



SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2008



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## Centenary Park Results May

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In the crisp early morning air with the temperature at only around 3.5 degree's the groups stood at the first tee rubbing their hands together trying to warm their cold fingers and loosen up the frozen joints, but it was Greg Parsons who was struggling the most. His **teeth were chattering like a jackhammer on concrete, his face was as white as a polar bears bum in a snowstorm and his hands were shaking like a nymphomaniacs vibrator on overdrive.** It wasn't that he was feeling the cold either; these symptoms were all just because he was nervous. The last time that Greg took on the mighty first hole at Centenary Park **it took him 6x shots to hit the ball past the ladies markers and he had a 13 to start the day.** Although he didn't finish with a 13 (several others did) Greg lived up to everyone's expectations, **his first drive gently dropped off the tee landing only meters from where he'd taken a mighty swipe at the ball.** The roar of laughter and the screams of "JUG" could be heard from the car park. At least 7x players have already requested that they get to play in Greg's group next year at Centenary Park, we are not sure if that is because **"Greg always makes his opponents look good compared to his score on this Golf Course"** or if it is just that they like the idea of the BBQ after the match especially when it comes with **"the free beer for Greg not hitting the ball past the Squatters tee's"**.

To his credit Greg faced up to his demons, which is more than we can say for Brunto who failed to show up for his round. Whether it was the nice warm blanket that he was tucked up under, the long drive from hoppers crossing or the fact that **"he woke up with a massive hangover after trying to drink his father in law under the table the night before"** we will never know for certain. But the fact is that he failed to even make it to the car before the scheduled hit off time. From all accounts, our sources tell us that if Jamie had tried to make it to the course **he would have been able to fuel the car with the alcohol fumes that he was breathing and the excess scotch that was seeping from his pores,** rather than use his petrol.

Of all of the guys on the player's list, the odds on favorite to be a no show, was actually Stu Coops. You might remember that **last year it took him nearly 2 hours to get to Centenary Park** and he only just managed to get to the course as the last group was hitting off. **Apparently he took an alternate route via a corrugated dirt 4wd drive track and a 70km detour via Berwick and the neighbouring farm lands to avoid the usual freeway traffic congestion.** It should be noted that Stu did make it to the golf course on time this year although **he did miss the last turn off and ended up driving the entire length of McLelland Road before having to do a "u-turn" to find his way back to Centenary Park.** Stu obviously has a real problem with directions and navigation and that is probably why we so often see him on the wrong fairway. He even needed to follow his brother home just to make sure that he was heading the right way home.

It wasn't just Stu who has problems finding his bearings, Greg Breasley had some directional issues of his own. Big Nick stood awe struck on the 8<sup>th</sup> hole while he watched Greg hit 4x of the best chips that he had ever seen. As good as Greg's chipping was, for some

unknown reason **he proceeded to putt his ball back on the green four times in a row, which surely must be some sort of world record.** Believe it or not Greg actually putted his ball off the same green four times in a row, which surely must be some sort of world record.

If that wasn't enough to spoil what could have otherwise been a good day, Mr. Breasley also nearly won his first ever Nearest to Pin hole on the 18<sup>th</sup> hole but unfortunately Daniel DeMarinis shattered his dreams by knocking an approach even closer with the very last shot of the day, just as Greg thought that he had the prize as good as won.

Speaking of shattered dreams, the reality of playing on a proper golf course really turned the tables on the scores this month. Although Centenary Park is a very aesthetic pleasing and offers a private course quality golf experience, but it also brings with it treacherously fast greens, high lipped bunkers and a masochistic greens keeper who chooses to uses very little of the width of the green when deciding where to place his holes. Consequently the scores were much higher than the Nett 59's an Nett 60's that we have grown accustomed to over the last three months while playing on the short easy golf courses. Only Alistair came close to shooting par, the majority of us had Nett scores that were higher than we have been shooting off the stick.

The challenge of a real Golf course was an eye opener for Ron who copped the wrath of the handicapper when he was stripped of 4.5 shots last month. Ron found the going very tough and has desperately pleaded to get his lost shots back because he has suddenly realized that **at 0.1 per round it is going to take him nearly 5 years to get back to the handicap that he was playing off in April.**

Rather than just give Ron his old handicap back and also in response to the number of other poor scores submitted this month it is obvious that there is a need for many of us to get better quickly. Subsequently we have decided to hold a coaching clinic and motivation seminar for all who might be interested. The session will be held on the Saturday night before our next round at the Devils Bend golf club. The Clinic will be hosted by the guest speaker who was recently voted by Australian soldiers as **“the number 1 choice of people to have in a missionary position, in order to help the soldiers during Iraq the war.”** You might wonder what could Tanya Zaetta possibly teach us about golf but looking at the topics that will be covered during her clinic, according to the enclosed brochure, she might have something that interests everyone and it should make for an interesting night.



## The Best way to a '69' or what you want to 'score'.

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### Topics Covered



**The Major and minor the club, the longer you get.**  
Discover the difference and how to choose the right club and shaft type and the effect that technology and club choice has on your game.



**When you should avoid the flag.**  
A lesson on the first and last of the short game. The most common mistake is to avoid the flag. The flag is the key to the short game. The club and the shaft will be discussed in detail.



**It's the back nine where all of the action is at.**  
A detailed explanation about course management. How to read a course by playing backwards. At the end of the day, you'll know the end of your round.



**The best way to start your round is to lead with your hips.**  
A lesson on how to lead with the hips. A lesson on how to lead with the hips. A lesson on how to lead with the hips.



**Do you want to get lost?**  
The psychology of playing with a team. How to read a course by playing backwards. At the end of the day, you'll know the end of your round.



**It's not up, it's not in.**  
A comprehensive theoretical lesson about golfing. The most common mistake is to avoid the flag. The flag is the key to the short game. The club and the shaft will be discussed in detail.



**Don't think to one out of balls.**  
A lesson on the first and last of the short game. The most common mistake is to avoid the flag. The flag is the key to the short game. The club and the shaft will be discussed in detail.



**The grip and hand position is most important.**  
A detailed explanation about course management. How to read a course by playing backwards. At the end of the day, you'll know the end of your round.



**Be firm and stick for the middle of the hole.**  
A practical lesson on how to play. How to read a course by playing backwards. At the end of the day, you'll know the end of your round.



**It's not up, it's not in.**  
A comprehensive theoretical lesson about golfing. The most common mistake is to avoid the flag. The flag is the key to the short game. The club and the shaft will be discussed in detail.



**Special Feature**  
Straight from her Federal Government & Security services funded tour of Iraq, Tanya will give a practical demonstration of her new world famous program on road play, otherwise known as "what to do in a hush" or "fly it down for anyone in the room".

[Click here to view the program](#)

Hopefully Devils Bend can put on a package as good as Centenary Park does, they cater for the social club extremely well and it's an event to look forward to each year. It's just a pity that we might not be welcome back to Centenary Park next year since we had a small incident that didn't sit very well with the golf club. Apparently one of our normally passive members blew a gasket out on the golf course. It appears that junior Parson's threw a shocking temper tantrum directly in front of one of the groundskeepers. **Allegedly the gutter language and obscene profanities that Greg used were almost acceptable to the Frankston local, but when Greg threw his club and nearly knocked him off his lawn mower** the groundskeeper decided that he had to report the incident. We are currently waiting an arbitration hearing to see whether we will get off with a warning, a \$\$\$\$ fine or whether we will get the maximum penalty, which is expulsion from the golf club. We will let you know when we hear what the final outcome will be. Evidently we have a new contender for the **“angry man award”** and you would certainly want to check that Greg was not going to be an English teacher if you were putting your kids into a school around the Mornington Peninsula.

Thanks to the guys who looked after the BBQ and cooked the sausages for us. Your good work was well appreciated and entertaining to say the least. **You would think that with 14x blokes at least one guy would know how to get a gas BBQ started** and admittedly eventually we did get it working even if it took plenty of different techniques and trials. **We tried cigarette lighters, 2x boxes of matches, 6x rolls of paper, flaming sticks an extra long golf tee and one member even suggested trying to lay a trail of burning oil to the gas bottle.** In the end an anonymous genius decided to put forward the idea of trying to push the ignition switch and unbelievably it was the brilliant solution that we hadn't thought to try yet and amazingly the BBQ instantly roared into life.

The last few months it has been all about the great scores, **this month the winner was the player who got around the golf course with the least collateral damage.** For the second month in a row the 10 points went to Alistair Beyer who best navigated the course with the least amount of mistakes shooting a respectable Nett 73 and won the longest drive on the 15<sup>th</sup> hole as well. It should be noted that Daniel De Marinis was a close runner up for the longest drive competition. Daniel finished only a few meters behind Alistair and a lot closer to the middle of the fairway using his self-mastered Happy Gilmore technique.

Rick McEvoy has continued his good form by finishing in second place and in doing so is quickly closing in on young Matt MacIssac at the top of the leaders board. Rick has had a brilliant run of late in the last couple of rounds, he has recently won two of the monthly competitions, emptied out the eagle nest and won 4 or 5 nearest to pins. It is lucky for the rest of it he has decided to take next month off to give someone else the chance to win a golf ball. The only thing that we are not sure of yet, is if he’s having a break because his missus is about to have a baby or whether it’s because **“the next round is going to cost him an extra \$10 more than he normally has to pay”**.

Daniel, Chris and Runar were the best of the bad bunch picking up 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> positions with scores in the high Nett 70’s and low 80’s. It is questionable how someone can score 122 of the stick and finish in 5<sup>th</sup> spot. Obviously a very generous 42 handicap using the Callaway system has artificially elevated Runar well up in the leaders board. Let’s see how he goes next month when he qualifies for his official Sunday Leave Pass club handicap.

Final Results at Centenary Park were as follows:

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Player	Alistair Bayer	Rick McEvoy	Daniel DeMarinis	Chris Sfiligoj	Runar Steinecker	Stuart Cooper	Gerard MacIssac
Score	88	92	94	107	122	97	86
Handicap	15	15	16	28	Callaway 42	16	14
Net Score	73	77	78	79	80	81	82
Points	10	9	8	7	6	5	4

Ranking	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Player	Mark Sfiligoj	Greg Breasley	Matt MacIssac	Nick Brennan	Greg Parsons	Adam Cooper	Ron Parsons
Score	110	115	117	107	125	121	125
Handicap	17	31	28	15	23	25	27
Net Score	83	84	89	92	92	96	98
Points	3	2	1	1	1	1	1

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.

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

- 2nd Hole

8th Hole

13th Hole

18th Hole

Longest Drive
- Rick McEvoy

(No one good enough)

Rick McEvoy

Daniel DeMarinis

Alistair Beyer

Golf balls are still owed to the following people:

- Alistair Bayer

Rick McEvoy

Rick McEvoy

Daniel De Marinis

Darren Higgs

Simon Dawson

Dale Robinson

Phil Plane
- 3x golf balls for winner of Centenary Park

14x golf balls for golf balls Eagles nest

2x golf balls for NTP on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> holes at Centenary Park

1x golf balls for NTP on 18<sup>th</sup> at Centenary Park

1x golf balls for NTP on 10<sup>th</sup> Glen Waverley

6x golf balls for Winner of Ambrose competition 2006

1x golf balls for NTP on 8<sup>th</sup> Dorset

1x golf balls for NTP on 9<sup>th</sup> Dorset

Place Standings for 2008:

	Total	Played	Rank		Total	Played	Rank
<b>tt MacIssac</b>	<b>31</b>	5	<b>1</b>	<b>Darren Higgs</b>	<b>3</b>	2	<b>21</b>
<b>k McEvoy</b>	<b>30</b>	4	<b>2</b>	<b>David Burns</b>	<b>3</b>	3	<b>21</b>
<b>stair Beyer</b>	<b>27</b>	3	<b>3</b>	<b>Phil Pane</b>	<b>3</b>	3	<b>21</b>
<b>art Cooper</b>	<b>23</b>	5	<b>4</b>	<b>Steve Powne</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>24</b>
<b>ris Sfiligoj</b>	<b>21</b>	5	<b>5</b>	<b>Damijan Kralevski</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>24</b>
<b>le Robinson</b>	<b>20</b>	4	<b>6</b>	<b>Luke Dumbrell</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>24</b>
<b>ard MacIssac</b>	<b>19</b>	5	<b>7</b>	<b>Myles Petty</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>24</b>
<b>n Parsons</b>	<b>17</b>	5	<b>8</b>	<b>Nick Brennan</b>	<b>1</b>	1	<b>24</b>
<b>niel DeMarinis</b>	<b>16</b>	2	<b>9</b>	<b>Roger Powne</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>rren Stewart</b>	<b>13</b>	2	<b>10</b>	<b>Wayne Thomas</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>am Cooper</b>	<b>12</b>	4	<b>11</b>	<b>Brad Robinson</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>nie Brunton</b>	<b>9</b>	2	<b>12</b>	<b>Dean Fitzpatrick</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>rk Sfiligoj</b>	<b>9</b>	4	<b>12</b>	<b>Graeme Herft</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>emy Cliff</b>	<b>8</b>	2	<b>14</b>	<b>Peter Bennett</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>rk Fitzpatrick</b>	<b>8</b>	1	<b>14</b>	<b>Darren Higgs</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>y MacIssac</b>	<b>7</b>	3	<b>16</b>	<b>Garry Couper</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>nar Steinecker</b>	<b>7</b>	2	<b>16</b>	<b>Geoff Cooper</b>	<b>0</b>	0	<b>28</b>
<b>rett Drake</b>	<b>6</b>	2	<b>18</b>	<b>Simon Dawson</b>	<b>0</b>	0	
<b>g Parsons</b>	<b>5</b>	5	<b>19</b>				
<b>g Breasley</b>	<b>5</b>	4	<b>19</b>				

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 won at Centenary Park were as follows:

1	Jackpot
2	Jackpot
3	Jackpot
4	Jackpot
5	<b>Chris Sfiligoj</b>
6	<b>Adam Cooper</b>
7	<b>Matt MacIssac</b>
8	Jackpot
9	Jackpot
10	<b>Rick McEvoy</b>
11	Jackpot
12	Jackpot
13	Jackpot
14	Jackpot
15	Jackpot
16	Jackpot
17	Jackpot
18	Jackpot

In Summary skins were won by:

Chris Sfiligoj	x5	
Rick McEvoy	x3	
Adam Cooper	x1	
Matt MacIssac		x1

## Handicaps

After being so slash happy last month, the handicapper has decided to be a bit more charitable. In fact everybody except this months winner was rewarded with an extra 0.1 shots and even with a convincing victory Alistair was allowed to keep his current handicap. It is amazing the difference a month can have.

## Current Handicap Status

Player	Was	Now	Player	Was	Now
Adam Cooper	24.5	<b>24.6</b>	Jeremy Cliff	26.4	26.4
Alistair Beyer	15.3	<b>15.3</b>	Luke Dumbrell	29.7	29.7
Brad Robinson	2 games req'd	2 games req'd	Mark Fitzpatrick	16.7	<b>16.7</b>
Brian O'Connor	28.3	28.3	Mark Sfiligoj	17.1	<b>17.2</b>
Chris Sfiligoj	27.6	<b>27.7</b>	Matt MacIssac	28.1	<b>28.2</b>
Dale Robinson	22.5	22.5	Mick Morabito	23.3	23.3
Damijan Kralevski	33.4	33.4	Myles Petty	2 games req'd	2 games req'd
Daniel De Marinis	15.9	<b>16.0</b>	Nick Brennan	14.9	<b>15.0</b>
Darren Higgs	16.1	16.1	Nick Hallahan	30.7	30.7
David Burns	28.0	28.0	Phil Plane	32.9	32.9
Dean Fitzpatrick	29.6	29.6	Peter Bennett	22.9	22.9
Garry Couper	29.2	29.2	Rick McEvoy	15.3	<b>15.4</b>
Geoff Cooper	2 games req'd	2 games req'd	Rob Heward	32.7	32.7
Gerard MacIssac	13.9	<b>14.0</b>	Roger Powne	11.9	11.9
Glenn Dalton	2 games req'd	2 games req'd	Ron Parsons	26.5	<b>26.6</b>
			Simon Dowson	1 game req'd	1 game req'd

Graeme Herft	10.6	10.6	Steve Powne	28.0	28.0
Greg Breasley	30.9	31.0	Stuart Cooper	15.8	15.9
Greg Parsons	22.7	22.8	Tony MacIssac	30.6	30.6
James Johnson	16.3	16.3	Warren Stewart	14.7	14.7
Jamie Brunton	25.0	25.0	Runar Steinecker	1 game req'd	Callaway 42
Jarrett Drake	1 game req'd	1 game req'd			

Note: all handicaps are rounded to the nearest whole number.  
 I.e. 17.2 = 17 handicap 17.5 = 18 Handicap

Despite constant reminders, we still have a problem getting some people to reply and confirm their status for the next month and unfortunately we are also still having to chase a few guys up in order to ensure that they have paid by EFT before the deadline date. Please be aware that if we get 28 players confirmed and paid up then we will not bother chasing you up and you will miss out on a spot. Bookings will be made on a first paid first served basis. We don't want to have the situation where guys miss out, but if you can't book a spot for your self be replying to the emails sent to you then you deserve to miss out.

## EFT payment system

For information on how to pay by EFT click on the above link or log onto the Sunday Leave Pass Website, which gives you direct access to internet banking for all of the major banks.

[http://sundayleavepass.boodi.com/internet\\_banking.htm](http://sundayleavepass.boodi.com/internet_banking.htm)

## Remember No Cash will be accepted on the day

By now everyone must be aware that in 2008 we are not accepting cash on the day. Everyone must pay in advance to secure a position. Payments and player confirmation must be made by no later than the Thursday 10x days before the actual round. But it is preferable for everyone to pay earlier than the Thursday, there is no reason why people cant pay a month in advance and then we won't have the problems that we are experiencing at the moment.

If you need to find out more then you can use the following link.

## EFT payment system

Next month we are playing at **Devils Bend Golf Course at 8-30am on 22nd June.**

Devil Bend Click on this link for info on how to get to the golf Course  
 Or log on to their website [www.Devil Bend.com.au](http://www.Devil Bend.com.au)

Devil Bend is a more expensive golf course so the cost for the round will be \$40-00 instead of the usual \$30-00. From all accounts this is yet another nice golf course that should offer a challenge and test our abilities as a golfer.

Please check to make sure you have been marked as either **confirmed** or **Not Playing** if you are listed as **unknown** then please get off your butt and reply to this email using the links provided.

# YES

Please Reply Now

# NO

## Player Confirmation Status for Devils Bend Cost \$40 this month

Player	Status	Paid		Player	Status
Adam Cooper	Confirmed	No		Jeremy Cliff	Unknown
Alistair Beyer	Confirmed	No		Luke Dumbrell	Unknown
Brian O'Connor	Not Playing	No		Mark Fitzpatrick	Unknown
Brad Robinson	Not Playing	No		Mark Sfiligoj	Confirmed
Chris Sfiligoj	Confirmed	Paid \$40-		Matt MacIssac	Confirmed
Dale Robinson	Unknown	No		Mick Moribito	Not Playing
Damijan Kralewski	Unknown	No		Nick Brennan	Unknown
Daniel De Marinis	Confirmed	No		Nick Hallahan	Not Playing
Darren Higgs	Unknown	No		Peter Bennett	Unknown
David Burns	Unknown	No		Phil Plane	Unknown
Dean Fitzpatrick	Unknown	No		Rick McEvoy	Not Playing
Garry Couper	Unknown	No		Rob Heward	Unknown
Geoff Cooper	Unknown	No		Roger Powne	Unknown
Gerard MacIssac	Confirmed	No		Ron Parsons	Confirmed
Glenn Dalton	Unknown	No		Simon Dawson	Unknown
Greg Breasley	Confirmed	No		Steve Powne	Unknown
Greg Parsons	Confirmed	No		Stuart Cooper	Confirmed
James Johnson	Not Playing	No		Tony MacIssac	Unknown
Jamie Brunton	Unknown	No		Warren Stewart	Unknown




<b>Jarrett Drake</b>	Unknown	No		<b>Myles Petty</b>	Unknown
<b>Neil Phillips</b>	Unknown	No		<b>Runar Steinecker</b>	Confirmed
<b>Nigel Gould</b>	Unknown	No			

[YES](#) if you didn't before **Please Reply Now!!!** [NO](#)

Please make sure that you let us know if you are a last minute cancellation or running late. If you don't turn up and we are expecting you then it will affect the groupings for the day. Please call Jamie or Stu Coops or anybody else from the club to get us a message to us as early as you can.

Unfortunately we had 3x no shows this month but it was good to see that those guys all called to let us know as soon as they realized that they were not going to be able to make. It's just a pity we were unable to find substitute players to take their spots.

**Due to an under whelming response we are re advertising the following position**

THE  AGE

Positions Vacant

Financial controller 2009

**Golf Social Club seeks person willing to outlay their own personal finances on a monthly basis to book rounds of golf for large group of people. Applicant must be patient and accepting of late payments and willing to risk regular shortfalls in cash supply. Successful candidate should be able to finance a deposit on their credit card more than \$1400 for deposit for the annual trip plus a further \$600 to \$800 per month while they try to collect the money from the club members. A willingness to work long hours is essential and accurate auditing skills beneficial.**

**You will oversee the day-to-day operations of the social club, ensuring that all finance reporting deadlines are met and finance/accounting procedures are complied with. Specifically you will be responsible for., Preparation & presentation of financial statements, Management of budgetary and accounting policies, supervision of book keeping and monthly score registration, creation and implementation of inventory control, stock management procedures and development and maintenance of a score calculation and distribution program.**

Salary

\$0/hr Voluntary only

Work Type

Part time work 8-10 hours per wk.

Start

Jan 2009 or any time earlier

**All Interest accepted without question.**

### Remaining games on 2008 Fixture

Date	Time	Course	Melways Ref
22 <sup>nd</sup> June 2008	8-30am	Devils Bend Golf Course	152 K 1
27 <sup>th</sup> July 2008	9-30am	Yarrambat golf Course	184 F 5
24 <sup>th</sup> August 2008	8-14am	Ringwood Golf Course	63 F 1
21 <sup>st</sup> September 2008	10-00am	Ivanhoe Golf Course	31 H 11
26 <sup>th</sup> October 2008	9-15am	Amstel Golf Course	133 D 5
<b>28 – 30 November</b>	<b>W/End</b>	<b>Tocumwal Golf Trip</b>	

**Jamie Brunton 0407-484-600 or Stuart Cooper 0411-645-222**

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We look forward to seeing you all again next month.

Coops, Jamie and the Sunday Leave Pass

