



Club News

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October 2023

DIARY DATES

NOVEMBER 2023

Saturday 4 November: Monthly Medal

**Tuesday 7 November: Melbourne Cup 4 Ball
Ambrose**

**Saturday 11 November: Scheduled Matchplay
Final / Stableford**

Saturday 18 November: Par

Friday 24 November: West Peak Raffle

**Saturday 25 November: Foursomes
Championships**

DECEMBER 2023

**Saturday 2 December : CAZNA Cup & Monthly
Medal**

Saturday 9 December: 4BBB Vegas

**Saturday Evening 9 December: Christmas Party
Presentation Night**

Saturday 23 December: Stableford

Tuesday 26 December: Boxing Day Stableford

The full 2023 schedule of events can be viewed
[HERE](#)

COMMITTEE NEWS



Thanks to the Mount Beauty & Community Bank Branch of the Bendigo Bank we are able to proceed with the purchase of 2 carts from VendiGolf for the purpose of hiring them out to users. A much appreciated grant from the Bank has been received.

The carts will be up and running, we hope, by the New Year.

All incumbents were re-elected at the AGM in October. There were 2 changes of position where Peter Dilley was elected as Captain while Peter Hertzog remains on the General Committee. Thanks to all who attended or submitted proxies.

Our Christmas Party will be held on Saturday evening 9 December starting at 6pm with Presentations to all who won significant events throughout the year. Dinner will be served shortly afterwards by Kitchen 95 including a couple of roasts & a gnocchi dish. More details in a separate article further in the newsletter.

We welcomed 3 new members in October - Greg & Alexander Halarakis as Junior

Members along with James Eggleston & Graham Beer as Full members. The Committee hope you will enjoy your membership with us.

After numerous years of remaining the same the Committee decided to increase our Green Fees to

All Day Golf \$35

9 Holes \$25

Club Hire \$17

Pull Buggy Hire \$7

We now have in place 3 ways by which you can pay your Green Fees, with cash in the envelopes & placed in the 'Green Fees Slot', by Direct Deposit into our Bank Account via instructions on the Office window or by Credit Card at the newly installed VendiPay machine mounted on the wall next to the Office window.

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

The logo for Foodworks is a rounded rectangular button with an orange-to-red gradient background. The word "FOODWORKS" is written in a bold, white, sans-serif font, centered on the button.

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 before the silly season kicks in and the course gets a lot busier over the next few months.

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

The Committee and the volunteers thank you for your consideration.

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

"The most important shot in golf is the next one." — Ben Hogan

"The only sure rule in golf is he who has the fastest golf cart never has to play the bad lie." — Mickey Mantle



PAST EVENTS

Saturday 7 October was Monthly Medal day & which had a touch of deja-vu about it with Roger Church coming out on top again for his second monthly with a net 73 while 2 players battled on countbacks for podium positions with net 74, Sam Bellchambers & Michael Bartholomew.

NTP on the 7th was Roger Church along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Sam Perry, 17th to Rick Biesboer and the money on the 18th to Peter Dilley.



Sam Bellchambers was able to snatch the solitary ball out of the Eagle's Nest on the Par 4 13th. The nest has been raided frequently in the last month so the pickings were very slim.

Saturday 14 October was the 1st Round of the Jarman Cup with 26 men vying for clubhouse leadership. Stephen Short won the 1st round with 37 points from Past President, now from Mollymook GC, with 36 points. Three players ended up on 34 points, Fred Gerardson, Roger Church & Allan Retallick. Dave Drew also got a ball for his 33 points.

NTP on the 7th went to Stephen Short, 9th to

Roger Church, 17th to Sam Bellchambers. The money went to Allan Retallick on the 18th.

The following week, Saturday 21 October, was the 2nd Round of our Jarman Cup and the field of 23 was out to catch the clubhouse leader, Stephen Short, with his 37 points from the 1st round. Sam Bellchambers, who had a 1st round score of 28 points, put in a mighty effort to score 41 points (totalling 69 points) on the day only to miss dethroning Stephen by 3 points as Stephen scored a 35 pointer on the day for a total of 72 points. Dave Browning (67 points total) & Allan Retallick (65 points total) were the better of the rest of the field.

Captain Peter Dilley presenting Stephen Short with the Jarman Cup

NTP on the 7th went to Trevor English along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to Peter

Dilley. 17th to Sam Bellchambers while Allan Retallick took home the money on the 18th.



Saturday 28 October saw a field of 21 men try to beat the course in a Par comp. Achieving this with a +2 was Don Mason. Other good golfers were David Drew, Rick & Gerad Biesboer & Stephen Short with +1. Thirteen Birdies were scored in the round! NTP on the 7th was Victor Selway, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th went to the club. Joe Mero got closest on the 17th while Roger Church took home the money on the 18th.

LADIES COMPETITIONS

With no-one playing on Wednesday 4 October amongst 130mm of rain all were fresh for a Saturday 9 October start.

The Ladies played the front 9 with Helen Whittaker winning with her 11 points to Liz Harvey on a countback.

Only 4 Ladies fought out their Front 9 Stableford round on Saturday 14 October. The winner was Leesa Bevan with her 19 points easily accounting for both Helen Whittaker & Liz Harvey with their 13 points apiece.

The star of the day was Leesa Bevan who had an amazing eagle 3 on the long par 5 5th hole. Her second hit was only 10 metres from the green, she then chipped in for 3. Well done, Leesa!

Not enough Ladies turned out on Wed 18 October for there to be a comp but a couple of them had a lovely social round together.

On Saturday 21 October the 9 hole Stableford (Front 9) winner was Helen Whittaker (37) with 17 points on a count back from Leesa Bevan (5).

NTP Second hit on the 7th was Gill Harrowfield.

Carol Bartholomew, Helen Whittaker and Liz Harvey represented the Mount Beauty Ladies at the Beechworth Bowl on Wednesday 18 October. It was a beautiful day with representatives from about 20 different clubs attending. The Beechworth team were the winners on the day with only 4 players from the whole field scoring over 30 points.

On Wednesday 25 October the Ladies played a 9 hole Stableford (Front 9) which was won by Gayle Jennings (52) with 17 points. Runner-up was Helen Whittaker (37) with 15 points.

NTP 2nd hit on the 7th was Gayle Jennings.

Saturday 28 October the 9 hole Stableford (Back 9) winner was Carol Bartholomew (33) with 17 points. Runner-up was Liz Harvey (26) with her 15 points.

NTP 2nd hit on 18th was Liz Harvey

On Wednesday 15 October the Ladies will be joined by the Beechworth Ladies for an Ambrose or similar game. It will be great to have some players from another club visit us as we now have a few extra women playing in our competitions.



Thank you to Liz Harvey for these results

EAGLES NEST RAIDED

Leesa Bevan was the star of the day on Saturday 14 October with an amazing eagle on the long par 5 fifth hole. Her second hit was just 10 metres short of the green and she then chipped in for her 3. Well done Leesa!



Sam Bellchambers scored the Eagles' Nest on Saturday 7 October with his Eagle on the Par 4 13th.

Slim pickings for both players as the Nest had been raided frequently over the previous few weeks

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 2023 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 11am for 11.15am 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.

Saturday 4 November: Monthly Medal

Tuesday 7 November: Melbourne Cup 4 Ball Ambrose. Partners required.

Saturday 11 November: Scheduled Matchplay Final. A Stableford comp will be available for all the mere mortals who will not be in the final.

Saturday 18 November: Par

Saturday 25 November: Foursomes Championships. Partners required.

Saturday 2 December : CAZNA Cup & Monthly Medal

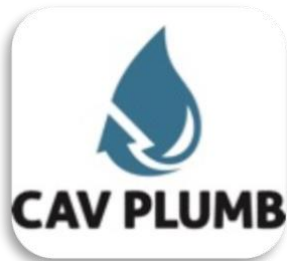
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The results of Wednesday and Saturday Men's & Ladies' events are posted in the 'Alpine Observer' every week (Wednesdays) if anyone is interested in extra results from events not mentioned in the newsletter.



CHRISTMAS PARTY & PRESENTATION NIGHT



Saturday evening, 9 December, has been set aside for us to have a get together for our Christmas Party and Presentation Night.

The festivities will kick off at 6pm for Presentations to all those good golfers who won major events during the year including 'King of the Pins' & Eclectic Champ.

Around 6.30 to 7pm Nick Gosnik & his team from Kitchen 95 will be serving up a buffet selection of

Slow roasted grass-fed beef
Boneless herb roasted free range chicken
Crispy roasted potatoes
Handmade potato gnocchi bake w/ classic tomato sugo & shaved parmesan

Baby cos & cucumber salad w/ pickled radish & creamy dressing
Italian cherry tomato salad w/ crumbled fetta & balsamic
Roast Gravy
Fresh buttered bread
The Ladies will be supplying a choice of Desserts

Drinks will be available at the bar on the night. Grab a group of mates and join us for the party. Cost for the meal will be \$40 per person. Children under 16 half price.

Please let [Michael Bartholomew](#) know if you will be coming. Payment can be made on the night.

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 will be Friday 24 November

If you are at a loose end then 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 2023 have been loaded to this website.

The Men's District Sand Greens Championships 2023 (incorporating the Yackandandah Men's Annual Tournament) will be at Yackandandah Golf Club on Sunday 5 November. Shotgun Start 9.30 am for 10.00 am. Entries via [GolfBox](#)

Myrtleford Golf Club Inc. with support from Club Savoy Myrtleford are holding the 8th Annual 2 Ball Ambrose on Sunday 12 November. Light Lunch provided daily. 10.00 for 10.30 am Shotgun start. Entries to [Myrtleford Golf Club](#) website, by Friday 10th November for catering purposes. Ph. 035752 2286 Email: myrtlefordgolf@bigpond.com

Wangaratta GC will host the Sally Symonds 4BBB & NEDGA Closing Day event on Friday 17 November. 8.30 for 9am Shotgun Start. Lunch included. Click [here](#) to enter

Deniliquin GC will hold its 1st Reciprocal Teams Challenge 3 Ball Ambrose on Saturday & Sunday 18 / 19 November. Email denigolf@bigpond.com.au to enter.



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.

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LAUGH TIME

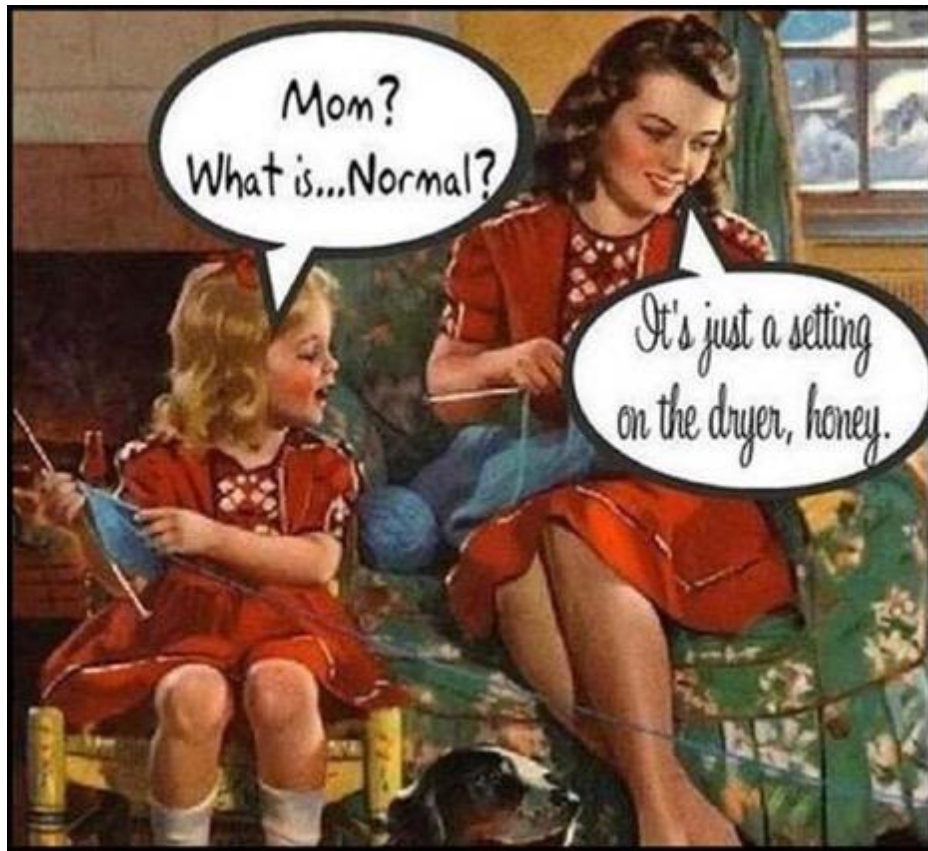
(Thanks again Richard & Ronnie)



*The first motorcycle race
began when the second
motorcycle was built.*
—Anonymous



**Fuel prices are so high
that I went to the car
dealership and test drove
3 cars to run my errands.
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**THIS NEW WRENCH IS AMAZING.
One side is "Standard",**



the other side is "Metric".

We truly do live in an age of technological marvels.

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 Top: [Wallaby Homes](#)

1st Front: [Available](#)

2nd: [Mount Beauty Motor Inn](#)

3rd: [Oztec Constructions](#)

4th: [Cav Plumb](#)

5th: [Available](#)

6th: [Freuau Village](#)

7th: [Fusion Safety Management](#)

8th: [Altitude Electrical](#)

9th: [Falls Creek Coach Service](#)

10th: [Bendigo Bank](#)

11th: [Available](#)

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

13th: [Available](#)

14th: [Available](#)

15th: [Available](#)

16th: [Available](#)

17th: [Tawonga South Newsagency](#)

18th: [Mountain Creek Property](#)

Scorecard: [Foodworks](#)

[Mount Beauty Auto Repairs](#)

[Mount Beauty Bakery](#)

[Home Improvement Centre](#)

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

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](#)

Pump Shed & Tank: [Middy's Electrical](#)

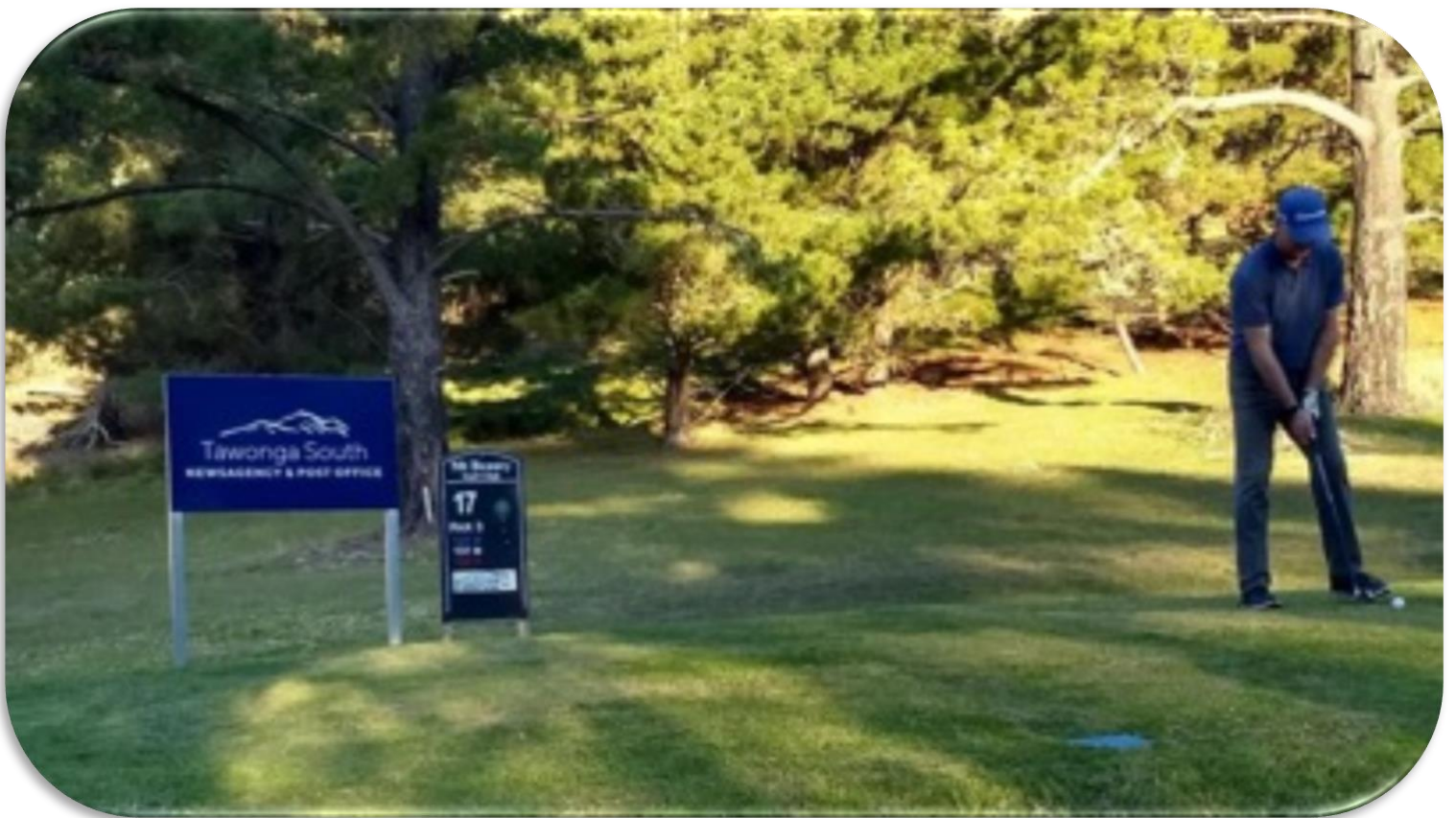
General: [Drummond Golf](#) [3NE](#)

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.

Past copies of the newsletter can be accessed by clicking [HERE](#)

