

SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2015

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**.



FINE JAR 2015

\$114.65

Speaking of fines, Once again this year we are going to be enforcing a penalty for late payment of golf fees. The payment for each month is due no later than the Thursday the week final numbers are due. There is no excuse for late payment since everyone receives at least a minimum of two reminder emails and a text message prior to the due date. Players who fail to meet the deadline will be charged a late payment levy of **\$5-00** on top of the original golf fee's. Anyone who finds it too difficult to make the EFT transfer on time is welcome to make a larger transfer and keep some money in credit for when they fail to make the payments on time.

GOLF TRIP 2015



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 4th to Sunday 6th DECEMBER 2015**. The Cost is approximately **\$330.00**. 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](#)

Warburton Golf Course Results

February

The beautiful Warburton golf course lived up to its reputation of producing some good golf scores. As temperature rose as the day went on so did the quality of golf. There were birdies a plenty. As a group we accumulated a Sunday Leave Pass club record of 65 pars 17 birdies and an eagle. Some might argue that the course was too easy especially when you consider that Tony MacIsaac had a birdie and even highway (Newell) had a birdie putt. However the greens were very testy and an errant shot from the tee often led to disaster.

Congratulations to Ron Parsons who is showing a rapid improvement in his golfing prowess, ever since he retired towards the end of last year Ron's game has been getting better and better. Having lived on the back of Chirnside Park Golf Course for the previous 40 years Ron is actually starting to wonder whether he might have made it as a pro had he spent his time out on the golf course in his backyard practicing rather than slaving over the tools working for the man for 45 years.

Ron was the standout winner at Warburton with a score of 93 Nett 61 which was 8 under his handicap. Ron has moved to equal leader on the points championship leaderboard and was very quick to pay his \$50 deposit to secure his spot on the 2015 golf trip to Rich River.

Sharing the number one position of the points leaderboard on 27 points is Dale Robinson who is carrying into the 2015 season, the same form that enabled him to win the 2011 title with a Sunday Leave Pass record score of 126 points. Dale looks like he will be a hard man to beat this year and he was even able to hold his own whilst paired up against Big Mick.

Dale smashed out a 305 meter drive on the par 5 fourteenth hole to set himself up with an easy Par. Big Mick also managed to launch a long drive down the same hole but was only 17meters further down the fairway than Dale. When quizzed about why he claims himself to be a big hitter when he was only able to hit the ball 5% further than Dale despite him being twice as tall, and twice as heavy, Mick came up with every excuse in the book. According to Mick the wind was trailing for Dale but turned around to be a head wind for him. One excuse he used was that his ball must have hit the buggy from the group in front and he even had the audacity to allege that the group must have thrown his ball back up along the fairway because they were jealous of his length.

The reality is that the gap between Micks golfing ability and the rest of the Sunday Leave pass crew has been bridged. As Mick blows out to his now double figure handicap the rest of us are getting better and our handicaps are coming down while his continues to go up. Gerard has claimed the Sunday Leave Pass No# 1 golfers status but only so long as guys like Brendan Waters and Brett Meyer remain only casual visitors of the club.

Any doubt whether or not Mick should be a worthy candidate for the least improved player title in 2015 was waived when he was sighted wearing the three putt monkey vest on numerous occasions.



While you are pondering your votes for 2015 you might want to elevate Big Mick higher on you radar for the leather wedge prize.

Apparently Mick also managed to have an air swing on the 7th hole but forgot to record it as a stroke on his score card, according to his playing partners the big fella had a swipe at the ball on the 7th hole but the ball only moved an inch. Evidently to cover up his demise he quickly had three of four more practice swings before readdressing the ball and making another shot.

When queried on why he didn't pay his fine for the air swing Mick claimed that it wasn't a shot it was just a practice swing and he accidentally nicked the ball.

As Micks game deteriorates it's a good sign for the rest of us. Highway (Newell) is investing heavily into his game and has aspirations to be mentoring Big Mick by the end of 2016 rather than it be the usual other way round. Who knows it might just be possible. With regular weekly visits to the Pro's at Morack, Amazing Golf, Wattle Park, and GolfTec it could be said that **Newell has more Pro's at his disposal than Ashley Maddison**. The lessons seem to be working, Highways score improved by 27 shots compared to his round last month at Waterford Valley and his visit to Warburton this year (with a score of 114) was 22 shots

better than when he played the course the same time last year. Were it not for a 12 on the 8th hole and a 10 down the dreaded 18th hole he would have been knocking at the door of a sub 100 round.

Gerard MacIsaac was absolutely devastated after he received the least improved player title in 2014 and also after being the Beer Wench on the golf trip he has spent the summer working on his golf swing, just to make sure it will never happen again.

As he stood on the first tee at Warby which is a perfectly crafted hole for a big hitting left handed single figure handicap golfer like Gerard, there was an air of expectation that he might be able to drive the green. With his natural slice and the dog leg from right to left and with the trailing wind behind him and the natural contours of the fairway feeding towards the green all eyes were on whether he would “**man up**” and have a go at the green and try for an eagle.

Unfortunately for all of the anxiously awaiting spectators he was still wearing the pink dress on Sunday and he didn't even attempt to go for the green. He blamed his softness on his new golf swing which he claims gives him a draw rather than a fade.

Gerard's first tee shot for season 2015 hooked straight out into the trees on the left and was best summarized by Rick who turned to the cheering gallery and said with a smile. “**Bloody useless, HE DRAWS LIKE MR SQUIGGLE.**”



Gerard wasn't the only one to go astray. Adam Cooper took after the family trait and was seen trying to return his ball back across three fairways to get his ball back in play. Stu and Adam were both contributors to the fine jar for hitting drives across two fairways on multiple occasions.

The only target Stu managed to hit all day was the target drawn on the Back of Andrew Clarkes shirt. Andrew was lucky to complete the round after Stu hit him flush in the middle of the back with an errant seven iron on the second hole. If the pain from having a golf ball strike him wasn't enough, the ensuing verbal barrage that Andrew copped for deflecting the ball in to a difficult lie was enough to bring tears to any one's eyes.



Speaking of eyes watering, you can only imagine what might have been happening in the Winnebago on Saturday Night. Grumpy, Murf and Andy Pugh **camped out** at Warburton supposedly to make sure that they didn't miss their tee times.

When I say **CAMPED OUT** I am of course referring to the dictionary definition :

CAMP *noun 1.* a place where an army or other group of persons or an individual is lodged in a tent or tents or other temporary means of shelter.

In no way was I inferring to the homosexuality reference that could be implied when using the word **camp** when 3 men were all sharing a double bed in a very confined intimate space.

CAMP *adjective*

1. effeminate; affected in mannerisms, dress, etc
2. homosexual
3. consciously artificial, exaggerated, vulgar, or mannered; self-parodying, esp when in dubious taste

According to Andrew Pugh “**he played a few good holes at the start but then fellow off in the back end.**” I hope he was talking about his golf game and the fact that the majority of his pars were score on the front nine and his back nine was more heavily loaded with double and triple bogies.

Andrew won the Nearest to pin competition on the 12th hole. Interestingly he was walking around in circles for 5 minutes searching for his all in the trees to the right of the green before his playing partners called him up and advised him that there was an extra ball on the green. As lucky as his break was to have his ball ricochet back onto the green, it still didn't turn out all too well for Andy, because he still finished the hole with a five with four putts, a \$2-00 fine and the burden of wearing the monkey vest for the next couple of holes.

REMINDER HOW 3 PUTT MONKEY GAME WORKS



*As part of the putting competition this year, as a brainchild suggestion from Paul Blizzard we have introduced the Three Putt Monkey game. At the start of each round every group will be given a fluoro yellow 3 Putt Monkey vest and whenever a person has a **3 putt or worse** that player must put on the 3 Putt Monkey Vest and wear it until another player in the group has a **3 putt or more**. The player wearing the 3 putt Monkey vest at the completion of the 18th hole will be required to chip in an additional \$2 into the fine jar. If multiple players have a **3 putt or worse** the player who was last into the hole wins the vest irrespective of whether the other player before them had a 3 putt, four putt or even a seven putt. The furthest player from the hole should putt first and that player is deemed as in control and therefore has the option of marking their ball if they miss the putt or putting out.

SOS ended up wearing the monkey vest at the end of the 8th hole after making a 3 putt par from less than 12 feet. SOS played a brilliant 4 iron onto the green having hit up on the group in front of him. With a 12 foot eagle putt within his grasp SOS made the fateful mistake of asking what the eagles nest prize pool was worth. Needless to say he missed the eagle, failed to make a Birdie and tapped in for a devastating par and his reward was the burden of an extra layer of clothing on a 36 degree day.

There were a few other attempts for eagle that went unrewarded, Stu Coops also missed an eagle putt on the 8th hole, Mick Harper lipped out for eagle on the 8th hole and he also had a near miss on the 14th hole but the eagles nest did end up going off but it wasn't on a par 5 but rather on the par 4 eleventh hole.

Steve Powne introduced a new member to the club in February. Steve described Brendan Waters as an occasional golfer who plays at a similar standard and skill set as himself. I cannot ever remember Stevie Powne shooting 5 birdies and an eagle a single round which is just what Brendan did on his way to the day's lowest score, a very impressive 3 over par 72. Brendan becomes the first ever player in the Sunday Leave Pass social club to be given a Callaway handicap of scratch so how Steve likens his game to Brendan's is yet to be explained.

Brendan started the day with a perfect drive down the middle of the fairway followed by a small pitch into the green which lipped out for eagle but it made for the easiest of tap in birdies. After a couple of easy pars he also made a birdie after hitting an 8 iron next to the flag on the fourth hole and then chipped in for birdie two on the Par 3 fifth. By that stage at 3 under par it was pretty obvious that Steve Powne had brought along a shark with him and they were obviously conspiring to take advantage of the social club. On the 285metre 11th Hole Brendan hit his drive through the back of the green and was faced with a chip back down the hill which even Adam Scott would have deemed as near impossible. Brendan chipped the ball into the hole for an eagle 2. Later in the afternoon he was seen in the carpark passing on half of the 12 golf balls that he had won in the eagles nest prize pool to Steve Powne who had a sheepish smile on his face.

Brendan must have been disappointed that even with 5 birdies and an eagle for the day he was still not able to win many skins in the 18 hole skins competition, luckily for the rest of us the handicapper put Brendan off a zero Callaway handicap and not on 22 as Stevie P had suggested initially.

Tony MacIsaac proved yet again that the Warburton golf course is a happy hunting ground for him. Tony has twice previously been runner up at Warburton and has had his two best ever rounds on the mountain course. This year he had his victory speech written in advance and he even had arranged for his best mate Rob Underwood to drive down to Melbourne to join him for a round of golf and his victory party. Unfortunately Rob was unable to make the 5 hour drive and Tony was left to go commando. (Play without undies.) Standing on the 16th tee it was starting to look as though T Mac was going to break the drought and claim a monthly title. He had yet another good score going on the Warburton layout and was looking like he could finally win that illusive maiden Sunday Leave Pass monthly title. Were it not for him finishing with a quadruple bogie on 16, a triple bogie on 17 and a nine on the last hole Tony might just about have finished in the number one top position but he did choke and with every stuffed up shot he fell further down the order of merit rankings and in the end he was lucky to scrape in for 14th position and was able to claim 2 championship points instead of the 15 that he was on track to win.

Congratulations to Ron Parson who is definitely showing signs of a very successful campaign in the 2015 season. After a brilliant end to last year Ron has continued with his new found form and once again finished his round in top position with an impressive Nett 61. Dale Robinson was a close runner up with Nett 65 beating Andrew Pugh on a countback. SOS and Adam Cooper rounded out the top 5 with Sub par rounds and they therefore finished in 4th and 5th place respectively. All of the players in the top 12 scored Nett 72 or better and it was really only slinky and the soon to be Beer Wench Colin Ewart who struggled to make a score on the Warbuton layout. Both of these boys failed to score better than a Nett Score in the 80's which interestingly still would have landed them a top 10 finish at Waterford Valley. We will look forward to seeing Colin wearing the Pink Beer Wench Vest at Dorset next month as the new rules of the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club are such, that the player who comes last each month must wear the pink vest for the next round.

Results for Warburton were as follows:

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Player	Ron Parsons	Dale Robinson	Andrew Pugh	Steve O'Sullivan	Adam Cooper	Tony Grasso	Andrew Clarke
Score	93	85	93	79	95	89	88
Handicap	32	20	28	12	27	18	17
Nett Score	61	65	65	67	68	71	71
Points	15	14	13	12	11	10	9

Ranking	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Player	Mike Harper	Steve Powne	Peter Hutson	Brendan Seagrave	Brendan Waters	Gerard MacIsaac	Tony MacIsaac
Score	81	98	91	92	72	81	105
Handicap	10	27	19	20	Callaway 0	8	30
Nett Score	71	71	72	72	72	73	75
Points	8	7	6	5	4	3	2

Ranking	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Player	Stuart Cooper	John Murphy	Newell Richards	Greg Breasley	Rick Turcinovic	John Mea	Colin Ewart
Score	91	103	114	108	111	104	126
Handicap	15	Callaway 26	37	30	32	20	37
Nett Score	76	77	77	78	79	84	89
Points	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Place Standings for 2015:

Name	Total	Played	Rank	Name	Total	Played	Rank
Ron Parsons	27	2	1	Shane Cumming	0	0	25
Dale Robinson	27	2	1	Ben Nichol	0	0	25
Mick Harper	23	2	3	Tony Grasso Junior	0	0	25
Peter Hutson	17	2	4	Darren Agars	0	0	25
Glenn Douglas	15	1	5	Alistair Beyer	0	0	25
Andrew Pugh	13	1	6	Sam Creaton	0	0	25
Steve OSullivan	12	1	7	Nick Brennan	0	0	25
Colin Ewart	12	2	7	Chris Sfiligoj	0	0	25
Adam Cooper	11	1	9	Geoff Cooper	0	0	25
Tony Grasso	10	1	10	Greg Parsons	0	0	25
Brendan Seagrave	10	2	10	Jamie Brunton	0	0	25
Rick Turcinovic	10	2	10	Warwick Miller	0	0	25
Andrew Clarke	9	2	13	Michael Collins	0	0	25
Stuart Cooper	9	2	13	Matt MacIsaac	0	0	25
Steve Powne	7	1	15	David Burns	0	0	25
Trevor Adair	7	1	15	Paul Blizzard	0	0	25
Greg Breasley	7	2	15	Karl Winters	0	0	25
Newell Richards	5	2	18	Peter Engberg	0	0	25
Brendan Waters	4	1	19	Larry Campbell	0	0	25
Gerard MacIsaac	3	1	20	Sam Creaton	0	0	25
Mark Sfiligoj	3	1	20	Phil Plane	0	0	25
Tony MacIsaac	2	1	22	John Bembow	0	0	25
John Mea	1	1	23	Brett Meyer	0	0	25
John Murphy	1	1	23	Ron Thomas	0	0	25

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

3rd Hole Adam Cooper
5th Hole Dale Robinson
9th Hole Tony Grasso
12th Hole Andrew Pugh
15th Hole Ron Parsons

Longest Drive Mick Harper

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:

Glenn Douglas x3 Winner at Waterford Valley
Ron Parsons x3 Winner at Warburton

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 **Warburton** were won by:

1 Jackpot
2 **Ron Parsons**
3 Jackpot
4 **Ron Parsons**
5 **Tony Maclsaac**
6 **Tony Maclsaac**
7 Jackpot
8 **Stuart Cooper**
9 **Tony Grasso**
10 Jackpot
11 **Brendan Waters**
12 Jackpot
13 Jackpot
14 **Newell Richards**
15 Jackpot
16 Jackpot
17 Jackpot
18 Jackpot

<u>Number of skins won</u>	
Ron Parsons	x4
Newell Richards	x3
Stuart Cooper	x2
Brendan Waters	x2
Tony Maclsaac	x2
Tony Grasso	x1

After being quite generous last month the handicapper decided to be a bit more brutal with the pencil. Players with good scores were docked a slice of their handicaps especially considering that historically the scores at Dorset have been pretty good. Congratulations to Andrew Pugh who start his Sunday Leave Pass with a very generous 28 handicap. Looking at some of the approach shots he was hitting into the green at Warburton this highly acclaimed hockey player will not be sitting around on 28 for very long at all.

Adam, Dale, Ron, Steve O, Steve P and Tony Mac all reserved a shave off the handicap whereas Andrew Clarke, Grumpy, Gerard, Colin, Rick, and Greg Breasley were the recipients of a little boost to the handicap for the next round.

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	25.8	26.7		Larry Campbell	23.6	23.6
Alistair Beyer	9.9	9.9		Luke Chacksfield	19.0	19.0
Anthony Hogg	29.5	29.5		Mark Fitzpatrick	19.1	19.1
Andrew Pugh	New H/cap 28.0	1 game req'd		Mark Sfiligoj	19.7	19.7
Andrew Clarke	16.7	16.5		Matt Maclsaac	23.8	23.8
Ben Nichol	21.3	21.3		Michael Collins	21.3	21.3
Brendan Seagrave	20.2	19.4		Mick Harper	9.7	9.7
Brett Meyer	8.3	8.3		Newell Richards	37.0	37.0
Carl Schulze	17.6	17.6		Paul Blizzard	14.4	14.4
Chris Sfiligoj	26.5	26.5		Peter Hutson	18.6	18.6
Colin Ewart	36.6	36.5		Phil Plane	28.7	28.7
Dale Robinson	18.9	19.5		Rick Turcinovic	33.3	31.7
Darren Agars	3 game req'd	3 game req'd		Ron Parsons	31.0	31.3
David Burns	28.8	28.8		Ron Thomas	3 game req'd	3 game req'd
Geoff Cooper	32.5	32.5		Shane Cumming	13.9	13.9
Gerard Maclsaac	9.3	8.4		Steve O'Sullivan	12.2	12.4
Glenn Douglas	19.4	19.4		Steve Powne	27.2	27.3
Greg Andrews	25.5	25.5		Stuart Cooper	14.9	14.9
Greg Breasley	31.3	30.2		Tony Grasso	17.6	17.6
Greg Parsons	25.3	25.3		Tony Grasso Jnr	26.7	26.7
Jamie Brunton	25.8	25.8		Tony Maclsaac	29.8	30.1
John Benbow	14.6	14.6		Trevor Adair	15.8	15.8
John Mea	20.1	20.1				
Karl Winters	33.0	33.0				

BOOKINGS CONFIRMATION

Dorset 22nd March 9-44am

Player	Status \$35	Paid	Player	Status \$35	Paid
Adam Cooper	Unknown		Larry Campbell	Unknown	
Alistair Beyer	Unknown		Luke Chacksfield	Unknown	
Anthony Hogg	Unknown		Mark Fitzpatrick	Unknown	
Andrew Clarke	Unknown		Mark Sfiligoj	Unknown	
Ben Nichol	Unknown		Matt Maclsaac	Unknown	
Brendan Seagrave	Confirmed		Michael Collins	Unknown	
Brett Meyer	Unknown		Mick Harper	Confirmed	
Carl Schulze	Unknown		Newell Richards	Confirmed	
Chris Sfiligoj	Unknown		Paul Blizzard	Unknown	
Colin Ewart	Confirmed		Peter Hutson	Confirmed	
Dale Robinson	Confirmed		Phil Plane	Unknown	
Darren Agars	Unknown		Rick Turcinovic	Confirmed	
David Burns	Unknown		Ron Parsons	Confirmed	
Geoff Cooper	Unknown		Ron Thomas	Unknown	
Gerard Maclsaac	Confirmed		Shane Cumming	Unknown	
Glenn Douglas	Unknown		Steve O'Sullivan	Confirmed	
Greg Andrews	Unknown		Steve Powne	Confirmed	
Greg Breasley	Confirmed		Stuart Cooper	Confirmed	
Greg Parsons	Unknown		Tony Grasso	Unknown	
Jamie Brunton	Unknown		Tony Grasso Jnr	Unknown	
John Benbow	Unknown		Tony Maclsaac	Confirmed	
John Mea	Unknown		Trevor Adair	Unknown	
Karl Winters	Unknown				

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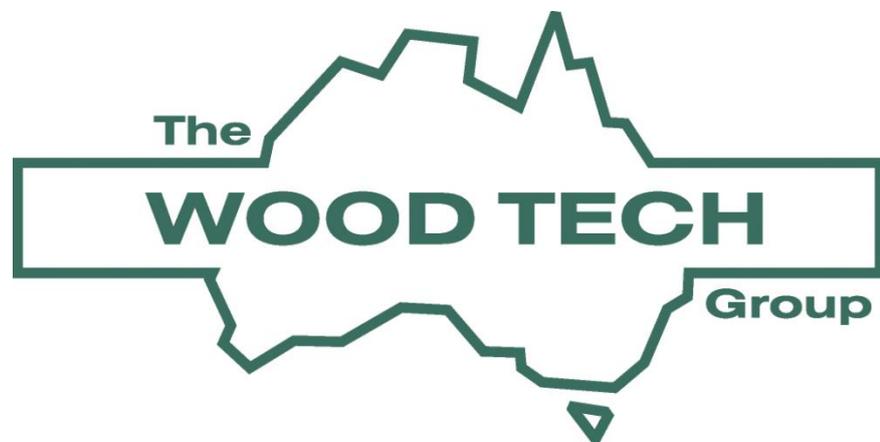
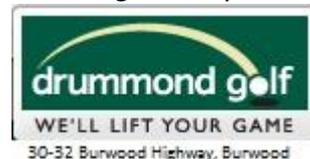
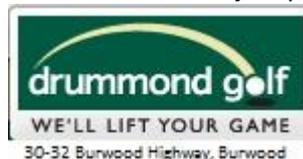
Remaining games on 2015 Fixture

Golf Course & How to get there Directions	Date	Melways Ref	Website links
Dorset	22nd March 9-44am	51 C 6	www.dorset.com
Devil Bend	19th April 8-00am	152 J 1	www.devilbendgolf.com.au
Spring Park	10th May 1-00pm	88 H 7	www.springparkgolf.com.au
Centenary Park	31st May 7-40am	100 E 9	www.Centenary Park
Beacon Hills	28th June 7-40am	210 K 7	www.beaconhillsgolf.com.au
Morack	26th July 9-15am	63 C 5	www.morackgolf.com.au
Werribee Park	30th August 8-00am	259 B 4	www.werribeepark.com.au
Ringwood	20th September 10-00am	63 F 2	www.ringwoodgolfclub.com.au
Yarrambat	18th October 9-28am	184 D 5	www.yarrambatgolf.com.au
Kingston Links	15th November 8-40am	81 E 2	kingstonlinks.com.au
Rich River	4 th to 6 th December 2015		

To check out the Season fixture for next year you can use the following Link
<http://www.sundayleavepass.com/2015%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.





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.



Evergreen Winery Tours



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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.