



## SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2018



**FINE JAR 2018**

**\$539.85**

### FINE SYSTEM

Not driving ladies' tees	\$5-00
Having an air swing	\$2-00
Having 4x putts	\$2-00
Throwing a club	\$2-00
Hitting across 2x fairways	\$2-00
Shank	\$2-00
Double Hit	\$2-00
Putting ball on, back off the green	\$2-00
Three Putt Monkey (18 <sup>th</sup> Hole)	\$2-00

Any other act performed on the course which is deemed to be deserving of a fine can be put to the group for a vote after the game. **\$2-00**

Maximum pay out is **\$10-00**.

## GOLF TRIP 2018 Howlong Golf Club



Please Note: We have booked the golf trip this year and we will be going to Howlong Golf course this year. The date of the golf trip will be **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November to Sunday 2nd DECEMBER 2018. The Cost is \$330.00**. We have booked for 29 players accommodated in self-contained 2 BR apartments 6 Adults per apartment.

Please note: If you are not on the golf trip, then you will not be eligible to win a major prize in the raffle.

**Please Note: Deposits are now overdue.**

**At the end of this email there is a list of players and who has confirmed the golf trip and how much they have paid of the deposit and balance.**

[Check your status.](#) Click on link to golf trip confirmation page

**CONFIRM YOUR AVAILABILITY FOR NEXT MONTH**

**NEXT ROUND IS AT BAY VIEWS GOLF COURSE ON SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> JULY**  
Cost of the round will be **\$45.00**.

Please confirm your status for Bayviews ASAP.

To notify us of your status click on one of the following links [YES](#) or [NO](#) or email direct to [studaydream@gmail.com](mailto:studaydream@gmail.com)

We will not prioritize old members over new members. Old members should know the ropes and therefore be able to confirm their status by sending a reply ASAP to ensure a spot is saved for them.

Due to the current size of the membership of the social club we will need to put a freeze on introducing new players. We have only booked for a maximum of 36 players for each course and unfortunately there are not many courses that can offer a two-tee start meaning the times between the first group hitting off and the last group will be up to one and a half hours. This makes for a long day and loses the impact of the social part of the social club.

## Beacon Hills Golf Course Results June



SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2018



**Congratulations to Big Mick for 100 SLP Rounds.**





As has become customary Big Mick celebrated his 100<sup>th</sup> round by blasting his drive on the first hole through his honorary SLP banner. The big fella didn't disappoint either, he launched his ball straight through the middle of the banner and the ball flew 270 meters down the middle of the fairway. <https://youtu.be/cM80-FocwNk> (click on the link to see how he did it.)



Micks banner was a show case of his career highlights and achievements since he joined the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club in July 2009. In his SLP career Mick has won nearly 30% of the longest drive competitions he has entered, he has collected 38 NTP and has been successful by winning almost every other coveted title on the club's honor board. There is however one prize which he has never been able to win and that is the seasons championship. Mick has been runner up 5 times but has never cracked it for the big one. Also, it should be noted, with 9 career monthly titles he has also had plenty of entry tickets into the Champion of Champions competition at the end of the season trip, however he always choked and failed in that quest also.

## Congratulations Big Mick

### 100 SLP Rounds



SUNDAY LEAVE PASS CHAMPIONSHIP TITLES = 0 **ZERO**

CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS = 0 **ZERO**

Total 8289 Strokes    689 pars    107 Birdies    3x Eagles

Best Round    75 at Warburton Feb 2012

Worst Round    95 at Rich River Dec 2013



#### CAREER Highlights

- Most Bridesmaid titles in SLP History    2010, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2016
- 9x Monthly titles
- 28x Long Drive
- 38x NTP
- 3x Eagles. Devils Bend 5<sup>th</sup> 2016, & Devils Bend 10<sup>th</sup> 2014 & Beacon Hills 3<sup>rd</sup> Hole in 2012
- Eclectic Stroke 16,15,12,11 & 2010
- Skins Champion 2016
- Beer & Berocca Shield 16,14,13,& 2010

It was quite ironic that in his 100<sup>th</sup> round Mick was able to finish in the Bridesmaid position, his score of Nett 76 fell 1 stroke short of defeating Ben Nichol who is rallying as a serious contender at the top of the leaderboard. Ben has only played 3 rounds in 2018 yet he has already accrued 43 championship points having finished in 3<sup>rd</sup> place at Centenary Park in March and then placed first in his last two outings at Dorset and Beacon Hills.

Luckily for the rest of us Ben is only a fair-weather golfer, so despite his current white-hot form, we are not likely to have to battle him on a regular basis. Since Ben only plays a few games here and there, he may struggle to score enough points to claim the seasons trophy although at an average of 14 points per attendance he still might only need to play 6 rounds to accrue the required points to win the title this year. The other good news for anyone who is lucky enough to win a monthly title this year is that with Ben taking multiple titles and not going on the golf trip means the number of players competing for the Champion of Champions trophy will be reduced significantly.

One player who is a disgrace to the Champion of Champions trophy is Jamie Brunton. Jamie has not claimed a single free drink in the 2018 season because he has missed most of the scheduled rounds due to family commitments and when he has played he has actually forgotten to wear the jacket. It should be noted that Jamie did turn up to my place on Saturday night wearing the SLP Champion of Champions jacket, but I reminded him he also had a duty to wear the Beer Wench vest after his abysmal effort at Spring Park. To his credit Jamie unashamedly donned the pink vest and spent the night pulling drinks out of the beer fridge whenever the thirst needed quenching.



Special mention goes out to Brendan MacIsaac who in Jamie's absence was required to substitute as the Beer Wench at Beacon Hills because he posted the second worst score at Spring Park. As was the case with his brother Tony when he had to wear the vest by default because Damien failed to fulfill his obligatory duties, Brendan also felt so comfortable in the flouro pink fashion attire that he set about playing poorly and earned the responsibility outright by posting the worst score for the afternoon. In true MacIsaac tradition, Tony was Beer Wench in May & June, and Brendan will go back to back in the Beer wench vest. It is worth noting that someone made the observation, in 2018 only the MacIsaac family have worn the Beer wench vest and they have inquired if they could order their own one just so they can look after it to ensure it is washed and cleaned to the family's lofty standards.

Gerard is the only MacIsaac who has not been Beer Wench in 2018, although if you ask him how his game is going he will tell you he is pretty close to achieving this milestone very soon. According to Gerard he has lost all ability to strike the ball, and on Sunday he was ready to walk off the course in disgust.

Warren was a little concerned that Gerard was so angry and frustrated with his game that he may even have been suicidal. In spite the tears and club throwing Gerard actually finished the day with a score of 88 off the stick therefore he recorded the second lowest gross score for the day and he finished safely inside the top 10 rankings. If anyone was trying to picture what Gerard would look like as a beer wench, then we have created a visual demonstration for your viewing pleasure.



Brendan MacIsaac arrived at Beacon Hills very early on Sunday to give himself plenty of time to get in some putting practice, he has been listening to good advice and has therefore deduced that the quickest way to reduce your score and move up the leaderboard is by putting well. Unfortunately, the practice didn't help very much on Sunday. Brendan had 45 putts including consecutive 4 putt greens on the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> holes and then he whacked the ball around the cup 4 times again on both the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> holes as well. Putting, however was not the only problem, with six (6) Newell's (score of 10 or more) even if Brendan had of 1 putt every green on the golf course he still would have finished the day securely in the beer wench position.



Tony Grasso was the best putter for the day, he was parsimonious with the flat stick. Incredibly Tony only had 11 putts on the first 9 holes including six (6) 1 putt greens in a row and a club record total of 7 one putts on the front nine. On what can only be described as character building greens where anything above the cup was fatal Tony was able to walk the entire 18 holes without recording a three-putt green. Tony rolled in 9 successive 2 putts on the back nine which in a sense was a little disappointing because he was on track to break the record for the lowest 18 hole putting score.

Leigh MacIsaac also looked like he was on the verge of a good day with the putter. Over the first five holes he recorded a chip in and three one putts; the only blemish was that in amongst those brilliant holes he managed to 3 putt the par 3 second hole from about 2 and a half meters for double bogey.

Leigh was not the only golfer to discover the second green was not a happy hunting ground. Stu's Coopers chip shot hit the flag stick and finished just above the cup for a very easy tap in par. Needless to say; he knocked the ball too far past the hole, had a couple more taps at it and he walked off the green with a score of 6 with 4 putts written into his scorecard.

Warren Perret on the other hand was knocking putts in from all corners of the green. Warren was able to use the trained keen eye of a plumber to read the fall of the land to perfection. It did not matter how much break or rise, or fall was hidden into the green Warren was always millimeter perfect. That was of course until the 16<sup>th</sup> hole when he three putted from 28 meters away and had to don the monkey vest for the first time and of course as luck may have it, he was left to wear the flouro vest all the way back home to the esky.

The reigning Sunday Leave Pass champion, Tom Kellythorn was not able to read the greens with the same accuracy as could Warren. In-fact Tom had no feel for the greens at all. He had three 3x putts and a four putt on the front nine. His most memorable moment (most forgettable for him) was when he knocked a downhill putt for par, so far past the hole that it rolled off the front of the green and the ball travelled at least 30 meters back down the fairway.

Tom was a long way from the 2017 championship form on Sunday. Everything that could go wrong, did go wrong. Tom was fined for hitting across two fairways, a feat that not even Stu Coops was capable of doing, on the wide fairways of Beacon Hills, he also failed to get his ball passed the ladies tees, had an air-swing, four putted, tipped the top of the ball so it only travelled 10 cm and worst of all he shot 109 off the stick. At one stage Tom had to run after his golf buggy when it got away from him and rolled down the hill, although he was just about by that stage when if his keys had of been in his pocket rather than in the golf bag he could have just about turned back for the car and left the clubs where they lie.

Tom was at a point where he wanted to hide his identity from all other players (known or unknown) who were out on the golf course, he held up the final two SLP groups while he mucked around on the fairways so much so that there was at least a 25minute gap between the group in front and Toms group. Because of the traffic log jam Tom had managed to cause the last group completed their round an hour behind schedule. Tom also created havoc to a group of total strangers when he knocked his drive from the 12<sup>th</sup> tee across the 11<sup>th</sup> green and onto the 10<sup>th</sup> fairway. The ball scared the living daylights out of some poor guy who was mid swing when Toms ball careened into a tree making an almighty crack just meters over his head. If that's wasn't a problem, because the situation escalated when Tom waltzed out into the middle of this strangers' fairway carrying only his 3-wood in tow having left his bag and buggy back on the hole which he was supposed to be playing. Confidence has never been one of Toms shortcomings however on this occasion it became his downfall. He tried to take on more than his ability can do, Toms sweetly struck 3-wood or should we say tree-wood created another deafening thwack which reverberated in the ears of the angry stranger who had to duck for cover as Toms ball ricocheted back over his head again and journeyed another 10 meters or so, further up the incorrect fairway.



The entire field was left to wait while Tom ran back across the 11<sup>th</sup> green to the 12<sup>th</sup> fairway so that he could drag his entire golf bag back out on to the 10<sup>th</sup> fairway just so that he had a full selection of clubs to choose from while he tried to create a path which would enable him to somehow hit his ball back towards the 12<sup>th</sup> hole from the 10<sup>th</sup> hole. Eventually Tom did make it back to the correct section of the golf course where he was meant to be playing, although with the amount of steam pouring out of his ears and the profanities exploding from his tongue, some of his playing partners were convinced that over the long walk he had been transformed into Rick Turcinovic reincarnate.

There was big movement at the top of the points leaderboard this month, the carnage on the scorecards opened the doors for some new players to make a giant leap towards the top rankings. Big Mick Harper was able to jump over the top of all before him to move into first ranking. This is a sure sign that Mick is maneuvering himself into the perfect position to be able to choke and come 2<sup>nd</sup> yet again this year. It was so close to a fairytale story in his 100<sup>th</sup> round because Mick really should have won the day except for the disastrous score he posted on the second easiest (according to the scorecard) hole on the golf course. Mick had an 8 on the par 3 fifteenth hole which included a shank a couple of poor bunker shots and a dodgy chip.

Despite its alleged easy ranking, the 15<sup>th</sup> hole played as the most difficult par 3 on the golf course and the average score per player of 4.76 shot was higher than some of the par 4 holes. Theoretically all it required was a short to mid iron straight down the hill, at worst a short chip and a couple of putts would give you a guaranteed bogey. In reality though, for some reason the hole played much tougher. Brendan Mac notched up his 5<sup>th</sup> of 6 Newell's (score of 10 or more) on the feisty par 3. Warren Perrett lipped out for birdie with his chip and then proceeded to accumulate a further 5 shots to make a 7. In amongst the misery there were 5 players; Shane, Ben, Cliff, Nathan and Mal who all managed to make pars on the hole and then there was Slinky who scored a magnificent rare birdie (there were only 3 birdies all day) when he hit his tee shot in close to claim the nearest to pin prize as well.

The interesting thing about Johns birdie was that when he submitted his score card for auditing both he and his playing partner had marked the card as a hole in one. It was very exciting to see an ace written down on a Sunday Leave Pass Score card (we have gone over 14 years without one) however the truth was that both Brendan and Slinky had forgotten that John had had a one putt, so the score was in fact a 2.

Just a reminder that if you have been holding out on getting a hole in one, remember we do have a hole in one prize sponsored by Evergreen winery tours, so stop mucking around and someone hit the ball straight into the hole.



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For those who were not aware of the "hole in one prize", any player who scores a hole in one or an Albatross during a Sunday Leave Pass event will win a complimentary Chauffeur Driven Winery Tour for 2x people through the Yarra Valley, courtesy of Evergreen Winery Tours. So, start aiming at the hole we want to give it away this year there was a few close calls over the years, but we are still yet to achieve the perfect shot despite more than 14000 attempts since 2004. (In 1999, *Golf Digest* reported, "One insurance company puts a PGA Tour pro's chances at 1 in 3,756 and an amateur at 1 in 12,750.") The *Golf Digest* study even breaking the odds down by quality of play:

- Professional Tour player making an ace: 3,000 to 1
- Low-handicapper making an ace: 5,000 to 1
- Average player making an ace: 12,000 to 1

Based on this information we are due any time so make sure you turn up to play as it may just be you that claims the ultimate prize.



It was not quite a chauffeur-driven winery tour on offer for the Longest drive competition however Ben Nichol was very proud to see his name written down on the long drive marker. Ben will be even prouder to hear that his name remained permanently inked on the marker and therefore he has a prize golf ball waiting for him for his next visit. Ben was in the early groupings, so he was very excited to see his drive surviving the power hitters such as Mick, Leigh, Cliffy, Shanno and Stevie Powne all failing to get the ball past his drive. It should be noted that every single one of these guys were very defensive and were telling the stories about how far the drive had flown past Bens ball however on each instance the shot had clearly failed to remain on the defined fairway. According to Leigh his drive had even gone so far past Bens drive on the fly that when it hit a tree and ricocheted back 47 meters, his ball was still 30 meters further on than Bens drive marker. The truth of the matter is Ben was clearly the longest driver on the day and he wins the coveted title and now only needs to repeat the feat a further 27 times to catch up to Big Mick, 18 times to be passed Gerard and Stu Coops. Ben has now claimed a quarter of the amount of titles that Power hitter Leigh MacIsaac has won, and he has achieved the same number of longest drives as Tony Mac has won in 120 rounds but done it in only 38 rounds, not to mention the fact that he has now moved ahead of Geoff, Cam, Mal, Newell, Phil, Ron, Todd, Wayne and Warren who are yet to trouble the social club's archivists and historians.

**SPECIAL THANKS to Ben who supplied both the photograph and the statistical analysis.**

All in all, it was a very good day for Ben in what is shaping up for a very successful season, he won his second monthly title in a row and has now moved right up near the top of the points leaderboard in spite having only played 3 games this season. A good day turns into a great day when you realized that you also managed to beat Big Mick on the longest drive and also relegate him back into his signature second place position.



Barry Hemsley was questioning whether he even wanted to front up at Beacon Hills because traditionally the golf course has not been a happy hunting ground for him. The effort was worth his while, because even with a score of Nett 77 it is fair to say the golf course got the better of him, however Bazza still posted the third best score for the day and rocketed up the points leaderboard moving up 5 places to be in sixth place overall.

So unusual was Barry's ranking that a few members have quietly asked for an investigation just to check whether it was Barry playing on Sunday or if a few of the shots might have been hit by his 12-year-old son Will who came along for the ride.

It certainly seems a little bit strange how as soon as his son attended a golf day Barry was able to negotiate very fast and difficult putting greens and finish the day with only 34 putts when normally he gets around in 36 to 39 shots with the flat stick per round.

Leigh and Tony Grasso round out the top five rankings also with scores of Nett 77. The positions there after where not really even worth speaking about. The long and the short of it was Beacon Hills Golf Course kicked the Sunday Leave Pass boys lily-white ar\$e\$. For a golf course which is ranked as less difficult than Spring Park and even Dorset it certainly battered and bruised our egos into the next dimension.

### Results for Beacon Hills were as follows:

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Player	Ben Nichol	Mick Harper	Barry Hemsley	Leigh MacIsaac	Tony Grasso	Todd Neilson	Phil Plane	Gerard MacIsaac	Cameron Ross
Score	100	84	107	91	95	100	107	88	103
Handicap	25	8	30	14	18	22	29	9	23
Nett Score	75	76	77	77	77	78	78	79	80
Points	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7



Ranking	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Player	Colin Ewart	Shane Cumming	Cliff Rowe	Ron Parsons	John Mea	Stuart Cooper	Mal Griffiths	Nathan Griffiths	Steve Powne
Score	107	93	93	107	106	99	98	92	107
Handicap	27	12	12	26	23	15	14	8	22
Nett Score	80	81	81	81	83	84	84	84	85
Points	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	1	1

Ranking	19	20	21	22	23
Player	Newell Richards	Warren Perrett	Tom Kellythorn	Wayne James	Brendan MacIsaac
Score	109	106	109	103	148
Handicap	24	20	22	16	37
Nett Score	85	86	87	87	111
Points	1	1	1	1	1

For the benefit of the newcomers or the uneducated we thought it would be a good opportunity to go through the player rankings and point scoring system again.

Once all of the players are ranked then the Seasons Championship points are allocated according to the position in the field. The player in 1<sup>st</sup> place gets 15 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> place 14 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> place 13 points, etc. etc. Any player who completes the round however finishes ranked outside the top 14 and is placed between 15<sup>th</sup> spot to BeerWench then they are all allocated 1 championship point for attending.

The player with the most points at the end of the year is crowned the Points champion irrespective of how many rounds a person has played. If one person plays 13 rounds for the year and the person in 2<sup>nd</sup> place has only played 10 rounds but is close to the same score, then that is bad luck to the person in 2<sup>nd</sup> place. All players are invited to play the entire fixture. We reward participation rather than perfection and performance so if you play more often you will end up with more points.

Sunday Leave Pass competitions are run using Stroke, so you need to count every shot that you play, and you need to finish every hole. Each players Nett total score is then calculated by deducting the players handicap from the Gross score. If a player doesn't have an official Sunday Leave Pass handicap, then a temporary played to handicap is allocated on the day using the Callaway handicapping system.

## Place Standings for 2018:

Name	Total	Played	Rank		Name	Total	Played	Rank
Mick Harper	52	7	1		Glen Douglas	16	4	25
Wayne James	50	7	2		Jamie Brunton	15	2	26
Todd Neilson	44	7	3		Brendan MacIsaac	15	7	26
Steve O'Sullivan	43	5	4		Steve Powne	13	4	28
Ben Nichol	43	3	4		Damien Vanterpool	12	4	29
Barry Hemsley	42	7	6		Greg Parsons	12	3	29
Newell Richards	41	7	7		Rick Turcinovic	12	5	29
Leigh MacIsaac	40	6	8		John Mea	6	4	32
Colin Ewart	40	5	8		Rob Underwood	4	1	33
Tom Kellythorn	38	6	10		Greg Breasley	3	3	34
Mark Sfiligoj	36	4	11		Dale Robinson	3	3	34
Cliff Rowe	36	6	11		Warren Perrett	3	3	34
Shane Cumming	34	5	13		Geoff Cooper	2	2	37
Cameron Ross	29	6	14		Steve Hoffman	2	2	37
Mal Griffiths	24	5	15		Nathan Griffiths	2	2	37
Tony MacIsaac	24	6	15		Mark Fitzpatrick	2	1	37
Ron Parsons	24	5	15		Brad Hughes	1	1	41
Gerard MacIsaac	23	6	18		Nick Fritsch	1	1	41
Chris Sfiligoj	23	3	18		Jarrett Drake	1	1	41
Andrew Clarke	23	4	18		Bob Franks	1	1	41
Tony Grasso	22	4	21		YET TO PLAY			



<b>Phil Plane</b>	<b>21</b>	6	<b>22</b>		<b>David Burns</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>45</b>
<b>Stuart Cooper</b>	<b>20</b>	7	<b>23</b>		<b>Adam Cooper</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>45</b>
<b>Brendan Seagrave</b>	<b>17</b>	3	<b>24</b>		<b>Peter Hutson</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>45</b>

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

2nd Hole                      Shane Cumming  
6th Hole                      Nathan Griffiths  
11<sup>th</sup> Hole                      Nathan Griffiths  
13<sup>th</sup> Hole                      Newell Richards  
15<sup>th</sup> Hole                      John Mea

Longest Drive              Ben Nichol

**Golf Balls are owed to the following people:**

Ben Nichol                  3 BALLS Winner at Beacon Hills  
Nathan Griffiths            1 Ball NTP Beacon Hills 6<sup>th</sup> Hole  
Nathan Griffiths            1 Ball NTP Beacon Hills 11<sup>th</sup> Hole  
Ben Nichol                  1 Ball Beacon Hills Longest Drive

### Reminder

The ball must be clearly on the CUT surface of the green or fairway to win NTP or longest drive. If it is not on the fairway it doesn't count.

Each player won 1 ball each.

**PLEASE NOTE:** This year the monthly winner has the option of exchanging the number of balls owed to Raffle tickets for the end of year prize draw.

Just a reminder that for every round you play you are awarded a raffle ticket to go towards the end of year raffle, then extra tickets are issued if you wear the official club shirt plus extra tickets can also be won by winning a hole in the monthly skins competition.

“SKINS” were distributed to those players good enough to win a hole outright. If more than 1 player got the lowest score on a hole it is Jackpotted until an outright winner occurs.

Skins at **Beacon Hills** were won by:

1	Jackpot
2	<b>Ron Parsons</b>
3	Jackpot
4	Jackpot
5	Jackpot
6	Jackpot
7	Jackpot
8	Jackpot
9	Jackpot
10	Jackpot
11	Jackpot
12	Jackpot
13	Jackpot
14	Jackpot
15	<b>John Mea</b>
16	<b>Cameron Ross</b>
17	Jackpot
18	Jackpot

### Number of skins won

John Mea	x13
Ron Parsons	x2
Cameron Ross	x1

The consequences of no-one playing very well is that often the skins Jackpots can mount up significantly. John Mea benefitted from the fact that there were 13 skins offer for his birdie on the 15<sup>th</sup> hole. Ron Parsons also took a couple of skins with a par on

the 2<sup>nd</sup> hole and Cam Ross opened is skins tally when he made an impressive birdie on the 16<sup>th</sup> hole. Unfortunately, it was one hole too late because Slinky had already got in and emptied the big prize pool.

Once again, the handicapper has been very conservative and therefore there was very little adjustment to the handicaps again this month. Barry Hemsley and Todd Neilson where the only players to see their handicaps come in, whereas Mal, Steve Powne and Stu Coops went out.

Congratulations to Warren Perrett who has played his third Sunday Leave Pass round with the club, he has started his handicap on 19.6 although he is scheduled to get smashed after he plays his fifth round with the club because when he switches across to the slope handicap he has a round of 13 over par 82 which will become the anchor point for his slope handicap which might take a while to absorb into his handicap formula. This was the case for guys like Cliffy and Nathan who are still feeling the repercussions of a brilliant score meaning they are lumbered with a handicap which has been influenced by an extraordinary round which makes it difficult to continue to play at the same level again.

Interestingly the monthly winner was rewarded with a massive boost to his handicap. Ben actually went out 0.7 strokes despite handling the conditions better than anyone else. The reason for the change is not the services rendered to the handicapper, instead it was because his 20<sup>th</sup> round dropped out of his handicapping formula which was a score of 92 at Dorset. This was replaced by a much higher score causing his handicap to go outwards.

## HANDICAPS

The changes to player's handicaps are as follows:

**BOLD RED NUMBERS**- refer to players whose handicap has gone out

**BOLD GREEN NUMBERS**- refer to players whose handicap has come in

**BOLD BLACK NUMBERS**- refer to players whose handicap has remained unchanged

**NON BOLD NUMBERS**- refer to players who didn't play this month, so handicap has not changed

Player:	New Handicap	Was		Player:	New Handicap	Was
Adam Cooper	23.4	23.4		Mal Griffiths	<b>15.0</b>	14.4
Andrew Clarke	14.4	14.4		Mark Fitzpatrick	20.9	20.9
Barry Hemsley	<b>30.2</b>	30.4		Mark Sfiligoj	19.0	19.0
Ben Nichol	<b>26.0</b>	25.3		Mick Harper	<b>8.2</b>	8.2
Brad Hughes	11.1	11.1		Newell Richards	<b>24.0</b>	24.0
Brendan MacIsaac	<b>37.2</b>	37.2		Nathan Griffiths	<b>8.3</b>	8.3
Brendan Seagrave	17.9	17.9		Peter Hutson	17.7	17.7
Cam Ross	<b>23.2</b>	23.2		Phil Plane	<b>28.8</b>	28.8
Chris Sfiligoj	20.5	20.5		Rick Turcinovic	31.0	31.0
Cliff Rowe	<b>11.9</b>	11.9		Ron Parsons	<b>25.8</b>	25.8
Colin Ewart	<b>27.2</b>	27.2		Shane Cummings	<b>11.9</b>	11.9
Dale Robinson	<b>15.6</b>	15.6		Steve Hoffman	1 game R'qd	1 game R'qd
Damen Vanterpool	23.4	23.4		Steve O'Sullivan	11.8	11.8
David Burns	25.1	25.1		Steve Powne	<b>22.6</b>	22.3
Geoff Cooper	28.8	28.8		Stuart Cooper	<b>15.1</b>	14.8
Gerard MacIsaac	<b>9.4</b>	9.4		Todd Neilsen	<b>18.9</b>	21.6
Glenn Douglas	13.4	13.4		Tom Kellythorn	<b>21.6</b>	21.6
Greg Breasley	32.8	32.8		Tony Grasso	<b>18.1</b>	18.1
Greg Parsons	30.3	30.3		Tony MacIsaac	29.9	29.9
Jamie Brunton	25.6	25.6		Vedran Martinovic	24.1	24.1
John Mea	<b>22.9</b>	22.9		Wayne James	<b>16.0</b>	16.0
Leigh MacIsaac	<b>14.2</b>	14.2				

As a new member of the Social Club the Callaway Handicapping system is used to give the player a daily played to handicap for the first couple of rounds. Once they have played 3 rounds they are given a temporary club handicap using the original AGU handicapping system. After 5 rounds they are then switched across to the current slope handicapping system.

Score	Deduct
68	0.0 Scratch, no adjustment
69	0.5 worst holes & adjustment
70	1.0 worst holes & adjustment
71	1.5 worst holes & adjustment
72	2.0 worst holes & adjustment
73	2.5 worst holes & adjustment
74	3.0 worst holes & adjustment
75	3.5 worst holes & adjustment
76	4.0 worst holes & adjustment
77	4.5 worst holes & adjustment
78	5.0 worst holes & adjustment
79	5.5 worst holes & adjustment
80	6.0 worst holes & adjustment
81	6.5 worst holes & adjustment
82	7.0 worst holes & adjustment
83	7.5 worst holes & adjustment
84	8.0 worst holes & adjustment
85	8.5 worst holes & adjustment
86	9.0 worst holes & adjustment
87	9.5 worst holes & adjustment
88	10.0 worst holes & adjustment
89	10.5 worst holes & adjustment
90	11.0 worst holes & adjustment
91	11.5 worst holes & adjustment
92	12.0 worst holes & adjustment
93	12.5 worst holes & adjustment
94	13.0 worst holes & adjustment
95	13.5 worst holes & adjustment
96	14.0 worst holes & adjustment
97	14.5 worst holes & adjustment
98	15.0 worst holes & adjustment
99	15.5 worst holes & adjustment
100	16.0 worst holes & adjustment
101	16.5 worst holes & adjustment
102	17.0 worst holes & adjustment
103	17.5 worst holes & adjustment
104	18.0 worst holes & adjustment
105	18.5 worst holes & adjustment
106	19.0 worst holes & adjustment
107	19.5 worst holes & adjustment
108	20.0 worst holes & adjustment
109	20.5 worst holes & adjustment
110	21.0 worst holes & adjustment
111	21.5 worst holes & adjustment
112	22.0 worst holes & adjustment
113	22.5 worst holes & adjustment
114	23.0 worst holes & adjustment
115	23.5 worst holes & adjustment
116	24.0 worst holes & adjustment
117	24.5 worst holes & adjustment
118	25.0 worst holes & adjustment
119	25.5 worst holes & adjustment
120	26.0 worst holes & adjustment
121	26.5 worst holes & adjustment
122	27.0 worst holes & adjustment
123	27.5 worst holes & adjustment
124	28.0 worst holes & adjustment
125	28.5 worst holes & adjustment
126	29.0 worst holes & adjustment
127	29.5 worst holes & adjustment
128	30.0 worst holes & adjustment
129	30.5 worst holes & adjustment
130	31.0 worst holes & adjustment

This system is used for determining fair allowances for social golf events that attract novices or occasional golfers. A player's Callaway handicap is determined after each round by deducting from his/her 18-hole gross score the scores of the worst individual holes during the first 16 holes of the round.

In the computation of handicaps under this system:

- No hole may be scored at more than twice its par,
- half strokes count as a whole,
- the 17th and 18th holes are never deducted,

For example, if a player scores 99 on the day their handicap would be calculated as the sum total of their (3 worst holes) +1

If a player scores 82 on the day their handicap would be calculated as the sum total of their (worst + ½ the 2<sup>nd</sup> worst hole) -1

If a player scores 120 on the day their handicap would be calculated as the sum total of their (five worst holes) +2



For those people interested in the mechanics of the handicapping system it can be best explained as the following.

#### How to calculate a GA Handicap

To calculate a player's GA Handicap:

- you must firstly identify the player's most recent 20 scores,
- you then determine the 'Played To' value for each of these scores,
- you average the best 8 'Played To' values,
- and finally you multiply this average by 0.93. The resultant figure (to one decimal place) is the player's GA Handicap.

\* If a player's handicap record contains a lesser number than 20 scores, the number of scores used to calculate the player's handicap is as listed in the table below.

\* There is no requirement for a player's most recent 20 scores to have been returned within a specific timeframe. For example, the most recent 20 scores may span a period of three years or they may span a period of three months.

\* Once a player's handicap record contains 20 scores, the next score they return will result in the oldest of the existing 20 scores being removed (to be replaced by the new score).

#### Full Technical Procedure for Calculating a GA Handicap

STEP 1 – Use the table below to determine the number of scores to be included in the GA Handicap calculation:

#### Number of Scores in Player's Handicap Scores to be Used in the Record Calculation

5 to 6	Best/Lowest 1
7 or 8	Best/Lowest 2
9 or 10	Best/Lowest 3
11 or 12	Best/Lowest 4
13 or 14	Best/Lowest 5
15 or 16	Best/Lowest 6
17 or 18	Best/Lowest 7
19 or 20	Best/Lowest 8

Note: When the handicap record contains more than 20 scores, the GA Handicap calculation uses the best 8 of the player's most recent 20 scores.

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## BOOKINGS CONFIRMATION

Bay Views Sunday 22nd July 845am **Cost is \$45.00**

Player	Status	Paid	Player	Status	Paid
Adam Cooper	Unknown		Mal Griffiths	Unknown	
Andrew Clarke	Unknown		Mark Fitzpatrick	Unknown	
Barry Hemsley	Unknown		Mark Sfiligoj	Unknown	
Ben Nichol	Unknown		Mick Harper	Unknown	
Brad Hughes	Unknown		Nathan Griffiths	Unknown	
Brendan MacIsaac	Unknown		Newell Richards	Unknown	
Brendan Seagrave	Not Playing		Nick Fritsch	Unknown	
Cam Ross	Unknown		Phil Plane	Unknown	

	Chris Sfiligoj	Unknown			Rick Turcinovic	Unknown		
	Cliff Rowe	Unknown			Rob Underwood	Unknown		
	Colin Ewart	Unknown			Ron Parsons	Unknown		
	Dale Robinson	Unknown			Shane Cummings	Unknown		
	Damien Vanterpool	Unknown			Steve Hoffman	Unknown		
	David Burns	Unknown			Steve O'Sullivan	Unknown		
	Geoff Cooper	Unknown			Steve Powne	Unknown		
	Gerard MacIsaac	Unknown			Stuart Cooper	Confirmed		
	Glen Douglas	Unknown			Todd Neilson	Unknown		
	Greg Breasley	Unknown			Tom Kellythorn	Unknown		
	Greg Parsons	Unknown			Tony Grasso	Unknown		
	Jamie Brunton	Unknown			Tony MacIsaac	Unknown		
	John Mea	Unknown			Wayne James	Unknown		
	Leigh MacIsaac	Unknown			Warren Perrett	Unknown		

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Golf Course & How to get there Directions	Date	Melways Ref	Website links
<a href="#"><u>Bayview</u></a> (Rosebud Public)	22 <sup>nd</sup> July 8-45am		<a href="https://www.bayviewsgolf.com.au/cms/"><u>https://www.bayviewsgolf.com.au/cms/</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Werribee Park</u></a>	19 <sup>th</sup> August 8-48am	259 B4	<a href="http://www.werribeepark.com.au"><u>www.werribeepark.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Ringwood</u></a>	23 <sup>rd</sup> September 8-30am	63 F2	<a href="http://www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au"><u>www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Yarrambat</u></a>	21 <sup>st</sup> October 8-30am	184 D5	<a href="http://www.yarrambatgolf.com.au"><u>www.yarrambatgolf.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Morack</u></a> –includes BBQ	18 <sup>th</sup> November 9-00am	63 C5	<a href="http://www.morackgolf.com.au"><u>www.morackgolf.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Howlong Golf Club</u></a>	30 <sup>th</sup> November -2 <sup>nd</sup> December - Cost \$330		

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(In 1999, *Golf Digest* reported, "One insurance company puts a PGA Tour pro's chances at 1 in 3,756 and an amateur at 1 in 12,750.") The *Golf Digest* study even breaking the odds down by quality of play:

- Professional Tour player making an ace: 3,000 to 1
- Low-handicapper making an ace: 5,000 to 1
- Average player making an ace: 12,000 to 1

Based on this information we are due any time so make sure you turn up to play as it may just be you that claims the ultimate prize.

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Name		Play	Cost	Paid	Balance Owing
<b>Total (Yes)</b>		<b>29</b>		<b>\$ 540.00</b>	<b>\$ 7,050.00</b>
	BOOK No#				
Adam Cooper		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Andrew Clarke		<b>NO</b>	Cancelled		<b>\$ 330.00</b>
Barry Hemsley	29.00	<b>YES</b>	\$ 330.00	\$ 50.00	<b>\$ 280.00</b>
Ben Nichol		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Brad Hughes		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Brendan MacIsaac	12.00	<b>YES</b>	\$ 330.00	\$ 200.00	<b>\$ 130.00</b>
Brendan Seagrave		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Cameron Ross	26.00	<b>YES</b>	\$ 330.00	\$ 330.00	\$ -

Chris Sfiligoj	14.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
Cliff Rowe	10.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 210.00	\$ 120.00
Colin Ewart	9.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 312.50	\$ 17.50
Dale Robinson		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Damien Vanterpool		NO	\$ -		\$ -
David Burns	21.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
Geoff Cooper		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Gerard MacIsaac	7.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 130.00	\$ 200.00
Glenn Douglas	16.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
Greg Breasley		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Greg Parsons		YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 280.00
Jamie Brunton	18.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 330.00	\$ -
Jarrett Drake		NO	\$ -		\$ -
John Mea		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Leigh MacIsaac	15.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 330.00	\$ -
Mal Griffiths	20.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 130.00
Mark Fitzpatrick	17.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
Mark Sfiligoj	4.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 230.00
Mike Harper	22.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 57.50	\$ 272.50
Newell Richards	3.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 180.00	\$ 150.00
Peter Hutson		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Phil Plane	13.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 262.50	\$ 67.50
Rick Turnicovic	19.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
Ron Parsons	28.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 330.00	\$ -
Shane Cumming	24.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 280.00
Steve Hoffman		No	\$ -		\$ -
Steve O'Sullivan	1.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 230.00
Steve Powne	8.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 170.00	\$ 160.00
Stuart Cooper	2.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 330.00	\$ -
Todd Neilson	11.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
Tom Kellythorn	5.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 280.00
Tony Grasso		No	\$ -		\$ -
Tony MacIsaac	23.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 280.00
Vedran Martinovic		No	\$ -		\$ -
Wayne James	6.00	YES	\$ 330.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 230.00
Warren Perrett		No	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Rob Underwood	25.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00

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