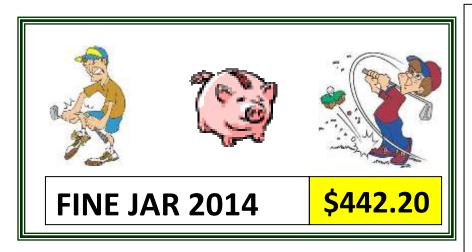






SUNDAY LEAVE PASS 2014



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.

Sunday Leave Pass Members Night.

This Tuesday 2nd September 6pm.

Just a reminder that we have booked the SLP members Drummond night for this Tuesday. Originally we had about 18 guys express interest in the night and hopefully the majority of you can still make it this Tuesday. The night will run from 6.00pm to 7.00 pm or later depending on final numbers.

The night will be an opportunity for Drummonds to meet the members of the club and they have bundled up some good special deals for us with good discounts on hardware, shoes, apparel and accessories for us to take advantage of.

Drummonds will also provide some food and drink and they will give us all the opportunity to test some of the latest gear on flight scope (VIRTUAL GOLF MACHINE), which will include a couple of little competitions. i.e.) NTP longest drive etc.

Yarrambat Golf Course Results August

What would motivate anyone to drive from Mt Martha to Yarrambat for a round of golf other than insanity is yet to be explained. However the 170km round trip, and 2& 1/2 hours in the car were actually worthwhile for Greg Parsons who carded his best score for 2014, in fact his round at Yarrambat was his best score since October 2009 when he carded a 21 over par 90 at Dorset to wrap up the seasons points championship trophy.

While a few of the big guns failed to get going in the difficult windy conditions, Greg played brilliantly. Even under the duress of attempted sabotage and sledging from Gerard and Dale, Greg remained staunch in his resolve. Greg was unfazed even when he fell victim to the old school boy antics of the stick in the water bubbler trick. Greg nearly blew the hat off his head when he followed Dale to the drinking fountain to rehydrate himself. What he didn't realize was that Dale had set him up and he put a stick into the water dispenser creating a buildup of extra water pressure. When Greg turned on the tap a spurt of water shot up into his eyes and face and witnesses' say that the look on his face was absolutely priceless.

Greg's round almost came unraveled on the 17th hole when the experienced campaigner, Gerard started to get into his head. Having shown such poise and control for 16 holes in a row, Gerard decided it was time to bring the budding ice-cream entrepreneur back to reality. As Greg stood over his driver, Gerard asked the simple innocuous question, "Do you breathe in or do you breathe out during your backswing?" Needless to say Greg stuffed the tee shot up, botched the next one and hacked his way along the entire fairway. By the time he putted in for a quadruple bogie 8, he had almost stopped breathing completely because he suddenly realized that he was experiencing the perfect choke. Luckily Greg was able to regain his composure on the eighteenth hole and he made a bogie on the last to hold out for a one stroke victory over Steve Powne.

Colin Ewart had an extraordinary round, to use an old golf euphemism he was brilliant from tee to green. Colin hit 100% of his drives on the fairway and was rolling putts in from anywhere and everywhere. Col completed the 18 holes with less than 30 putts, but it was the crappy shots in the middle that ultimately cost him the championship points on the day. Col would often be 20 meters from the green for 2 shots and have a 1 putt but he was required to mark his scorecard down as a seven or eight.

The inconsistent Yarrambat greens proved a difficult challenge for most players although some guys found the best option to simply avoid putting all together. John Mea chipped in for 0 putt and Shane Cummings holed his third shot in the Par 5 eleventh for an eagle.

Shanno had the golfing gods in his corner and as well as making his eagle shot he also found a few other lucky breaks around the golf course. Without going into detail about all tales of fortune, by far the luckiest break he caught was when he hit a wild slice into the trees on his approach to the 14th hole. There was a crack of plastic on timber as a flock of cockatoos took flight, Shane's ball bounced from one limb to the next to another. Miraculously the third bounce spat the ball out sideways where it ran up the steep bank at the side of the green bounced off the wheel of Steve O'Sullivans golf buggy and came to rest on the putting surface. If that wasn't enough, he was actually blindsided from the shot so he never actually saw the outcome of his shot and therefore he spent 5 minutes walking around the scrub looking for his ball before his playing partners actually discovered that there was an extra ball lying on the green and then realized it was his.

Compare that to poor Stu Coops who hit his drive straight over the Dog leg on the Par 5 seventh hole. A thorough search in the area where the ball should have come to rest proved fruitless and he was forced to declare the ball lost when it should have been pretty much in the middle of the fairway. After the penalty for the lost ball he battled to the end of the hole with a final score of nine. Only two holes later Trevor Adair turned up at the halfway house with an identical ball to the one Stu had lost and it even had Stu's unique identifying markings, Trevor claimed to have found the ball on the side of the fairway on the 7th hole but only after Stu had finished playing the hole, however given his track record for steal golf balls and knowing that it was a blind corner, it is fair to assume that he may have been on one of his golf ball collection missions. What's more, even after having admitted to being in possession of the golf ball, Trevor still elected not to give it back to the rightful owner and Stu was left to play the remaining 9 holes with an old second rate golf ball because it was the last one he had left in his golf bag.

Geoff Cooper was also left digging into the deepest corners of his golf bag trying to find enough balls to get him around the course. It was a tough day for the not quite yet an octogenarian, who started the day with a ten and then scored a disastrous 11 on the par 3, sixteenth hole. Geoff donated three balls in a row to the water gods on the 16th and he also three putted the green to seal his fate as the August Beer Wench title holder.

Congratulations to Newell (Highway) who elevated himself out of Beer wench position, he actually even surprised himself with a very commendable score of 120 off the stick. When you consider that during his warm up at the driving range he actually managed to hit the shed behind him, a top 20 finish is an extraordinary improvement and a noteworthy effort.

"Not So Big Mick" had a very disappointing result for the day. Having played such a brilliant round in the dark at Rosebud, there was plenty of money on "Not so Big Mick" going Back to Back at Yarrambat. The chances of him winning twice in a row ended on the first hole when he duffed his tee shot which only just managed to scrape past the ladies markers. Micks drive was the shortest of all 27 players from the club and the raucous cheers could be heard from miles away when the so called single figure handicapper also topped his second shot.

"Not So Big Mick" will need to get used to being the small ball in the group going forward. His driving ability has been overshadowed by Brett Meyer and now Black Fella (Glen Douglas) who have both proved to be big hitters who actually make Mick look like he is teeing off with a 6 iron. Black Douglas smashed the longest drive competition, according to the GPS recorder his ball came to rest 278 meters from the tee box. That is a massive drive, especially when you consider he was hitting uphill. With Brett & Glen looking to play regularly in 2015 it might be a long time before "Not So Big Mick" can reclaim his former title.

Mick tried to argue that Black Douglas's ball may have been aided by the help of the local birdie life; he reckons the ball landed on a magpies back and it was carried that far rather than Glen hitting it. The birds were out in force on Sunday so it is possible.

Rick Turcinovic had his hat knocked off his head when he got too close a magpies nest, an over protective mother magpie started swooping him. As his playing partners so aptly put it, that was as close as Rick his come to a Birdie in a long time, the only thing was that he didn't hit the birdie, it was more the Birdie hit him.

Yarrambat is very pretty landscape and the golfing experience is enhanced by the fact that it is heavily populated with wildlife, including ducks, parrots, rabbits and kangaroos which roam the fairways like they own the place. Peter

Hutson was intrigued when he came across a huge male grey kangaroo who was oblivious to everything else around him because he so busy pleasuring himself.

Peter thought it was a great old joke and he had the video camera rolling and he had his I-phone camera going at a mile a minute, snapping away photos as he watched the Roo enjoying his not so private moment. Or perhaps it was actually not a private moment but more a directive targeted specifically at Pete. Our sources reveal that the kangaroo's behavior was actually a jibe at Pete and what it was actually saying was "Hey you, buddy, yeah you with the remote control baby jeep golf buggy, do you know what you are, you are one of these. Yep that's right jeep boy, you are a wanker."

The kangaroo probably has a fair and valid point too, especially when you see Pete's buggy whizzing around the fairways on its own, zig aging, this way and that for no apparent reason other than it is a game for Peter. At one point we actually saw it doing circle work at the front of the green while Pete was giving a perfect stranger a demonstration sales spiel about how his beloved baby Jeep works.



We all know the issues that can arise with other golfers playing your golf ball by mistake. You might remember that back in March we had to introduce the sale of "Don't Steal Me Trevor" golf balls after Trevor was caught taking other players Bridgestone golf balls.

Once the limited supply of "Don't Steal Me Hutson took it upon himself and decided to logo emblazoned on them. That was all hard way that all of the balls were identical ball as he was.



Trevor" golf balls was depleted, Peter order 1188 golf balls with his company good in theory until he discovered the and other guys were using the same prize

Last month Pete's ball mysteriously disappeared when it landed on the wrong fairway within close proximity to Trevor the bushranger. Unfortunately for Pete there was no way to prove his ball had been compulsory acquired because Peter & Trevor both claimed that they were playing a Srixon AD 333 with a Woodtech/Sunday Leave Pass Logo, No# 2. As an ex-policeman Trevor was quick to recite the adverse possession law (Rule No#251 Section C) and therefore argued that Possession is $9/10^{th}$'s of the law.



This month Peter decided to use a unique marker to ensure his ball was easy to identify and as to be expected he selected a symbol which is close to his heart. He has made a stern warning to all Sunday Leave Pass members to take note, he will not let anyone mess with his Jeep and if you steal, or even touch his ball he will run you over in the car park on the way home.



The biggest battle in the car park was who was going to win the August title. Congratulations to Greg Parsons who managed to beat Steve Powne by a single stroke. Both boys had commendable scores smashing their handicaps. Greg shot Nett 66 and Steve Powne was unlucky not to win with Nett 67.

The final results for Yarrambat were as listed below

Results for Yarrambat were as follows:

Ranking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Player	Greg	Steve	Rick	Ron	Brett	Peter	Andrew	Brendan	Dhil Dlana
	Parsons	Powne	Turcinovic	Parsons	Meyer	Hutson	Pugh	Seagrave	Phil Plane
Score	93	94	104	105	83	94	119	93	105
Handicap	27	27	32	32	9	19	Callaway 44	18	30
Nett Score	66	67	72	73	74	75	75	75	75
Points	15	14	13	12	11	<mark>10</mark>	9	8	<mark>7</mark>

Ranking	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Player	Tony	Glenn	Dale	Colin	Andrew		Mick	Gerard	Shane
	MacIsaac	Douglas	Robinson	Ewart	Clarke	John Mea	Harper	MacIsaac	Cumming
Score	106	96	97	113	94	99	88	90	90
Handicap	30	Callaway 18	19	35	16	20	9	9	9
Nett Score	76	76	78	78	78	79	79	81	81
Points	<u>6</u>	<mark>5</mark>	4	<mark>3</mark>	2	1	1	1	1

Ranking	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Player	Mark Sfiligoj	Newell Richards	Tony Grasso	Steve O'Sullivan	Stuart Cooper	Greg Breasley	Karl Winters	Trevor Adair	Geoff Cooper
Score	102	120	101	96	101	116	116	103	123
Handicap	20	37	17	12	15	30	28	15	33
Nett Score	82	83	84	86	86	86	88	88	90
Points	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

As the season draws on the race for the seasons championship is getting more interesting. The President and Stu Coops did very little this month both only receiving the compulsory point for turning up, therefore opening up the door for Peter Hutson to continue his charge towards the top. Slinky and Greg Parsons have also moved well up on the leader board but remembering that they are not attending the golf trip might be the difference between reigning in the leaders or not.

Place Standings for 2014:

Name	Total	Played	Rank	Name	Total	Played	Rank
Stuart Cooper	77	9	1	Shane Cumming	19	4	24
Steve O'Sullivan	72	9	2	Greg Andrews	18	3	26
Peter Hutson	58	7	3	Adam Cooper	18	2	26
Mick Harper	50	7	4	Karl Winters	17	5	28
John Mea	48	5	5	Greg Breasley	16	6	29
Greg Parsons	48	6	5	Glenn Douglas	16	2	29
Andrew Clarke	48	9	5	Colin Ewart	14	7	31
Steve Powne	47	8	8	Chris Sfiligoj	13	3	32
Rick Turcinovic	47	8	8	Ben Nichol	12	5	32
Brett Meyer	43	5	10	Sam Creaton	11	1	34
Dale Robinson	41	7	11	Matt MacIsaac	9	2	35
Trevor Adair	40	9	12	Newell Richards	9	7	35
Phil Plane	40	9	12	Andrew Pugh	9	1	37
Brendan Seagrave	35	5	14	Paul Blizzard	5	2	38
Tony Grasso	32	8	15	David Burns	2	1	38
Luke Chacksfield	32	5	15	Mitch Jansen	2	2	40
Gerard MacIsaac	31	6	17	Warwick Miller	1	1	40
John Benbow	29	3	18	Michael Collins	1	1	40
Tony MacIsaac	29	7	18	Colin McGowan	1	1	40
Ron Parsons	24	8	20	Mark Fitzpatrick	1	1	43
Mark Sfiligoj	24	5	20	Steve Hungerford	0	0	43
Geoff Cooper	23	3	22	Alistair Beyer	0	0	43
Larry Campbell	22	2	23	Nick Brennan	0	0	43
Tony Grasso Junior	19	4	24	Peter Engberg	0	0	

Nearest to the pin prizes were won by:

5th Hole Steve Powne
8th Hole Steve O'Sullivan
16th Hole Matt MacIsaac
16th Hole Tony MacIsaac
Longest Drive Glenn Douglas

Golf Balls are owed to the following people:

Greg Parsons x3 Winner at Yarrambat

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Shane Cummings x9 Eagles Nest. Eagle on 11th Yarrambat

"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 **Yarrambat** were won by:

1	Јаскрот						
2	Greg Parsons						
3	Jackpot						
4	Jackpot						
5	Mark Sfiligoj						
6	Andrew Pugh						
7	Jackpot						
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9	Andrew Pugh						
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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.

Number of skins won						
Andrew Pugh	x4					
Mark Sfiligoj	x3					
Greg Parsons	x2					

Congratulations or Commiserations to Shane Cumming who joined the elite crew with a brilliant eagle 3 on the par 5 eleventh hole. Unfortunately Shanno's brilliance went pretty much unrewarded as he only wins a small prize jackpot from the Eagles Nest (9 Balls) but more importantly he was unable to claim any skins as his 3 for four stableford points was matched with Rick Turcinovics 5 for 4 stableford points and therefore the skins for the hole was jackpotted. We also must apologize to Shane because despite his wonderful achievement there was no kudos, or accolades available from everyone in the car park after the round. Our only excuse for letting Shane's eagle go by almost unnoticed was because everyone else were more surprised and excited by the fact that Tony MacIsaac had also achieved an incredible milestone of his own.

After a career spanning 12 years including 76 rounds, and consisting of 357 attempts (excluding lost balls replayed off the tee) Tony MacIsaac finally hit a Par 3 green from his first shot. On a difficult hole that brought the down fall of many players, Tony was able to and steer his 7 wood over the large lake at the front of the lake bringing his ball to rest only 2 meters below the flagstick. The bookies had the odds of Tony MacIsaac's name being on the NTP marker for the hole at very long odds. In fact as a space saving solution the social club had actually decided that it was so unlikely for Tony to hit a green that they had not even bothered to put Tony MacIsaacs name on the NTP markers. Consequently Tony had to resort to putting his nephew Matt's name on the card instead. The funny thing about that was that more people were more inclined to believe that Matt had actually played the NTP shot than Tony even though he is currently in Thailand.

"One insurance company puts a PGA Tour pro's chances at 1 in 3 to win a NTP and an amateur's like Tony MacIsaac at 1 in 12,750.")

PROBABILITY of winning NTP Prize.

- Professional Tour player making a NTP: 3 to 1
- Low-handicapper making a NTP: 5 to 1
- Average player making a NTP: 12 to 1
- Matt MacIsaac making a NTP from Thailand: 12,749 to 1
- Tony MacIsaac making a NTP: 12,750 to 1

Once again we do apologise to Shanno for letting his chip in for Eagle three go virtually unrecognised on the day however we should give credit to Shane for his achievement. An eagle is a remarkable effort and is worthy of a round of applause and a standing ovation, but sadly in the hype of activity during the drinks and prize presentation we missed the opportunity to give him the kudos he deserved. He has sent an official letter of complaint to the club committee and has requested acknowledgment of his accomplishment. So! On behalf of all your peers from the Sunday Leave Pass Social Club, "Well done Shane and here is your standing ovation and round of applause."









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

		Was			Was
Player:	New Handicap		Player:	New Handicap	
Adam Cooper	26.7	26.7	Mark Fitzpatrick	19.1	19.1
Alistair Beyer	9.9	9.9	Mark Sfiligoj	20.5	20.2
Anthony Hogg	29.5	29.5	Mark Williamson	20.0	20.0
Andrew Clarke	16.1	15.8	Matt MacIsaac	23.3	23.3
Ben Nichol	21.3	21.3	Michael Collins	1 game req'd	1 game req'd
Brendan Seagrave	18.9	18.3	Mick Harper	9.0	8.7
Brett Meyer	8.3	9.4	Mitch Jansen	1 game req'd	1 game req'd
Carl Schulze	17.6	17.6	Neil Phillips	24.0	24.0
Chris Sfiligoj	26.6	26.6	Newell Richards	37.2	37.2
Colin Ewart	35.8	35.3	Nick Brennan	11.1	11.1
Dale Robinson	19.0	19.0	Paul Blizzard	14.4	14.4
Damijan Kralevski	35.1	35.1	Peter Engberg	1 game req'd	1 game req'd
Daniel De Marinis	15.4	15.4	Peter Hutson	19.7	19.9
David Burns	28.8	28.8	Phil Plane	29.1	29.6
Dean Fitzpatrick	34.5	34.5	Rick Turcinovic	31.6	32.0
Geoff Cooper	33.2	33.0	Ron Parsons	32.0	32.4
Gerard MacIsaac	8.8	8.8	Sam Creaton	27.4	27.4
Glenn Douglas	Callaway 19	Callaway 19	Shane Cumming	9.3	9.3
Greg Andrews	25.5	25.5	Steve Sullivan	12.3	12.3
Greg Breasley	30.2	30.2	Steve Powne	25.8	26.9
Greg Parsons	25.3	26.5	Stuart Cooper	14.5	14.5
Jamie Brunton	25.8	25.8	Stuart Holbrook	17.3	17.3
John Benbow	14.6	14.6	Tony Grasso	16.6	16.5
John Mea	20.3	19.7	Tony Grasso Jnr	26.7	26.7
Karl Winters	28.8	28.1	Tony MacIsaac	29.5	30.2
Larry Campbell	Callaway 15	Callaway 15	Trevor Adair	15.4	15.4
Luke Chacksfield	19.0	19.0			

BOOKINGS CONFIRMATION Morack

Player	Status \$35	Paid	Player	Status \$40	Paid	
Adam Cooper	Unknown		Mark Sfiligoj	Unknown		
Alistair Beyer	Unknown		Mick Harper	Confirmed		
Andrew Clarke	Confirmed		Michael Collins	Unknown		
Anthony Hogg	Unknown		Mitch Jansen	Unknown		
Ben Nichol	Unknown		Newell Richards	Confirmed		
Brendan Seagrave	Unknown		Nick Brennan	Unknown		
Brett Meyer	Confirmed		Paul Blizzard	Unknown		
Chris Sfiligoj	Not Playing		Mark Williamson	Unknown		
Colin Ewart	Confirmed		Peter Hutson	Confirmed		
Dale Robinson	Confirmed		Peter Engberg	Unknown		
David Burns	Unknown		Phil Plane	Confirmed		
Geoff Cooper	Not Playing		Rick Turcinovic	Confirmed		
Gerard MacIsaac	Confirmed		Ron Parsons	Confirmed		
Glenn Douglas	Confirmed		Shane Cumming	Confirmed		
Greg Andrews	Unknown		Steve Kruger	Unknown		
Greg Breasley	Confirmed		Steve Hungerford	Unknown		
Greg Parsons	Confirmed		Steve O'Sullivan	Confirmed		
Jamie Brunton	Unknown		Steve Powne	Confirmed		
John Benbow	Unknown		Stuart Cooper	Confirmed		
John Mea	Confirmed		Stuart Holbrook	Unknown		
Karl Winters	Confirmed		Tony MacIsaac	Confirmed		
Larry Campbell	Unknown		Tony Grasso	Confirmed		
Luke Chacksfield	Unknown		Tony Grasso Jnr	Unknown		
Mark Fitzpatrick	Unknown		Trevor Adair	Confirmed		

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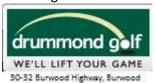
Remaining games on 2014 Fixture

Golf Course & How to get there Directions	Date	Melways Ref	Website links
<u>Morack</u>	28th September 9-28am	63 C 5	www.morackgolf.com.au
Ringwood	19th October 9-28am	63 F 1	www.ringwoodgolf
<u>Marysville</u>	16th November 9-00am	910 T 11	www.marysvillegolfandbowls.com.au
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 out option available to you at any time.



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 carry both the SLP and the Wood Tech logo and we have 96 dozen of them to lose. They are damn good balls. Stu Coops actually played 18 holes with the one ball so if that is the case we might find we have enough balls to keep us going for the next 5-10 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.



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.