





SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2021

Before we get into the final results for the 2021 Sunday Leave Pass season and the end of year golf trip. Please make sure you let us know as early as possible if you will continue playing with the Sunday Leave Pass social club in the new year and even better confirm your status so we know if you are likely to be a definite starter in January. With the increased popularity of golf and strong demand for tee times post COVID 19 we are expecting bigger attendances within our group membership each month and we have only booked for a limited number of spaces each month. Until we get a feel for how many current player's we will have taken up a regular spot we will keep our new memberships intake on hold. Please don't recruit any extra new players, as it sounds as though the numbers will be up next year anyway.

A copy of the fixture has been posted on the Sunday Leave Pass Website. <u>Current Season 2022 – Sunday Leave Pass</u> and it has also been included at the end of the golf trip results blurb. You are now able to download the entire fixture onto your mobile phone calendar.

If you haven't already done so, can you please let us know if you are expecting to play next year, we have booked for a maximum of 36 players, but we need a more accurate guide on who we should expect to play regularly in 2022? If we don't hear or receive a response from you, in order to clean up the current data base we will remove your details form the distribution list unless you specifically request otherwise.

Interest in 2022 Sunday Leave Pass Season

Unlikely to Play with Sunday Leave Pass 2021

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First Round of 2021 Season.

<u>Date</u> <u>Time</u> <u>Course</u>

23-Jan-22 7.00am Gardiners Run

Please confirm your status for Gardiners Run. Cost approximately \$65

To notify us of your status click on one of the following links YES or NO or email direct to studaydream@gmail.com

Final results for Sunday Leave Pass Social Club 2021

Proudly presented to you by our Sponsors for the 2021season.

The House of Golf.

Ringwood



Special thanks to our golf specialty store The House of Golf. who have featured as a major Sunday Leave Pass Social club sponsor again in 2021. They have generously donated the monthly winner prize each month and have been very generous in looking after our members within store purchase discounts. We look forward to a good working relationship with them in the years to come. As part of the 2022 fixture, we hope to be running a couple more social nights at the The House of Golf. In Ringwood using the virtual golf simulators. Please check out their website link The House of Golf. from the SLP website Sponsors – Sunday Leave Pass and consider them for any golf purchases you make over the Christmas period. A few of our team event winners were all rewarded with X golf virtual golf simulator vouchers to use over the summer.

We would also like to make special mention to say thanks to Dale Robinson who has been a long-term supporter, player, and sponsor via **DNR print** of the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club. Dale is a 100plus game veteran and two times club seasons champion, 2x Golf trip Beer Wench and an important member of the club.

It's always important to remember who your sponsors within the social club are and to give them a referral or utilize their services if and when the opportunity ever arises. Dale has had an ongoing gentlemen's agreement with Sunday Leave Pass social club where any sales he receives via Sunday Leave Pass club members or SLP contacts he is willing to kick a percentage of the sale value back to the social club directly.

Cheap Printing check out what's' available don't forget to contact Dale if you need any Printing supplies for 2022. Please remember to support the guys in the club every chance that you get.

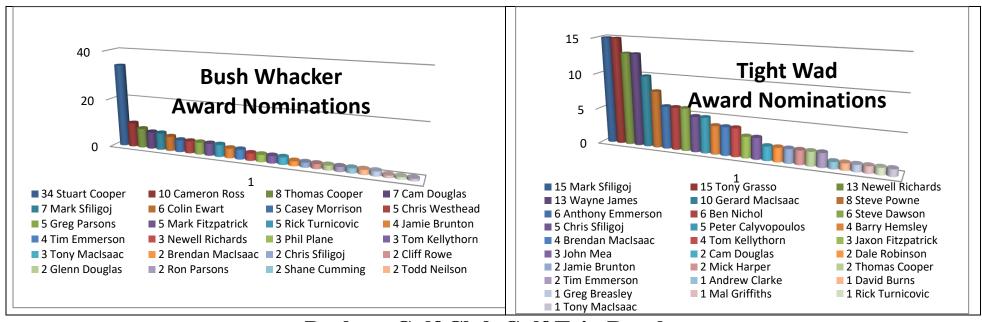
We are hoping some other members might be able to get involved and do some sort of sponsorship if the opportunity arises. We are happy to plug your product or promote your business in return for some sort of commitment to the finance or operation of Social Club.

Please let me know if there is anything you can do to get involved.

2021 Players Choice Awards

Thanks to all those guys who voted in the Sunday Leave Pass Players choice awards surveys, some of the voting was very close and the spread of nominations was equally distributed amongst a significant proportion of the field. Therefore, every vote was very important. Congratulations to all the winners who have now become immortalized in the social club archives as significant contributor to the Sunday Leave Pass history. http://www.sundayleavepass.com/award-winners-hall-of-fame/

Listed below is the graphic distribution of voting allocations so you can see how you went compared to the winners. 15 20 **Leather Wedge Most Improved** 10 Award Nominations 10 **Player Nominations** 5 ■ 14 Mark Sfiligoi ■ 15 Tony Grasso 12 Newell Richards ■ 19 Brent Douglas ■ 17 Tony MacIsaac ■ 15 Steve Dawson ■ 13 Newell Richards ■ 10 Thomas Cooper ■ 8 Cam Couglas ■ 11 Gerard MacIsaac ■ 9 Tony MacIsaac ■ 8 Mark Fitzpatrick ■ 7 Jaxon Fitzpatrick ■ 5 Colin Ewart ■ 5 Phil Plane ■ 8 Steve Dawson ■ 7 Brendan MacIsaac ■ 7 Steve O'Sullivan ■ 4 Cam Ross ■ 3 Barry Hemsley ■ 3 Brendan MacIsaac ■ 6 Brent Douglas ■ 5 Anthony Emmerson ■ 5 Peter Calyvopoulos ■ 3 Casey Morrison ■ 3 Chris Sfiligoj ■ 3 Mark Sfiligoj ■ 4 Chris Sfiligoi ■ 4 John Mea ■ 3 Andrew Clarke ■ 3 Ron Parsons ■ 3 Steve Powne 2 Greg Breasley ■ 3 Steve Powne 2 Barry Hemsley 2 David Burns ■ 2 Jamie Brunton ■ 2 Peter Calyvopoulos ■ 1 Chris Westhead ■ 1 Mark Fitzpatrick 2 Phil Plane ■ 2 Tim Emmerson 2 Todd Neilson ■ 1 Cliff Rowe ■ 1 Gerard MacIsaac ■ 1 Cameron Ross ■ 1 Greg Breasley 30 20 **Least Improved Angry Man** 15 20 **Player Nominations Award Nominations** 10 10 5 1 ■ 26 Rick Turnicovic ■ 18 Gerard MacIsaac ■ 26 Mark Sfiligoi ■ 16 Cameron Ross ■ 13 Greg Parsons ■ 12 Gerard MacIsaac ■ 8 Andrew Clarke ■ 8 Mick Harper ■ 7 Anthony Emmerson ■ 6 Casev Morrison ■ 6 Newell Richards ■ 4 Cam Douglas ■ 11 Chris Sfiligoi ■ 10 Barry Hemsley ■ 10 Mark Sfiligoj ■ 3 Steve O'Sullivan ■ 3 Chris Sfiligoi 3 Cliff Rowe ■ 7 Andrew Clarke ■ 7 Mick Harper ■ 7 Stuart Cooper ■ 3 Tony Grasso ■ 3 Wayne James ■ 3 Tony MacIsaac ■ 6 Anthony Emmerson ■ 6 Cam Douglas ■ 6 Rick Turnicovic 2 Colin Ewart 2 Mark Fitzpatrick 2 Peter Calyvopoulos ■ 5 Colin Ewart ■ 3 Dale Robinson ■ 3 Jamie Brunton ■ 1 Dale Robinson ■ 1 Jaxon Fitzpatrick ■ 1 Steve Dawson ■ 1 Tim Emmerson ■ 1 Tom Kellvthorn ■ 3 Wayne James 2 David Burns 2 Newell Richards



Barham Golf Club Golf Trip Results





It there was an image that could sum up season 2021 & the Barham golf trip it would have to be this one.

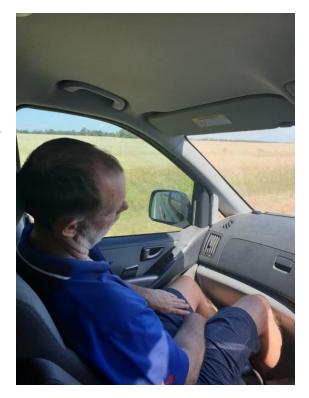
Stu Cooper passed out in the car on the way home, exhausted!!!!zzzzzzzzzzzzzzzzzz!!!!!

As good as the Barham weekend was it was an exhausting journey and, in the end, Stu couldn't keep his eyes open any longer, he did a Clarkey and fell into a deep sleep dreaming about another year and another wasted opportunity.

Stu's record is now zero wins from eight attempts at winning the elusive Champion of Champions Jacket and even worse he is zero from 18 opportunities to win the Beer & Berrocca shield.

We are yet to work out whether Stu is just a serial choker and fails to perform on the big stage or whether his repeated failures are caused by his self-destructive behaviors when it comes to the golf weekend linked to late nights and excessive alcohol absorption. Either way it was another year of disappointments for him, made worse by the fact that his son Thomas finished at the pointy end of both events and he also won 3x NTP prizes.

It was a crazy season in 2021. With Covid lockdowns cancelling rounds at the last minute, booking limits for tee times, vaccination status rules, preferred pronouns, the ever-changing rules of group activity, it has been tough and frustrating year, so it was great to be able to get out of Melbourne and Victoria for a few extra days and let the hair hang down.



For some of us the golf trip actually started at 545am on Wednesday morning when the Newell mobile pulled out of Faulkner Street to start the 3 day, 735km journey to Barham, via 6 other golf courses. It was dubbed the extended golf tip and it took us to some great places.



Forest Hill, Victoria 3131

Mansfield Golf Club, 24 Kidston Parade, N

Black Bull Golf Course, Yarrawonga VIC 3

Rich River Golf Club, Twenty Four Ln, Mor

Barham Golf Resort, 1 Moulamein Rd, Ba

Murray Downs Pro Shop, 100 Murray Dov

Cohuna Golf Club, Cohuna VIC 3568

Barham Golf Resort, 1 Moulamein Rd, Ba





Douggo joined us for a quick 18 holes at his home track in Mansfield, then we racked up a few more km in the afternoon, before taking on the highly regarded Black Bull golf course in beautiful Yarrawonga. What a golf course, this will have to be a golf trip destination in the not to distant future, although be warned you will need to start saving your pennies and you should also ask everyone you know, to give you golf balls for all of your Birthdays and Christmas' until we book in at Black Bull just so you have enough in supply to navigate the 18 holes with water hazards on every single one of them.

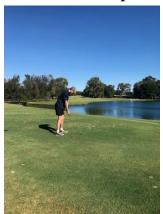








There is no better way to start the next day after playing 36 holes of golf and drinking a few too many frothies, than doing another 530am wake up call and another 120km drive to play golf. Thursday's adventures took in Rich River Golf course and then a late after noon practice round at Barham. Thomas Cooper took a liking to the Barham layout and despite suffering a heat stroke induced blood nose he tore the Barham course apart beating his handicap by an incredible 10 strokes.









Friday was the official starting day of the golf trip, so while the rest of the field were in their cars heading for Barham, we thought it was only fitting to play another 36 holes of golf to get primed and ready for the weekend. In order to avoid getting an unfair advantage over everyone else by playing Barham too many times, we elected instead to drive out to Swan Hill to get aquianted with Murray Downs golf course, before taking a detour on the way back home to Barham via Cohuna golf course which is famed for being the home course Stuart Appleby.

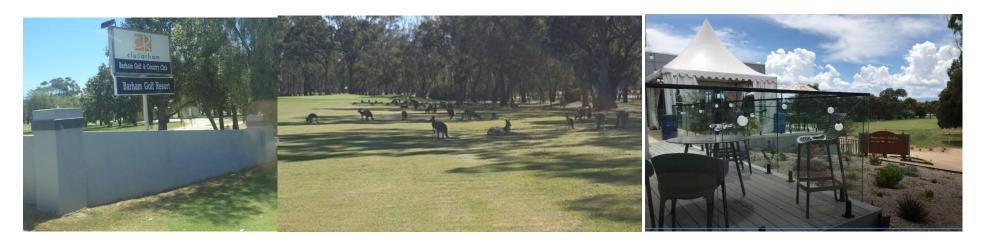
Murray Downs was a cracking course and Cohuna was a tight country track with more kangaroos than it had trees, which is hard to believe considering there were 136 trees on the left handside of the first hole alone.











The extended golf trip was a group of splitters and not relevant to Sunday Leave Pass Barham golf trip, so I won't mention how the driver missed the first turn off at the Ringwood Bypass and ended up on the wrong route right from the start. I wont mention the corrigated dirt roads, stalking the receptionist from Big 4 caravan park on linked in, and I will keep a secret about the guys picking up a beautiful, athletic single female player at Rich River. I will avoid mentioning the puffed up muscular poses that were used to portray a certain persons preferred pronoun throughout the entire extended golf trip.



So, once the remaining 18 Sunday Leave Pass crew arrived at Barham, it didn't take long for the party to kick in to gear. The car ride up from Melbourne provided ample time to lubricate the taste buds, if you were not the designated driver. And it wasn't hard to work out that none of the Douglas clan were going to be behind the wheel any time soon. It was amazing how after just two hours sitting on the back patio they had run out of room to put their empties.



It would have been interesting to see how many of these cans had been drained to the bottom, perhaps the Douggo family are the culprits who were only drinking the top half of their beverages. On Saturday night when the lights went up and the bar had called last drinks there were so many have finished soldiers left on the table that the club was able to top up their empty kegs and resell the same drinks for Sunday lunch service.



One thing we can be certain of, is that it wasn't Andrew Clarke who would have been leaving his drinks half empty. Andrew finished all of his own beverages plus everything else that was left unattended.

Clarkey was easily the best on ground when it came to enjoying his Sunday Leave Pass and time away from the family. At 400am on Saturday morning Big Mick was woken up by a huge crash in his apartment. Initially he though a kangaroo had got trpped in the room. Evidently he soon discovered it wasn't a trapped animal.

Andrew had tried to run outside to fertilize the fern beds, but in his haste and alcohol fueled haze, he had forgotten to open the sliding door. Clarkey ended crashing straight into the door which left him with a bruise on the front of his forehead to compliment the pefect D tan line he had etched into the back of his head where he wears his hat without sunscreen.



Big Mick thought it was a great show, he was the perfect nursemaid for Andrew and held his hair back from his face as Clarkey recycled his chicken parmagana, the cheese and pickled sandwiches half the cheese platter the Col had so kindly brought up for the group to enjoy. Evidently 22x beers, 6x Canadian Clubs, 4x Jim Beams and a couple of Douglas family specials is not a good recipe to mix together on you first night out on the town on 12 months.

To his credit once he finally staggered back into bed and caught a few ZZZZZ's, Andrew made it up to breakfast on Saturday morning, which is more we can say for a few of the others he had been partying with and despite how crook he was looking he still put on a pretty good show with the golf clubs.

On Saturday night Big Mick headed home early, he says it was to get a good rest and prepare to defend his title for the Ambrose championship, however when we dropped in to see if he was asleep he was set up in bed with a box of BBQ shapes, some popcorn with his TV remote in hand waiting for episode two of the Andrew Clarke show.

As it happens Andrew didn't back up his efforts on Friday, he behaved himself and whatsmore he returned the favor for Mick looking after him on Friday Saturday morning, by playing some steady golf and helping him to win the Beer and Berocca Shield for the second year in a row.



It was funny at one stage on the extended golf trip we thought Mick had arrived at the pub at Yarrawonga at the same time we had, then on a second glance we thought it must have been cliffy. As it happens once we chatted to this guy for a while, we found out he was the love child of the both of them.





As we all know, the two foreigners of the group otherwise known as our favourite boat people Tom and Todd have always been close. The guys are almost inseperable, so much so that almost all of our social club members use their names interchangeably.

Tom and Todd and are always hard to split apart and this seems to be the case even when it comes to there sleeping arrangements. The house keeper sent us this photo from apartment 3 room 2.

It will be interesting to see if in 12 months there is an Australian born little lovechild bouncing around the place with both a Canadian and an English passport.









According to the quote "Mimicry is the best form of flattery." If that is the case then these two guys have the process down pat. Every round of golf Tom and Chris are moulding closer and closer to being identical twins. Now they are not only wearing the same facial hair and dressing the same but they are even using the same type of golf tees. Chris even tanked on Saturday just so he would be able to get the chance to get into the same dress as Tom did 2 years ago.







Chris did a great job playing the character as beer wench, he made Saturday night about love and mateship although we never caught a photograph of him serving the drinks, perhaps that is why there was probably so much money left unspent in the kitty at the end of the night. As hard as we tried to empty the account balance, we still have plenty of money in the fine jar for the start of next year, so we might organize another session at X-golf and continue the festivities there.

The beauty of playing golf on a simulator rather than in real time, is that although there are still hazards on the course you are playing they don't cost you the sufference of losing golf balls and generally they are easier to get out of than trying to do it for real. There was no shortage of trouble you could get yourself into at Barham, and over the duration of the two days we all managed to get into it multiple times. Of the 6 pressure balls we sent out on Saturday morning only two of them made it back to the club house in tact. Even one of those balls had to be fished out of the lake after being hit in the water and just two holes later Big Mick had to scale the wire boundary fence to retrieve it from out of bounds.



Todd Neilson didn't help his teams cause when he racked up a Newell plus two (12) with the pressure ball, however to his credit he kept it in play long enough to hand it over to the next player. Stu Coops was grateful to Douggo and Big Mick who set themselves up 45 degrees from the first fairway so they were able to mount a search party for Stu's first drive. Even still it took 2minutes 59seconds before the pressure ball could be found, and it went on to last three more holes before Thomas produced a replica of his dad's famous cover drive and put the ball out of bounds and in to the next suburb.



On any golf course there are hazards and then there are HAZARDS!!!!!. The fifth hole at Barham fits into the category of the latter description. Any one who landed in the huge crater in the middle of the fairway blocking the green, found it tough going. We didn't hear of anyone successfully getting their ball out on the first attempt. Cam Ross found himself on the green on the 3rd hole putting for bogey, he knocked his ball past the hole and into the bunker, many swats later and after three putting on the green again he finished the hole with the three putt monkey vest, a fine for putting from on the green to off the green, and another fine for throwing his club and worst of all an 11 written on his scorecard.









Hazards don't always need to be man made situations, Wayne James found himself faced with the difficult situation. After driving with precision and accuracy for 4 days in a row, Wayne had missed his only fairway for the week. When he ventured into the rough to find and play his golf ball he found himself face to face with a creature that was bigger than him, with an angry stare and no intentions to move away from the path where Waynes wanted to play his golf ball from.



Speaking of tall angry creatures, Steve Powne is neither of those things. Stevie however had an ever bigger smile on his face when he turned his status of Beer Wench at Morack to Winner on the golf trip and newly crowned Champion of Champions and FedEx points champion. What a difference a month can make. Steve had three practice rounds prior to jumping in the car for the drive out to Barham and clearly the practice paid off. Stevie shot a very impressive 90 off the stick. Nett 65 to win the day by a whopping 6 strokes. Steve's victory also saw him rewarded with an extra 650 FedEx points and with his second monthly title for the year he jumped up to the top of that leaderboard over taking Brent who we accidently, falsely awarded the prize too. Although Brent has the trophy in his position the acclaim on the record books will be ammended to revere Steve Powne.

Steve Powne was a big presence on the golf trip, he stood out high and above the rest of the field. (Metaphorically speaking anyway.) Steve nearly got lost in the bushes when he walked into the scrub to help Thomas Cooper find his golf ball. Thomas eventually found the ball propped up in the thick scrub and like a typical "Cooper" tried to play the ball out from where the ball sat at his knee high level.

The funny thing was that; the knee high rough to Thomas Cooper equates to chest height for the blue smurf. It took Thomas nearly as long to find Steve in the rough as it did to find the golf ball.



Steve should have known he would not be able to go into the same deep grasses as Thomas was walking and expect not to get lost, especially since we all discovered on Friday Night that Thomas was nearly as tall as Stevie P. is when he is standing on his knees.



There was plenty of wildlife inhabitating the golf course and the nearby surrounds, we saw Kangaroos, Goanna's Bearded Dragons, Pelicans, Ducks, Kookaburra's, etc.



There was an abundance of different types of native bird life on the golf course however the only type of birdie in short supply was those that can be found on the scorecard. Only 2x players managed to claim their place on the birdies honourboard. Big Mick managed to go sub par on the 14th hole and Cider hit his approach shot on the long difficult par 4 sixth hole to make a tap in Birdie 3.



On the otherhand the Newell's list was very strong. 7x Newell's in total, including one from the namesake himself. Colin Ewart had the most Newells, (two) amassing 22 strokes from his Newell tally. Cam Ross found himself 11 strokes worse off than when he started after he overcooked a putt for bogey on the Par 3 third hole. Cam was on the green for three, off the green for four when his putt rolled into the bunker and things went downhill from there. Evidently the 2nd hole was the most difficult hole in the golf course. It accounted for more than

50% of the Newells for the day and the hole averaged nearly 2.5 strokes over par which means it played half a stroke harder than the next most difficult hole.

Newell Richards made the Par 4, 11th hole look difficult. Other than his blowout on the 2nd hole, Newell had Brent Douglas starting to feel a wee bit nervous, Newell had a lot of good holes on the front 9 whereas Brent was finding the Barham Course a challenge. After gaining a 2 shots advantage on the 10th hole Newell had the upper hand on the head to head match play.

But, Here is how Brent Douglas desscribed the turning point of the afternoon.

"Newell's drive on the 11th on the Saturday really helped my nerves go down a notch, I was starting to choke there for a bit but Newell took his foot off my throat when he stuffed up his tee shot."

Newell had the honor after making a par (3) on the 10th hole. When he teed off, the ball shot out sideways and crashed into the safety fence at he end of the tee box, before ricocheting backward towards the tee markers. Newells ball not only failed to go past the ladies tees, it almost didn't go past the mens tees. With a bit more force and the ball may have almost come so far back that it would have hit the golf carts.



Phil Plane did actually manage to hit his golf ball through a cart and he did so while Andrew Clarke was sitting in it. Phil hit his ball a bit wayward and it went between the golf clubs, over the storage cage, and passed directly over Andrew Clarkes shoulder. The ball exited at terminal velocity via the gap where the perspex windscreen was folded over to let the breeze in. According to Clarkey it is the closest he has ever been to getting hit by a golf ball and if the windscreen had of been up the ball would have smashed it or bounced back into Clarkeys head.



The only thing coming through the front and rear windows of the Newell vehicle was dust, it seems out on the country roads if you miss your turn off and when you are relying on google maps to get you back onto the correct route, there is a high probabilty you will end up driving on corrugated dirt roads. I would not want to criticize our pilots driving ability and navigational skills however our trip to Barham saw us driving on no less than 6x different gravel roads for periods ranging from 5 minutes to 45 minutes of tail sliding adrenaline fueled rally driving.

When it came driving on the longest drive hole, Peter Alphabet was very unlikely to get lost. His ball never travelled far enough to get off the beaten track. It is probably inappropriate to even use the word beaten when it came to his impact on the ball because he barely grazed it. Mick Harper won the longest drive hole with a 276 meter drive down the middle of the fairway, it was not as long as some drives he has hit in the past however when you put it in context and consider that he out drove Peter Alphabet by a mind boggling 268 meters it still sounds like a monstrous shot.



To make matters worse Peter was still 268 meters behind Micks drive after his 2nd swing because the ball did not appear to move.

Cam Ross may have been voted the least improved player in 2021 however he showed some promising signs on Sunday, interstingly he only just hit his golf ball past the Peter Alphabets longest drive mark on Sunday, however on this occasion the ball had to travel 287 meters down the fairway to do so.

The golf trip was fun for all. It is always a good way to catch up with a group of mates, drink beer and have a little bit of exercise in between the laughs and camaraderie.

The Barham course was a majestic setting to play, the course was awesome, pure fairways, long sweeping golf holes, hundreds of strategically placed bunkers and let us not mention the water hazards, most of which were hidden out of site until it was all too late and you had hit your ball into them. There was no questioning the fact that the golf course was hard and the scores reflected it, although I think even those of us who landed at the back end of the field would still say it was a great golf course, just a little bit long and hard. The layout was always interesting especially when it came to the long Par 3 holes, especially the 15th hole which at 190 meters up hill and into the wind meant most of us could not even get there with the driver off the tee.





The wind played havoc in Saturday morning, with strong cross winds blowing across the fairways it was tough to keep the golf ball in play. Consequently, it was a real challenge to keep the pressure ball in play. Two teams managed to play all 18 holes whereas the others fell short at either the 4th hole or the 7th hole.



Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6
Andrew	Glenn	Steve	Stuart	Todd	Steve
Clarke	Douglas	Osullivan	Cooper	Neilson	Powne
Colin	Cam	Newell	Peter	Wayne	Barry
Ewart	Douglas	Richards	Calyvopoulos	James	Hemsley
	Chris	Brent	Jamie		Chris
Phil Plane	Westhead	Douglas	Brunton	Tom Thorn	Sfiligoj
	Shane	Mick	Thomas	Cameron	Ron
	Cumming	Harper	Cooper	Ross	Parsons
49	42	94	18	28	101
7 th hole	7 th hole	18 th hole	4 th hole	4 th hole	18 th hole
1149	1142	94	1418	1428	101
23	20	12	20	19	24
1126	1122	82	1398	1409	77
1126.00	1122.00	81.99	1398.00	1409.00	76.99
4	3	2	5	6	1
12	13	14	11	10	15

Steve Powne had little trouble hitting his ball around in the wind. Steve demolished the rest of the field. For the second time in 2021 the Blue Smurf had a runaway victory (6 strokes) and he claimed the champions of champions title and the FEDEX points cup trophy. There were only three candidates left in contention by the time we took to the fairways at Barham on Saturday morning, Brent Douglas held his nerve and was able to do just enough to keep ahead of Newell and the fast-finishing Mick Harper who danced his way into his favorite position, Bridesmaid (2nd Place). Mick has been in the top billing playoffs 9 times and from those attempts he has won once and been bridesmaid 8x times.





Seasons Championship winners.

2010 Gerard MacIsaac 114pts to Mick 112pts
2011 Dale Robinson 135pts to Mick 93pts
2012 Tony Grasso Snr 109pts to Mick 98pts
2015 Dale Robinson 101pts to Mick 96pts
2016 Andrew Clarke 105pts to Mick 102pts
2018 Wayne James 97pts to Mick 93pts
2019 Mick Harper 103pts to SOS 102pts
2020 Steve O' Sullivan 76pts to Mick 66pts
2021 Brent Douglas 71pts to Mick 62pts

The Champion of Champions competition was played off between all of the players who won a monthly competition during the year; the champion of champions is the player who has the best score from all of the monthly winners who attended the golf trip. This competition was played off over 9 mystery holes on the Saturday competition with the player who scored the most stableford points taking out the title and adorned the coveted winner's jacket. Obviously, as the winner of the December title Steve Powne had already booked himself a ticket to the big dance after winning the April round at Dorset so the golf trip victory was just icing on the cake and a way of keeping a potential competitor at bay.

One could be forgiven for thinking Steve must have had inside knowledge about which holes were going to be included in the Champion of champions playoffs. He accrued an incredible 25 stableford points on the 9 mystery holes. Incredibly, Steve parred 5 of them.



Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6
Player	Steve	Steve	Brent	Tom	Ron	Stuart
	Powne	Powne	Douglas	Kellythorn	Parsons	Cooper
Points	25 points	24 points	20 points	16 points	15 points	15 points
	(9 holes)	(8 holes)	(9 holes)	(9 holes)	(9 holes)	(9 holes)

During the official presentations, Newell handed over the covetted Blue jacket. It seemed bizaar to see the champions jacket getting put on to a person wearing the pink vest shirt, however I gues that is clear evidence that every day is a new day when it comes to playing golf. Steve was terrible at Morack in November and then just two weeks later he is holding up the biggest prize Sunday Leave Pass has on offer.

ClubBar Hole	Par	Hole Rank	Ron Parsons	Stuart Cooper	Tom Thorn	No# Player Steve Powne	7 Brent Douglas	GOLF TRIP WINNER	Steve Powne
1	4	4	5	5	6	5	4		5
2	5	7	8	6	6	5	6		5
7	5	16	6	6	6	5	5		5
9	4	15	6	6	5	4	5		4
10	3	8	5	4	5	3	5		3
12	5	13	6	6	6	6	6		
13	4	2	7	5	5	6	5		6
15	3	3	4	3	6	4	4		4
18	3	14	4	4	4	3	3		3
Total	73	127	51	45	49	41	43		35
H/Cap (SLP	SGC)		22.2	12.3	19.2	22.3	15.4		22.3
H/Cap (Actu	ıal)		25	14	22	25	17		25
H/Cap			25	14	22	25	17		25
bleford Sco	ге		+15	+15	+16	+25	+20		+24
Rank			5	6	4	1	3		2

The jacket looked huge on Steve, so hopefully if he manages his flock correctly he will be able to claim 47 beers in 12 rounds and that should help him to add the extra kilo's needed to fit snuggly into the SLP Champion of Champions jacket.



Speaking of sleeping snuggly. Steve was excited to also win a new titliest wedge in the raffle. It was the only missing element out of his Sunday Leave Pass funded golf attire.

Steve won a driver in 2018 and the full set of irons last year so the only club missing was a wedge. Steve was so happy to hear his name drawn out for his chosen prize. The first thing he did when he got it home was to tuck it up snuggly in bed as he did with all of his other clubs. It is a strange ritual, but who can argue it certainly seems to have worked for him.



Steve will be able to reap the long-term benefits for his Champion of Champions status. Next year as the Champion of Champions the Blue Smurf will be able to ask any Sunday Leave Pass member to buy him a drink, it is however limited to him only receiving one drink per member for the year (beer or soft or bourbon if he pays the extra \$2 price difference) for the entire season and it can only be claimed if he is wearing the Champion of Champion jacket at the time.

This of course is excluding new or any members who didn't play at least one game in season 2021 but it is also not limited to those who attended the golf trip. So, to put it simply if you played at least one round of golf this year then Steve has the power to hit you up for a free drink at some point next year. If he manages himself correctly, he should be looking at up to 47 free beers or soft drinks over the next 12 months. Now that is a prize worth aspiring for. The other condition is that Steve must be the person who consumes the drink meaning he cannot use his power to buy beverages for anyone else and the drink must be opened and consumed at the time of purchase. They can not be used as takeaways to keep in the fridge to offer to guests at a dinner party.

The other covenant is if Steve has previously tapped you on the shoulder and he accidentally asks you for another free drink then he will be penalized, and he will be obligated to buy you a drink instead. Not that there will be much chance of it happening especially since Newell has already generated a drinks tracker App for him to download on to the phone to manage the list of names, so he can run a spreadsheet and debt ledger. Evidently this system worked well for Highway last year and he will be mentoring Steve and advising him how his primary target is to hit up all the non-regular players first.

	Rounds		Rounds		Rounds
Player Name	2021	Player Name	2021	Player Name	2021
Adam Cooper	5	Gerard MacIsaac	4	Ron Parsons	7
Andrew Clarke	5	Glenn Douglas	3	Shane Cumming	8
Anthony Emmerson	5	Greg Breasley	3	Shane Lambert	1
Barry Hemsley	8	Greg Parsons	5	Steve Dawson	7
Ben Nichol	5	Jamie Brunton	5	Steve Osullivan	8
Brendan MacIsaac	1	Jaxon Fitzpatrick	4	Steve Powne	8
Brent Douglas	8	John Mea	3	Stuart Cooper	9
Cam Douglas	7	Mal Griffiths	2	Thomas Cooper	9
Cameron Ross	6	Mark Fitzpatrick	8	Tim Emmerson	4
Carl Schwarz	2	Mark Sfiligoj	3	Todd Neilson	5
Casey Morrison	3	Mick Harper	9	Tom Thorn	9
Chris Sfiligoj	6	Newell Richards	9	Tony Grasso	3
Chris Westhead	5	Peter Calyvopoulos	4	Tony MacIsaac	5
Cliff Rowe	3	Phil Plane	8	Warren Perrett	1
Colin Ewart	8	Rick Turcinovic	6	Wayne James	9
		Robert Underwood	1		





Back in 2018 we introduced a new Sunday Leave Pass board event. It was decided that it wasn't fair to give all of the prestige to the monthly winners, especially since we now make such a big thing out of the person who is crowned as the Beer Wench each month. Therefore, we introduced a competition in the same format as the Champion of champions however called it the Beer Wench of Beer Wenches title where all of the last place finishers play off to be the worst of the worst. The competition was run over the same random holes as the champion of champions except the monthly title holders only used the scores from 8 of the holes and the golf trip Beer Wench takes his score from 9 holes.

Congratulations to Chris Sfiligoj who was the winner of this year's event as well as the runner up.

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Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6
Player	Chris		Peter		Thomas	Steve
	Sfiligoj	Chris Sfiligoj	Calyvopoulos	Colin Ewart	Cooper	Powne
Points	8 points (8 holes)	9 points (9 holes)	10 points (8 holes)	13 points (8 holes)	16 points (8 holes)	23 points (8 holes)

ClubBarham			Date	12272020		No# Player	7		Competition
Hole	Par	Hole Rank	Colin Ewart	Chris Sfiligoj	Peter Calyvopoulos	Thomas Cooper	Steve Powne	GOLF TRIP WINNER	Chris Sfiligoj
1	4	4	5	6	6	6	5		6
2	5	7	8	9	7	12	5		9
7	5	16	12	8	8	8	5		8
9	4	15	6	7	5	4	4		7
10	3	8	6	5	4	5	3		5
12	5	13							7
13	4	2	7	7	5	5	6		7
15	3	3	4	3	6	4	4		3
18	3	14	4	8	4	3	3		8
Total	73	127	52	53	45	47	35		60
H/Cap (SLPSGC)			29.1	22.4	15.5	27.3	22.3		22.4
H/Cap (Actual)			33	25	17	31	25		25
H/Cap			33	25	17	31	25		25
Stableford Score			+13	+8	+10	+16	+23		+9
Rank			4	1	3	5	6		2

This year we once again trialed the 100% random group allocations for the Beer and Berrocca shield. It appears the consensus from the majority, (excluding the odd group) was that the handicapping system worked reasonably well, the handicap spread was more diverse however the final scores were still very close. It should be noted however that although we allowed the carry over Beer and Berrocca champions from season 2020 to defend their title, we might have to reconsider the system as it is not practical to have the same two guys winning year after year and the rest of us just making up the numbers for 2nd place. Congratulations to the winning group Andrew Clarke and Mick Harper they shot a score of 3 under par off the stick which was easily the best score for the day. Seven of the other 10 teams all scored within 2 shots of each other, and only 2-strokes separated the remaining 3x teams scores.

BEER & BEROCCA SHEILD RESULTS

TEAM 1	TEAM 4	TEAM 11	TEAM 10	TEAM 3	TEAM 5
Andrew	Newell	Steve	Todd	Glenn	Shane
Clarke	Richards	O'Sullivan	Neilson	Douglas	Cumming
Mick	Brent	Thomas	Cameron	Cam	Stuart
Harper	Douglas	Cooper	Ross	Douglas	Cooper
70	76	77	79	79	75
H/Cap 5	H/Cap 8	H/Cap 9	H/Cap 11	H/Cap 11	H/Cap 6
<mark>65</mark>	<mark>68</mark>	<mark>68</mark>	<mark>68</mark>	<mark>68</mark>	<mark>69</mark>

TEAM 7	TEAM 8	TEAM 2	TEAM 10	TEAM 9
Peter	Wayne	Barry		
Calyvopoulos	James	Hemsley	Phil Plane	Colin Ewart
	Jamie	Chris		Ron
Chris Sfiligoj	Brunton	Westhead	Tom Thorn	Parsons
		Steve		
		Powne		
79	79	81	87	89
H/Cap 9	H/Cap 9	H/Cap 7	H/Cap 11	H/Cap 13
<mark>70</mark>	<mark>70</mark>	<mark>74</mark>	<mark>76</mark>	<mark>76</mark>



The results for the Saturday round were critical especially since the seasons championship points winner, was to be determined based on the outcome, plus the determination of the champion of champions and beer wench of beer wenches, and FedEx points were all to be finalized based on the results on this game. The question was whether Newell Richards could chase down Brent Douggo or whether the sleeper in third place ranking could make his move towards the top placings. The question was also looming whether 8 times could be the charm for Stu Coops who was mounting yet another campaign for his chance to win the Champions of Champions trophy and get his hands on the Blue Jacket.

Stu worked hard on his computer while no one else was watching, to try to rig the results in his favor, but no matter how or what he tried with the complex formulas in the spreadsheets there was no way he could make the numbers work to result in him being the overall winner. When the victors were announced during the awards presentations, the only change to the points leaderboard was that Mick Harper had jumped over Newell Richards to claim the bridesmaid's position, Brent Douglas had extended his lead to be 9-points ahead of his nearest rival.



Winner for the day Steve Powne Won House of Golf Voucher
Winner of the "BEER WENCH" award was Chris Sfiligoi who shot the worst round for the day.

Winner for the Champion of Champions award was Steve Powne Winner for the Beer Wench of Beer Wenches award was Chris Sfiligoj

This year is the second time in a row that both the winner and loser of the monthly title also were both crowned as Champion of Champions and Beer Wench in the previous 15 years there was different outcomes.

Winner for the Seasons Points Champion award was Brent Douglas Runner up for the Seasons Points Champion award was Mick Harper

Winner for the FedEx Points award was Steve Powne

We announced Brent as the winner of the FedEx Cup however Steve Powne's win on the golf trip which is classified as a major and carries a higher value, it gave him enough points to steal the lead from Brent.

Congratulations to Brent Douglas who finished on top of the points championship leaderboard.

Saturdays Results at Barham were as follows:

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Steve	Barry	Stuart	Cameron		Ron		Shane	Glenn	Brent	Chris	Tom
Player	Powne	Hemsley	Cooper	Douglas	Phil Plane	Parsons	Mick Harper	Cumming	Douglas	Douglas	Westhead	Kellythorn
Score	90	103	104	102	105	101	85	88	97	95	114	102
Handicap	25	32	31	27	30	25	8	11	19	17	35	22
Net Score	65	71	73	75	75	76	77	77	78	78	79	80
Points	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4

Ranking	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	Jamie	Steve	Stuart	Newell	Wayne	Andrew	Todd	Peter	Colin	Cameron	Chris
Player	Brunton	O'Sullivan	Cooper	Richards	James	Clarke	Neilson	Calyvopoulos	Ewart	Ross	Sfiligoj
Score	106	91	95	102	97	99	104	101	120	117	122
Handicap	26	11	14	20	15	16	20	17	33	30	25
Net Score	80	80	81	82	82	85	83	84	87	87	97
Points	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by: **Saturday**

Cam Douglas came close to a hole in one his ball hit the flag on the 10th hole on the full. It didn't drop but left a permanent memento to say how close he had come to hitting the perfect shot.

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Jackpot

TEAM 1

Jackpot

Jackpot

3rd Hole (No one Good enough)

10th HoleJamie Brunton15th HoleThomas Cooper18th HoleAndrew ClarkeNearest to Pin 2nd ShotThomas CooperLongest DriveMick Harper

Sunday

3rd Hole Steve Powne
10th Hole Steve O'Sullivan
15th Hole Andrew Clarke
18th Hole Tim Emmerson
Nearest to Pin 2nd Shot Thomas Cooper
Longest Drive Cam Ross

NTP WINNERS



LONGEST DRIVE



Skins won at Barham Golf Course on Saturday were as follows:

1	Chris Westhead
2	Steve Powne
3	Glenn Douglas
4	Jackpot
5	Jackpot
6	Jackpot
7	Jackpot
8	Jackpot
9	Thomas Cooper
10	Jackpot
11	Jackpot
12	Jackpot
13	Jackpot
14	Jackpot
15	Jackpot
16	Jackpot
17	Jackpot
18	Jackpot

In Summary skins were won by:

Thomas Cooper x6
Chris Westhead x1
Steve Powne x1
Glenn Douglas x1

Sunday Ambrose Skins

Barry Hemsley, Steve Powne & Westy
Colin Ewart & Ron Parsons
Andrew Clarke & Mick Harper
Phil Plane 7 Tom Kellythorn

x9 each
x4 each
x1 each

1	Jackpot	
2	Jackpot	
3	TEAM 9	Colin Ewart & Ron Parsons
4	Jackpot	
5	TEAM 2	Barry H, Chris Westhead & Steve P.
6	TEAM 2	Barry H, Chris Westhead & Steve P.
7	TEAM 6	Phil Plane & Tom Kellythorn
8	TEAM 2	Barry H, Chris Westhead & Steve P.
9	TEAM 1	Colin Ewart & Ron Parsons
10	Jackpot	
11	Jackpot	
12	Jackpot	
13	TEAM 2	Barry H, Chris Westhead & Steve P.
14	TEAM 2	Barry H, Chris Westhead & Steve P.

Andre Clarke & Mick Harper

Congratulations and thanks to Rick and his helpers who did a fantastic job as fine master this year, despite missing five rounds over the duration of the season he still managed to have collected more money in the kitty than we were able to drink on Saturday night. We will use some of the excess fine money to buy drinks and food at our first The House of Golf. virtual golf social event next season. Rick will continue as fine master in 2022. The

challenge for Rick next year is to shake the coins out of the pockets of those who members whose names featured prominently in the voting for the Tight Wad award.

Final Place Standings for 2022:

Name	Total	Dlarrad	Douls	Name	Total	Dlavad	Danle
Name	Total	Played	Rank	1 (61110	Total	Played	Rank
Brent Douglas	71	8	1	Peter Calyvopoulos	18	4	26
Mick Harper	62	9	2	Jamie Brunton	18	5	26
Newell Richards	60	9	3	Glenn Douglas	17	3	28
Steve Dawson	52	7	4	Greg Parsons	16	5	29
Steve Powne	51	8	5	Greg Breasley	16	3	29
Tony MacIsaac	49	5	6	Andrew Clarke	16	5	31
Steve Osullivan	48	8	7	Chris Sfiligoj	14	6	32
Tom Kellythorn	46	9	8	Colin Ewart	14	8	32
Cam Douglas	46	7	9	Cameron Ross	12	6	34
Barry Hemsley	46	8	9	Shane Lambert	9	1	35
Wayne James	45	9	11	Tony Grasso	8	3	36
Shane Cumming	39	8	12	Cliff Rowe	7	3	37
Ron Parsons	39	7	12	Rick Turcinovic	6	6	38
Stuart Cooper	36	9	14	Mark Sfiligoj	5	3	39
Thomas Cooper	33	9	14	Warren Perrett	4	1	40
Tim Emmerson	32	4	16	Mal Griffiths	3	2	41
Chris Westhead	32	5	16	John Mea	3	3	41
Jaxon Fitzpatrick	31	4	18	Casey Morrison	3	3	41
Phil Plane	30	8	19	Karl Schwartz	2	2	44
Adam Cooper	30	5	19	Brendan MacIsaac	1	1	45
Gerard MacIsaac	29	4	21	Rob Underwood	1	1	45
Mark Fitzpatrick	29	8	22				
Anthony Emmerson	26	5	23	YET TO PLAY	0	0	
Todd Neilson	19	5	24	Leigh MacIsaac	0	0	47
Ben Nichol	18	5	25	David Burns	0	0	47



The other prizewinners from the player's choice awards and the other competitions conducted throughout the year were as follows.

Prize category Winners							
Leather Wedge	Tony Grasso	Champion of Champions	Steve Powne				
Angry Man	Rick Turcinovic & Mark Sfiligoj	Beer Wench of Beer Wench	es Chris Sfiligoj				
Least Improved	Cam Ross	Seasons Champion	Brent Douglas				
Most Improved	Brent Douglas	Runner Up	Mick Harper				
Bush Whacker	Stuart Cooper	Beer Wench	Chris Sfiligoj				
Tight Wad	Mark Sfiligoj &Tony Grasso	Beer & Berrocca Shield	Mick Harper & Andrew Clarke				
Skins Champion	Cam Douglas	Putting Competition	Mick Harper				
Eclectic Stroke	Stuart Cooper	Worst Putting Competition	Greg Parsons				
Eclectic Stableford	Thomas Cooper	GIR Avg (greens in regulation)	Mick Harper				

Winners are grinners









The Social club runs as a neutral organization and all of the money we raise each year is spent on prizes and we start each year with basically a zero \$\$\$\$ bank balance. As was to be expected the fine jar kitty was drunk almost drunken dry in the early hours of Sunday morning although there was a couple of hundred dollars which will be filed away to be used for BBQ's and stock purchases at the start of the new season. All of the proceeds of the social club activities which includes green fees, and beverage & merchandise sales were invested in the form of prizes for the end of year trip and the raffle draw. In total we had more than \$4000 worth of prizes to give away. The spoils were spread over many of our members.

The raffle is conducted by issuing every player a ticket for each round of golf that they play over the course of the year. If a player wears the Sunday Leave Pass Club shirt to the round, they are given a second raffle ticket. We also run an 18x hole skins competition where every hole is worth one raffle ticket and a player wins raffle tickets for scoring a better stableford score than the rest of the field. In the skins competition whenever 2 or more players have the best score on a hole the raffle tickets carry over and jackpot until a unique hole-winner is achieved. Some players had some significant Jackpots through the year where they won 6 or more skins at the one time. This dramatically increases the number of raffle tickets a player has but at the end of the day the raffle all comes down to chance. As a matter of fairness, a player is only entitled to take home one prize no matter how many times their name is drawn in the raffle. A player is entitled to upgrade to a better prize if their name comes out again and the lesser prize is redrawn. In order to qualifier for the Major Prizes a player must have played at least 6 rounds with the club or be in attendance at the Golf Trip to claim the prize. Congratulations to all of the winners.

RAFFLE WINNERS FOR 2021

PRIZE		NAME	Month	Ticket	Probability
1	Golf Ball retriever	Wayne James	Jun-21	skin	4.26%
2	Titleist Beanie	Thomas Cooper	Jan-21	skin	4.42%
3	Slab beer	Mick Harper	Mar-21	Entry	4.89%
4	\$100 HOG Voucher	Brent Douglas	Oct-21	Entry	2.52%
5	slab bourbon	Cam Douglas	Nov-21	Entry	3.63%

6	\$200 HOG Voucher	Chris Sfiligoj	Mar-21	shirt	3.00%
7	Titleist Wedge	Steve Powne	Dec-21	shirt	3.94%
8	Titleist Hybrid	Stuart Cooper	Nov-21	shirt	4.10%
9	Walkinshaw golf buggy	Ron Parsons	Feb-21	Entry	2.68%
10	Titleist Driver	Tom Kellythorn	Feb-21	shirt	5.21%
11	Titleist AP1 716 Golf Iron package	Barry Hemsley	Dec-21	Entry	2.84%

To check out the Season fixture for next year you can use the following Link

Upcoming Events – Sunday Leave Pass

2022 Fixture

Golf Course & How to get there Directions	Date	Melways Ref	Website links
Gardiners Run	23rd January 7-00am	274 F 11	www.gardinersrun.com.au
Warburton	20th February 9-00am	289 K 3	www.Warburton golf course
Centenary Park	27th March 8-30am	100 E 9	www.Centenary Park
Dorset	10th April 10-17am	51 C 6	www.dorset.com
Spring Park	15th May 8-30am	88 H 7	www.springparkgolf.com.au
Eagle Ridge	29th May 7-30am	152 J 1	www.eagleridge.com.au
Bayview's	26th June 8-00am		www.bayviewsgolf.com.au
Devil Bend	24th July 8-00am		www.devilbendgolf.com.au
Werribee Park	28th August 9-00am	259 B 4	www.werribeepark.com.au
Ringwood	18th September 8-47am	63 F 2	www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au
Churchill Park	23rd October 8-12am	82 C12	www.churchillparkgolf.com.au
Cape Schanck	20th November 8-00am		www.racv.com.au
Shepparton Golf Club	9th - 11th December		www.sheppartongolf.net.au

If you haven't already, can you please let us know if you are expecting to play next year, we have booked for a maximum of 36 players, but we need a more accurate guide on who we should expect to play regularly in 2021?

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Players Interested in Season 2022

Player	Status	Player	Status	
Adam Cooper	Unknown	Leigh MacIsaac	Unknown	

Andrew Clarke	Unknown	Mal Griffiths	Unknown
Anthony Emmerson	Unknown	Mark Fitzpatrick	Unknown
Barry Hemsley	Unknown	Mark Sfiligoj	Unknown
Ben Nichol	Unknown	Mike Harper	Unknown
Brendan MacIsaac	Unknown	Newell Richards	Unknown
Brent Douglas	Unknown	Peter Calyvopoulos	Unknown
Cam Douglas	Unknown	Phil Plane	Unknown
Cameron Ross	Unknown	Rick Turcinovic	Unknown
Casey Morrison	Unknown	Rob Underwood	Unknown
Chris Sfiligoj	Unknown	Ron Parsons	Unknown
Chris Westhead	Unknown	Shane Cumming	Unknown
Cliff Rowe	Unknown	Shaun Klep	Unknown
Colin Ewart	Unknown	Steve Dawson	Unknown
Dale Robinson	Unknown	Steve O'Sullivan	Unknown
David Burns	Unknown	Steve Powne	Confirmed
Gerard MacIsaac	Unknown	Stuart Cooper	Confirmed
Glenn Douglas	Unknown	Thomas Cooper	Unknown
Greg Breasley	Unknown	Tim Emmerson	Unknown
Greg Parsons	Unknown	Todd Neilson	Unknown
Jamie Brunton	Unknown	Tom Kellythorn	Unknown
Jason Daly (HOG)	Unknown	Tony Grasso	Unknown
Jaxon Fitzpatrick	Unknown	Tony Macisaac	Unknown
John Mea	Unknown	Warren Perrett	Unknown
Karl Schwarz	Unknown	Wayne James	Unknown

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Thanks for being part of a very good year. We hope to make it bigger and better next year.

Wishing you and your families a very happy and safe Xmas



