



SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2007



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Just a quick note to say thanks to Dale & Jamie and Greg for cooking BBQ, you guys did a great job.

Important Message from Steve Powne. (Financial Controller & Beverage Distribution manager.)

The bar ran \$1-00 short again this month would the person who forgot to put the money in for their drinks please EFT the money into Jamie's account tomorrow.

Although it is not 100% up and running and it needs a lot more work and there will be plenty of bugs to iron out, we now have a Sunday Leave Pass social Club website up and running.

<http://sundayleavepass.boodi.com/>

When it is fully functioning you should be able to access all of the club information from the Website and therefore you won't need to receive huge long-winded emails and reminder messages as often.

The website has been designed so that you can do internet banking, lookup all of the player phone numbers, check out monthly newsletters, confirm you booking status check the weather and rain forecasts, lookup your handicap and view the newsletters and results past and present. Hopefully it works and you will find it a useful tool.

Feel free to browse but there will be lots of changes and fault fixing over the next few months until we get it fully operational. So please be patient as this is not our area of expertise.

Before I get into the "Tales of Fortune and the Stories of Woes" on the golf course here's a brief word from our sponsors.

For those that aren't aware Dale has stepped into the ring as one of the Sunday Leave Pass sponsors. He donated \$60-00 cash to the club kitty this month after he received an order for some print-work through the social club network. As a collective group we have access to a diverse range of industries and services and it would be beneficial to consider using the contacts that you can make through the social club before looking through the yellow pages.

Any body who needs a printer should call Dale as he is certain to look after you, he does a great job, he's fast and you get a direct benefit out of your order via a cash rebate back to the club which ultimately means better prizes from the social club which you wouldn't get if you used any other supplier. It's a win / win situation for all concerned.

For everyone who played last month you should have received a brochure from **DNR print** this is Dales business so please keep him in mind if you have any printing requirements.

[Social Club Sponsorship](#)

Dale has always been an asilent sponsor of the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club, for the past 3 years he has generously donated his time and materials to print our fixtures. This year he has also offered to donate back to the club 5% of the value of any order made through his Printing Company by people who mention the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club.

We have enclosed a copy of his latest brochure which you will see are at very competitive prices. So if you need any business cards, fliers or promotional material for your business then why don't you give Dale a call because he will look after you!



Click on picture to preview brochure

[DNR Print Business Card Price List](#)

We are happy to promote any body or a company that you are part of.

Speaking of sponsorship please remember that the **Golf Clearance Outlet** is our major sponsor. They sell all types of golf equipment available on the market today, if they don't have what you are looking for then they can usually get it in for you, and then sell it to you at a better price or atleast match the price of their competitors. This is why I find it very difficult to understand why people would bother to go to another golf supplier when the **Golf Clearance Outlet** will be able to do you a better deal as far as price goes and then you will benefit again via the extra sponsorship dollars coming into the club with every order that we place. I nearly fell off my chair when I heard Chris Sfiligoj tell a few people that he wanted a Drummond Golf voucher for his birthday. By buying through our sponsors he could get a better product for the same price as what he would get at Drummonds. I found it incomprehensible to understand why he would suggest Drummond golf but then I remembered he is a Sfiligoj and they usually don't think before they speak.



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So enough of the advertising crap you say, what happened on the golf course you ask? Here's the round up.

Warburton Results

Watching the huge rain clouds lingering over the Dandenongs while driving along the Maroondah Highway, I figured it was just a matter of time before the phone started ringing with players canceling their spots for the round at Warburton. Surprisingly despite the poor weather forecast, everybody actually braved the elements and we managed to host a field of 19 players. The day turned out to be a beauty, a couple of light occasional showers in the morning did nothing to affect the scores and by the time the first beer was cracked and the sausages were sizzling on the BBQ the sun was out in full force.

On the contrary to what Daniel and Fitzy say, Warby is a great little golf course and the feedback from everybody who fronted was that they enjoyed playing the course immensely. Although only short, the golf course offers a challenging layout with some tough driving holes and some fast undulating greens. The rain had little affect on the speed of the greens and the grounds keeper had placed the holes in some difficult positions, consequently there were plenty of 3x and 4x putts that caused some major hiccups on the scorecard, none more noticeable than Alistair Beyer's blowout on the 5th hole.

Alistair had a solid round including 2x birdies, and 4x pars infact he would have probably been the winner for the day had it not been for an 8 on the par 3, fifth hole. Amazingly Al was on the green for 2x shots and then proceeded to have 6x putts to finish with an eight, apparently he was lucky to make the last putt too it rolled around the lip almost a full circle before finally dropping into the cup. Alistair will be a real front-runner this year. Based on form we can expect some very good scores from him in 2008, so all that we can hope is for that the handicapper gets into his handicap as quick as possible.

It was nice to see Greg Parsons run into some form this month. After a dismal performance at Werribee he spent the past month contemplating joining a local "10 pin bowling social club" but to his credit Greg decided to give golf one last shot. A 28x stroke improvement was a commendable effort, and it may put him in strong contention for a nomination for the "most improved player award."

Greg's dad, Ron is also pleading a good case to be considered a great improver. Each month his scores continue to improve as his golf gets better and better, he is also accumulating a healthy skins jackpot tally with another 3x skins Jackpot this month. It was funny to hear Ron surmising his round at the BBQ after the game, he told Phil Plane how **"he was a bit confused and thought it a little strange that Mark Sfil kept giving him coaching tips after every shot even though it was obvious that Mark was not playing as well as him."** The proof was in the scorecard with Ron finishing a comfortable 4x place positions higher than the self-proclaimed super-coach, Sfil.

Stu Coops has taken the concept of Social golf a bit too literally, over the duration of the day he managed at one time or another be on the fairway of each of the 5x different groups out on the course. In fact he spent more time on the wrong fairway asking players from the other groups if they has seen his ball than he did talking to the guys who he was actually playing with. On most holes he would tee off, then disappear into the wilderness, meet his playing partners at the green, putt out, then go to the tee and then head out in a different direction again. Rick made the observation that **"for a Social Club outing, Stu is not being very Sociable is he."** Stu did manage to finish the 18x hole course successfully, it was just he didn't necessarily do it in the sequence that the course has been designed to do it in.

Lukey and Burnsie were also all over the golf course, but they managed to do it at full throttle with the foot flat to the floor in a golf cart. It was easy to work out where they had been because you could see the skid marks and donut tracks where they had stopped to hit the ball. How Lukey and Burnsie didn't manage to roll the cart is beyond comprehension, despite a couple of 360 degree spins down the hill of the eighteenth fairway, (very Steep hill) getting the cart on two wheels on several occasions, crashing through trees and at one stage Lukey was even thrown out of the cart sideways at full speed, still the cart managed to remain upright. They may not have rolled it but you certainly wouldn't want to be the poor sod, who hires the golf cart next, with the torture and thrashing that the cart went through this weekend it is sure to break down the next time it is driven.

With a field of 19 players it was much harder to have a top 10 finish than it was at Werribee. The scores were also very tightly grouped. In fact only 1x shot separated 4th to 9th position. Which meant that we had to have a countback to sort out place rankings. When many players finish with the same Nett score the place rankings are determined by the countback system. The countback system formulates a ranking order by calculating the number of Stableford points each player had on the back 9x holes. In the event that still the players had the same score on the back nine then the Stableford points on individual holes are assessed working back for the 18th hole until a leader is found.

For example;
Alistair had **72 Nett** as did Gerard Dale and Stu but Al scored 17 points on the back 9 holes where Gerard had 16, Dale 14 and Stu 12 so that was the way the place standings finished.

The best performance of the day came from Rick McEvoy who quickly forgot about his broken wrist when he scored a procession of Pars on the front 9. A blistering 40 on the front was more than enough to secure him a satisfying victory with an impressive Nett 67. The only blemish he had for the day was that he managed to mark his scorecard incorrectly. He was so excited about how well he was playing for the first half of the course that he marked the scores on that section of the card twice. The only reason he actually realized he was doing it wrong was when he got to the 509 meter 14th hole he turned to Adam and said **“how could this be a Par 3 it’s a very long hit to get there off the tee. I think my scorecard is wrong.”**

Adam Cooper challenged Rick right to the last hole of the day, he scored a very well played Nett 68, and finished in second position. Had he not lost a ball on the 14th hole trying to drive the green after Rick told him that it was a Par 3 he probably would have ended up overtaking Rick on the last few holes.

Matt MacIssac put in another fine performance, with Darren & Daniel not partaking in the first couple of rounds he is now way out in front of the leaders board with a first and 3rd place finish. He has also already accumulated 10x raffle tickets from the skins competition, so obviously the practice over the school holidays pre-season has paid off for him already

Final Results at Warburton were as follows:

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Player	Rick McEvoy	Adam Cooper	Matt MacIssac	Alistair Beyer	Gerard MacIssac	Dale Robinson	Stuart Cooper	Jamie Brunton	Ron Parsons	Greg Parsons
Score	86	93	100	90	87	98	88	101	104	98
Handicap	19	25	30	18	15	26	16	28	31	23
Net Score	67	68	70	72	72	72	72	73	73	75
Points	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

Ranking	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Player	Chris Sfiligoj	Steve Powne	Mark Sfiligoj	Greg Breasley	Luke Dumbrell	Phil Plane	Tony MacIssac	David Burns	Damijan Kralewski
Score	104	105	94	108	108	114	113	117	126
Handicap	27	28	17	31	30	33	31	28	33
Net Score	77	77	77	77	78	81	82	89	93
Points	1	1	1	4	3	2	4	3	2

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:

- 3rd Hole
- 5th Hole
- 9th Hole
- 12th Hole
- 15th Hole
- Longest Drive
- Steve Powne
- Gerard MacIssac
- Matt MacIssac
- Chris Sfiligoj
- Matt MacIssac
- Chris Sfiligoj

Place Standings for 2008:

Total Played Rank

Total				Played Rank		
Matt MacIssac	18	2	1	Phil Pane	1	1 17
Stuart Cooper	11	2	2	Greg Breasley	1	1 17
Chris Sfiligoj	10	2	3	Damijan Kralevski	1	1 17
Rick McEvoy	10	1	3	Luke Dumbrell	1	1 17
Gerard MacIssac	9	2	5	Mark Fitzpatrick	0	0 23
Adam Cooper	9	1	5	Roger Powne	0	0 23
Daniel De Marinis	8	1	7	Wayne Thomas	0	0 23
Dale Robinson	7	2	8	Brad Robinson	0	0 23
Alistair Beyer	7	1	8	Dean Fitzpatrick	0	0 23
Warren Stewart	6	1	10	Graeme Herft	0	0 23
Jarrett Drake	5	1	11	Peter Bennett	0	0 23
Mark Sfiligoj	5	2	12	Darren Higgs	0	0 23
Jamie Brunton	3	1	13	Jeremy Cliff	0	0 23
Ron Parsons	3	2	13	Garry Couper	0	0 23
Greg Parsons	2	2	15	Geoff Cooper	0	0 23
Tony MacIssac	2	2	15	Simon Dawson	0	0 23
David Burns	1	1	17			
Steve Powne	1	1	17			

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.

In Summary skins were won by:

Matt MacIssac x6
 Tony MacIssac x3
 Ron Parsons x3
 Mark Sfiligoj x3
 Jamie Brunton x1

Skins won at Warburton were as follows:

- 1 Jackpot
- 2 Jackpot
- 3 **Tony MacIssac**
- 4 **Jamie Brunton**
- 5 Jackpot
- 6 Jackpot
- 7 **Mark Sfiligoj**
- 8 Jackpot
- 9 Jackpot
- 10 Jackpot
- 11 Jackpot
- 12 Jackpot
- 13 **Matt MacIssac**
- 14 Jackpot

15	Jackpot
16	Ron Parsons
17	Jackpot
18	Jackpot

Handicaps

This month 2x players beat their handicap which meant that Rick & Adam copped a slight trim for next month, Dale, Jamie, Matt, Ron & Alistair all played within the buffer zone of their handicaps so maintained the same handicap and everyone else who played got an extra 0.1 shots to try and help them to do better next month.

Current Handicap Status

Player	Was	Now	Player	Was	Now
Adam Cooper	24.5	24.3	Fitzpatrick	19.8	19.8
Jarrett Drake	2 games req'd	2 games req'd	Mark Sfiligoj	17.0	17.1
Brian O'Connor	28.3	28.3	Matt MacIssac	31.6	30.3
Dale Robinson	25.4	25.5	Mick Morabito	23.3	23.3
Damijan Krlevski	33.3	33.4	Nick Brennan	14.9	14.9
Daniel De Marinis	15.9	15.9	Nick Hallahan	30.7	30.7
Darren Higgs	16.1	16.1	Chris Sfiligoj	27.5	27.6
David Burns	27.7	27.8	Peter Bennett	22.9	22.9
Dean Fitzpatrick	29.6	29.6	Rick McEvoy	18.7	18.2
Garry Couper	29.2	29.2	Brad Robinson	2 games req'd	2 games req'd
Gerard MacIssac	14.5	14.6	Rob Heward	32.7	32.7
Graeme Herft	10.6	10.6	Roger Powne	11.9	11.9
Greg Parsons	22.6	22.7	Ron Parsons	31.0	31.0
Phil Plane	32.6	32.7	Steve Powne	27.9	28.0
James Johnson	16.3	16.3	Stuart Cooper	15.9	16.0
Jamie Brunton	28.0	28.0	Tony MacIssac	30.5	30.6
Luke Dumbrell	29.6	29.7	Glenn Dalton	2 games req'd	2 games req'd
Simon Dowson	1 game req'd	1 game req'd	Jeremy Cliff	26.6	26.6
Greg Breasley	30.7	30.8	Warren Stewart	1 games req'd	1 games req'd
Geoff Cooper	2 games req'd	2 games req'd	Alistair Beyer	18.0	18.0

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

Just a reminder that it is a good idea to get into the habit of putting a marking on your ball to help you to be able to identify which one is yours, especially now that a few more players are be starting to use the new Sunday Leave Pass Logo golf balls (although Matt seems to be the only one who is collecting the balls lately, but the good news is that he loses just as many as he wins.) The prize balls all have exactly the same number and print on them so it might be worth getting in the habit of writing your initials on the ball just so that you can always tell which ball you are hitting especially when blokes like Stu Coops are always hitting the ball onto the wrong fairway.

Next month we are playing at **Glen Waverley** we have never played there before as a group but it is as flat as a billiard table and it is also only a very short golf course, so Daniel and Fitzzy will be pleased that they wont have to stretch their legs too much. Given the type of course that it is (apparently very easy) we are expecting some very low scores to come in and some major handicap adjustments may be in store before the April round.

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 Friday 9x days before the actual round. If you need to find out more then you can use the following link.

[EFT payment system](#)

Remember No Cash will be accepted on the day

Important Note Please make sure that you make a notation when you make the deposit identifying who paid the money into the account and for what for. This makes it a lot quicker and easier on the day.

IE. : **BurnsFeb** (It also helps if you email Jamie to say that you have made a deposit into which branch and let him know the number that correlates to your deposit.)

Next month we are playing at **Glen Waverley at 9-00am on 30th March.**

[Glen Waverley](#) Click on this link for info on how to get to the golf Course
www.Glen.Waverley.Golf.Club

Or log on to their website

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 Glen Waverley**

Player	Status	Paid		Player	Status	Paid
Adam Cooper	Confirmed	No		Jeremy Cliff	Unknown	No
Alistair Beyer	Unknown	No		Luke Dumbrell	Unknown	No
Brian O'Connor	Not Playing	No		Mark Fitzpatrick	Unknown	No
Brad Robinson	Not Playing	No		Mark Sfiligoj	Unknown	No
Chris Sfiligoj	Confirmed	No		Matt MacIssac	Unknown	No
Dale Robinson	Unknown	No		Mick Moribito	Unknown	No
Damijan Kralevski	Unknown	No		Nick Brennan	Unknown	No
Daniel De Marinis	Unknown	No		Nick Hallahan	Unknown	No
Darren Higgs	Confirmed	No		Peter Bennett	Unknown	No
David Burns	Unknown	No		Phil Plane	Unknown	No
Dean Fitzpatrick	Unknown	No		Rick McEvoy	Unknown	Paid \$20-
Garry Couper	Unknown	No		Rob Heward	Unknown	No
Geoff Cooper	Unknown	No		Roger Powne	Unknown	No
Gerard MacIssac	Unknown	No		Ron Parsons	Unknown	No
Glenn Dalton	Unknown	No		Simon Dawson	Unknown	No
Greg Breasley	Unknown	No		Steve Powne	Confirmed	No
Greg Parsons	Unknown	No		Stuart Cooper	Confirmed	No
James Johnson	Not Playing	No		Tony MacIssac	Unknown	No
Jamie Brunton	Unknown	No		Warren Stewart	Unknown	No
Jarrett Drake	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.

Please remember that if you are a confirmed booking and you don't turn up then you are still charged the cost for the round or responsible for finding a substitute player to replace you.

Remaining games on 2008 Fixture

Date	Time	Course	Melways Ref
30 th March 2008	9-00am	Glen Waverley Golf Course	71 K 5
27 th April 2008	8-28am	Dorset Golf Course	51 C 6
25 th May 2008	8-30am	Centenary Park Golf Course	103 E 1
22 nd June 2008	8-30am	Devils Bend Golf Course	152 K 1
27 th July 2008	9-30am	Yarrambat golf Course	184 F 5

24 th August 2008	8-14am	Ringwood Golf Course	63 F 1
21 st September 2008	10-00am	Ivanhoe Golf Course	31 H 11
21 – 22 November	W/End	Tocumwal Golf Trip	

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

It was great to have everyone stay around for a drink and a feed a special thanks to the guys who helped out with the BBQ. Hopefully we will see you all out there again next month

Coops, Jamie and the Sunday Leave Pass