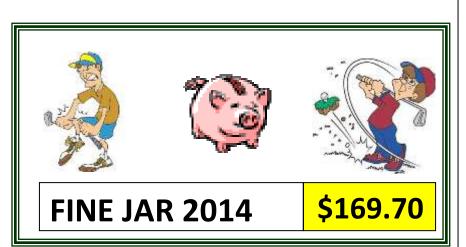






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#### **FINE SYSTEM**

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 ball on, back 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.

## **GOLF TRIP 2014- \$50 DEPOSITS DUE**



Please Note: We have booked the golf trip this year and we will be returning to Echuca, Rich River Golf course. The date of the golf trip will be Friday 5<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2014. The Cost is approximately \$300.00 to \$320.00. We have booked for 27 players (3 people per room) so please book it into your calendar and let me know if you are a definite attendee by Email studaydream@gmail.com or the links here. YES I want to take part in the golf trip this year

No I will not be going to Rich River

If your name is not on the list below then you have not confirmed attendance for the golf trip and I will not be booking you a spot unless you advise me otherwise. ASAP. Everyone has been asked at least 7x times via email etc.

	Player	Status \$320	Paid		Player	Status \$320	Paid	
1	Stuart Cooper	Confirmed	\$50	2	Newell Richards	Confirmed	\$105	
3	Greg Breasley	Confirmed		4	Phil Plane	Confirmed		
5	Rick Turcinovic	Confirmed		6	Steve O'Sullivan	Confirmed	\$50	
7	Steve Powne	Confirmed		8	David Burns	Confirmed	\$115	
9	Gerard MacIsaac	Confirmed	\$105	10	Mark Fitzpatrick	Confirmed		
11	Peter Hutson	Confirmed		12	Mick Harper	Confirmed		
13	Andrew Clarke	Confirmed						

### **Golf Course Survey 2015**



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

Please fill out the survey using the following link

This is the link for your survey:

http://www.survs.com/survey/L9ZJMAYB8U

Tell us which golf courses you think should be on the Sunday Leave Pass fixture next year. This is your opportunity to choose the courses that you prefer to play on. Please tick as many courses as you like or add your own suggestions in the space provided. We welcome all of your comments and suggestions. The courses have been categorised into price brackets to help you make a better informed decision.

We will be booking the Golf courses for the 2015 Fixture soon. So if you want to have an input on where you play next year here is your chance to have your opinion considered.

You can use the link provided <a href="http://survs.com/survey/8tjv7tk0cq">http://survs.com/survey/8tjv7tk0cq</a> although an individual invitation has also been sent to your email address. The Survey will be closed at the end of the month so please get your responses in ASAP. You can vote for as many courses as you like. The ones with the most votes will go on to next year's fixture.

Thanks to the 8 guys who voted the first time the request was sent out to everyone.

# Dorset Golf Course Results March

What a difference a month makes. This time in last month, Stuart Cooper and Tony MacIssac were feeling a million dollars after posting some good scores at Warburton in February. 28 days later they would be feeling like slitting their wrists after failing to perform on the not so difficult Dorset layout.

The Dorset course averaged a Nett score of 72 per player. Even Newell Richards was able to post a career best round of 129 Nett 92. Obviously the 5 trips to the Morack Driving range, golf lessons and practice round on Saturday paid off for Highway man who showed some glimpses of brilliance (well atleast a sign of hope anyway.) It was a breakout month for Newell on many levels. Apart from a P.B. on the scorecard, he also managed to keep his fine jar contribution to only \$2-00 compared to the standard \$10 donation and more importantly he got the opportunity to hit off first in his group after winning the honour on both the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> holes.

Once Highway gets his putts down under 40 per round and he eliminates the token 10 from his scorecard he may be dangerous. As Steve O'Sullivan said to him. "if you have gone from scores of 146 to 129 you are guaranteed to win a trophy for the most improved if nothing else.

Andrew Clarke is proving to be a sleeper who we all need to keep our eyes on. Andrew posted his 3<sup>rd</sup> score with the social club and has been allocated a very generous handicap of 18. Andrew never missed the

fairway for the entire day and had it not been a disastrous day with the pitching wedge and putter his 87 gross could easily have been an 80 or even 79 off the stick. Andrew will reveal all of his cards over the next couple of months and he may prove himself to be a potential candidate for an end of year trophy. If not the seasons championship trophy, Andrew may be a walk up start for the Angry Man award prize. Andrew can make Rick Turcinovic commentary of the golf sound like a papal sermon.

One player who was looking up to the heavens for celestial intervention was Mark Fitzpatrick who carded a very disappointing Nett 81. Fitzy has become the occasional golfer who is lucky to get 2 rounds in a year. It showed too, his scorecard included a 6 putt green and an air-swing on the first hole and also had a Newell on the 15<sup>th</sup> hole. For those who are wondering what by order of definition a Newell is. "It is any hole where you score 10 or more shots."

The highlight for the day for Fitzy was his 2 putt birdie on the Par 4 third hole. Having watched Trevor Adair smash his drive straight over the long water carry and finish just 20 meters short of the green, Fitzy took on the same challenge and used the grip it and rip it approach to smash his drive out and over the lake. Marks ball didn't fly as high as Trevor's ball and didn't clear the trees at the far end of the water but his ball managed to steer between them. Fitzy's ball then bounced hard on the front edge of the green and rolled up onto the putting service narrowly missing the hole in one albatross before rolling between the legs of an unsuspecting Slinky who was preparing to make his putt. Although he didn't ever give the eagle putt any chance of going in the result was an easy Birdie and a small glimmer of sunshine on what was otherwise a very difficult day.

Congratulations to the smurf, Stevie Powne who managed to add his name onto the longest drive hall of fame. It would seem in hindsight that choosing the first hole for the longest drive competition hole was a challenging prospect for most of us. At one stage it was looking as though an air swing would win the title since after 4x groups (16 players) no one had actually managed to keep their ball on the fairway. John Mea was the first player to post a decent drive and was unlucky that the smurf managed to get a drive past him with the very last shot of the day. Steve was so proud of his accomplishment. After a can and a half of beer he was only too happy to tell anyone within earshot about his long drive status and was walking around with his chest out, shoulders back and prancing around like he was 5 & a half foot tall (that's twice his normal height) and comparing himself to Big Mick as a power hitter.

We are still awaiting the arrival of the new Sunday Leave Pass golf balls, when they arrive we will offer them up for sale to anyone interested in buying a dozen or 2. We have ordered 96 dozen balls so there will be no shortage of Woodtech Sunday Leave Pass balls whizzing around the fairways in the next 18 months or so.

Don't forget it is always a good idea to make an identifying marker on your ball so you can distinguish it from all of the other golfers out on the course. Despite the hefty price tag of \$6 per ball we sold out of the "Do Not Steal Trevor" golf balls in record time. Incredibly the promotion was a great success and for the first time in 15 months every golfer was able to return back to the car park without a complaint that someone had stolen their golf ball. We will be offering another run of the "Do Not Steal Trevor" golf balls next month since they were such a high demand product even at \$6 per ball.



We will be looking to put in an order for new Sunday Leave Pass club shirts shortly. We have had an influx of new recruits joining the club over the last 6 months and we need to increase our stock levels to accommodate the newcomers. If anyone wants to buy a new shirt to replace a worn out uniform or if your

expanding girth means that you no longer fit into your old one then if you could please let me know including your size so that I can get an order in for you.

For those who aren't aware, the club shirt has a reward system built into it. For every round you play you are given a raffle ticket which goes towards the end of year raffle, plus if you wear the club uniform shirt you are then given another raffle ticket.



Yes I would like to order a shirt.

Therefore the \$30 investment to be part of the smurf family may just be the difference between winning a new set of golf clubs or a golf bag or even if you are lucky enough a slab of Bourbon cans.

Last year 6 out of the 18 prizes given away in the raffle were linked back to wearing the simply wearing the club uniform. If anyone is interested I will also investigate the availability of getting in some vests for the winter months. They were approximately \$50 and I will order them at the same time I get the shirts done if there is a demand for them.

Congratulations to Phil Plane who played a very impressive round at Dorset. Phil's score of 92 gross was his career best round and is a staggering 20 shots better than his career average.

Average Score per Round	112.70	Best Round	92	Dorset	Mar-14
Average Place Ranking	11.59	Worst Round	152	Amstel	Apr-07

Given his result was 60 strokes better than his worst score its little wonder that there has been a stewards inquiry and multiple protest to check whether he actual played all 18 holes. With Nett 63 Phil was the winner of the March title and earned 15 points towards the championship leader board tally.

With 26 players in the field a very good score was required to place in the top 15 and pick up the big points. Incredibly it required a score of 71 to be in the running and a Nett 69 or better to place inside the top 10.

Slinky made his long awaited return after several months out to pasture. Absence from the game has done little to impinge on his golf swing and he finished in second place with Nett 64. Tony Grasso senior posted one of the lowest scores for the day and was rewarded with 13 championship points for his 82 off the stick from a handicap of 17.

Newbie Luke Chacksfield qualified with a handicap this month having played 3 rounds with the social club. Luke was inspired by his playing partners Andrew and Big Mick and he managed to break his handicap of 26 to finish with a score of Nett 67.

Peter Hutson, Greg Parsons, Trevor Adair, Tony Junior and Andrew Clarke all posted some impressive scorecards and featured inside the top 10 rankings at Dorset. It was a commendable effort for Tony Junior to recover to finish so high on the leader board especially since his tee shot in the first hole was dribbled straight into the garden beds and finished in an unplayable position. Father Tony was quick to say "oh hell here we go again, he is gonna be angry this afternoon and I will hear about it as he sulks and whines all the way home in the car."

With all of the good scores taking precedence it was a bad result for the callaway handicappers who for the last few months have always finished well into the top 10. Unfortunately a score of 74 to 76 didn't cut it at Dorset and therefore the usual cruise into a good place finish was non-existent.

When a player first joins the club they are allocated a handicap using the Callaway scoring system. This is a formula which calculates the player's handicap based on the sum total of their worst (?) holes from the gross score dependent on the gross score achieved. ie) 113 = sum scores of worst 4.5 holes. 9+9+8+8+4=38

## **Results for Dorset were as follows:**

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Player	Phil Plane	John Mea	Tony Grasso	Luke Chacksfield	Peter Hutson	Greg Parsons	Trevor Adair	Tony Grasso <sub>JNR</sub>	Andrew Clarke
Score	92	86	82	93	87	96	83	97	87
Handicap	29	22	17	26	20	28	15	28	18
Nett Score	63	64	65	67	<b>67</b>	68	68	69	69
Points	<b>15</b>	<mark>14</mark>	<b>13</b>	<b>12</b>	<mark>11</mark>	<mark>10</mark>	9	8	7

Ranking	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Player	Adam Cooper	Brett Meyer	Steve Powne	Ben Nichol	Steve O'Sullivan	Ron Parsons	Mick Harper	Greg Breasley	Rick Turcinovic
Score	98	79	97	92	84	104	80	105	107
Handicap	28	9	26	21	13	33	8	31	32
Nett Score	<b>70</b>	70	71	71	71	<b>71</b>	72	74	75
Points	<mark>6</mark>	<mark>5</mark>	4	<mark>3</mark>	2	1	1	1	1

Ranking	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Player	Dale Robinson	Karl Winters	Mitch Jansen	Colin Ewart	Mark Fitzpatrick	Stuart Cooper	Tony MacIsaac	Newell Richards
Score	94	111	103	114	100	97	117	129
Handicap	19	Callaway 36	Callaway 27	Callaway 37	19	15	28	37
Nett Score	75	75	76	77	81	82	85	92
Points	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

# Place Standings for 2014:

Name	Total	Played	Rank	Name	Total	Played	Rank
Stuart Cooper	26	3	1	Brendan Seagrave	6	1	25
<b>Brett Meyer</b>	25	3	2	Adam Cooper	6	1	25
Peter Hutson	24	3	3	Mick Harper	4	2	27
Tony Grasso	20	2	4	Ben Nichol	4	2	27
John Benbow	19	2	5	Newell Richards	3	3	28
Trevor Adair	18	3	6	Greg Breasley	3	3	28
Phil Plane	17	3	7	David Burns	2	1	30
Steve OSullivan	16	3	8	Mitch Jansen	2	2	30
Gerard MacIsaac	16	2	8	Warwick Miller	1	1	32
Geoff Cooper	15	1	10	Mark Sfiligoj	1	1	32
Dale Robinson	15	3	10	Karl Winters	1	1	32
<b>Steve Powne</b>	15	3	10	Warwick Miller	1	1	32
John Mea	14	1	13	Colin Ewart	1	1	32
Luke Chacksfield	13	2	14	Stuart Holbrook	0	0	37
Tony MacIsaac	13	2	14	Steve Hungerford	0	0	37
Sam Creaton	11	1	16	Alistair Beyer	0	0	37
Rick Turcinovic	11	3	16	Nick Brennan	0	0	37
Andrew Clarke	11	3	16	Greg Andrews	0	0	37
<b>Greg Parsons</b>	11	2	16	Jamie Brunton	0	0	37
Larry Campbell	10	1	20	Michael Collins	0	0	37
Matt MacIsaac	9	2	21	Paul Blizzard	0	0	37
Tony Grasso Junior	9	2	21	Peter Engberg	0	0	37
<b>Shane Cumming</b>	8	1	23	Chris Sfiligoj	0	0	37
Ron Parsons	8	3	23				

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

5th Hole Stuart Cooper
8th Hole Andrew Clarke
9th Hole Steve Powne
11th Hole Trevor Adair
17th Hole Tony Grasso Jnr

**Longest Drive** Steve Powne

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

Gerard MacIsaac x3 Winner at Waterford Valley Geoff Cooper x3 Winner at Warburton Phil Plane x3 Winner at 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	Jackpot
2	Jackpot
3	Mark Fitzpatrick
4	Jackpot
5	Jackpot
6	John Mea
7	Jackpot
8	Ron Parsons
9	<b>Greg Parsons</b>
	Luke
10	Chacksfield
11	Jackpot
12	Jackpot
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14	Mick Harper
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18	Jackpot
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# MicK Harper x4 Mark Fitzpatrick x3 John Mea x3 Ron Parsons x2 Greg Parsons x1 Luke Chacksfield x1

The handicapper continues has had his poison pen out this month. A total of 8 shots were deducted from the collective groups handicap. With scores as low as 63 Nett it was decided that a severe handicap audit was required. Phil Plane copped the biggest whack losing 1.5 shots for his next round. Only Stu Cooper, Steve Powne and Tony MacIsaac failed to live up to the expectations on the easy Dorset layout and each of those guys have been given a small percentage of the shots that were deducted from the rest of the field.

#### 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.

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 Slope Handicap	Was	Player:	New Slope Handicap	Was
Adam Cooper	27.3	27.9	Mark Fitzpatrick	19.1	19.1
Alistair Beyer	9.9	9.9	Mark Sfiligoj	19.8	19.8
Anthony Hogg	29.5	29.5	Mark Williamson	20.0	20.0
Andrew Clarke	18.3	New h/cap	Matt MacIsaac	23.3	23.3
Ben Nichol	20.8	21.3	Mick Harper	7.7	7.7
Brendan Seagrave	18.2	18.2	Mitch Jansen	Callaway 27	1 game req'd
Brett Meyer		1 game req'd	Neil Phillips	24.0	24.0
Carl Schulze	17.6	17.6	Newell Richards	37.2	37.2
Chris Sfiligoj	27.4	27.4	Nick Brennan	11.1	11.1
Colin Ewart	Callaway 37	2 game req'd	Paul Blizzard	13.8	13.8
Dale Robinson	18.7	18.7	Peter Engberg	1 game req'd	1 game req'd
Damijan Kralevski	35.1	35.1	Peter Hutson	19.0	19.6
Daniel De Marinis	15.4	15.4	Phil Plane	27.5	29.1
David Burns	28.8	28.8	Rick Turcinovic	32.0	32.0
Dean Fitzpatrick	34.5	34.5	Ron Parsons	32.4	32.8
Geoff Cooper	32.8	32.8	Sam Creaton	27.4	27.4
Gerard MacIsaac	8.3	8.3	Shane Cumming	12.3	12.3
Greg Andrews	23.6	23.6	Steve Sullivan	13.2	13.3
Greg Breasley	30.6	31.0	Steve Powne	26.0	25.9
Greg Parsons	26.8	27.5	Stuart Cooper	15.1	14.7
Jamie Brunton	25.8	25.8	Stuart Holbrook	17.3	17.3
John Benbow		1 game req'd	Tony Grasso	15.6	16.5
John Mea	20.8	21.7	Tony Grasso Junior	27.0	27.7
Karl Winters	Callaway 37	2 game req'd	Tony MacIsaac	28.2	27.7
Larry Campbell		1 game req'd	Trevor Adair	13.2	14.6
Luke Chacksfield	26.3	New H/cap	Warren Stewart	8.3	8.3
Luke Dumbrell	26.9	26.9			

# **BOOKINGS CONFIRMATION**

**Spring Park** 

Player	Status \$25	Paid	Player	Status \$25	Paid
Adam Cooper	Confirmed		Mick Harper	Confirmed	
Alistair Beyer	Unknown		Michael Collins	Unknown	
Andrew Clarke	Confirmed		Mitch Jansen	Unknown	
Anthony Hogg	Unknown		Newell Richards	Confirmed	
Ben Nichol	Unknown		Nick Brennan	Not Playing	
Brendan Seagrave	Confirmed		Paul Blizzard	Unknown	
Brett Meyer	Confirmed		Peter Hutson	Confirmed	
Chris Sfiligoj	Confirmed		Peter Engberg	Unknown	
Dale Robinson	Confirmed		Phil Plane	Unknown	
David Burns	Confirmed		Rick Turcinovic	Confirmed	
Geoff Cooper	Confirmed		Ron Parsons	Unknown	

Gerard MacIsaac	Confirmed	Shane Cumming	Confirmed	
Greg Andrews	Unknown	Steve Kruger	Unknown	
Greg Breasley	Unknown	Steve Hungerford	Unknown	
Greg Parsons	Unknown	Steve O'Sullivan	Confirmed	
Jamie Brunton	Unknown	Steve Powne	Not Playing	
John Benbow	Unknown	Stuart Cooper	Confirmed	
John Mea	Unknown	Stuart Holbrook	Unknown	
Larry Campbell	Confirmed	Tony MacIsaac	Confirmed	
Luke Chacksfield	Unknown	Tony Grasso	Unknown	
Mark Fitzpatrick	Unknown	Tony Grasso Jnr	Unknown	
Mark Sfiligoj	Unknown	Trevor Adair	Confirmed	
Mark Williamson	Unknown	Warwick Miller	Unknown	

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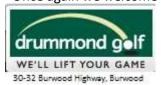
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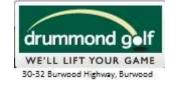
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<b>Spring Park</b>	6th April 8-00am	88 H 7	www.springparkgolf.com.au
<u>Devil Bend</u>	27th April 8-00am	152 J 1	www.devilbendgolf.com.au
<b>Centenary Park</b>	25th May 9-20am	100 E 9	www.Centenary Park
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<u>Ringwood</u>	19th October 9-28am	63 F 1	www.ringwoodgolf
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Rich River	5th - 7th December		www.richriver.com.au

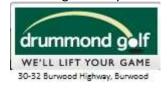
To check out the Season fixture for next year you can use the following Link http://www.sundayleavepass.com/2014%20Fixture.htm

# A word from our sponsors

\*Once again we welcome DRUMMOND GOLF back as our major sponsors to the social club again this year.







PLEASE NOTE: All of the long term members of the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club will be registered as lifetime members of the Drummond Club. This membership has been heavily subsidised by Drummond-Burwood and the social club will be paying the balance. Drummond Burwood has been our prize sponsors for the last three years and as a lifetime member you may receive information and promotions about offers and special deals available to you. For information on the Drummond Club you can click on the following link to find out more information but there is always an opt



This year we also have been lucky enough to have Peter Hutsons' company jump on to the Sunday Leave Pass band wagon. We thank "Wood Tech" from the bottom of our hearts as they have generously sponsored the club for the cost of our golf balls. This of course is on the condition that we promise to spread their branding across the state, which shouldn't be hard as we regularly lose golf balls around all 4 corners of the Melbourne urban district.



Our new golf balls will carry both the SLP and the Wood Tech logo and we expect a shipment from China to arrive towards the middle of the year. Which should keep us in golf balls for the next 2-3 years.



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



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





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For those who were not aware of the "hole in one prize", any player who scores a hole in one or an Albatross during a Sunday Leave Pass event will win a complimentary Chauffer Driven Winery Tour for 2x people through the Yarra Valley, courtesy of Evergreen Winery Tours. So start aiming at the hole we want to give it away this year there was a few close calls over the years but we are still yet to achieve the perfect shot despite more than 12000 attempts since 2004.

(In 1999, *Golf Digest* reported, "One insurance company puts a PGA Tour pro's chances at 1 in 3,756 and an amateur's 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.