



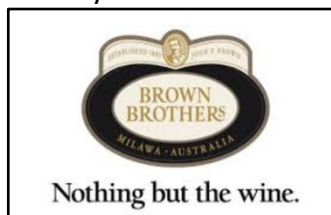
# Jubilee Jottings

A newsletter of the Jubilee Golf Club

**October 2023**

**Sponsors:** are the key to our club's success, look around at their signs as you play, and support them.

When you do use one of our sponsors remember to let them know that you are a Jubilee Golf Club member.



**PLEASE REPAIR PITCH MARKS AND DIVOTS, THANK YOU**

## Something not looking right?

After 200 editions of Jubilee Jottings Joy Hester has handed over the compiling reins to Libby Smith who will do her best to keep you up to date with news at the club. I'm sure you all join me in thanking Joy for the **mammoth** effort she has contributed since taking over in 2006. I'm quite new to the club, only joining in 2022 after moving to Wangaratta from Darwin. The quality of the content from now on will largely be up to your efforts to let me know what's been going on in the last month and what's coming up. Please feel free to send through snippets of information, items of interest, etc and I will be happy to include them.

You can email me at [libbyanderic@gmail.com](mailto:libbyanderic@gmail.com) or msg to 0437006409

Not finished with Joy yet. She and Pauline Mercer represented Jubilee at the 2023 Doris Chambers Cup held at Sanctuary Lakes this month. Despite the wet weather, the sand and the water they had a great day finishing in the top third of a large field. Great result and great representation for our club.



21<sup>st</sup> October

Peter Glidden (7<sup>th</sup>)

28<sup>th</sup> October

Joshue Evers (9<sup>th</sup>)

## Golf Quip

The golfer who makes the best score has always done some very good putting.

-George Low

## Welcome to New Members

The following were approved as new members.

Full Members: Craig Stone

John Jones

Craig Henderson

Mark Carmody

Jason Belcher

Anthony Dalton

Terry Kelly

Simon Williams

Simon Dickinson

Ahmet Ay

U21 Member: Tom Montgomery

Josh Coonan

Darcy Hunter

Junior (Student): Tim Bigger

Nick Brain

Country Member: Michael Williams

(>200kms)

Andrew Black

Richard Egglestone

Maree Egglestone

Please make our new members welcome

## What's on in November?

Sat 4 <sup>th</sup>	Men's pairs Championships
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup>	Melbourne Cup Day
Thurs 9 <sup>th</sup>	Oaks Day Par 3 Chicken and Champagne Lunch
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup>	Course closed for sprigging
Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup>	Course closed for sprigging
Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup>	Ladies AGM Closing Day
Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>	Men's Monthly Medal
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup>	Diggers Day Ambrose
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup>	Vets at Myrtleford
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	Closing Day 4 Person Ambrose

## What's on in December?

Sat 16 <sup>th</sup>	Men's Monthly Medal
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>	Closed

## Next Meeting

of the board will be held on Tuesday, the 21<sup>st</sup> of November at 7.00 pm and any items you want addressed at that meeting should be sent in writing to the secretary.

## Veterans Report

Here we are and another month has slipped by and Christmas is very quickly approaching.

Numbers attending the Monday veterans this month have been up and down with a couple of very good days early but have trailed off in the last two weeks. Not sure why, but I suppose we are coming into the silly season and everyone has their own priorities to complete.

North East District Veterans Association held their monthly competition at Wodonga on the 30/10.

Fourteen of our members made the trip. The course was in the best condition we have seen it in quiet a few years and whilst some fantastic scores were achieved, this did not reflect in the scores from our members, with only two featuring in the prizes. Congratulations to Jacqui O'Brien for taking out first in the Ladies section with a 37 and to Mike Monro for fifth in A grade with 36.

Next event is at Myrtleford on Monday 20th Nov with entries closing on Friday 10th. So, if you wish to play at Myrtleford, you only have a week to get your entry and money in. Following Myrtleford, the next event is our Christmas 2 person Ambrose on Dec 12th.

Fees for the NEDVGA in 2024 are due again by 30th December so we will start collection of them from next Monday. The annual fee has gone up to \$15 and monthly entry fee will remain at \$20. Our Jubilee tournament for 2024 has been shifted from the usual month of August to May for the next two years to see if we can improve on our own numbers attending. So, for all our Vets both new and existing, if you want to get to other courses and play with different people once a month please see either Bill O'Brien or Mike Monro to join-up or renew your membership.

## Jubilee GC Fees

These are now overdue for 23-24 season.  
Please pay ASAP. If you have mislaid your invoice, please request a new one be emailed to you.

## Course Closure

The course will be CLOSED on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November for sprigging of the fairways. This involves obtaining fresh sprig material from established fairways and line planting them evenly over the fairway that needs improvement. It is a better way of improving our fairways without mass poisoning routines. Once line planted, they just need to be kept wet for some weeks until they have successfully struck. **Volunteers** are called on to help with the line planting. After the 16<sup>th</sup> there will be tee ups to protect the new sprigs but play can resume immediately. Any men wishing to play on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> are welcome. Please remember that the ladies hit off at 9.30 from the 1<sup>st</sup> and the 18<sup>th</sup> tees.

## Community Raffle

Books have been distributed recently and you may be asked to sell what you can. Please take notice of the date they are due back to Jubilee: December 17<sup>th</sup> and do what you can to support this fundraising effort. Our strategic plan allocates these funds to further develop the course and facilities.



Our clubhouse venue looked stunning for an engagement party last weekend.



The Longest Day is a fundraiser for the Cancer Council partaken by the golfing community. Golf Clubs/Teams participate by undertaking to raise \$\$ for this cause.

Teams undertake to play 36 (the Long day), 54 (the Longer day) or 72 holes (the Longest day) in a day. Last year more than \$8 million was raised nationally.

Every \$ raised is a \$ that the Cancer Council can put to very good use.

1. Sun Smart program in schools.
2. Research.
3. Support services for Cancer Patients.

Jubilee Golf Club is participating again, this is our 4<sup>th</sup> year. Our team, Jubilee Jesters has been registered and any member can join the team. The more the merrier.

JJ have committed to playing 72 holes, but there is no compulsion to play all 72. If members want to play 18, 36 or 54 that is fine, we welcome more participants.

Members can book their spot with the team online or phone 1300656585.

Jubilee Jesters will be playing on Sunday 10/12/2023 at Jubilee GC.

Want more information or have queries :- [www.longestday.org.au](http://www.longestday.org.au) Or contact Frances Duffy 0417652290 or Ashley Neave at the Pro Shop.



# Something Special to Celebrate

## Trinity Mulder



Trinity is a Junior member at Jubilee and is really starting to make her mark on the game. Her first recent achievement was winning the 2023 Order of Merit for the Jack Newton 'Juniors on the Move' Championship for the Murray Region in only her second year of competing. This event is played over 9 rounds across the season and Trinity managed to compete in 8 of them, winning the round held at Wodonga and achieving consistently good results at the others.

Competing in the Jubilee Juniors tournament on the holidays, Trinity came 1st in the girls division with a great score. A great experience and nice to achieve it at Jubilee.

Most recently Trinity represented her school in the Hume Region SSV (School Sport Victoria) Golf Australia Primary school tournament at Benalla. She now goes through to the finals which will be held at Koorungal Golf Course in December. Well done Trinity, your club is very proud of your achievements and we look forward to hearing more from you in the future.



# Something of a Safety Issue

Safety notice to members regarding the charging of Lithium-ion batteries

Whilst it remains rare, it is worth noting that as the use of Li-ion batteries have increased so has the prevalence of fires in sheds and homes caused by overcharging, particularly where chargers, cords, or batteries could be faulty.

The main risk of fire occurs when components of the Li-ion battery break down due to overheating and ignite. Quality Li-ion battery packs usually feature a Battery Management System designed to protect the battery cells and prevent failure from occurring, however it is still advisable to be cautious when charging. Consequently, it is a strong recommendation to monitor the charging time of the battery and to disconnect once fully charged. Additionally, it is advisable to charge Li-ion batteries on a non-combustible surface such as concrete, ceramic, or steel.

It is important to note that if a lithium fire does occur, water should not be used to douse it, as water reacts with Lithium in a very volatile way that creates even greater heat which can exacerbate the ferocity of the fire. You will find many references to safety measures for the use of Lithium batteries on the internet.

Thank you for this contribution Alan White