

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 7th to Sunday $9^{\text {th }}$ DECEMBER 2018. The Cost is approximately $\$ 330.00$. We have booked for 30 players ( 3 people per room) so please book it into your calendar and let me know if you are a definite attendee.

No I will not be going on golf trip
Please note: There are limited beds available for the golf trip in 2018 and the first 23 spots have already been taken. Once the allocations have been filled then there is no guarantee that I can accommodate you. Bookings are based on first in, first served, to reserve your spot you need to click on the link below or send an email confirm your expression of interest. Don't expect that just because you are a regular we will save you a seat at the bar. If you don't reply, then you could and will miss out. If you are not on the golf trip, then you will not be eligible to win a prize in the raffle.

Please Note: Deposits are new due. Golf Trip bookings are on a first in first served basis. We cannot create extra beds so if you want to go book your seat at the bar as early as possible. 23 have already been claimed so there are only 11 spots left.
YES I want to take part in the golf trip this year
No I will not be going on golf trip
At the end of this email there is a list of players and who has confirmed their plans for the golf trip.
Check your status. Click on link to golf trip confirmation page

NEXT MONTHS ROUND IS AT DORSET GOLF COURSE ON SUNDAY 22nd APRIL
Cost of the round will be $\$ 37.50$.
Please confirm your status for Dorset ASAP. Dorset brings out a few of the closet fair-weather golfers and we only have limited spots available and bookings are made us first in first served.

## To notify us of your status click on one of the following links YES or NO or email direct to 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. This month we had 35 players with a quite a few of the regulars missing, so be warned to get in early if you want to get a tee time.

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.

## 2018 FOOTY TIPPING COMPETITION

There were a lot of guys who for whatever reason didn't join the footy tipping competition. It is not too late to take part, if you sign up this week you will be given all of the away teams or the comp average and then you will be in the mix for the prize money at the end of the year.

We will fine you each month for not being in the tipping competition anyway, so you might as well join in and be in the running for a good cash payout in September. Click on image below to go to registration page


## Sundayleavepass

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Prizes 1st Prize 55\% of total prize pool
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3rd Prize 15\% of total prize pool
For those interested these are the details for the footy tipping competition. If you are not already a member of AFL footy tips then register at footytips.com.au and then join the Sundayleavepass league. By following the prompts below.

Competition Name \& Access
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Please login and join in the fun, of a bit of friendly competition it's what makes a social club, social.
We would love to have 30 to 50 players to make the prize pool worthwhile.

# Centenary Park Golf Course Results March 



SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2018

It was nice to see two members sharing the love at the top of the leaderboard. Colin Ewart and Todd Neilson both dropped their balls into the hole to finish the day with a happy ending. Although both boys shared a 69 , as is always the case there can only one person who gets to come first. In this instance it was Colin who played it better around the back end and the reward for his 22 points was a victory after a countback.

Under quite windy conditions the Centenary Park course tested the field of 27 players who hit off early on Sunday morning, although it should be said that the conditions were far more favorable for the Sunday players than it was for the breakaway Saturday group who wore the entire 30 mm downpour that came with the first rainfall in 50 days. Gerard, Cliffy, Tony Mac and Undies thought they were being smart by posting an off-cycle score however on this occasion it worked to their detriment because 10 minutes before they were due to hit off the heavens opened and then the rain didn't let off for the next 2 and a half hours. Consequently, the Saturday scores were not so good. Cliffy, was only just kept out of the pink vest by a couple of bad holes by Brendan Mac. Although Brendan's 140 Nett 103 saw him finish as Beer Wench, it is worth mentioning that with a score of 103 off the stick playing off an 11 handicap Cliff was very close behind. It could be argued that Undies was also a contender for the worst score for the day because he had already racked up his entire handicap plus a few extra's before he pulled out of the tournament after injuring his back on the $6^{\text {th }}$ hole.

Even the ever-consistent Gerard MacIsaac was unable to post a decent score in the rain. Gerard's handicap is on the way out and creeping closer and closer to 10 . Gerard is just one more bad round away from joining the rest of us mere mortals with a double figure handicap. After playing off single figures for more than ten years Gerard is starting to prove that he is human after all, he had 3x three putts on Saturday which is very Un-Gerardlike and he nearly Newelled (score of 10 or more) the first hole.

Although he didn't make an appearance on Saturday, (you might remember Newell claimed the Centenary Park title last year from a breakaway group on the Saturday) there were a few Newell's around on Sunday. Leigh and Brendan Mac both started the day with a Newell on the first hole and neither of them managed to recover from there. Newell, Newelled the par $515^{\text {th }}$ hole. He spat the dummy when he lost his ball in the middle of the fairway after a good third shot with the three wood had put him within easy reach of the green. After taking a penalty for losing the ball he racked up 8 shots from inside 70 meters to finish with a Newell +2 .

It was a very tough day for highway and his score of 105 Nett 79 meant there was no payout for him. Some of you may not be aware that Newell recently turned professional and he has been earning a healthy income out of the game. In February alone Newell won $\$ 180$ in prize money plus with quite a few top three finishes he also won subsidized entry fee credits.


Congratulations to our February Winners!

If anyone thinks that they can give Newell a run for his money and if you are interested in joining the SOGO GOLF league and want to get in on the action, then let me know and I will send you some more information. To compete it the competitions you do need to have an official Golf Link handicap although you can get one as part of the SOGO league registration for approximately $\$ 150$. Once you join the online league whenever you play a social round of golf you can enter your scores in the competition and will be in the running for a share of the cash and prizes up for grabs.

Link to the SOGO GOLF If you join the SOGO league then use the Referral code $\mathbf{S t u 0 0 4}$ to get some extra free credits.
SOS joined the comp last week and when he submitted his Sunday Leave Pass scorecard from Centenary Park he suddenly found himself already in the National top 3 of the weekly 18 -hole competition.

Speaking of SOS, a special word of thanks goes out to Steve O'Sullivan who slaved over the BBQ after his hot round of golf. SOS did a great job cooking the meat for us all and the feed of bangers in bread was greatly appreciated.

It was great to see Grumpy back again, if I am not mistaken he has now made more comebacks, encores and farewells than Johnny Farnham and Dame Nelly Melba combined. If my memory serves me right, we all bought Brendan drinks and wished him good luck when he played his last ever round with the Sunday Leave Pass social club at Morack last November. Then suddenly we were fortunate enough to be graced with his presence when he decided to make a last stand appearance at Gardiners Run. After a few more, free beers and a couple of handshakes and slaps on the back we thought we had seen the last of Brendan Seagrave. That was until he turned up at Warburton vowing that he wasn't moving to Tasmania until we had given him a "eulogy" style tribute to his Sunday Leave Pass Career. Brendan actually claimed the February monthly title, drank a few more farewell beers from the guys that he didn't catch up with at Morack or Gardiners Run and then disappeared into the shadows of distant memories with a thoroughly researched 5-page testimonial piece written into the Warburton Blurb. Once Grumpy found out that the Social Club owed him 3 golf balls for his victory, the miserable sod postponed his departure to the Apple Isle until he had been paid out his prize for winning at Warburton. Hence Grumpy was back again on Sunday at Centenary Park to collect his balls and was singing the same old song, "this is my last ever game with you boys, how about you shout me a drink". Although Brendan says he won't be playing next month at Dorset we have still blocked out one tee spot for him because we know he will turn up anyway, this means there will only be room for 35 other players so make sure you book in early.

Greg Parsons made a very creditable comeback. After a 4 months absence away from golf while he was coaching the Mt Martha under 14 junior cricket club, Greg has returned into a much more aligned player. Greg played an impressive style of golf and were it not for his 7 x three putt greens he would have been thrashing it out with the boys at the top of the leaderboard and he could have quite easily made it a threesome with a 69 or better. Greg nearly capped the day off with the perfect shot on the last hole. His approach to the 141 meter Par 3 was almost centimeter perfect, the ball pitched just short of the cup, broke towards the hole just missed the left edge and set up a very makeable $1 \& 1 / 2$ meter 2 putt par which on the days putting form was a successful outcome.

Greg probably found his inspiration from his playing partner Mal who was firing his approaches into the green with the utmost precision. Mal hit the flag stick twice and he had six other chips which rolled within inches of dropping in for a zero putt.
Normally you would call someone arrogant for complaining when the ball wouldn't drop in the hole for him, however Mal's skills with the short strokes was so awesome that he was justified in being a little disappointed that at least one of them didn't fall the right way for him over the duration of the day. Colin Ewart also had a flagsticker for the second month in a row, for a guy who 18 months ago couldn't hit the green from 30 meters away, he has suddenly become a very proficient ball striker. Colin's new clubs are working a treat for him and he definitely has his accuracy radar on because he is regularly knocking his midirons and short irons into the timber work or close to the hole at least.

Unfortunately for Colin, his playing partner did not quite have the same level of ball control. Big Ball Breasley was finding the windy conditions a little bit tougher than usual. Although he claims he was allowing for the breeze, it is a little far fetched to try to convince anyone that his shot which hit Colin in the shin when he was standing at a 45 degree angle (almost in cover position) from where Greg was playing his ball was intentionally aimed in that direction so that the wind could blow it back towards the fairway. If ever you were going to hit a shank a shot, it is probably not the right time to do it when you are paired up with the fine master and you can guarantee it is going to be expensive if you actually hit your shank into the fine master's leg.


Greg was not the only player to cop a fine or two for hitting a shank. Leigh MacIsaac made a miraculous recovery from the injury that kept him out of the Beer Wench vest in February although he was obviously not fully recovered yet because he had a score of $100+$ including a Newell (score of 10 or more) and three shanks. It was not the sort of round that we have come to expect from Leigh especially since he only posted 2 x pars and he actually had a birdie free round which is very rare by his standards. This is a dramatic change in form from someone who actually won the eclectic stroke championship just three months ago.

There was a little blue sky in the stormy weather that was Leighs golf. He did manage to smash his drive 278 meters down the middle of the fairway on the longest drive hole and the good news was that the ball remained clearly on the cut surface. Leighs drive remained the longest drive for the day although there was some controversy as Stu Coops tried to lay claim to the prize because his ball was finished $10-15$ meters longer than Leighs drive however it was questionable whether his ball had remained within the defined fairway borders.

In what appears to have become a Sunday Leave Pass tradition the playing group took a photo of Stu's longest drive contender so that it could be judged by the greater Sunday Leave Pass group panel to determine whether the ball was on the fairway or off the fairway.


ON THE FAIRWAY
Help us work out whether the ball is "ON" or "OFF" the fairway
OFF THE FAIRWAY
It was funny Stu to hear that had actually managed to go hard at his drive on the $14^{\text {th }}$ hole because he had been playing a pretty conservative version of the game leading up to the longest drive hole. On the Par 3 Thirteenth hole Grumpy was a bit surprised to look across the adjoining fairway to see Stu playing his second shot into the 142 -meter hole from 100 meters out. In the sarcastic jibe that only Grumpy can express, he yelled across the fairway "What did you do Stu, did you lay up on the par 3."

Stu just managed to get his ball past the ladies markers but only by the barest of margins. Evidently newcomer Cam Ross appears to carry a special club in the golf bag just for those difficult shots when he needs to hit his ball from on or around the ladies tees. Upon closer inspection of the hardware which Cam carries in his golf bag we found a plastic pink driver which Cam claims it is a custom to have it with him at all times and he pulls out for special occasions.


Speaking of customary behaviors it was no surprise to see Andrew Clarke laying down, breathing heavily and taking a closer inspection at the back of his eye lids. According to Andrew he was only having a snooze because in the absence of the ExSupercoach from Centenary park it meant there was no one within the group who he could match his own intelligence against and therfore there was nobody that he could converse with to have an evenly balanced conversation at the same IQ level.


Under what can only be described as trying conditions there were some very commendable scores. 69 was the flavour of the day with both Collin and Todd both getting the taste of it. Colin finished in the top position, with Todd only going down after he made a mess of the back end. Ben Nichol started the day with a thumping drive down the middle of the fairway and the form must have continued for the entire day given that he finished in $3^{\text {rd }}$ place just 1 stroke adrift of the leaders. Were it not for the 16 and $17^{\text {th }}$ holes where he went triple bogey, quadruple bogey then Ben would have been a sure thing to break his 5 -year drought and win his first monthly title since 2013. Shane Cumming recovered from a very ordinary start. As a low teens handicapper, it is always
difficult to recover from a double bogey, double bogey start, however the solid left hander capitalized on the course being perfectly suited to the wrong side of the club holders slicing game and he used his new set of golf clubs to perfection. Shane was able to post a good enough score to put him into $4^{\text {th }}$ place in the points distribution.

On the contrary to Cider who finished strongly after a bad start, Barry Hemsley went the other way and he choked his way across the finish line. After closing out his round with a triple bogey on the short par $318^{\text {th }}$ hole including a devastating three putt, Barry tumbled out of the winning position. Greg Parsons, Clarkey, Wayne, SOS and Mick Harper all had very noteworthy performances and they all found themselves comfortably inside the top $30 \%$ of the field otherwise known as the top 10 .

## Results for Centenary Park were as follows:

| Ranking | $\mathbf{1}$ | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | $\mathbf{8}$ | 9 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Colin <br> Ewart | Todd <br> Neilson | Ben <br> Nichol | Shane <br> Cumming | Barry <br> Hemsley | Greg <br> Parsons | Andrew <br> Clarke | Wayne <br> James | Steve <br> Osullivan |
| Score | 97 | 91 | 97 | 85 | 103 | 102 | 88 | 90 | 85 |
| Handicap | 28 | 22 | 27 | 14 | 32 | 30 | 15 | 16 | 11 |
| Nett Score | $\mathbf{6 9}$ | 69 | 70 | 71 | 71 | 72 | 73 | 74 | 74 |
| Points | 15 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 7 |


| Ranking | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Mick <br> Harper | Bob <br> Franks | Stuart <br> Cooper | Chris <br> Sfiligoj | Cameron <br> Ross | Mal <br> Griffiths | Rick <br> Turcinovic | Damien <br> Vanterpool | Brendan <br> Seagrave |
| Score | 82 | 108 | 90 | 97 | 104 | 91 | 108 | 101 | 96 |
| Handicap | 8 | Callaway 33 | 14 | 21 | Callaway 28 | 14 | 31 | 23 | 18 |
| Nett Score | 74 | 75 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 77 | 77 | 78 | 78 |
| Points | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |


| Ranking | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | John <br> Mea | Tony <br> Maclsaac | Newell <br> Richards | Glen <br> Douglas | Phil Plane | Gerard <br> Maclsaac | Greg <br> Breasley | Tony <br> Grasso | Tom <br> Kellythorn |
| Score | 102 | 109 | 105 | 94 | 111 | $\mathbf{9 2}$ | 115 | 102 | 110 |
| Handicap | 23 | 30 | 26 | 13 | 29 | 9 | 32 | 18 | 22 |
| Nett Score | 79 | 79 | 79 | 81 | $\mathbf{8 2}$ | 83 | 83 | 84 | $\mathbf{8 8}$ |
| Points | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |


| Ranking | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 32 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Leigh <br> Maclsaac | Cliff <br> Rowe | Brendan <br> Maclsaac |  | Rob <br> Underwood |
| Score | $\mathbf{1 0 3}$ | 103 | 140 |  | 12 Holes |
| Handicap | 14 | 11 | 37 |  | 33 |
| Nett Score | $\mathbf{8 9}$ | $\mathbf{9 2}$ | 103 |  | DNF |
| Points | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |  | 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 $1^{\text {st }}$ place gets 15 points, $2^{\text {nd }}$ place 14 points, $3^{\text {rd }}$ place 13 points, etc. etc. Any player who completes the round however finishes ranked outside the top 14 and is placed between $15^{\text {th }}$ 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 $2^{\text {nd }}$ place has only played 10 rounds but is close to the same score, then that is bad luck to the person in $2^{\text {nd }}$ 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.
Once the players Nett score is calculated they are ranked from lowest score to highest score. (BeerWench) Where more than one player has the same Nett Score (such as Colin Ewart and Todd Neilsen) then the place allocations are decided based on a countback system.
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 $17^{\text {th }}$ hole, sixteenth hole, fifteenth hole until a player has a better hole and therefore has a higher stableford score than the other.

| Colin | Todd | Take the place rankings for 1st and 2nd place this month for example. <br> In this instance both Colin and Todd had Nett 69 after their handicaps was deducted from the Gross Scores. | Newell Richards | Tony Maclsaac |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Colin Ewart |  | So, we go back to a countback. | +1 | +0 |
| Ewart |  |  | +1 | +3 |
| +2 | +2 | In this example Colin wins because he had 22 points on the back nine compared to Todd who could only | +2 | +2 |
| +1 | +2 | conjure up 20 stableford points on the back nine and was therefore relegated to $2^{\text {nd }}$ place. | +2 | +1 |
| +3 | +2 |  | +4 | +1 |
| +2 | +3 | If in the event that the countback then identifies that both players have had the same stableford points score | +1 | +2 |
| +3 | +3 | on the back nine then we go back to the individual holes starting from the $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ hole and compare results until | +0 | +0 |
| +4 | +2 | a player had a standout result. In the example shown on the right when both Tony Mac and Tom had 13 Stableford points. Tony had a bogey for 3 points whereas poor Newell only had a double bogie for 1 point | +1 | +2 |
| +4 +3 | +2 +1 | on the $18^{\text {th }}$ hole therefore Tony wins the countback and Newell was relegated back to a lower place ranking. | +2 | +0 |
| +3 | +1 | If both scores are equal then we go back to the $17^{\text {th }}$ hole, then the $16^{\text {th }}$, etc etc. | + | +3 |
| +3 | +2 | PLEASE NOTE THAT THE COUNT BACK IS ON HOLES 10-18 irrespective of whether it is a two tee | +13 | +13 |
| +22 | +20 | start, a normal hit off from the first hole or if we hit off the $10^{\text {th }}$ hole first. It is always the $18^{\text {th }}$ to $10^{\text {th }}$ holes and if one person starts on the $10^{\text {th }}$ hole and the other hits off the first hole then it still remains exactly the same formula. |  |  |

Place Standings for 2018:

| Name | Total | Played | Rank |  | Name | Total | Played | Rank |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Colin Ewart | $\mathbf{3 3}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{1}$ |  | Ron Parsons | $\mathbf{3}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{2 4}$ |
| Wayne James | $\mathbf{3 2}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{2}$ |  | Rick Turcinovic | $\mathbf{3}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{2 4}$ |
| Mick Harper | $\mathbf{2 5}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{3}$ | Gerard MacIsaac | $\mathbf{3}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{2 4}$ |  |
| Chris Sfiligoj | $\mathbf{2 3}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{4}$ |  | Brendan MacIsaac | $\mathbf{3}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{2 4}$ |
| Todd Neilson | $\mathbf{2 2}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{5}$ |  | Dale Robinson | $\mathbf{2}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{2 9}$ |
| Steve O'Sullivan | $\mathbf{2 1}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{6}$ |  | Tony Grasso | $\mathbf{2}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{2 9}$ |
| Cliff Rowe | $\mathbf{1 9}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{7}$ |  | Leigh MacIsaac | $\mathbf{2}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{2 9}$ |
| Mark Sfiligoj | $\mathbf{1 8}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{8}$ | John Mea | $\mathbf{2}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{2 9}$ |  |
| Brendan Seagrave | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{9}$ | Greg Breasley | $\mathbf{2}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{2 9}$ |  |
| Newell Richards | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{9}$ | Warren Perrett | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |  |
| Mal Griffiths | $\mathbf{1 5}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | Nathan Griffiths | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |  |
| Jamie Brunton | $\mathbf{1 4}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |  | Brad Hughes | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |
| Shane Cumming | $\mathbf{1 3}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{1 3}$ |  | Steve Hoffman | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |
| Barry Hemsley | $\mathbf{1 3}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{1 3}$ | Nick Fritsch | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |  |
| Ben Nichol | $\mathbf{1 3}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{1 3}$ | Steve Powne | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |  |
| Damien Vanterpool | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{1 6}$ | Geoff Cooper | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |  |
| Greg Parsons | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | Jarrett Drake | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |  |
| Andrew Clarke | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | Bob Franks | $\mathbf{1}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{3 4}$ |  |
| Tom Kellythorn | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | YET TO PLAY |  |  |  |  |
| Glenn Douglas | $\mathbf{9}$ | 1 | $\mathbf{2 0}$ | Mark Fitzpatrick | $\mathbf{0}$ | 0 | $\mathbf{4 3}$ |  |
| Tony MacIsaac | $\mathbf{8}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{2 1}$ | David Burns | $\mathbf{0}$ | 0 | $\mathbf{4 3}$ |  |
| Phil Plane | $\mathbf{8}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{2 1}$ | Adam Cooper | $\mathbf{0}$ | 0 | $\mathbf{4 3}$ |  |
| Stuart Cooper | $\mathbf{6}$ | 3 | $\mathbf{2 3}$ | Peter Hutson | $\mathbf{0}$ | 0 | $\mathbf{4 3}$ |  |
| Cameron Ross | $\mathbf{3}$ | 2 | $\mathbf{2 4}$ |  |  |  |  |  |

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

| 2nd Hole | Wayne James |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8th Hole | Todd Neilsen |  |
| $13^{\text {th }}$ Hole | Wayne James | the CUT surface of the |
| $18^{\text {th }}$ Hole | Greg Parsons | green or fairway to win NTP |
| $15^{\text {th }}$ Hole | Ron Parsons | or longest drive. If it is not on the fairway it doesn't count. |
| Longest Drive | Leigh MacIsaac | count. <br> Each player won 1 ball each. |

Golf Balls are owed to the following people:

## Colin Ewart 3 BALLS Winner at Centenary Park

Todd Neilsen x1 NTP 8 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Hole Centenary Park

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 Centenary Park were won by:


With a field of 31 players it makes it much more difficult to win a hole outright and to claim a few skins. Over the day there were quite a few birdies carded including 2 from the recently turned professional Newell Richards and as a result there were lots of 4 stableford points holes which meant that it was extremely difficult to win a hole and claim a skin. Consequently, there was a massive skin jackpots haul up for grabs. Barry took claimed his stake in the form of a nine-skin haul when he made a par on the ninth hole and he then proved it wasn't a fluke by going back to back with another par on the $10^{\text {th }}$ hole to win another skin for a daily balance of 10 . When you consider that Tom Kellythorn took out the 2017 skins title with 30 skins for the year, it would appear as though Bazza has put himself in strong contention to take out that trophy this year already.

The golf course conceded some pretty good rounds and as a consequence the handicapper took the liberty to shave the handicaps of a large proportion of the field. The biggest movers in were Colin, Barry, Shanno and Chris Sfiligoj. Mick Harper is continuing his quest to be the lowest handicapper in the club and his goal to play off 5 by the end of the year is looking more and more like it might become a reality. Mick is down to 7.7 and hitting the ball stronger each month. Gerard MacIsaac has dropped out another 0.3 shots as his run of form continues to waiver and he moves closer to being a double figure handicapper. We are not sure what the handicapper might be thinking by giving Cliffy a little leg up on his handicap especially since we will be playing at Dorset next month which is the course where Cliffy hit a mind blowing 73 off the stick. Luckily the 0.2 shots that he has been given is not enough to tip him into the next handicap bracket.

Interestingly SOS had a very good round this month but then to our surprise the handicapper still took him out a full stroke. Initially we thought that Steve must have had a sleep over at Stu Coops' house but then we found out later that the $20^{\text {th }}$ round which dropped off his handicap profile was his blinder at Spring Park where he shot a score of 66.

## 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 | Mark Fitzpatrick | 20.9 | 20.9 |
| Andrew Clarke | 14.6 | 14.7 | Mark Sfiligoj | 19.4 | 19.4 |
| Barry Hemsley | 31.7 | 32.1 | Mick Harper | 7.7 | 7.9 |
| Ben Nichol | 26.6 | 26.8 | Newell Richards | 25.6 | 25.8 |
| Brad Hughes | 11.1 | 11.1 | Nathan Griffiths | 8.3 | 8.3 |
| Brendan MacIsaac | 37.2 | 37.2 | Peter Hutson | 17.7 | 17.7 |
| Brendan Seagrave | 17.9 | 17.9 | Phil Plane | 28.8 | 28.8 |
| Chris Sfiligoj | 20.5 | 21.1 | Rick Turcinovic | 31.7 | 31.0 |
| Cliff Rowe | 11.9 | 11.7 | Ron Parsons | 26.8 | 26.8 |
| Colin Ewart | 27.2 | 28.4 | Shane Cummings | 13.1 | 13.8 |
| Dale Robinson | 15.6 | 15.6 | Steve Hoffman | 2 games R'qd | 2 games R'qd |
| Damen Vanterpool | 22.9 | 22.9 | Steve O'Sullivan | 12.3 | 11.3 |
| David Burns | 25.1 | 25.1 | Steve Powne | 23.1 | 23.1 |
| Geoff Cooper | 28.8 | 28.8 | Stuart Cooper | 14.1 | 14.1 |
| Gerard MacIsaac | 9.3 | 9.0 | Todd Neilsen | 21.6 | 21.6 |
| Glenn Douglas | 12.9 | 12.6 | Tom Kellythorn | 22.2 | 22.2 |
| Greg Breasley | 32.4 | 32.4 | Tony Grasso | 18.9 | 18.3 |
| Greg Parsons | 29.5 | 30.2 | Tony MacIsaac | 29.7 | 29.7 |
| Jamie Brunton | 25.6 | 25.6 | Vedran Martinovic | 24.1 | 24.1 |
| John Mea | 22.9 | 22.9 | Wayne James | 16.2 | 16.2 |
| Leigh MacIsaac | 14.7 | 14.0 |  |  |  |
| Mal Griffiths | 14.4 | 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.


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 $\mathbf{0 . 9 3}$. 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.

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 opportunity to reply to correspondence sent to them to secure a place in the field.
To notify us of your status click on one of the following links

|  | Player | Status | Paid |  | Player | Status | Paid |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Adam Cooper | Unknown |  |  | Mal Griffiths | Not Playing |  |  |
|  | 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 |  |  | Peter Hutson | Not Playing |  |  |
|  | Chris Sfiligoj | Unknown |  |  | Phil Plane | Unknown |  |  |
|  | Cliff Rowe | Unknown |  |  | Rick Turcinovic | Unknown |  |  |
|  | Colin Ewart | Not Playing |  |  | Rob Underwood | Not Playing |  |  |
|  | Dale Robinson | Unknown |  |  | Ron Parsons | Unknown |  |  |
|  | Damien Vanterpool | Unknown |  |  | Shane Cummings | Unknown |  |  |
|  | David Burns | Unknown |  |  | Steve Hoffman | Unknown |  |  |
|  | Geoff Cooper | Unknown |  |  | Steve O'Sullivan | Unknown |  |  |
|  | Gerard MacIsaac | Unknown |  | Steve Powne | Unknown |  |  |  |
|  | Glen Douglas | Unknown |  |  | Stuart Cooper | Confirmed |  |  |
|  | Greg Breasley | Unknown |  |  | Todd Neilson | Unknown |  |  |
|  | Greg Parsons | Unknown |  |  | Tom Thorn | Unknown |  |  |
|  | Jamie Brunton | Unknown |  | Tony Grasso | Unknown |  |  |  |
|  | John Mea | Unknown |  |  | Tony MacIsaac | Confirmed |  |  |
|  | Leigh MacIsaac | Unknown |  |  | Wayne James | Confirmed |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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YES
or
NO
or email direct to
studaydream@gmail.com

Remaining games on 2018 Fixture

| Golf Course \& How to <br> get there Directions | Date | Melways <br> Ref | Website links |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Dorset | $22^{\text {nd }}$ April 8-04am | 51 C 6 | www.dorset.com |
| Devils Bend | $20^{\text {th }}$ May 7-00am | 152 J 1 | $\underline{\text { www.devilbendgolf.com.au }}$ |
| Spring Park -include BBQ | $10^{\text {th }}$ June 804am | 88 H 7 | www.springparkgolf.com.au |
| Beacon Hills | $24^{\text {th }}$ June 9-40am | 210 K 8 | www.beaconhillsgolf.com.au |
| Bayview (Rosebud Public) | $22^{\text {nd }}$ July 8-45am |  |  |
| Werribee Park | $19^{\text {th }}$ August 8-48am | 259 B 4 | www.werribeepark.com.au |
| Ringwood | $23^{\text {rd }}$ September 8-30am | 63 F 2 | www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au |
| Yarrambat | $21^{\text {st }}$ October 8-30am | 184 D 5 | www.yarrambatgolf.com.au |
| Morack -includes BBQ | $18^{\text {th }}$ November 9-00am | 63 C 5 | www.morackgolf.com.au |
| Howlong Golf Club | $7^{\text {th }}-9^{\text {th }}$ December - Cost \$330 |  |  |

## A word from our sponsors



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.

## DNR print



Remember that any printing job ordered through $\boldsymbol{D N R}$ 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 actually used Dale's business and everyone that had done so speaks very highly of the service and work that he produces.


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 Chauffer Driven Winery Tour for $2 x$ 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 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.

GOLF TRIP 2018 Howlong Golf Club

| Name |  | Play |  | Cost | Paid |  | Balance Owing |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total (Yes) |  | 23 |  |  | \$ | 540.00 | \$ | 7,050.00 |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { BOOK } \\ \text { No\# } \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Adam Cooper |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Andrew Clarke | 4.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Barry Hemsley |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Ben Nichol |  | NO | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Brad Hughes |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Brendan Maclsaac | 12.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | 200.00 | \$ | 130.00 |
| Brendan Seagrave |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Cameron Ross |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Chris Sfiligoj | 14.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Cliff Rowe | 10.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | 40.00 | \$ | 290.00 |
| Colin Ewart | 9.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | 150.00 | \$ | 180.00 |
| Dale Robinson |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Damien Vanterpool |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| David Burns | 21.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \% | 330.00 |
| Geoff Cooper |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Gerard Maclsaac | 7.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | 130.00 | \$ | 200.00 |
| Glenn Douglas | 16.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Greg Breasley |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Greg Parsons |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Jamie Brunton | 18.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Jarrett Drake |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| John Mea |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Leigh Maclsaac |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Mal Griffiths | 20.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | 200.00 | \$ | 130.00 |
| Mark Fitzpatrick | 17.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Mark Sfiligoj |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Mike Harper | 22.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Newell Richards | 3.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | 100.00 | \$ | 230.00 |
| Peter Hutson |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Phil Plane | 13.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Rick Turcinovic | 19.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Ron Parsons |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Shane Cumming |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Steve Hoffman | 15.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | - | \$ | 330.00 |
| Steve O'Sullivan | 1.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | 100.00 | \$ | 230.00 |
| Steve Powne | 8.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| 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 |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Tony Macisaac | 23.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 | \$ | 50.00 | \$ | 280.00 |
| Vedran Martinovic |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |
| Wayne James | 6.00 | YES | \$ | 330.00 |  |  | \$ | 330.00 |
| Warren Perrett |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Rob Underwood |  | UNKNOWN | \$ | - |  |  | \$ | - |

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