



# Club News

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**February 2025**

## DIARY DATES

### MARCH 2025

**Saturday 1 March: Men's Monthly Medal  
Ladies' Monthly Stroke**

**Saturday 8 March: Par**

**Monday 10 March: Labour Day 4Ball Ambrose  
Hole-in-One event - \$\$\$\$\$**

**Saturday 15 March: 1st Round Club  
Championships**

**Saturday 22 March: 2nd Round Club C/ships**

### APRIL 2025

**Saturday 5 April: Men's Monthly Medal  
Ladies' Monthly Stroke  
3rd Round Club C/ships**

**Saturday 12 April: 4th Round Club C/ships**

**Friday 18 April: Good Friday Stableford**

**Monday 21 April: Easter Monday 4Ball Ambrose**

**Friday 25 April: ANZAC Stableford**

**Saturday 26 April: Par**

The full 2025 Program of Events can be viewed  
[HERE](#)

## COMMITTEE NEWS

The Committee is pleased to welcome Settlers Tavern on board as our Sponsor for the Hole-in-One events we will be holding throughout the year.



### Labour Day Monday 10 March Hole-in-One - \$10000

To enter the event go to the [Kiosk](#) or ring us on 0459 679 356 for details.

Sadly, we will not be taking part in the Mountain Monk Brewery Raffles in 2025. The Committee wishes to thank all who have been involved in these raffles over the last couple of years & to MMB for helping us raise much needed funds for the club. We wish them all the best with their new plans.

We are still involved in the Settlers Tavern Friday Night Raffles.

The Committee has decided to cancel all Reciprocal Rights with other clubs except those in the North East District, namely Bright & Myrtleford.

We had no new members join us during February



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

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

### COURSE NEWS

The course is very dry at the moment & providing heaps of run. The greens are in very good condition. The Match Committee has reinstated Preferred Lies 'Through the Green', which weirdly enough means everywhere EXCEPT on the Green & in Hazards! You can pick up & place your ball within 1 scorecard length in order to avoid bare patches etc.

You may have noticed large containers of water have been placed between some of the fairways lately? The Groundspersons have been placing these filled with water for our resident Kangaroos during the hot weather to help mitigate damage they have been causing to the greens digging for water and wet sand to lay in. It appears to have had some success.

We have had comments from Green Fee players that the 16<sup>th</sup> Red Tee is difficult to find. The Match Committee has moved this tee to beside the 3<sup>rd</sup> Blue Tee area. A temporary sign has been placed on the 16<sup>th</sup> fairway below the 16<sup>th</sup> Blue & White Tee area. Walk around 50 meters down the 16<sup>th</sup> & the Red Tee is on your right past the trees.

The 'Please repair Divots & Pitch Marks' sign is out & about on various fairways. Please grab a bucket of sand at the sand boxes on all tees & repair any divots & holes you see on the fairways & greens.

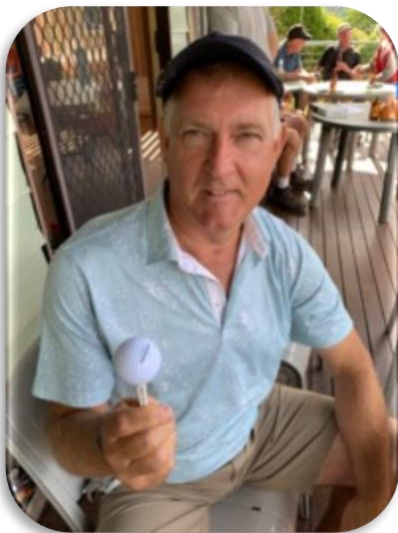
The Committee would like to remind all Cart Users that **NO CARTS are to be driven closer than 10 metres to ANY green.**



## PAST EVENTS



Monthly Medal was the name of the game for the Men on Saturday 1 February. Battling with the heat on the day the best score belonged to Peter Johns with net 71 on a countback from Dave Etherton & Neil Tappe. Balls were given out to Ron Gallagher, Allan Retallick & Stephen Short for their net 72's. NTP on the 7th was Dave Etherton, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. Dave also took the 9th. The 17th was Roger Church & David Drew took home the money on the 18th.



The Men played Par on Saturday 16 February which was won by Mark Redmond with +3 from Stephen Short & Steuart Snooks, both +2. Balls in the Ball Comp were handed out to Tristan Skitt (+1), Leesa Bevan (+1) & Roger Church (0). We were visited by a couple of visitors for the day in David Masoch & Peter Davis from Tocumwal GC. NTP on the 7th was Stephen Short, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. The 9th was Victor Selway. 17th Michael Bartholomew while Tristan Skitt took home the money on the 18th.



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Mount Beauty & District

 Bendigo Bank

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Saturday 22 February was Red Tees Plate day for the Men. We had seven visitors from Jubilee GC, Benalla GC & the Commercial Club, Albury join us for the event. 9 Hole Specialist contender Neil Tappe won the day with 43 points on a countback from Paul Miles (Commercial Club). Balls were handed to Stephen Short (42 points), Bruce Plant (41 points), Dean Milligan (Jubilee GC, 39 points) & Roger Church (38 points).

NTP on the 7th was Roger Church, along with the Tatts Ticket from the Tawonga South Newsagency & Post Office. 9th was Andrew Greenfield. 17th Bruce Plant while David Drew took home the money on the 18th.

## THE VICTOR SELWAY 'INVITATIONAL' REPORT

by Victor himself

On Monday 17 February we had two guests – Luke Porritt – Thurgoona's Pro – who shot an easy 68 of the stick. (+3 for 37 points)

The other - Sam Bakes who is several times club champion at Albury GC and many thought would also turn pro. However, the story goes, he did not want to work in a golf shop and he got an apprenticeship. He plays off +2 and shot 72 with two doubles. I have played with Sam before and he is incredible to watch hit a golf ball – he has the modern player's swing and the ball just flies miles and miles.

However, Stuart Snooks beat the pro on a countback with 37 points!!!

(Ed) The following Monday 24 February Luke & Sam joined us again. This time no-one was able to come close to Sam as he had 43 points – shooting a total of 64 off the stick for the round. This would possibly have been a course record but our rules are the round must be off the Blue Tees & stroke format. Luke came in next with 36 points, & a score of 69 off the stick, on a countback from Brett Williams.

To add further excitement for the round Sam had an Eagle on the Par 5 11<sup>th</sup> & Luke managed one as well on the Par 5 14<sup>th</sup>.



## LADIES COMPETITIONS



On Saturday 1 February the Ladies initiated their Monthly Stroke event with the inaugural winner being Carol Bartholomew with a Net 73 from Leesa Bevan with net 75. As the name suggests the Ladies hope this will become a monthly event on the 1st Saturday of the month, similar to the Men's Monthly Medal.

The Ladies played the Back 9 on Wednesday 5 February which was won by Jooyon Kang-Redmond with her 20 points from Liz Harvey with 19 points. NTP on the 18th, 2nd shot, was Carol Bartholomew.

Then on Saturday 8 February the Ladies broke into 2 groups to play a Back 9 Par event & an 18 Hole Par event.

The 9 holes was won on a countback by Ute Svoboda from both Carol Bartholomew & Lynda Barter when all 3 of them finished with -3.

The 18 holes was won by Liz Harvey with +1 from newcomer Tina Flint with her -1. NTP on the 18th, 2nd shot, was Liz Harvey.

Wednesday 12 February had the Ladies split into 2 groups. One played the Front 9 & the other the 18 holes.

The Front 9 was won by Lynda Barter with 18 points from Ute Svoboda with 17 points.

The 18 hole comp was won by Carol Bartholomew with 31 points from Liz Harvey with 29 points. NTP on the 7th, 2nd shot, was Ruth Rynehart.

The Ladies played 18 holes on Saturday 15 February which was won by Jooyon Kang-Redmond with 34 points from Tina Flint with 32 points.

NTP on the 18th, 2nd shot, was Ruth Rynehart.

18 holes was played by the Ladies on Saturday 22 February. The winner, with 36 points, was Ruth Rynehart on a countback from Leesa Bevan.

NTP on the 7th, 2nd shot, was Tina Flint.

On Wednesday 26 February the Ladies broke into two groups to play the Front 9 comp & the 18 Hole comp.

Winning the 9 Holes was Gill Harrowfield with 18 points from Lynda Barter with 17 points.

The 18 hole winner was Ruth Rynehart with 35 points from Jooyon Kang-Redmond with 33 points.

Ruth also got closest to the pin on the 7<sup>th</sup> on her 2<sup>nd</sup> shot.





Mount Beauty women players, Ruth Rynehart and Tina Flint (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> from the left) were equal winners at Bright's Pink Day, a fund raiser for breast cancer, with 37 Stableford points each. It was a glorious day enjoyed by about 40 women from local golf clubs. Congratulations to Tina and Ruth. It was great to see 4 women from our club playing.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Here is a link to the [Tee Time Sheets](#) where you can put your name down for a tee time on Saturdays, Mondays, Wednesdays & Special Days. The Full Program for 2025 can be viewed [here](#). Anyone with a Handicap is welcome to join either the Men or the Ladies on Mondays, Wednesdays & Saturdays for their comps. **The Ladies are currently playing at 7.45am for 8am** while the weather is hot and **the Men at 11.30am for Noon tee off on Saturdays**. Wednesday comps for the **Men are Noon for 12.20pm tee off &, during Daylight Saving time, a second tee-off at 4pm for 4.15pm.**

**Tee off is 9.45am for 10am, during the heat, for the Monday 18 Hole Stableford Competition, the Victor Selway 'Invitational' (no actual invitation is required), for those who don't/can't get enough golf during the week.**

The Open Matchplay Championships are on-going with the third round to be completed by 5pm Monday 21 April.

These times will be enforced to keep the competition moving.

The Ladies program follows the Men's as far as the Format for the day's Competition goes.

## MARCH 2025

Saturday 1 March: Men's Monthly Medal  
Ladies' Monthly Stroke

Saturday 8 March: Par



# Monday 10 March: Labour Day 4Ball Ambrose incorporating the Settlers Tavern Hole-in-One event

**\$10,000 HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZE**

Mount Beauty Golf Club is holding another 4-Ball Ambrose this year on Monday 10 March 2025. Get your team together and join in the fun.

Once again \$10,000 can be won for a hole-in-one from our picturesque 18th hole.



**WIN WIN WIN**

Field is limited to 100, so get in early and book your spot. This will be a shotgun start, so players are to muster between 11:30am and 11:50am to be sent to their starting holes for 12:20pm tee off. Earlier times can be arranged. Teams of four, four drives each, shotgun start depending on numbers. It's a great day.

Contact the Club on 0459 679 356 or e-mail [captain@mtbeautygolfclub.org.au](mailto:captain@mtbeautygolfclub.org.au)



Saturday 15 March: 1<sup>st</sup> Round of the Club Championships

Saturday 22 March: 2<sup>nd</sup> Round of the Club Championships

## **APRIL 2025**

Saturday 5 April: Men's Monthly Medal & the 3<sup>rd</sup> Round of the Club Championships  
Ladies' Monthly Stroke

Saturday 12 April: 4<sup>th</sup> Round of the Club Championships

Friday 18 April: Good Friday Stableford

Monday 21 April: Easter Monday 4 Ball Ambrose. Grab 3 partners

Friday 25 April: ANZAC Stableford

Saturday 26 April: Par

## **LOCAL CLUB NEWS**

NEDGA has a website @ [nedga.org.au](http://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.

Jubilee GC will be holding their Annual Open Day from Friday 28 February to Sunday 2 March 2025. Contact the Proshop: [email](mailto:email) or 03 5725 3258

Myrtleford GC will be hosting a Charity Golf Day on Sunday 9 March 2025. Mens, Ladies' & Mixed teams. 2 person Ambrose event. Shotgun start at 9:30am. \$60 fee per team. Enter [online](#) or phone 03 5752 2286

Thurgoona Country Club Resort will host their Ladies Annual Bowl on Monday 14th April 2025. 18 Hole Stableford Event. 8.30 am for 9am Shotgun Start. Entry Fee: \$35.00 pp (includes lunch) e-mail entries to our Treasurer: [Vicki Kirby](#)

Mansfield GC will be holding their Ladies Bowl on Monday 17 March 2025. 8:30am – 9:00am 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](mailto:mansfieldladiesgolf@gmail.com). Carts to be booked directly through Pro Shop 03 5775 2628 Ext 3

Jubilee GC will be holding their Ladies Parsons Bowl on Tuesday 25 March 2025. Teams of 4 (Best 3 Scores Count). A, B & C Grades. 18 Hole Stableford. \$35.00 including Lunch. Small Teams, Vets & Supervets. Entries by email to: [jsmyles@bigpond.com](mailto:jsmyles@bigpond.com) or [jhe06952@bigpond.net.au](mailto:jhe06952@bigpond.net.au). Enquiries to: Carol Myles 0419 257 214 or Joy Hester 0400 099 695.





# **MIXED SOCIAL GOLF**

at Mt Beauty Golf Club

**SUNDAY 23 and 30 MARCH**

**SUNDAY 6 and 13 APRIL**



**4pm start, play for 2 hours**

**No cost for members, \$5 non members**

**Drinks available at bar after play.**

**Enquiries Liz 0447 467 022**

## CLUB SHIRTS



Our Club Shirts 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.**

## SOUVENIRS FOR SALE



Two types of ball markers are available, one attached to a pitch mark reparer and the other to a hat clip. The marker bears our Logo. The Tees also bear our Club Name. All items can be purchased separately and are available at the clubhouse.



We have recently purchased some Golf Towels for sale to players @ \$25. These will hang off your Bag or Buggy by an incorporated hanging loop. Available at the Bar 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.

## LAUGH TIME

MORE FROM 'VINCE THE SIGN GUY'



To the lady with all the  
screaming kids at  
Walmart who's  
wondering how the box  
of condoms got into  
her cart...  
You're welcome

**A WASP LANDED ON MY  
BARE FOOT AND NOW I KNOW  
HOW TO RIVERDANCE.**

**I ASKED MY WIFE WHAT  
SHE WANTED FOR OUR  
ANNIVERSARY. SHE TOLD  
ME "NOTHING WOULD  
MAKE HER HAPPIER THAN  
A DIAMOND NECKLACE"**

UNKNOWN PUNster ©2021

**SO I BOUGHT HER NOTHING**

I'm the type of  
wife that will help  
my husband look  
for his chocolate,  
that I ate.

My wife wanted to  
disgrace me in the  
presence of her  
friends, she said I  
wasn't good in bed.  
She was shocked  
when they all  
disagreed with her.

Once you understand  
why the pizza is made  
round,  
Packed in a square  
box,  
And eaten as a  
triangle..  
Then you will  
understand women

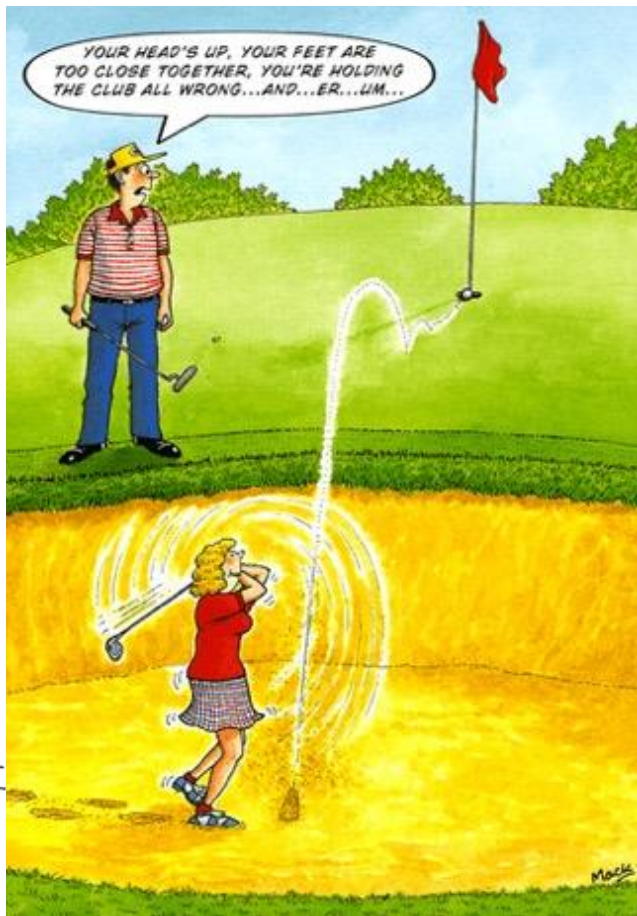
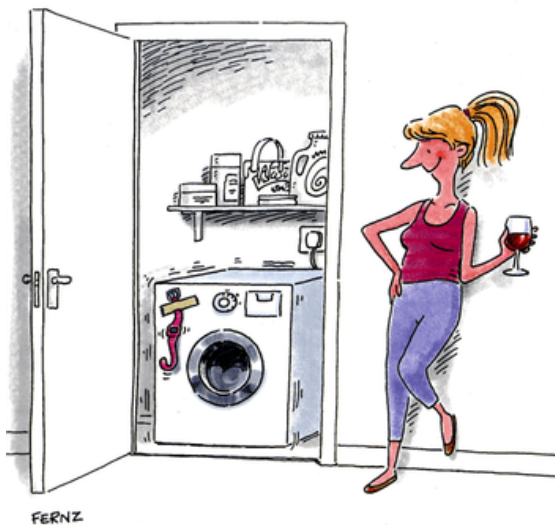
**Whoever came up  
with the phrase  
"The freaks come  
out at night" has  
clearly never  
been to Walmart  
during the day.**

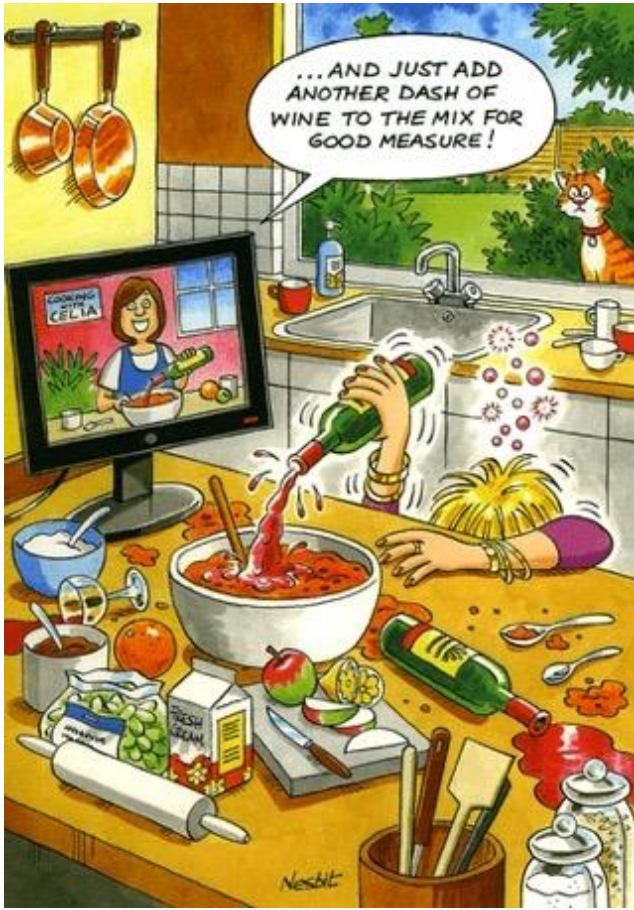
**Roadside sobriety tests  
are getting ridiculous.  
Last night I had to fold  
a fitted sheet...**

**Husband and wife  
had a FIGHT, Wife called up  
her mom and said; He fought  
with me again, I am coming  
to live with you. Mom said,  
No darling, he must pay  
for his mistake. I am  
coming to live  
with you!!!**



Just five more minutes of spin cycle and the fitness tracker would reach 10,000 steps for the day.





Always one for keeping fit, Susie did her regular pelvic floor exercises.



## OUR 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: <a href="#">Wallaby Homes</a>               | 18th: <a href="#">Mountain Creek Property</a>                     |
| 1st Front: <a href="#">Available</a>                 | Scorecard: <a href="#">Foodworks</a>                              |
| 2nd: <a href="#">Mount Beauty Motor Inn</a>          | <a href="#">Mount Beauty Auto Repairs</a>                         |
| 3rd: <a href="#">Oztec Constructions</a>             | <a href="#">Mount Beauty Bakery</a>                               |
| 4th: <a href="#">Cav Plumb</a>                       | <a href="#">Home Improvement Centre</a>                           |
| 5th: <a href="#">Available</a>                       | Eagle's Nest: <a href="#">Falls Creek Coach Service</a>           |
| 6th: <a href="#">Freuau Village</a>                  | Hole in One: <a href="#">North East Funerals</a>                  |
| 7th: <a href="#">Fusion Safety Management</a>        | Meat Trays: <a href="#">Farm to Fork Butchery</a>                 |
| 8th: <a href="#">Altitude Electrical</a>             | NTP's: 7 <sup>th</sup> <a href="#">Tawonga South Newsagency</a>   |
| 9th: <a href="#">Falls Creek Coach Service</a>       | 9 <sup>th</sup> <a href="#">Available</a>                         |
| 10th: <a href="#">Ovens Valley Insurance Brokers</a> | 17 <sup>th</sup> <a href="#">Available</a>                        |
| 11th: <a href="#">Pending</a>                        | 18 <sup>th</sup> <a href="#">Available</a>                        |
| 12th: <a href="#">Alpine Valley Real Estate</a>      | Pump Shed & Tank: <a href="#">Middy's Electrical</a>              |
| 13th: <a href="#">Available</a>                      | Carts: <a href="#">Mount Beauty &amp; District Community Bank</a> |
| 14th: <a href="#">Available</a>                      | General: <a href="#">Drummond Golf</a> 3NE                        |
| 15th: <a href="#">Available</a>                      | Hole-in-One: <a href="#">Settlers Tavern</a>                      |
| 16th: <a href="#">Available</a>                      |   |
| 17th: <a href="#">Tawonga South Newsagency</a>       |   |

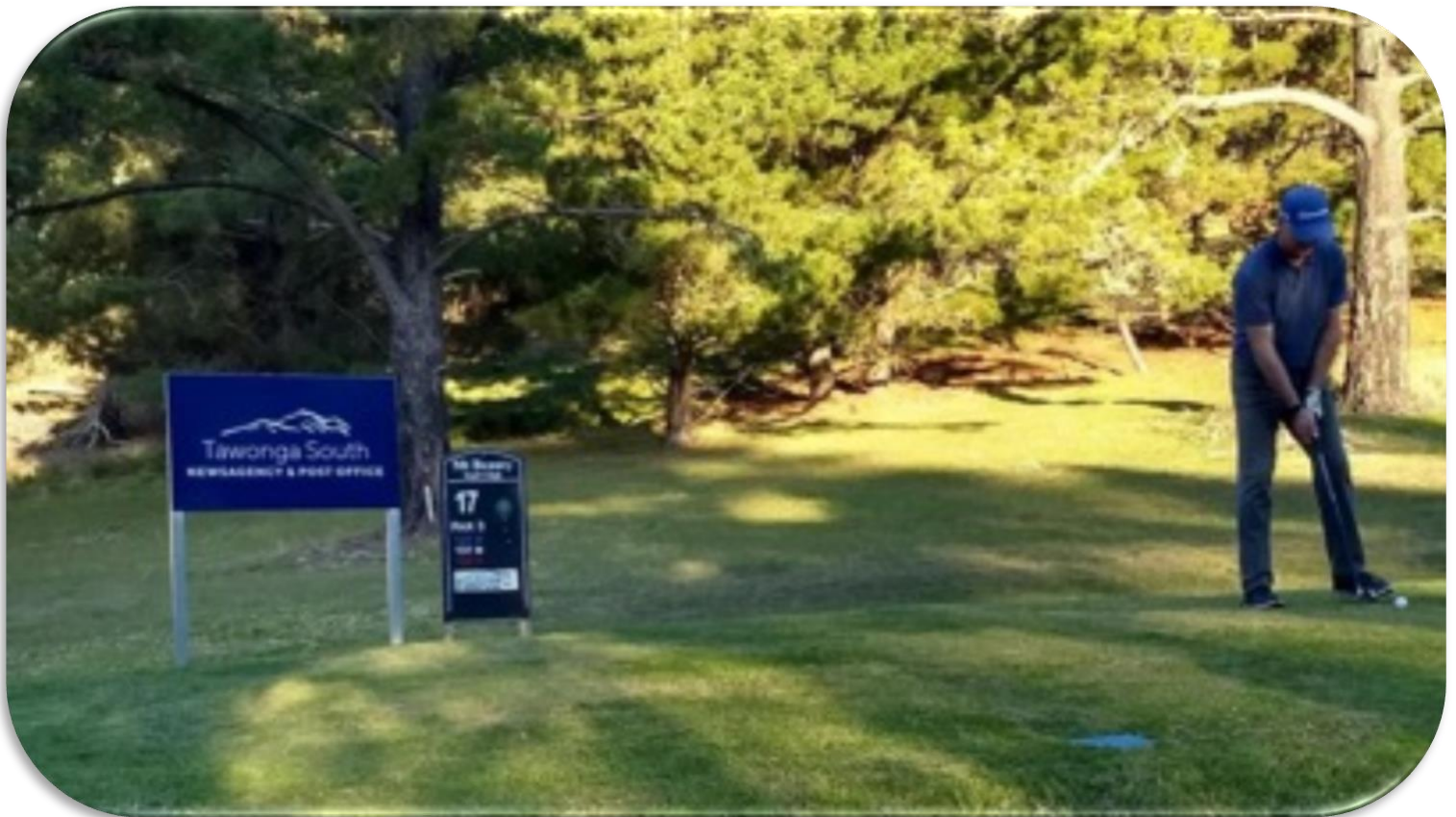
For info on how to become a sponsor please contact: [The Treasurer](#)



## 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, 2% of your purchases go to club as a rebate.

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



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