



**SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2020**

### **FINE SYSTEM**

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

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**.



**FINE JAR 2019**

**\$604.00**

**Did you ever consider that even if you played every round for the year and paid the maximum fine (\$10) each time you played you would only be contributing \$150 for the year. That donation gets you four or five BBQ's during the year, drinks at social events and unlimited alcohol for 5 hours at the pub on the Saturday night of the golf trip.**

**This is a call out reminder to all of those guys with short arms and deep pockets you need to remember this and contribute a bit of loose change to the fine jar.**

## **GOLF TRIP 2020**

### **ClubBarham Golf Club**



Please Note: We have booked the golf trip and we will be going to Barham Golf course this year. The date of the golf trip will be Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December to Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2020. The Cost is \$350.00.

Please Note: We have made the first \$3000 deposit to secure our booking at Barham, so we are calling for deposits to be paid by the end of March but the sooner the better. There is a confirmation status list at the end of this sheet which details those players who are attending the golf trip and how much deposits have been paid by each attendee. If you haven't paid anything yet, then please jump on the internet and transfer ASAP.

**CONFIRM YOUR STATUS FOR NEXT MONTH**

**NEXT MONTHS ROUND IS AT CENTENARY PARK GOLF COURSE ON SUNDAY 29th MARCH**

**Cost of the round will be \$45**

Please confirm your status for Centenary Park ASAP. Final numbers and payment are due by this Thursday.

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 know the ropes and should be able to confirm their status by sending a reply ASAP to ensure a spot is saved for them. This month we had over 30 players again and that was with quite a few of the regulars missing, so be warned to get in early if you want to get a tee time. Please Note we have put a freeze on recruitment as we currently have more regular players than we have tee times available.

## Beacon Hills Course Results March



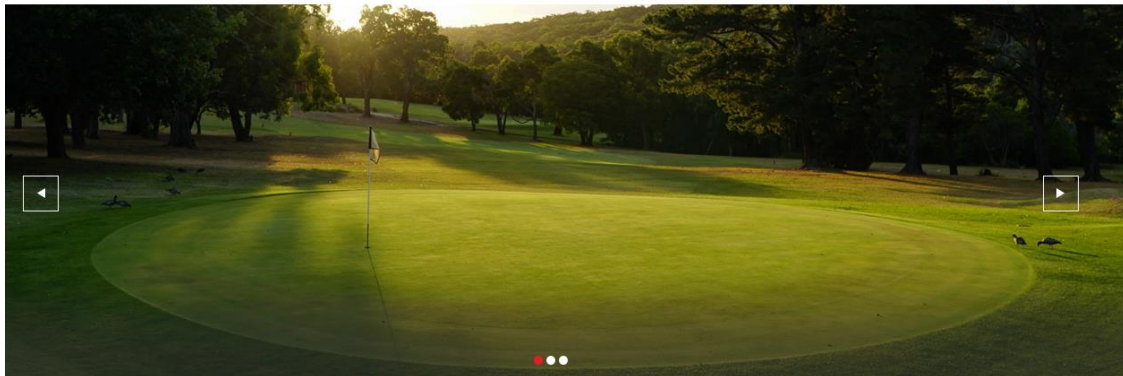
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Wow, how quickly the world can change. Two months ago, things were ticking along smoothly. The Sunday Leave Pass points leaderboard was taking shape, with the usual candidates rallying and mounting their charge towards the top and then suddenly Whammo the 5#17 has hit the fan. The share market crashed, society regressed and went back 100 years, and all manner of modern day to day activities have suddenly been cancelled or closed. There is talk about stopping everything, unplugging the year 2020 and rebooting to start the whole thing again. If it was possible, this is probably a good idea and I certainly would like to see it happen, especially when it comes to the Sunday Leave Pass golf season. The AFL are currently talking about shortening the football season and perhaps that is what we could also do with our SLP golfing fixture. If we start the points allocation from the Centenary Park round with every member on 0 points it would be a blessing and that would definitely improve my Wood 'n' Spoon ranking by 22.67 points. Mind you, it is not just me either, there are a few other attendees (we can't really be called golfers or players for that matter) who would be in this voting camp, Tom Kellythorn, Rick, Brent and Kleppy you would have to think would all, also be very happy to reset from scratch and start again because the season thus far has been a very tough one.

On the other end of the spectrum is Anthony Emmerson and Wayne James who are currently going head to head as the forerunners for the points championship competition. Egg has played 2x games for two podium finishes. He had a very close 2<sup>nd</sup> place at Gardiners Run and then he made a clear-cut gold medal finish at Beacon Hills. We are not sure who invited him into the group in the first place, but we are all gearing up ready to walk him back out of the club if he continues his current run of form. Egg has an incredible stats profile from his short Sunday Leave Pass career. 3x career titles from just 7 starts. His career average place ranking is just 4.86 which is clearly the lowest in the club. Hopefully the handicapper gets into Anthony soon because he seems to be carrying the skillsets of a golfer far in advance of what he has currently been allocated as a handicap.

Wayne James (2019 Champion of Champions title holder) is also presenting as a genuine golfer again this year. Wayne is consistently featuring at the top end of the points distribution and even more importantly he is quickly checking off his IOU hit list by wearing his jacket and collecting drinks from the playing group of Season 2019. Wayne has already received more fringe benefits from the Blue Jacket than did Douggo, Tom and Jamie combined during their reign over the entire season.

### WAYNES CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS HIT LIST.

Adam Cooper	5	John Mea	Paid
Andrew Clarke	8	Leigh MacIsaac	14
Anthony Emmerson	5	Mal Griffiths	10
Barry Hemsley	13	Mark Fitzpatrick	6
Ben Nichol	4	Mark Sfiligoj	6
Brendan MacIsaac	14	Matt Oakley	1
Brent Douglas	7	Matt Robinson	7
Cam Douglas	8	Mick Harper	14
Cameron Ross	8	Newell Richards	Paid
Carl Schwarz	1	Peter Calyvpoulos	4
Chris Sfiligoj	6	Phil Plane	9
Cliff Rowe	11	Rick Turcinovic	11
Colin Ewart	Paid	Robert Underwood	
Dale Robinson	9	Ron Parsons	Paid
David Burns	3	Shane Cumming	Paid
Geoff Cooper	2	Steve Osullivan	14
Gerard MacIsaac	Paid	Steve Powne	Paid
Glenn Douglas	10	Stuart Cooper	14
Greg Breasley	3	Todd Neilson	12
Greg Parsons	5	Tom Thorn	Paid
Jamie Brunton	Paid	Tony Grasso	Paid
Jason (House of Golt)	1	Tony MacIsaac	Paid
Jason Mladenis	3	Warren Perrett	7
Jaxon Fitzpatrick	4	Wayne James	14



Although he is in 2<sup>nd</sup> place and just one point behind Egg, Wayne is yet to win the illusive monthly title, which is the only way an entry ticket is available to go into the playoff to compete for the Champion of Champions jacket in season 2020 and be in contention to possibly be the first player to go back to back.

To qualify as the Champion of Champions title a member needs to win a monthly title. All of the winners from monthly championships who are attending the golf trip will then play off for the title based on total accumulated stableford points from 9x Randomly selected holes. The Winner is the person with the most points over those holes, in the event of a tie a Countback applies.

NOTE: The Winner of the December title is eligible to win however they only get to count scores and use only 8 Randomly selected holes.

### Monthly winners eligible for Champion of Champions playoff in 2020

January (Ron Parsons) 94 Nett 65. February (Greg Parsons) 99 Nett 67. March (Anthony Emmerson) 87 Nett 66.  
March 29 (?????????)

Points are hard to come by this season, with fields of players in excess of 30 players each month so far, it is a big ask to finish inside the top 14 to get multiple points. Every missed putt, each lost ball or duffed chip has a huge impact on the final place rankings and the count back system can be influential on how the day pans out for you. The scores on the back nine are very important as they are regularly the determinant of the end results because when more than one player finishes with the same Nett score then the places are calculated based on the total number of stableford points scored on the back nine and then narrowed even finer down to individual hole scores starting from the 18<sup>th</sup> hole and working back.

The count back system is formulated as the following.

\*Total number of stableford points scored on the back nine holes.

\*In the event that both players have the same stableford score on the back nine it then reverts to the number of stableford points scored on the eighteenth hole. If this is the same then it goes to the 17<sup>th</sup> hole, sixteenth hole, fifteenth hole until a player has a better hole and therefore has a higher stableford score than the other.

		In this instance both Dale and SOS had Nett 74 after their handicap was deducted from the Gross Scores. So, we go back to a countback.		
Dale Robinson	Steve Osullivan	<div>In this example Dale wins because he had 17 stableford points on the back nine compared to Jamie who played worse on the back nine and could only conjure up a disappointing 15 points and was therefore relegated down to second place.</div> <div>If the countback then identifies that both players have had the same stableford points score on the back nine then we go back to the individual holes starting from the 18<sup>th</sup> hole and compare results until a player had a standout result. In the example shown on the right both Steve Dawson and Shane Cumming had 16 Stableford points. Steve had a bogie for 2 points whereas poor Cider had a double bogie six for 0 points on the 18<sup>th</sup> hole therefore Steve wins the countback and Shane is relegated back to a lower place ranking. If both scores are equal then we go back to the 17<sup>th</sup> hole, then the 16<sup>th</sup>, etc etc.</div> <div>PLEASE NOTE THAT THE COUNT BACK IS ON HOLES 10-18 irrespective of whether it is a two-tee start, a normal hit off from the first hole or as in the case of Warburton we hit off the both 1<sup>st</sup> and 10th holes. It is always the 10<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> holes and if one person starts on the 10<sup>th</sup> hole and the other hits off the first hole then it still remains exactly the same formula.</div>	Steve Dawson	Shane Cumming
92	85		96	86
18	11		19	9
74	74		77	77
+2	+2		+1	+2
+2	+2		+2	+2
+0	+2		+1	+3
+3	+1		+1	+0
+2	+1		+2	+2
+4	+0		+2	+2
+1	+2		+2	+2
+1	+3		+3	+3
+2	+2		+2	+0
+17	+15		+16	+16

The Beacon Hills course was in fantastic condition, we had previously only ever played Beacon Hills in the depths of winter and it had proved to be a tough ask and a bit of a bog hole, that is probably why it fell out of favor of the voting for several years. As a Summer track it actually proved to be a lovely paddock although the scores were still reflective of a difficult and challenging golf course. Only Anthony, Wayne and Steve Powne managed to play to their handicap or better. SOS and Dale came very close. Basically, they were only one bad hole from posting a respectable score. From there onwards the numbers got bigger and bigger. There was no excuse about the conditions, the course was immaculate, having hosted a pro-am tournament last week the course was picture perfect, there was hardly a breath of wind to speak of and the temperature could only be classed as a beautiful Autumn's day.







It will be interesting when we put the ballot out to the members, to see if Beacon Hills gets enough votes to remain on the 2021 fixture, it's odds might be slightly improved because Wayne has always been a hater of the course however with a 2<sup>nd</sup> place finish his opinion might have suddenly been skewed in the golf courses favor.

For the newbies, it is important to know that around March, April each year we will ask you to pick your preferred golf courses. You will be sent the link to the following survey and asked to fill out your preferred golf courses and then we will book the golf courses with the most votes and schedule them into the 2021 season. The Survey is now live and votes can be made.



## **Golf Course Survey 2021**

**Here's your chance to  
choose where you play next  
year!**

**Please fill out the survey using the following link**

This is the link for your survey:

<https://survs.com/survey/5jzwjaebqy>

I cannot see Beacon Hills being very high up on my voting preferential list this year. Well maybe only some of it. I definitely, will not be voting for the 5<sup>th</sup> hole anyway. My round became unraveled after what was a very promising start when the fifth hole did a number on me. It was the Nearest to pin 2<sup>nd</sup> shot hole. A relatively simple, as a 317meter par 4, anyone could be forgiven for thinking it was going to be an easy hole. Unfortunately, it wasn't to be the case and it wasn't just me who suffered at the mercy of this evil golf hole.

Peter Alphabet hit a snap hook and his ball hit a tree branch and bounced back into the middle of the fairway. He thought he had caught a lucky break however he was very, very wrong. My snap hook followed suit but it was not quite as forgiving as Peters ricochet. After a 2 minute and 58 second search of the thick forest my ball was finally located buried in the grass up against a tree trunk.



Given I hadn't brought my chainsaw and axe with me I opted to be conservative and to try to chip the ball back out onto the safety of the fairway. The shot was magnificent and had it not been for a tussock of mountain sword grass which reach out and grabbed the golf ball from the sky and pulled it into its root system it would have been a great shot and a brilliant course management plan.

Although SOS saw exactly where the ball had been abducted, it still took a further 2minutes and 49 seconds before anyone could get a sighting on the AVX1 golf ball. Such was the strangle hold on the ball that there were only two possible options on how to approach the next play. It was impossible to chip back the ball back out onto the fairway this time so it was either take a penalty and claim an unplayable lie or just grip hard and try to dismember the bushes and hope to get some club on the ball and at least progress it forward to somewhere a bit more user friendly.





Naturally I made the correct decision and opted to sprain my wrist and back, disembowel 3/4 of the native shrub and I did actually manage to move the ball just far enough for it to get stuck behind another tree trunk. A couple of shots later I had successfully maneuvered my ball the desired 317 meters from tee to green, if only a little bit off direction. I had positioned the golf ball in the bunker inside the bunker. Well it wasn't quite a bunker in the sand; however, it was in the deep furrow of some idiot's footprint who had forgotten to rake the bunker when they finished. Given the footprint was only 15cm long and about 10cm deep it wasn't hard to work out the possible perpetrators. First thing I did when I dragged myself back into the carpark was to check the sole prints on Steve Powne and Tom Kellythorn because they are the only 2-guys with feet small enough to fit into the footprints which had been left in the sand.



Incredibly even with all of the misadventures I had had on the 5<sup>th</sup> hole and despite his fortuitous lucky break from the tee shot, Peter Alphabet still managed to rack up more shots on the hole than I did. Peter closed out the fifth with a Newell which was one of only 4 Newell's (Score of 10 or more) achieved for the day. Brendan Mac, Colin and Kleppy were the only other golfers to make double digits which was surprising considering how high many of the scores were. Obviously, most players lots of bad holes rather than simply having one big blowout hole.



Brendan MacIsaac is mounting a caucus to try to introduce a new competition into the monthly prizes. Brendan is strongly backed and supported by Stevie Powne who was heard after the round trying to get the longest drive competition rules changed to have it handicapped based on power to weight ratio.

Brendan is not interest in the longest drive however he is hoping to see the straightest drive competition introduced as well. Understandably so, especially after he nailed this one down the tenth hole.

Interestingly, Brendan walked off with a 7 on the 10<sup>th</sup> hole and the longest drive winner scored a 6 despite having a 170-meter head start with the second shot.

The longest drive marker was passed from S. Klep to S. Coop.



Brendan and the entire MacIsaac family were quite easy to identify as they meandered down the middle of the fairway. At one stage three of the four of them were seen wearing the same wardrobe and Leigh was the only MacIsaac who didn't have the fluorescent yellow high vis gear on at the time and that was only because he had literally just passed it on to his Uncle Gerard.



Compared to Warburton the greens at Beacon Hills were much more user friendly. The average putts per player improved by nearly 3 strokes this month, although the vest was still seen doing the rounds, even if not so rapidly. It took Shane Cummings group 6 holes before anyone in the pairing had made a blemish with the flat stick, which was a brilliant effort and they most likely would have gone even further had Steve O'Sullivan put the mozz on them which resulted in Paul Marshall hollering after he missed a simple 3 foot clean-up par putt under the pressure of keeping the vest in storage and SOS's watchful gaze.

Cam Douglas, Mick, Steve Powne and Shane Cumming all went the full 18 holes without a blemish on the score card. Cam was the best with the flat stick making an impressive 8 one putts for a very impressive 28 for the day. Steve Powne used the putter economically and he even chipped in on the 12<sup>th</sup> hole and joined the group of just 3 players who documented noner's (0 putts) on the scorecard. 124 one putts was on par for the season average however with just 75, 3 putts and 8 four putts or worse it was a marked improvement on Warburton which yielded 116 three putts and 16 fineable 4+ putter offences.

Shaun Klepp hit the ball 111 times on Sunday, yet interestingly he putted like a demon, Shaun only used the flat stick 31 times meaning he was ranked 5<sup>th</sup> overall in the putting stakes. We can not quite work out where it all went wrong for Shaun because he also knocked a monster long and straight drive down the 10<sup>th</sup> hole to see himself leading the long drive title almost up until the last grouping. Shaun could count himself unlucky because he was pipped at the post by Stu Coops who actually managed to successfully land a driver on the fairway. To rub salt in the wound Stu left Klepp's name on the marker and replicated it with his own name underneath.





Where it all went wrong for Shaun we do not quite know, however we can confirm that the longest walk he made all day was the distance between the tee box and his drive on the 10<sup>th</sup> hole however his second longest distance travelled was not far behind and that one was walking into the scrub on the 14<sup>th</sup> hole after he launched his 7 iron in absolute frustration.



Rick Turcinovic might find himself with a little bit of competition this year and might start needing to look for another trophy especially since Shaun polled very well in voting for the angry man award after he was fined the maximum fine limit for throwing clubs on at least 3 separate occasions.

Luckily Rick is hedging his bets and he has a few other irons in the fire, Rick has secured his seat in the Beer Wench of Beer Wenches play off on the golf trip having come last at Warburton and he also could be a strong candidate for Least improved and Wood “n’ Spoon trophies after yet another bottom of the table finish. Rick adorned the pink vest as a result of his performance last month and only finished 3 places a head of going back to back.









Ranking	28	29	30	Beer WENCH
Player	Rick Turcinovic	Tom Kellythorn	Colin Ewart	Peter Calyvopoulos
Score	115	106	116	108
Handicap	30	20	30	21
Nett Score	85	86	86	87
Points	1	1	1	1

Peter Alphabet continues to be a prominent feature at the top of the points distribution, hopefully now that he has an official club handicap and a few rounds under his belt the handicapper will be able to get into him and knock his scores back into shape.

For those players not familiar with the scoring process, listed below is the format we use in Sunday Leave Pass competitions.

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.

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.

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.

Once the players Nett score is calculated they are ranked from lowest score to highest score. (BeerWench)

For those accountants and number crunchers you may have noticed that the handicaps this year are varying slightly, this is because we have integrated the course difficulty (slope rating) into the handicap calculation process.

What we have done is simply aligned the Sunday Leave Pass handicapping process with the one used by golf link and by all golf clubs around the globe. Although your SLP handicap is unofficial and therefore it cannot be used to formally to enter organized golf competitions and tournaments, it still should be an accurate reflection of your golfing prowess and a measure of what your GA (golf Australia) handicap would be if you subscribed the \$150 per year to get an official handicap.

This year, your playing handicap will fluctuate around your documented handicap index. When you play an easy course such as Ringwood or Dorset then you will actually play off a lower handicap than you normally would. On the other days when we invite you to play a harder course such as Eynesbury we will add a few extra shots to your arsenal just to give you more hope of avoiding total anxiety and depression.

## 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

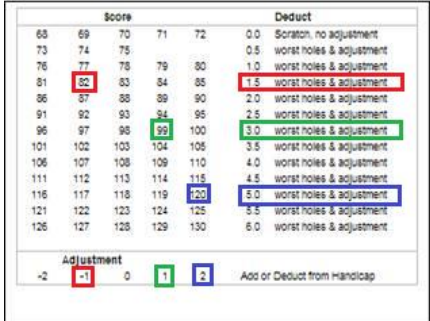
**NON BOLD NUMBERS**- refer to players who didn't play this month, so handicap has not changed

Player:	New Handicap	Was		Player:	New Handicap	Was
Adam Cooper	23.2	23.2		Leigh MacIsaac	13.9	13.2
Andrew Clarke	14.3	14.3		Mal Griffiths	16.2	16.2
Anthony Emmerson	18.3	19.9		Mark Fitzpatrick	19.3	19.3
Barry Hemsley	28.7	28.7		Mark Sfiligoj	16.2	16.2
Ben Nichol	21.7	21.7		Mick Harper	8.0	8.0
Brendan MacIsaac	39.0	39.2		Newell Richards	20.1	20.1
Brent Douglas	17.3	17.3		Paul Marshall	New H/cap 24.3	Callaway 36
Cam Douglas	24.4	24.1		Peter Calyvopoulos	New H/cap 15.5	19.6
Cam Ross	25.3	25.3		Phil Plane	27.5	27.5
Chris Sfiligoj	21.5	21.5		Rick Turcinovic	28.3	28.3
Chris Benjamin	3 games R'qd	3 games R'qd		Ron Parsons	25.0	25.0
Cliff Rowe	13.5	13.5		Shane Cummings	9.1	8.9
Colin Ewart	28.6	28.6		Shaun Klep	New H/cap 26.6	Callaway 35
Dale Robinson	16.7	16.8		Steve Dawson	New H/cap 23.6	Callaway 19
David Burns	26.0	26.0		Steve O'Sullivan	10.4	10.3
Gerard MacIsaac	9.6	9.6		Steve Powne	22.1	22.4
Glenn Douglas	15.6	15.6		Stuart Cooper	14.6	14.5
Greg Breasley	34.3	34.3		Todd Neilsen	17.1	17.1
Greg Parsons	28.9	28.9		Tom Kellythorn	19.2	19.2



Heath McLeod	New H/cap 27.6	Callaway 27		Tony Grasso	19.8	19.4
Jamie Brunton	23.1	23.1		Tony MacIsaac	28.9	28.6
Jaxon Fitzpatrick	28.4	28.4		Warren Perrett	24.2	24.2
John Mea	26.7	26.6		Wayne James	13.5	13.6

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.

 <p>The image shows a table for the Callaway Handicapping System. It has two main columns: 'Score' and 'Deduct'. The 'Score' column lists scores from 68 to 126 in increments of 1. The 'Deduct' column lists the number of strokes to be deducted from the score, ranging from 0.0 to 6.0. The table is divided into sections by the number of strokes deducted: 0.0 (Scratch, no adjustment), 0.5 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 1.0 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 1.5 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 2.0 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 2.5 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 3.0 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 3.5 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 4.0 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 4.5 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 5.0 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), 5.5 (worst holes &amp; adjustment), and 6.0 (worst holes &amp; adjustment). The table also includes a section for 'Adjustment' with values -2, -1, 0, 1, and 2, and a note 'Add or Deduct from Handicap'.</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>In the computation of handicaps under this system:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-No hole may be scored at more than twice its par,</li> <li>- half strokes count as a whole,</li> <li>- the 17th and 18th holes are never deducted,</li> </ul> <p>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</p> <p>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</p> <p>If a player scores 120 on the day their handicap would be calculated as the sum total of their (five worst holes) +2</p>
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After 3 rounds they will be allocated a temporary handicap using the old AGU handicapping formula and then after 5 rounds they are elevated onto the official Slope handicapping system which was use thereafter for all club competitions.

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.

The most prevalent birdies at Beacon Hills were the Kookaburras, although there were opportunities the birdies were scarce this week. Wayne James was the man of the moment making two Birds in succession. Wayne chipped in for Birdie on the 8<sup>th</sup> hole and then followed it up immediately with a genuine 1 putt birdie on the 9<sup>th</sup> hole. Wayne made 2 out of the 5 sub-par scores achieved for the day.

#### The Birdie Crew

Gerard MacIsaac	3rd Hole Par 5	
Steve O'Sullivan	4 <sup>th</sup> Hole Par 5	
Wayne James	8th Hole Par 4	
Wayne James	9 <sup>th</sup> Hole Par 4	
Dale Robinson	15th Hole Par 3	

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.

### Place Standings for 2020:

Name	Total	Played	Rank		Name	Total	Played	Rank
<b>Anthony Emmerson</b>	<b>29</b>	2	<b>1</b>		<b>Paul Marshall</b>	<b>6</b>	3	<b>25</b>
<b>Wayne James</b>	<b>26</b>	3	<b>2</b>		<b>Glenn Douglas</b>	<b>5</b>	2	<b>26</b>
<b>Ron Parsons</b>	<b>26</b>	3	<b>2</b>		<b>Newell Richards</b>	<b>5</b>	3	<b>26</b>
<b>Steve O'Sullivan</b>	<b>21</b>	3	<b>4</b>		<b>Gerard MacIsaac</b>	<b>3</b>	3	<b>28</b>
<b>Steve Powne</b>	<b>20</b>	3	<b>5</b>		<b>Brent Douglas</b>	<b>3</b>	3	<b>28</b>
<b>Dale Robinson</b>	<b>20</b>	3	<b>5</b>		<b>Chris Sfiligoj</b>	<b>2</b>	2	<b>30</b>
<b>Mick Harper</b>	<b>17</b>	3	<b>7</b>		<b>Andrew Clarke</b>	<b>2</b>	2	<b>30</b>
<b>Jamie Brunton</b>	<b>16</b>	3	<b>8</b>		<b>Mal Griffiths</b>	<b>2</b>	2	<b>30</b>
<b>Cam Douglas</b>	<b>16</b>	3	<b>8</b>		<b>Tom Kellythorn</b>	<b>2</b>	2	<b>30</b>
<b>Greg Parsons</b>	<b>15</b>	1	<b>10</b>		<b>John Mea</b>	<b>2</b>	2	<b>30</b>
<b>Peter Calyvpoulos</b>	<b>15</b>	3	<b>10</b>		<b>Tony Grasso</b>	<b>2</b>	2	<b>30</b>
<b>Phil Plane</b>	<b>14</b>	2	<b>12</b>		<b>Barry Hemsley</b>	<b>2</b>	2	<b>30</b>
<b>Rick Turcinovic</b>	<b>14</b>	3	<b>12</b>		<b>Brendan MacIsaac</b>	<b>2</b>	2	<b>30</b>
<b>Colin Ewart</b>	<b>13</b>	3	<b>14</b>		<b>Adam Cooper</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>38</b>
<b>Shane Cumming</b>	<b>13</b>	3	<b>14</b>		<b>Todd Neilson</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>38</b>
<b>Stuart Cooper</b>	<b>12</b>	3	<b>16</b>		<b>Greg Breasley</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>38</b>
<b>Cam Ross</b>	<b>12</b>	3	<b>16</b>		<b>Warren Perrett</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>38</b>
<b>Heath McLeod</b>	<b>11</b>	3	<b>18</b>		<b>Rob Underwood</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>38</b>
<b>Leigh MacIsaac</b>	<b>11</b>	3	<b>18</b>		<b>YET TO PLAY</b>			
<b>Steve Dawson</b>	<b>11</b>	3	<b>28</b>		<b>David Burns</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>43</b>
<b>Mark Sfiligoj</b>	<b>10</b>	2	<b>21</b>		<b>Ben Nichol</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>43</b>
<b>Shaun Klep</b>	<b>10</b>	3	<b>21</b>		<b>Mark Fitzpatrick</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>43</b>
<b>Cliff Rowe</b>	<b>9</b>	2	<b>23</b>		<b>Matt Robinson</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>43</b>
<b>Tony MacIsaac</b>	<b>7</b>	3	<b>24</b>					

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

2nd Hole (No-one good enough)  
6th Hole Mick Harper  
11<sup>th</sup> Hole (No-one good enough)  
13<sup>th</sup> Hole Wayne James  
15<sup>th</sup> Hole Dale Robinson  
5<sup>th</sup> Hole NTP 2<sup>nd</sup> Shot Tony Grasso

Longest Drive Stuart Cooper

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

Anthony Emmerson \$25 House of golf voucher - Winner at Beacon Hills

Greg Parsons \$25 House of golf voucher - Winner at Warburton

Tony Grasso 1x golf ball NTP 2<sup>nd</sup> Shot 5<sup>th</sup> Hole Warburton

**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	Cameron Ross
2	Jackpot
3	Jackpot
	Steve
4	O'Sullivan
5	Jackpot
6	Jackpot
7	Jamie Brunton
8	Wayne James
9	Wayne James
10	Jackpot
11	Jackpot
12	Jackpot
13	Jackpot
14	Steve Powne
15	Dale Robinson
16	Shaun Klep
17	Jackpot
18	Jackpot

### 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.

### Number of skins won

Steve Powne	x5
Jamie Brunton	x3
Stephen O'Sullivan	x3
Wayne James	x2
Cameron Ross	x1
Dale Robinson	x1
Shaun Klepp	x1

PLEASE NOTE we have more people expressing interest than we have tee times booked. Please ensure you reply as early as possible as I cannot guarantee extra tee times. There is no priority to long term members, places are allocated on first in first served. Everyone has the same opportunity to reply to correspondence sent to them to secure a place in the field.

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# BOOKINGS CONFIRMATION

Centenary Park Sunday 29th March **Cost is \$45**

Player	Status	Paid		Player	Status	Paid	
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			Mick Harper	Unknown		
Brendan MacIsaac	Unknown			Newell Richards	Not Playing	Play off cycle	
Brent Douglas	Unknown			Paul Marshall	Unknown		
Cam Douglas	Unknown			Peter Calyvpoulos	Not Playing	BEER WENCH	
Cam Ross	Unknown			Phil Plane	Unknown		
Chris Sfiligoj	Unknown			Rick Turcinovic	Unknown		
Chris Benjamin	Unknown			Ron Parsons	Unknown		
Cliff Rowe	Unknown			Shane Cummings	Unknown		
Colin Ewart	Unknown	Back up beer wench		Shaun Klep	Unknown		
Dale Robinson	Unknown			Steve Dawson	Confirmed		
David Burns	Unknown			Steve O'Sullivan	Unknown		
Gerard MacIsaac	Not Playing			Steve Powne	Unknown		
Glenn Douglas	Confirmed			Stuart Cooper	Confirmed		
Greg Breasley	Unknown			Todd Neilsen	Unknown		
Greg Parsons	Unknown			Tom Kellythorn	Unknown		
Heath McLeod	Unknown			Tony Grasso	Unknown		
Jamie Brunton	Unknown			Tony MacIsaac	Confirmed		
Jaxon Fitzpatrick	Unknown			Warren Perrett	Unknown		
John Mea	Unknown			Wayne James	Unknown		

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**Remaining games on 2020 Fixture**

Golf Course & How to get there Directions	Date	Melways Ref	Website links
<u><a href="#">Centenary Park</a></u>	29th March <b>9-00am</b>	100 E 9	<u><a href="http://www.Centenary Park">www.Centenary Park</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Dorset</a></u>	19th April <b>9-08am</b>	51 C 6	<u><a href="http://www.dorset.com">www.dorset.com</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Spring Park</a></u>	17th May <b>9-00am</b>	88 H 7	<u><a href="http://www.springparkgolf.com.au">www.springparkgolf.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Devils Bend</a></u>	31st May <b>8-00am</b>	152 J 1	<u><a href="http://www.devilbendgolf.com.au">www.devilbendgolf.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Bayviews</a></u>	28th June <b>8-30am</b>		<u><a href="http://www.bayviewsgolf.com.au">www.bayviewsgolf.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Eynesbury</a></u>	26th July <b>9-00am</b>	220 G9 / 226 H1	<u><a href="http://www.eynesburygolf.com.au">www.eynesburygolf.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Werribee Park</a></u>	23rd August <b>9-00am</b>	259 B 4	<u><a href="http://www.werribeepark.com.au">www.werribeepark.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Ringwood</a></u>	20th September <b>9-00am</b>	63 F 2	<u><a href="http://www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au">www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Marysville</a></u>	11th October <b>8-37am</b>		<u><a href="http://www.marysvillegolfandbowls.com.au">www.marysvillegolfandbowls.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Melbourne Airport</a></u>	25th October <b>9-00am</b>	184 D 5	<u><a href="http://www.melbourneairportgolfclub.com.au">www.melbourneairportgolfclub.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Morack</a></u>	15th November <b>8-15am</b>	63 C 5	<u><a href="http://www.morackgolf.com.au">www.morackgolf.com.au</a></u>
<u><a href="#">Barham Golf Club</a></u>	4th – 6th December		<u><a href="http://www.clubarham.com.au">www.clubarham.com.au</a></u>

## A word from our sponsors

# The House of Golf.

## Ringwood

Special thanks to our new golf specialty store **The House of Golf.** who joined as a Sunday Leave Pass Social club sponsor at the end of 2018. We look forward to a good working relationship with them. As part of the 2019 fixture we hope to be running a couple of social nights at the **The House of Golf.** in Ringwood using the virtual golf simulators. **The House of Golf.** generously donated some great prizes for the golf trip and raffle, so please check out their website link from the SLP website and consider them for any golf purchases you make.



Special Thanks to Dale Robinson who is the longest serving sponsor for the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club. Dale runs a printing business and is offering a high-quality printing service. He will gladly do a good deal for any Sunday Leave Pass members wanting to order business cards, fliers or any other printed material. To find out more information about what he can do for you he can be contacted on 0438147788.



Remember that any printing job ordered through **DNR print** via the social club, Dale will donate 5% of the proceeds directly back to social club which offers us the opportunity to provide better prizes for everyone and it is good to keep your business opportunities within the network if it is possible. Wood Tech, my previous company Hudson Bond and even the Super-coach (believe it or not) have used Dale's business and everyone that had done so speaks very highly of the service and work that he produces.



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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 12000 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 amateurs 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.

## GOLF TRIP CONFIRMATION STATUS

ClubBarham 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> December **Cost is \$350**

	Player	Status	Paid		Player	Status	Paid	
	Adam Cooper	Not Playing			Leigh MacIsaac	Confirmed		
	Andrew Clarke	Confirmed			Mal Griffiths	Confirmed		
	Anthony Emmerson	Confirmed			Mark Fitzpatrick	Confirmed	Paid \$50	
	Barry Hemsley	Confirmed	Paid \$50		Mark Sfiligoj	Confirmed		
	Ben Nichol	Not Playing			Mick Harper	Confirmed		
	Brendan MacIsaac	Confirmed	Paid \$150		Newell Richards	Confirmed	Paid \$150	
	Brent Douglas	Confirmed	Paid \$100		Paul Marshall	Confirmed		
	Cam Douglas	Confirmed			Peter Calyvopoulos	Confirmed		
	Cam Ross	Confirmed	Paid \$50		Phil Plane	Confirmed	Paid \$50	
	Chris Sfiligoj	Confirmed			Rick Turcinovic	Confirmed	Paid \$50	
	Chris Benjamin	Not Playing			Rob Underwood	Confirmed	Paid \$100	
	Cliff Rowe	Confirmed			Ron Parsons	Confirmed		
	Colin Ewart	Confirmed	Paid \$150		Shane Cummings	Confirmed	Paid \$350	
	Dale Robinson	Unknown			Shaun Klep	Confirmed	Paid \$50	
	David Burns	Confirmed	Paid \$75		Steve Dawson	Confirmed		
	Gerard MacIsaac	Confirmed	Paid \$100		Steve O'Sullivan	Confirmed	Paid \$50	
	Glenn Douglas	Confirmed	Paid \$70		Steve Powne	Confirmed	Paid \$130	
	Greg Breasley	Unknown			Stuart Cooper	Confirmed		
	Greg Parsons	Confirmed	Paid \$350		Todd Neilsen	Confirmed		
	Heath McLeod	Confirmed			Tom Kellythorn	Confirmed		
	Jamie Brunton	Confirmed	Paid \$50		Tony Grasso	Not Playing		
	Jaxon Fitzpatrick	Not Playing			Tony MacIsaac	Confirmed		
	John Mea	Not Playing			Warren Perrett	Not Playing		
					Wayne James	Confirmed		