

## SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2018

### FINE SYSTEM

Not driving ladies' tees	\$5-00
Having an air swing	\$2-00
Having 4x putts	\$2-00
Throwing a club	\$2-00
Hitting across 2x fairways	\$2-00
Shank	\$2-00
Double Hit	\$2-00
Putting ball on, back off the green	\$2-00
<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. <b>\$2-00</b>	
Maximum pay out is <b>\$10-00</b> .	

**FINE JAR 2018**

**\$289.15**

## GOLF TRIP 2018 Howlong Golf Club



Please Note: We have booked the golf trip this year and we will be going to Howlong Golf course this year. The date of the golf trip will be **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> 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.

[YES I want to take part in the golf trip this year](#)

[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 now 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

## CONFIRM YOUR AVAILABILITY FOR NEXT MONTH

NEXT MONTHS ROUND IS AT DEVIL BEND GOLF COURSE ON SUNDAY 20th May  
Cost of the round will be **\$45.00**.

Please confirm your status for Devils Bend ASAP. 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 [stundaydream@gmail.com](mailto:stundaydream@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.

## Dorset Golf Course Results April



**SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2018**

For all of us who tuned in to the US Masters it was reassuring to see that even the best of the best sometimes, have a bad hole too. After watching Phil Mickelson have an air-swing, or Bubba Watson knock his Eagle putt into the bunker and Sergio Garcia rack up a Newell+3 (13) it got me wondering how much the US Masters fine jar pool would be at the end of the week. Surely, they must charge more than \$2 for each on course misdemeanor.

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## Masters champion Sergio Garcia hits joint WORST score on any hole in tournament's history as Spaniard suffers hole from hell with score of 13 otherwise known as a Newell plus 3.

Sergio Garcia's Masters title defence fell apart on the 15th hole at Augusta in embarrassing scenes  
The Spaniard found the water FIVE times to finish with a barely believable score of 13 on a par-5  
Four of his five shots that found the water initially landed on the green but rolled backwards into the hazard  
[Masters 2018, Round 2 LIVE scores and updates for Augusta National](#)

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3uL2B6zWmTg>



Bubba Watson's horrendous putt that ended up in a bunker shows just how tricky the Masters greens can be.

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<https://sportsnaut.com/2018/04/twitter-reacts-bubba-watson-putting-ball-bunker-masters/>

Phil Mickelson plays embarrassing air-shot as three-time Masters champion smashes club into overhanging branch.

CLICK ON THE LINK TO WATCH THE VIDEO

<https://twitter.com/MastersMoments/status/982639539817795584>

There is never a shortage of drama when it comes to any golf tournament and so it was for a few players at Dorset on Sunday. There were plenty of highs and even more lows and we like to try to bring them to light by exposing and sharing them in the results blurb. There can be an amazing script created just by spending 4 hours chasing a white rock around a park with a bent stick.

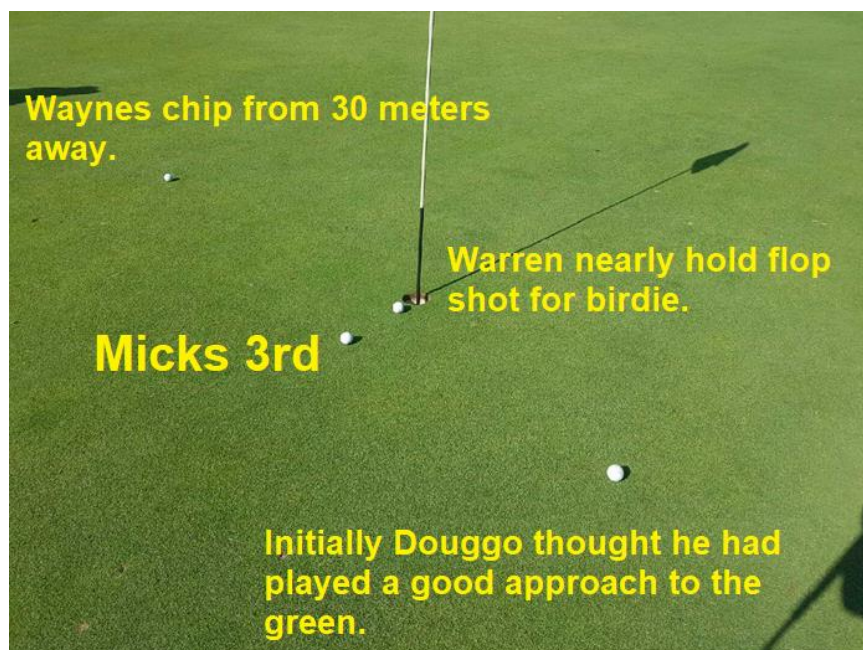
It didn't take Tony Grasso long before he had created the plot for his round. Poor Tony drew the short straw and was partnered up with the Ex-Supercoach. As most of you would be aware according to our club records the Grasso name has featured on the Leather Wedge trophy every year since 2011 and the Ex-Supercoach who held the title in 2008 and 2009 before the Grasso's joined at the club was very keen to make sure it remains there for the next few years to come. As he stood on the tee Fil stood right over Tony and threatened to count every shot that he played, the intimidation worked because when he walked off the green at the end of the par 5 first hole poor Tony looked to have destroyed his round having already accumulated a legitimately counted score of 10 (Otherwise known as a Newell.)

Luckily for Tony G the ex-supercoach has a very short attention span and by the end of the second hole Fil had moved on to more important topics (such as himself) which left Tony unimpeded for the remaining seventeen holes of his round. Free from the scrutiny and harassment Tony played flawlessly once Fil stopped counting his shots Tony rewarded himself with 6 pars and 9 bogies and finished with 87 on his scorecard which was good enough for 7<sup>th</sup> place despite the blow out on the first hole.

The Ex-supercoach also had a good day. Evidently Fil learnt a great deal from watching Tony Grasso in action. Fil was inspired by Tony's technique and he recorded his best score in a long time. Fil wrote himself into the top 15 and the wash up was that although he earned 5 championship points for his 69 it also meant that the handicapper gained the opportunity to cut 0.4 strokes off his handicap condemning the rest of the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club to another 12 months of whining and complaining.

Big Mick also made a miraculous recovery after a poor score on the first hole. Although it wasn't a Newell, when you are playing off a handicap of 8 then a triple bogie on the first hole doesn't leave much wiggle room for the remainder of the day especially when you follow it up with a double bogie on the second. To his credit Mick was able to keep his last 15 holes to a score of 60 including 3 birdies and 6 pars which gave him the equal lowest gross score for the day 79 off the stick.

Micks day was not short on excitement, he knocked his 3 wood on to the front edge of the par 4 tenth hole and hit his eagle putt into the flag stick. On the Par 5 thirteenth Mick once again came within a fraction of cm from taking out the eagle's nest prize when his chip shot landed within cm of going into the hole. An Augusta US Masters crowd would have been whooping and hollering if they were watching Micks entire group as they were walking down the 13th hole because all four players hit brilliant approaches into the green and peppered their golf balls around the flag stick. The balls were so close that the boys called for 4 gimmies but it was declined since the rules of Sunday Leave Pass clearly specified that you are obligated to putt the ball into the hole no matter how close you are. Three of them holed the putt poor however Wayne suffered the embarrassment of missing his par putt.



One would think that driving the green on the tenth hole or hitting a pitch shot to within 20cm of an eagle would have to have been Micks best shot for the day, but the amazing truth was that neither of these incredible shots were even in the same spectrum as the stroke that won this title. On the Par 3 ninth hole Mick hit his tee shot left and long, his ball landed on the cart path at the back of the green and took off quicker than Clarke after a bad round. Micks ball bounced over Stu Coops and Ben who were walking along the path towards the pro-shop. Micks ball bounced off the path four times just missing another group of golfers walking towards the first tee before coming to rest in the gutter under the buggy of a gentleman who was tapping a few balls on the practice green. Micks shot finished a good 50 meters past the green and was questionable whether the ball was actually still on the golf course. He then hit a miraculous Stu Coops style recovery and managed to blindly cut lob his 60 degree wedge up over the trees, past the heads of the golfers standing on the first tee and on to the green, the ball came within cm of holing out and set Mick up with a simple tap in par.

It was another very tough day for Stu Coops out on the golf course and even his trademark recovery shots were not enough to keep him away from the bottom end of the leaderboard. Stu was on the verge of making a Sergio as he hit multiple balls into the lake on the second hole. He finished the hole with what was eventually became one of the five Newell's achieved for the day. Damien, Rick, Greg Parsons and Tony Mac were the other players unskilled enough to make a 10 or worse on what can only be described as an easy golf course to play.

Damien Vanterpool accrued his Newell on what was statistically the easiest hole on the golf course. We are still trying to work out how he could have managed to hit the ball 10 times over the 252 meters of the 10<sup>th</sup> hole especially when he usually hits his 4 iron 230 meters. Admittedly he was fined \$2 for a 4putt on the 10th hole so it does make it a little bit easier to digest.

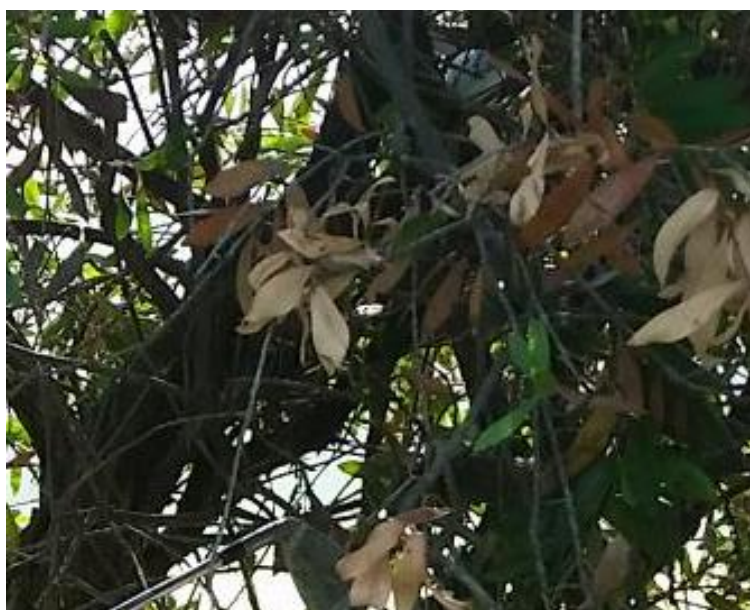
The beauty of the Dorset golf course is that it offers some short drivable golf holes. The power hitters can knock the balls around the greens on the par 4's and this probably explains why Dorset has given up more Eagles and Eagle putts than any other golf course on the Sunday Leave Pass fixture. Big Mick drove the greenside bunker on the eighteenth hole and he also hit his three wood on to the front edge of the 10<sup>th</sup> hole. Despite his massive drives Mick did not win the longest drive competition because Leigh MacIsaac smashed another monster onto the cut surface on the 16<sup>th</sup> hole.

Steve O'Sullivan hit his drive over the tree's and across the lake into the middle of the third green to set himself up for a chance to win the Eagles Nest jackpot prize pool. Unfortunately, he missed his eagle putt, and then also missed with his birdie putt. SOS walked off the green with a very disappointing 3 putt par. As a whole, SOS had a very impressive walk around the fairways and by the time he got to the car park he had matched Big Mick with the lowest score for the day 79 off the stick.

The third hole has an interesting layout because the option is to go for the flagstick if you think you are good enough to hit a high ball over the trees and water and carry over 200 plus meters to the green. Many players stand on the tee and wait for the group in front to putt out before they can launch into their drive. There has been many a suggestion to management that there should be a bell on the hole to announce when it is safe to play. Although there is not a bell installed yet, Stu Coops saw it upon himself to make one. Five minutes after the rest of his playing partners had nudged their balls safely into play, Stu was still waiting for the guys in front to clear the green. Stu then suffered the embarrassing indignity of not only failing to go near the hitting then green, but he didn't even get over the creek in front of the tee box. Stu hit his ball into the cross bar on the bridge across the creek which made a noise that rang out across the Croydon fields with a loud gong announcing to the world that he had had a shocker. Luckily next tee shot (to replace the lost ball) was a little bit better and a couple of minutes later he was standing over an eagle putt for par.



Greg Parsons found himself stuck in a tree.



[Sergio Garcia hits ball out of a tree at Bay Hill – Click link to watch video](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=10jORLiU7Ak)

Greg Parsons was another player who found things just weren't working for him. The long drive down Peninsula link was about the highlight of Greg's day. It's been a long traumatic journey for Greg since he won the 2009 Sunday Leave Pass points championship trophy. While the rest of the field have improved over the last few years and their handicaps have come in, poor Greg has been getting worse and worse. At his peak Greg was playing off a handicap of 22 however his game has deteriorated to such a level that, he is now playing off a handicap 30 and is still failing to trouble the scorers.

Sunday was no different, Greg once again finished outside the top 15 meaning he was only given the token 1 point for turning up. With 41 taps with the flat stick Greg obviously had trouble getting the ball into the hole and sometimes he had trouble just keeping the ball within reach. An errant tee shot left Greg with the unenviable dilemma of deciding whether to play his shot Sergio Garcia style from the branches of a tree or to take an unplayable lie.

Greg also managed to conjure up a memorable 6 putt green. It wasn't quite as bad as the 9 putts which Newell had on the 15<sup>th</sup> hole at Ringwood however there are very few people in the Sunday Leave Pass record books who can lay claim to missing the ball 5 times from on the putting surface. Greg had just as many putts as he had strokes on the 7<sup>th</sup> hole his fourth shot was a shank which landed right in the middle of the green. The only problem was it landed on the fifth green when he was aiming at the seventh green. It's unusual to say that it was a welcome relief to walk off the green with a 12, but that's how Greg described it. He said he was just glad to end the misery and reset and start again.

The best way to avoid a bad putting display is to not putt at all. There were a few guys who heeded this advice and were able to reduce the putting tally by a couple of strokes when they hit the ball directly into the hole. Cam Ross knocked in his third shot from the back fringe of the tenth green to claim a solid birdie. Stu Coops chipped in on the 11<sup>th</sup> hole although it wasn't quite for a birdie. Stu missed the green with his tee shot and then hit his first chip across the green and the ball rolled off the back and down the bank. After the disappointing outcome from the first chip Stu gathered his trusty lob wedge to play his next shot. A sweet swing with the 60degree wedge and then Stu was playing his fourth shot from almost exactly the same spot where he had just played his third shot from because the ball got to the top of the hill and rolled back towards him. Given that the pitching wedge hadn't worked and the 60degree wedge had been even worse Stu retired them both in favor of the 9 iron. It was the correct decision because he then managed to chip the ball into the hole for an unconventional bogie four.

Ben Nichol posted the best score for the day. Ben won the day with a score of Nett 64 although he still left plenty of shots out on the golf course. Bens score could have been much lower because he lipped out when great putts hit the middle of the cup and then the ball literally bounced off the metal cup to finish on the backside of the hole.

Luckily at least his ball remained within his line of sight, so he saw exactly what had happened to it which is more than we can say for the poor punter who hit a wayward drive off the first tee about 1230pm on Sunday afternoon. Below is an extract from Wayne James' account of the magically disappearing and reappearing Taylormade.

**We were walking down the 18th after teeing off and after locating our balls, Douggo found a nice TaylorMade on the side of the fairway.**

**After deciding it wasn't one of ours he pocketed said TaylorMade. Out of nowhere comes a guy from the first tee in his buggy looking for his ball.**

**Douggo, being the nice bloke, he is, drops the TaylorMade after walking 40m down the fairway and helps the guy find his ball.**

**"TaylorMade" he shouts out to him. "Yep" comes the reply. "Right here mate". "Thanks" as he drives back 40m. Always happy to help a fellow golfer is Douggo.**

Congratulations to Ben Nichol who maintained his composure and finished his round strongly. Ben choked himself out of the monthly title last month, so it was good to see him break a 5-year drought. Interestingly in 2013 Ben won the monthly titles at Dorset and Devils Bend so given we are playing Devils Bend next month it will be interesting to see if he can go back to back.

Barry Hemsley was impressive, and he beat Newell on a count back for second place. SOS, Leigh and Steve Powne all finished with a score of Nett 67 and finished 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6 places respectively.

## Results for Dorset were as follows:

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Player	Ben Nichol	Barry Hemsley	Newell Richards	Steve Osullivan	Leigh MacIsaac	Steve Powne	Tony Grasso	Rick Turcinovic	Andrew Clarke
Score	91	97	92	79	82	90	89	101	84
Handicap	27	32	26	12	15	23	19	32	15
Nett Score	64	65	65	67	67	67	68	69	69
Points	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7



Ranking	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Player	Cameron Ross	Mark Sfiligoj	Todd Neilson	Tom Kellythorn	John Mea	Mick Harper	Glen Douglas	Warren Perrett	Phil Plane
Score	94	88	92	92	93	79	87	82	103
Handicap	25	19	22	22	23	8	13	8	29
Nett Score	69	69	70	70	70	71	74	74	74
Points	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	1	1

Ranking	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Player	Greg Parsons	Geoff Cooper	Wayne James	Greg Breasley	Brendan MacIsaac	Stuart Cooper	Tony MacIsaac	Damien Vanterpool
Score	105	104	92	110	116	95	113	101
Handicap	30	29	16	32	37	14	30	23
Nett Score	75	75	76	78	79	81	83	78
Points	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

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

Once all of the players are ranked then the Seasons Championship points are allocated according to the position in the field.

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

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

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

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 Neilson) 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<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.

Colin Ewart	Todd Neilson	<p>Take the place rankings for 1st and 2nd place last month for example.</p> <p>In this instance both Colin and Todd had Nett 69 after their handicaps was deducted from the Gross Scores. So, we go back to a countback.</p> <p>In this example Colin wins because he had 22 points on the back nine compared to Todd who could only conjure up 20 stableford points on the back nine and was therefore relegated to 2<sup>nd</sup> place.</p> <p>If in the event that 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 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 on the 18<sup>th</sup> hole therefore Tony wins the countback and Newell was 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.</p> <p><b>PLEASE NOTE THAT THE COUNT BACK IS ON HOLES 10-18</b> irrespective of whether it is a two tee start, a normal hit off from the first hole or if we hit off the 10<sup>th</sup> hole first. It is always the 18<sup>th</sup> to 10<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.</p>	Newell Richards	Tony MacIsaac
+2	+2		+1	+0
+1	+2		+1	+3
+3	+2		+2	+2
+2	+3		+4	+1
+3	+3		+1	+2
+4	+2		+0	+0
+3	+1		+1	+2
+1	+3		+2	+0
+3	+2		+1	+3
<b>+22</b>	<b>+20</b>		<b>+13</b>	<b>+13</b>

## Place Standings for 2018:

Name	Total	Played	Rank		Name	Total	Played	Rank
Colin Ewart	33	3	1		Cameron Ross	9	3	25
Wayne James	33	4	1		Tony MacIsaac	9	4	25
Steve O'Sullivan	33	4	1		Phil Plane	9	4	25
Newell Richards	30	4	4		Stuart Cooper	7	4	28
Ben Nichol	28	2	5		John Mea	4	3	29
Barry Hemsley	27	4	6		Brendan MacIsaac	4	4	29
Mick Harper	26	4	7		Ron Parsons	3	2	29
Todd Neilson	26	4	7		Gerard MacIsaac	3	3	29
Chris Sfiligoj	23	3	9		Greg Breasley	3	3	29
Mark Sfiligoj	23	3	9		Dale Robinson	2	2	34
Cliff Rowe	19	3	11		Warren Perrett	2	2	34
Brendan Seagrave	17	3	12		Geoff Cooper	2	2	34
Andrew Clarke	17	3	12		Nathan Griffiths	1	1	37
Mal Griffiths	15	3	14		Brad Hughes	1	1	37
Jamie Brunton	14	1	15		Steve Hoffman	1	1	37
Shane Cumming	13	2	16		Nick Fritsch	1	1	37
Tom Kellythorn	13	3	16		Jarrett Drake	1	1	37
Leigh MacIsaac	13	3	16		Bob Franks	1	1	37
Damien Vanterpool	12	4	19		YET TO PLAY			
Tony Grasso	11	3	20		Mark Fitzpatrick	0	0	43
Greg Parsons	11	2	20		David Burns	0	0	43
Steve Powne	11	2	20		Adam Cooper	0	0	43
Rick Turcinovic	11	4	20		Peter Hutson	0	0	43
Glen Douglas	10	3	24					

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

5th Hole Leigh MacIsaac  
 8th Hole Rick Turcinovic  
 9th Hole Warren Perrett  
 11th Hole Geoff Cooper  
 17th Hole Andrew Clarke  
  
 Longest Drive Leigh MacIsaac

### 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:

Colin Ewart 3 BALLS Winner at Centenary Park  
 Todd Neilsen x1 NTP 8th Hole Centenary Park  
 Rick Turcinovic x1 NTP 8th Hole Dorset  
 Geoff Cooper x1 NTP 11th Hole Dorset  
 Andrew Clarke x1 NTP 17th Hole Dorset

**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 **Dorset** were won by:

1	<b>Mark Sfiligoj</b>
2	<b>Steve Powne</b>
3	Jackpot
4	<b>Cameron Ross</b>
5	Jackpot
6	<b>Ben Nichol</b>
7	Jackpot
8	<b>Rick Turcinovic</b>
9	Jackpot
10	Jackpot
11	Jackpot
12	<b>Barry Hemsley</b>
13	Jackpot
14	Jackpot
15	Jackpot
16	<b>Mick Harper</b>
17	<b>Greg Parsons</b>
18	Jackpot

### Number of skins won

Mick Harper	x4
Barry Hemsley	x4
Cameron Ross	x2
Ben Nichol	x2
Rick Turcinovic	x2
Mark Sfiligoj	x1
Steve Powne	x1
Greg Parsons	x1

Compared to last month the spread of skins was spread over a good number of players. Barry has continued to accumulate skins. Barry won another 4 skins to added to the 9 he won last month, Big Mick made 3 birdies for the day and his three on the 16<sup>th</sup> hole was on the difficult par four which rewarded him with 4 stableford points and four skins.

With so many good scores the handicapper was busy taking shots off as many golfers as he possibly could. Congratulations to Cam Ross who has played his third round with the social and he has been allocated an initial starting handicap of 25.3.

## HANDICAPS

The changes to player's handicaps are as follows:

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

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

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

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

Player:	New Handicap	Was		Player:	New Handicap	Was
Adam Cooper	23.4	23.4		Mal Griffiths	14.4	14.4
Andrew Clarke	<b>14.4</b>	14.6		Mark Fitzpatrick	20.9	20.9
Barry Hemsley	<b>30.4</b>	31.7		Mark Sfiligoj	<b>19.0</b>	19.4
Ben Nichol	<b>25.3</b>	26.6		Mick Harper	<b>7.7</b>	7.7
Brad Hughes	11.1	11.1		Newell Richards	<b>24.5</b>	25.6
Brendan MacIsaac	<b>37.2</b>	37.2		Nathan Griffiths	8.3	8.3
Brendan Seagrave	17.9	17.9		Peter Hutson	17.7	17.7
Cam Ross	<b>New H/cap 25.3</b>	1 game r/qd		Phil Plane	<b>28.8</b>	28.8
Chris Sfiligoj	20.5	20.5		Rick Turcinovic	<b>31.0</b>	31.7
Cliff Rowe	11.9	11.9		Ron Parsons	26.8	26.8
Colin Ewart	27.2	27.2		Shane Cummings	13.1	13.1
Dale Robinson	15.6	15.6		Steve Hoffman	2 games R'qd	2 games R'qd
Damen Vanterpool	<b>23.4</b>	22.9		Steve O'Sullivan	<b>11.8</b>	12.3
David Burns	25.1	25.1		Steve Powne	<b>22.3</b>	23.1
Geoff Cooper	<b>28.8</b>	28.8		Stuart Cooper	<b>14.8</b>	14.1
Gerard MacIsaac	9.3	9.3		Todd Neilsen	<b>21.3</b>	21.6
Glenn Douglas	<b>13.2</b>	12.9		Tom Kellythorn	<b>21.7</b>	22.2
Greg Breasley	<b>32.8</b>	32.4		Tony Grasso	<b>18.1</b>	18.9
Greg Parsons	<b>29.8</b>	29.5		Tony MacIsaac	<b>29.8</b>	29.7
Jamie Brunton	25.6	25.6		Vedran Martinovic	24.1	24.1
John Mea	<b>22.9</b>	22.9		Wayne James	<b>16.2</b>	16.2
Leigh MacIsaac	<b>14.4</b>	14.7				

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



Score					Deduct	
68	69	70	71	72	0.0	Scratch, no adjustment
73	74	75			0.5	worst holes & adjustment
76	77	78	79	80	1.0	worst holes & adjustment
81	82	83	84	85	1.5	worst holes & adjustment
86	87	88	89	90	2.0	worst holes & adjustment
91	92	93	94	95	2.5	worst holes & adjustment
96	97	98	99	100	3.0	worst holes & adjustment
101	102	103	104	105	3.5	worst holes & adjustment
106	107	108	109	110	4.0	worst holes & adjustment
111	112	113	114	115	4.5	worst holes & adjustment
116	117	118	119	120	5.0	worst holes & adjustment
121	122	123	124	125	5.5	worst holes & adjustment
126	127	128	129	130	6.0	worst holes & adjustment

Adjustment			Add or Deduct from Handicap	
-2	-1	0	1	2

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

In the computation of handicaps under this system:

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

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

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

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

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.

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.

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## BOOKINGS CONFIRMATION

Devil Bend Sunday 20th May **Cost is \$45**

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

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### Remaining games on 2018 Fixture

Golf Course & How to get there Directions	Date	Melways Ref	Website links
<a href="#"><u>Devils Bend</u></a>	20 <sup>th</sup> May 7-00am	152 J1	<a href="http://www.devilbendgolf.com.au"><u>www.devilbendgolf.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Spring Park</u></a> –include BBQ	10 <sup>th</sup> June 804am	88 H7	<a href="http://www.springparkgolf.com.au"><u>www.springparkgolf.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Beacon Hills</u></a>	24 <sup>th</sup> June 9-40am	210 K8	<a href="http://www.beaconhillsgolf.com.au"><u>www.beaconhillsgolf.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Bayview</u></a> (Rosebud Public)	22 <sup>nd</sup> July 8-45am		
<a href="#"><u>Werribee Park</u></a>	19 <sup>th</sup> August 8-48am	259 B4	<a href="http://www.werribeepark.com.au"><u>www.werribeepark.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Ringwood</u></a>	23 <sup>rd</sup> September 8-30am	63 F2	<a href="http://www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au"><u>www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Yarrambat</u></a>	21 <sup>st</sup> October 8-30am	184 D5	<a href="http://www.yarrambatgolf.com.au"><u>www.yarrambatgolf.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Morack</u></a> –includes BBQ	18 <sup>th</sup> November 9-00am	63 C5	<a href="http://www.morackgolf.com.au"><u>www.morackgolf.com.au</u></a>
<a href="#"><u>Howlong Golf Club</u></a>	7 <sup>th</sup> -9 <sup>th</sup> December - Cost \$330		

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

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

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



## GOLF TRIP 2018    Howlong Golf Club

Name		Play	Cost	Paid	Balance Owing
<b>Total (Yes)</b>		<b>25</b>		<b>\$ 540.00</b>	<b>\$ 7,050.00</b>
	BOOK No#				
Adam Cooper		UNKNOWN	\$ -		\$ -
Andrew Clarke	4.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
Barry Hemsley		UNKNOWN	\$ -		\$ -
Ben Nichol		NO	\$ -		\$ -
Brad Hughes		UNKNOWN	\$ -		\$ -
Brendan MacIsaac	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 MacIsaac	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 MacIsaac		UNKNOWN	\$ -		\$ -
Mal Grffiths	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	\$ 62.50	\$ 267.50
Rick Turnicovic	19.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
Ron Parsons		UNKNOWN	\$ -		\$ -
Shane Cumming	24.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00
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	25.00	YES	\$ 330.00		\$ 330.00