grades NTP's, Young Chicks, Vets, Super Vets and Small Teams. Entries to: mansfieldladiesgolf@gmail.com



CLUB SHIRTS



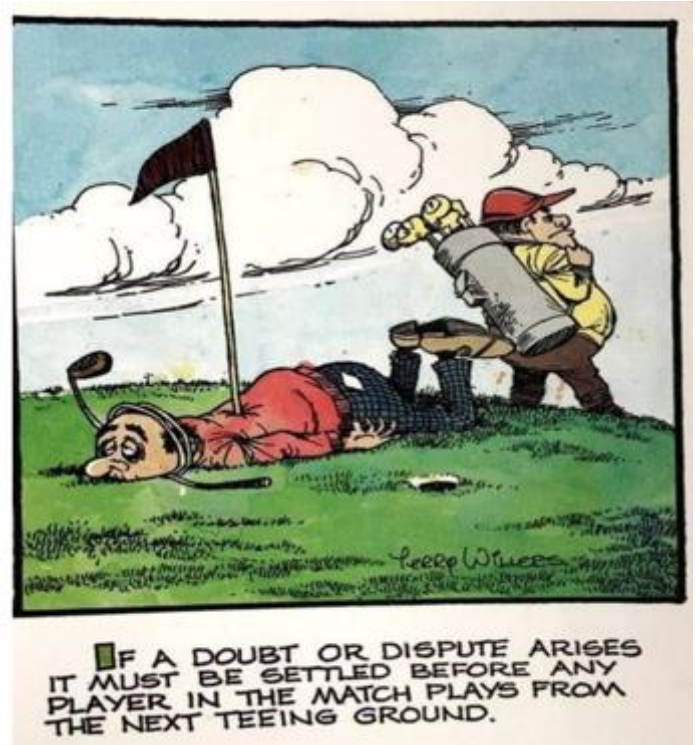
We have received our order of Club Shirts which are available for purchase at the Clubhouse Bar. They are a Travis Matthew brand with our Logo on the right side and a Drummond Club logo on the right sleeve. Retail for these is normally \$90.

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



LAUGH TIME

(Thanks this time to Dave B)



Why Australia is in Trouble

The population of this country is **26 million**, **11 million** are retired. That leaves **15 million** to do the work. There are **9 million** in school leaving **6 million** to do the work.

Of these, **3 million** are "employed" by the federal government. So there are only **3 million** to do the work. **500,000** are in the armed forces which leaves **2.5 million** to do the work.

Take from that total the **2.1 million** people who "work" for state and city governments. Just **0.4 million** left to do the work At any given time there are **18,800** people in hospital leaving **381,200** to do the work Currently we have **380,198** people in prisons That leaves just **two people** to do the work, You and me.

And there YOU are. Sitting on your ass reading jokes



Apparently there are 2 types of flu. The harmless one that women and children get, and the "near death" version that men get.

Hundred bucks says there's a coyote under there!



Bed and Breakfast



The distance it takes for me to forget a number between 1 and 10



I will ignore him all day



So he knows I am mad

What a nice quiet day.



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:

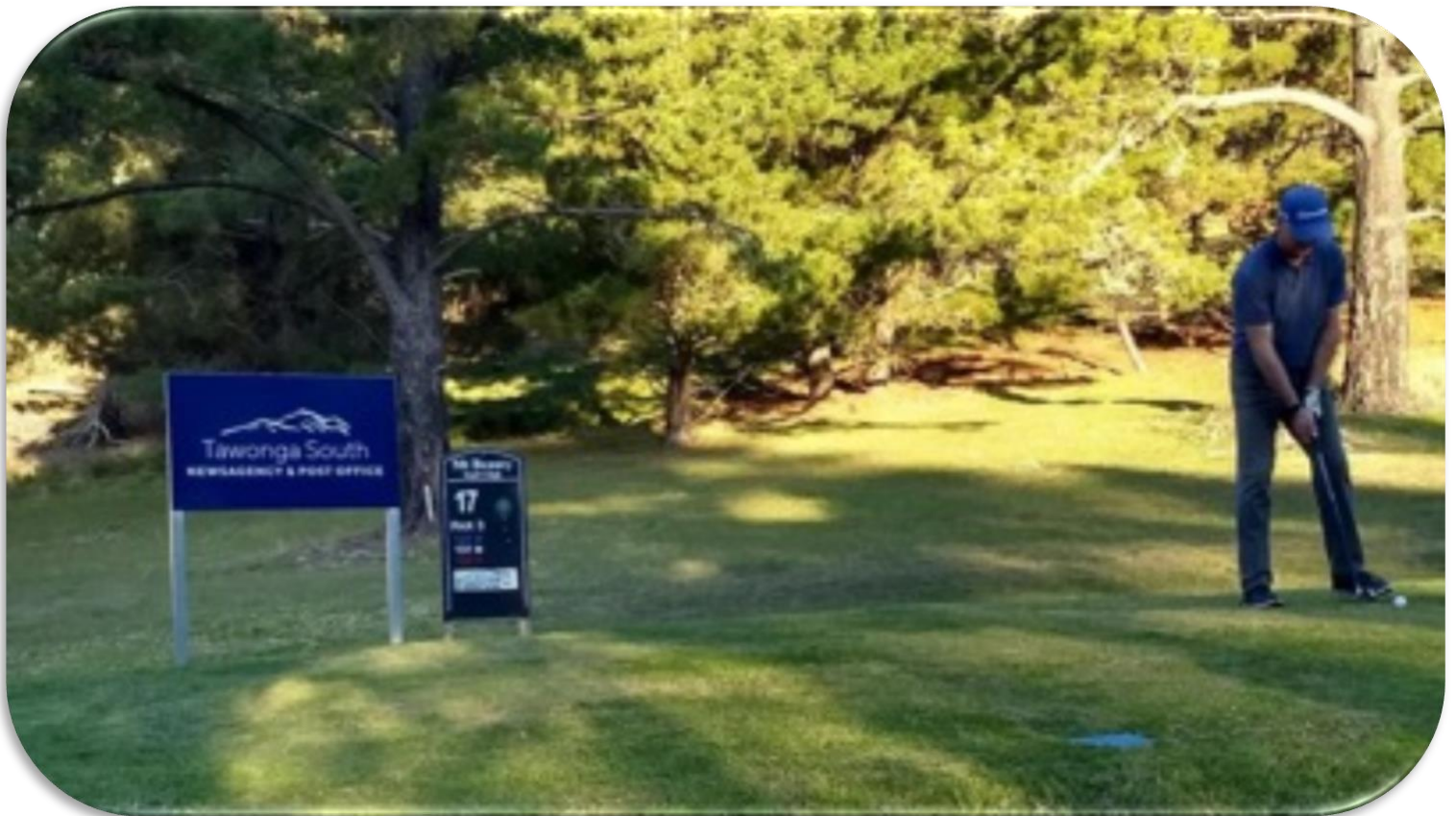
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| 1st Top: Wallaby Homes | 17th: Tawonga South Newsagency |
| 1st Front: Available | 18th: Mountain Creek Property |
| 2nd: Mount Beauty Motor Inn | Scorecard: Foodworks |
| 3rd: Oztec Constructions | Mount Beauty Auto Repairs |
| 4th: Cav Plumb | Mount Beauty Bakery |
| 5th: Available | Home Improvement Centre |
| 6th: Freuau Village | Eagle's Nest: Falls Creek Coach Service |
| 7th: Fusion Safety Management | Hole in One: North East Funerals |
| 8th: Altitude Electrical | Meat Tray: Tawonga South Butchery |
| 9th: Falls Creek Coach Service | NTP's: 7 th Tawonga South Newsagency |
| 10th: Bendigo Bank | 9 th Don Mason |
| 11th: Available | 17 th Peter Hertzog |
| 12th: Alpine Valley Real Estate | 18 th Dave Browning |
| 13th: Available | Pump Shed & Tank: Middy's Electrical |
| 14th: Available | Carts: Mount Beauty & District Community Bank |
| 15th: Available | General: Drummond Golf 3NE |
| 16th: Available | |

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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