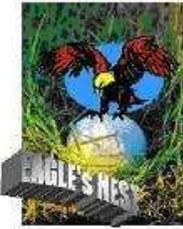




SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2010



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FINE JAR 2010	\$156.00
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FINE SYSTEM

Not driving ladies tees	\$5-00
Having an air swing	\$2-00
Having 4x putts	\$2-00
Throwing a club	\$2-00
Hitting across 2x fairways	\$2-00
Shank	\$2-00
Double Hit	\$2-00
Putting off the green	\$2-00

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

Maximum pay out is \$10-00.

All proceeds go towards BBQ & drinks at end of year trip.

Dale Robinson \$5-00 for cancelling group booking

Dale Robinson \$5-00 Not passing the ladies at Chirnside Park

Greg Parsons \$5-00 Not passing the ladies at chirnside park 10th hole. Hit the ball between his own legs.

You might remember that last month the Saturday group ran into a few problems and were unable to finish the round because a few slow players in front of them held up play. Well the wash up to the whole saga came to a head a week later. It turns out the boys were so pissed off with the whole ordeal that they wrote a letter of complaint to the golf course. After a three page rant demanding compensation and an apology because the course had done nothing to manage the group who were dragging their heels and slowing the golf course down, the response from the Centenary Park management silenced the boys in a second.

The reply from the golf course was short and sharp.

Dear gentleman, we understand your frustration, and apologize for the slow round, however the slow group that you have referred to, are VIP members at the golf club. The 4x guys playing in front of you were actually blind, all 4x guys were volunteer firefighters who lost their eyesight from chemical burns last year, while fighting a fire to save our club house from being burnt to the ground. Despite their own personal losses, they saved our club, and for that we are indebted to them. We always give them free access to play golf anytime they want to have a game and if they take longer than sighted golfers we really don't give a crap.'

Dale was so embarrassed by the response that he sent a \$500 printing voucher to the Frankston MFB.

Phil Plane contacted an ophthalmologist friend to see if there's anything he can do for their sightlessness.

Dave Jeans visited the fire station personally and has offered to replace the doors with the latest state of the art remote control opening mechanism.

And Gerard said, "I don't get it, why do they have to spoil my day, if they can't see anyway, why couldn't the bastards just play at night?"

Chirnside Park Golf Course Results June

Not since Daniel DeMarinis made a clean-sweep of the 2005 season have we seen a player achieve a Hat trick and take out 3 monthly titles in succession. Supported by Mick's old driver, and a brand new set of golf clubs, Brendan is starting to dominate the competition. A personal best round of 86 shots, including birdies on the 9th and 18th holes and NTP on the 2nd hole was sufficient to claim a convincing victory, despite some strong competition from Greg Parsons 94, Nett 71 and Mick Harper who shot the lowest round for the day shooting an 82 for a Nett 71 including 9x pars and a birdie.

Despite the dampness underfoot and limited run on the fairways, there was some brilliant golf played. The course yielded 8x birdies and 40x pars for the day, which for our social group is a pretty impressive result. Alister Bayer played the long Par 3, 12th hole to perfection. He sat his tee shot within a meter of the hole and then finished it off with a masterful tap in Birdie 2. Chris Sfiligoj played a bomb into the 17th hole and his shot finished within 2 meters of the cup, unfortunately for him he only held the NTP crown for less than a minute before Stu Coops hit his 9x iron right on top of the flag stick. The only salvation for Chris was that he made a simple 2x putt par whereas Stu 3 putted from less than 1 ½ meters and failed to capitalize on what should have been a gimmie.

Mick Harper played some scintillating holes, none better than the Par 5, 6th hole which he played as well as any professional could ever dream of doing. He creamed his driver over the crest of the fairway landing his ball with in a hand-span of the target he was aiming for. A casual 6 iron to the middle of the green presented him with a very makeable eagle putt. The Eagle Putt attempt you could not be faulted, it rolled smooth and straight for

the hole, tracking perfectly at an ideal speed, unfortunately at the last second it deviated, just enough to catch the lip of the cup and fell out rather than in. Although the Eagles nest remains intact it was an awe inspiring birdie nonetheless.

Greg Parsons' golf was representative of a boy who spent all of his spare childhood moments practicing on the Chirnside Park Golf course. Intimate local knowledge and perfect course management meant he was always in a superior position to those who had never tackled some of those tight testy holes and tricky pin positions, subsequently he shot his best round (94) for the season and finished in second place in the points standings. Given his parents live in a house directly backing onto the 15th green you could hardly have expected anything less.

Special thanks must be made to Ron and Bev Parsons who donated their time to cook a hot sausage & bread with onions for all of the guys as the past by their home. This was a great gesture and was really appreciated by the group, what's-more, it really hit the spot and replenished the energy supplies to get through those last 3x tough uphill holes, although I think the beers & bourbon they had available from the bar was enough to take the edge out of some players game.

The 15th hole was the site of a modern miracle, inspired by the thought of hot food and a cold drink Jamie Brunton set about getting to the end of the hole as quick as he could, he smashed his drive out of the middle of the screws, and his ball flew straight and long, soaring past the previous mark by nearly 60x meters. Not even the power hitters Al Bayer and Mick Harper could come close to Jamie's drive and he took out his third Longest Drive title since the event started in 2004. Jamie also managed to knock his ball onto the green and sink the Putt for birdie and claim a 4x hole skins Jackpot.

It was great see Lukey D and Burnsie pull their clubs out from mothballs, it's been a while since the boys graced us with their presence and it was nice to have them around the bar for a drink with us after the game. Going by their scores, I'm not sure that the break has improved their golf much, although both played some very good strokes intermittently throughout the course of the day.

Final Results at Chirnside Park were as follows:

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Player	Brendan Seagrave	Greg Parsons	Mike Harper	Stuart Cooper	Dale Robinson	Chris Sfiligoj	Gerard MacIssac	Tony Grasso Junior	Paul Blizzard	Tony Grasso
Score	86	94	82	92	100	103	88	116	95	102
Handicap	18	23	11	17	24	26	11	Callaway 39	14	21
Nett Score	68	71	71	75	76	77	77	77	81	81
Points	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6

Ranking	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Player	Alister Bayer	Phil Plane	Geoff Cooper	Matt MacIssac	David Burns	Jamie Brunton	Luke Dumbrell	Rick Turnicovic	David Jeans	Runar Steinecker	Greg Breasley

Score	93	116	118	116	116	117	118	128	NO SHOW	NO SHOW	NO SHOW
Handicap	11	33	32	27	25	25	26	27	31	32	31
Nett Score	82	83	86	89	91	92	92	101			
Points	5	4	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

As good as some of the golf was this month, there was still the usual events and adventures that need to be documented and recorded so that they are permanently immortalized into part of the clubs history. For example it would not be right if we did not mention Geoff Coopers monumental face plant as he slid headlong down the mud on the steep descent on first hole. Clubs and buggies went every where as Geoff slipped and landed spread-eagled in the dirt using his nose as a brake to stop him from falling even further down the hill.

Rick Turnicovic didn't even wait until he had hit off the first tee before he started with his troubles in the mud. While loosening up his swing Rick managed to take a large Divot which exploded, spreading grass and mud flying in all directions. Unfortunately for the unsuspecting guys on the tee, their conversation was cut short when they were suddenly showered with earth worms and debris while Rick looked upon them apologetically with doleful eyes as he suddenly realized the person who bore the brunt of the mess was Big Mick. It wasn't a good start for the day for him and things didn't get any better as they day progressed, by the 11th hole he had lost 7x golf balls, had 2x air-swings, failed to pass the squatters tee's on numerous occasions, and he'd already maxed out the fine jar limit, so it was only the promise of a free feed on the 15th hole that kept him going.

To make matters worse, Rick had been paired up with Stu Coops who at times was venturing into parts of the golf course that even the course curator didn't know existed. Amazingly it didn't matter where he hit the ball or how certain it appeared the ball would be lost Stu always seemed to magically find his ball and get out of trouble and still finish with a good score on the hole. There would be little surprise if Rick has Stu earmarked for a few leather wedge votes because no one could possibly believe that a player could have so much luck finding a ball in so many impossible to find locations. I'm under the impression that Rick is of the opinion that Stu might play with 2 or 3 balls in his pocket and drops one when the circumstance arises.

Chris Sfiligoj also found himself in some dicey positions. On the 14th hole his ball rolled up the trunk of a tree and got caught 1 & ½ meters off the ground behind a piece of bark. Disappointingly he didn't have the talent or the conditions didn't give him the opportunity to play a Tony MacIssac shot from up within the tree, instead he had to take the unplayable lie rather than play the ball from where it hung.

Al Bayer would have needed a ladder and spot light to play his ball from where his drive finished on the 9th hole. For those that have never been to Chirnside Park, the entire golf course is surrounded by houses which run along the boundaries of every hole on the golf course. Al pushed his drive out of bounds on the 9th hole and his ball smashed through the tiles on the roof of some poor families home. Luckily the week long drenching had eased by Sunday otherwise the roof of the house would have certainly leaked through the broken tiles and their would have been reports in the news of flash flooding through the lounge room roof of a family home on Rolling Hills Road.

If the ear shattering crack of his Titliest ProV1 ball on the Terracotta roof was not demoralizing enough, when Tony Grasso Junior added running commentary to the situation and told him **"That wasn't very good was it"** Al deflated totally and tears were seen welling in the corner of his eyes. Young Tony was very quick to offer his opinions and volunteered many cutting remarks during the game, however the best one for the day would have to be the time when the 15 year old patted Burnsie on the shoulder after the Big fella took 5 shots to blast his ball out of a bunker and said

“Don’t worry you will get there one day.” I’m not sure whether he was talking about finishing that particular hole or whether his encouragement was more on a general level, inferring that one day Burnsie will be able to play golf at a reasonable level like the rest of us, but either way it was an absolute classic and the look on Burnsies face PRICELESS. After hearing the young fella’s remarks and watching Burnsie’s reaction, Al’s eyes welled up once again, but on this occasion they were tears of laughter.

Young Matty MacIssac managed to pull himself away from the local dance party scene to join us for a round of golf. I don’t ever remember him belittling the older blokes when he first started with the club as a 15 year old but he certainly has put a few of us to shame the way he hit the golf ball at times. Matt played some enormous drives around Chirnside Park, however struggled a on the shorter holes. On the 17th hole a 165 meter Par 3 Matt duffed his tee shot and stormed off in a huff after his ball. Once he got about 65 meters up the fairway, Chris Sfiligoj yelled out to him, **“I know you’re a big hitter but your not the big, your ball is back here 2 meters in front of the tee markers.”** Matt did not receive the observation very well and nearly embedded his next shot into the middle of his golf bag as he belted the cover off the ball with his next shot.

Greg Parsons was out in voice on Sunday after the round, he stopped to tell everyone and anyone how well he had played during the round and he was very animated in his description of his Birdie, Par finish to the front 9. What he forgot to mention to all concerned was his shot on the tenth tee which could be argued did not manage to get passed the ladies markers since it didn’t even get passed the men’s markers. After 2 brilliantly played holes on 8 and 9, Greg was so overdosed with adrenalin that he lost his hand eye motor control, with too much energy running through his veins he totally stuffed his next drive. Greg’s shot skewed off the hozzel of his club; it went between his own legs, barely missing his genital region before sending Geoff Cooper diving for cover in yet another show of arms and legs everywhere. Paul Blizzard couldn’t decide, who to laugh at first, Greg for such a ridiculously impossible shot or Geoff for his clumsy attempt to move away to safety and ending up on his tail for the fourth time for the day.

Congratulations to Brendan who successfully navigated the golf course shooting a magnificent 86 for a Nett 68 and adding another 15 Championship points to his tally. Brendan has moved from 23rd position in March to 4 spot picking up 45 points from the last 3 games. Second and third place came down to a count back situation with Greg Parsons just nudging out Mick Harper. Stu Cooper imploded over the last 3 holes and gave 6x shots back to the course on what would have otherwise been a good but adventurous round of golf. Dale has maintained his consistent form and featured once again in the top 5. The season point’s competition is closer than it has ever been before with 7x players within a monthly title of taking over the leadership and only 5 points separating the top 4. This should make for a very interesting next few months and as Brendan has proven it only takes a few good rounds and you can position yourself into serious contention for the end of year championship title.

Place Standings for 2010:

Name	Total	Played	Rank	Name	Total	Played	Rank
Mick Harper	56	4	1	Doug Yankee	11	1	22
Dale Robinson	54	6	2	Cam Wilson	10	1	23
Gerard MacIssac	54	5	2	Greg Breasley	10	5	23
Brendan Seagrave	51	6	4	Jarrett Drake	9	1	25
Stuart Cooper	47	6	5	Jeremy Cliff	9	1	25
Alistair Bayer	45	5	6	Trent Tomlinson	9	1	25
Steve Powne	39	5	7	Geoff Cooper	9	3	25
Jamie Brunton	32	5	8	Dean Fitzpatrick	8	1	29
Paul Blizzard	31	4	9	Dan Cable	7	1	30
Phil Pane	30	6	10	Ron Parsons	6	2	31
Tony Grasso	25	4	11	Runar Steinecker	5	6	31
Greg Parsons	22	4	12	David Burns	5	2	33
Chris Sfiligoj	21	4	13	Matt MacIssac	3	2	34
David Jeans	20	4	14	Mark Fitzpatrick	1	1	35
Tony MacIssac	19	4	15	Adam Cooper	1	1	35
Rick Turcinovic	19	6	16	Michael Whelan	1	1	35
Neil Phillips	15	1	17	Daniel De Marinis	0	0	38
Peter Bennett	14	1	18	Warren Stewart	0	0	38
Tony Grasso JNR	14	1	18	Roger Powne	0	0	38
Luke Dumbrell	13	3	20				
Mark Sfiligoj	12	1	21				

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

2nd Hole	Brendan Seagrave
4th Hole	Tony Grasso
8th Hole	Dale Robinson
12th Hole	Alistair Bayer
17th Hole	Stuart Cooper
Longest Drive	Jamie Brunton

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.

Golf Balls are owed to the following people:

Brendan Seagrave	3x Ball	Winner at Chirnside Park
Dale Robinson	1x Ball	NTP 12 th hole at Chirnside Park

Dale Robinson	2x Ball	NTP 3rd & 13th hole at Devil Bend
Neil Phillips	3x Ball	Winner at Warburton (2010)
Cam Wilson	3x Ball	Winner at Dorset (2009)
Warren Stewart	3x Ball	Winner at Albert Park (2009)

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.

Greg Parsons won a huge haul of Skins, this month, Jamie Brunton also managed to take him 4x skins for his birdie on the 15th hole.

Skins won at Chirnside Park were as follows:

1	Jackpot
2	Jackpot
3	Jackpot
4	Jackpot
5	Jackpot
6	Jackpot
7	Jackpot
8	Greg Parsons
9	Jackpot
10	Luke Dumbrell
11	Greg Parsons
12	Jackpot
13	Jackpot
14	Jackpot
15	Jamie Brunton
16	David Burns
17	Jackpot
18	Jackpot

<u>Number of skins won</u>	
Greg Parsons	x9
Jamie Brunton	x4
Luke Dumbrell	x2
David Burns	x1

Handicaps

Brendan’s handicap continues t to come down it has been adjusted from 17.8 to 17.2; it’s just a matter whether the changes are dramatic enough to stop his run of excellent form. Mick Harper and Greg Parsons played to their handicap whereas every one else get’s 0.1 shots for next months adventure at Rosebud. Congratulations

As has been mentioned in previous correspondence we will continue to use the old handicap scoring system until the start of 2011 season although we will keep the website updated with what your projected handicap is likely to be under the new Slope handicap scoring system, It is interesting to compare each players handicap under both systems when you make comparisons between the old and the new they handicaps are amazingly similar.

Current Handicap Status OLD SYSTEM

Player	Was	Now	Player	Was	Now
Adam Cooper	25.5	25.5	Mark Fitzpatrick	17.3	17.3
Alistair Beyer	11.4	11.5	Mark Sfiligoj	17.3	17.3
Brendan Seagrave	17.8	17.2	Matt MacIssac	26.8	26.9
Brian O'Connor	28.3	28.3	Mike Harper	11.4	11.4
Chris Sfiligoj	25.6	25.7	Michael Whelan	2 games req'd	2 games req'd
Cam Wilson	17.3	17.3	Neil Philips	23.2	23.2
Dale Robinson	24.0	24.1	Nick Brennan	15.0	15.0
Dan Cable	2 games req'd	2 games req'd	Paul Blizzard	14.4	14.5
Damijan Kravevski	33.4	33.4	Phil Plane	33.3	33.4
Daniel De Marinis	16.0	16.0	Peter Bennett	21.7	21.7
Darren Higgs	16.1	16.1	Rick McEvoy	14.8	14.8
David Burns	25.5	25.6	Rick Turcinovic	27.3	27.4
David Jeans	31.0	31.0	Roger Powne	11.8	11.8
Dean Fitzpatrick	29.9	29.9	Ron Parsons	28.1	28.1
Doug Yankee	2 games req'd	2 games req'd	Runar Steinecker	32.1	32.1
Geoff Cooper	32.3	32.4	Rob Heward	32.7	32.7
Gerard MacIssac	11.4	11.5	Steve Powne	23.9	23.9
Greg Breasley	31.5	31.5	Stuart Cooper	17.5	17.6
Greg Parsons	22.9	22.9	Tony MacIssac	28.7	28.7
Jamie Brunton	25.2	25.3	Tony Grasso	21.3	21.4
Jarrett Drake	18.7	18.7	Tony Grasso JNR	2 games req'd	Callaway 39
Jeremy Cliff	21.5	21.5	Trent Tomlinson	2 games req'd	2 games req'd
Luke Dumbrell	26.2	26.3	Warren Stewart	10.4	10.4

Note: all handicaps are rounded to the nearest whole number.

I.e. 17.2 = 17 handicap 17.5 = 18 Handicap

It would be appreciated if everyone could let us know if they are a likely starter for next months round as early as possible. Please check with the social secretary and book your spot as early as you can.

YES Please Reply Now!!! **NO**

BOOKINGS CONFIRMATION 2010

Rosebud

8-30am Sun 25th July

Cost of next months round is **\$45-00.**

Player	Status	Paid	Player	Status	Paid
Adam Cooper	Unknown	No	Mark Fitzpatrick	Unknown	No
Alistair Beyer	Confirmed	No	Mark Sfiligoj	Unknown	No
Brendan Seagrave	Confirmed	No	Matt MacIssac	Unknown	No
Chris Sfiligoj	Confirmed	No	Mick Harper	Confirmed	No
Cam Wilson	Unknown	No	Neil Philips	Unknown	No
Dale Robinson	Unknown	No	Nick Brennan	Unknown	No
Damijan Kravlevski	Unknown	No	Paul Blizzard	Confirmed	No
Daniel De Marinis	Unknown	No	Peter Bennett	Unknown	No
Dan Cable	Unknown	No	Phil Plane	Unknown	No
David Burns	Unknown	No	Rick Turcinovic	Confirmed	No
David Jeans	Unknown	No	Roger Powne	Unknown	No
Dean Fitzpatrick	Unknown	No	Ron Parsons	Not Playing	No
Doug Yankee	Unknown	No	Runar Steinecker	Unknown	No
Geoff Cooper	Not Playing	No	Steve Osullivan	Unknown	No
Gerard MacIssac	Confirmed	No	Steve Powne	Unknown	No
Greg Breasley	Unknown	No	Stuart Cooper	Confirmed	No
Greg Parsons	Unknown	No	Tony MacIssac	Unknown	No
Jamie Brunton	Confirmed	No	Tony Grasso	Confirmed	No
Jarrett Drake	Unknown	No	Trent Tomlinson	Unknown	
Jeremy Cliff	Unknown	No	Warren Stewart	Unknown	No
Luke Dumbrell	Unknown	No			

YES Please Reply Now!!! **NO**

Remaining games on 2010 Fixture

2010 Fixture

Golf Course & How to get there Google maps Directions	Date	Melways Ref	Website links
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<u>Rosebud</u>	25th July 8-30am	107 A 7	<u>www.rosebudcountryclub.com.au</u>
<u>Beacon Hills</u>	22nd August 9-30am	210 K 8	<u>www.beaconhillsgolf.com.au</u>
<u>Growling Frog</u>	19th September 8-30am	9 K 2	<u>www.growlingfroggolfcourse.com.au</u>
<u>Amstel</u>	24th October 8-45am	133 D 5	<u>www.amstel.org.au</u>
THURGOONA	26th - 28 th November		<u>http://www.thurgoonagolf.com.au/</u>

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Don't forget that every golf product that is bought through the GCO from Sunday Leave Pass members or associates will mean more sponsorship \$\$\$'s for the club and therefore better prizes for the end of season raffle draw.

Don't forget that Dale runs a printing business and is offering incredibly reduced printing work for any Sunday Leave Pass members wanting to order business cards, fliers or any other print material. To preview his rates you can click on the following link.



Click on Logo Above to view their brochure and prices.

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 for the end of year raffle.



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"Evergreen Winery tours" have put up for grabs a prize for anyone who is good enough to score a **"hole in one"** during a Sunday Leave Pass event. Having seen the playing standard of our members and knowing that his prize is pretty much a safe bet, Geoff Cooper has donated a complimentary **"Chauffeur driven half day winery tour for 2x people in the Yarra Valley"** for a player who scores either a hole in one or an albatross during a Sunday Leave pass competition.

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