

Jubilee Jottings

A newsletter of the Jubilee Golf Club

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ALL GOLFERS MUST CARRY A SAND BUCKET AND REPAIR ALL DIVOTS.

Congratulations!

A great start to the year with our Men winning the Summer Pennant 23-24 final.



From L -R Nathan Kungl, Tristan Heath, Jarrod Adamo, Rhys Rigoni, Peter Glidden, Greg Rigoni, Robert Voss, Michael Baille, Daniel McPhee, Nat Hirunwiwat.

The team went through the season undefeated winning their games at Shepparton, then at Tocumwal and the last game at Benalla was a draw against Tocumwal Golf Club.

The final was played at Corowa Golf Club against Tocumwal, and the team won 3/2 with 3 of the games going down to the last 2 holes. Captain, Peter Glidden, would like to thank all the boys for their hard work for the pennant season. A special thanks to Aaron Kungl for supporting the team at every game.

The team was made up of:

- Pete Glidden (Captain) Tristan Heath Michael Baille Jr Rhys Rigoni Greg Rigoni Jacob Schonafinger Glen O'Connell
- Nathan Kungl Nat Hirunwiwat Jarrod Adamo Greg Rigoni Daniel McPhee Eon Scott

Guide to Golf Etiquette Responsibility for Scoring

You are responsible for keeping the score of your playing partner, and they are responsible for keeping track of yours. It is recommended that you confer after every hole, some like to confirm the score when you are both on



the green before putting begins. Either way, you are expected to be conscious of how many shots **you each have** on any hole. Don't just leave it up to them, or you could end up with an even worse result than you deserve. And conversely, they score better than they played. P1

NEDGA Open Day 2024

This was held on Sunday Feb 11th at Benalla Golf Club and many of the 22 clubs in the North Eastern Region were represented. Fourteen members from Jubilee was a great effort from our club and we took out some of the Stableford Aggregate prizes too!

A local Benalla Women's Pairing won that section with our own Kellie Roberts and Leeanne Carmody as Runners Up (70 pts). Libby and Eric Smith won the Mixed Team (75 pts). A Team Trophy is also awarded for those representing their Club's 'Captains, Presidents and Secretaries' and Jubilee won this with an impressive 108 points amassed by Kellie Roberts, Glen Ryan and Eric Smith. Val Ellis also took home a nearest the pin.





Jubilee Veterans



Happy Hour at Bright for those that travelled up early

Here we are at the end of February and the weather is finally starting to warm up. Simon & Matt continue to do a great job as the course is in magnificent condition and both are to be congratulated on their efforts along with all those volunteers who assist.

The numbers attending Monday Vets is remaining fairly steady at around 30 per week. We have seen a couple of members who are finally admitting their age and coming out to join in the Vets. We welcome everyone over the age of 50 who have the time available to come and join in. Times again, for anyone interested, 8:00am nominations for partner draw and hit off at 8:30am shotgun start.

This month in the NEDVGA competition in Bright, we had 30 members put their names down along with 2 from other clubs' nominations via ourselves. Whilst the Bright course was in good condition it did not reflect in the scores. The best score on the day was a 38 from a Howlong lady and another 3 players had a 36. They had a total of 177 players on the day so not many played to their handicap.

From our club we had the following trophy winners. Neville Hogan 34 was 3rd in A grade. Gerard O'Brien 35, 1st in B grade and Barry Adam's 34 a 3rd in D grade. In the ladies Linda Stone 35 got a 3rd in B grade, whilst Russell Stone got a nearest the pin on the 11th green. Congratulations to all place getters.

On the back of this there were 8 couples that travelled up on Friday and stayed at the caravan park. Apparently "what happens at the park, stays at the park" so not much to report on apart from everyone having a great time and copious amounts of liquid fluids were consumed.

Next month's NEDVGA event will be held at Benalla. Sheet is on the board and entries close on Friday 15th March so if you want to, please put your names and money in early.

Good luck and stay safe in the heat over the next month.

Yes indeed!

Aren't we fortunate to be playing on a course in such wonderful condition! The cover of grass on the tee boxes, fairways and greens is lush and consistent. Obviously, the rain has contributed, but the fairways that were sprigged and line-planted in November now have fabulous cover; a great result for some short-term pain. Our Greens' Staff and trusty volunteers must have felt very proud to present the course in such topnotch condition to all the competitors in the recent Bowl and Tournament.



Of course, some people will never be happy. A couple of members have again complained to the Greens' Staff directly regarding the state of the fairways following the sprigging. This is not appropriate or appreciated. Club members must not approach the greens staff at any time, especially when on their day off. If you have an issue with the course, it must be conveyed to the Greens Chairman, Steve Fisher or a board member.

Welcome to New Members

The following were approved as new members.

Full Members: Under 21yr: Country Member (>50kms):

Will O'Keefe Mick Dow

Allen Bastin

Greg Van Riet

Roy Methven Fraser Ellis

Andrew Bowden

Please make our new members welcome

Rule of the Month

Do I get a free drop from tree roots and embedded



The rules of golf are "Play it as it lies, or take a drop for a 1 stroke penalty." Luckily for us, our committee has adopted a local rule to prevent personal injury and/or golf club damage from natural rocks embedded in the ground (that cannot be moved away as Loose Impediment) and for tree roots. Either of these on the course may be treated as an ABNORMAL GROUND CONDITION.

Where a tree root or embedded rock interferes with the lie of the player's ball or the area of the player's intended swing, relief without penalty may be taken. This includes the chance a forward driven ball may deflect dangerously off the tree root.

So, at Jubilee, the ball may be lifted and dropped within one club-length of, and not nearer to the hole, the nearest point of relief.

Note: Relief under this Rule <u>is not available</u> for interference to the player's stance.

Only Golfers will

Understand.



Thanks Robyn ()

Next Meeting

of the board will be held on Tuesday, the 19th of March at 7.00 pm and any items you want addressed at that meeting should be sent in writing to the secretary.

What's on in March?

Fri 1st -Sun 3rd Sat 9th

Jubilee Tournament Opening Day 4 person Ambrose Monthly Medal

Sat 23rd

What's on in April?

Tue 23rd Sat 27th Ladies Monthly Medal Mens Monthly Medal

Golf Quip

Long drivers are crowd pleasers but a hot putter wins golf tournaments.

- Michelle McGann

No Pay - No Play!

Anyone who is not a JGC member must pay green fees, so if you bring a friend to join you in a social round, please ensure you pop into the Pro Shop and check which is the best tee from which to begin your round, and also have your partner(s) pay. When the Pro Shop is unattended use the Vendi Pay terminal just to the left of the Pro Shop door. The 'Tap 'n Go' platform means it should take you no more than 5 seconds.



And then to the last day of the month, since this is a Leap Year, Feb 29th Jubilee Bowl

In fabulous conditions (though a little more breeze would have been appreciated) 102 players from 15 different clubs enjoyed the event. A special welcome to Linda Terry and Angela Bishop from NEDGA.



Over 100 golfers assemble for the start of play. Is Orange the new black?



At the end of a long game the efforts of Bill and Fraser behind the bar were greatly appreciated. It takes a lot of effort to organise an event like this so thank you to the Greens Staff, Pro Shop and many Club members for the setting up of the room, organising the food etc, etc. Everyone was very complimentary of the lunch and high tea provided. Well done catering volunteers.



And the winning team was Jubilee No.2 comprised of Marilyn Pane, Ros White, Lee Freeland and Val Ellis. Rob Parsons was on hand to make the presentation. His grandfather was the first Life Member of Jubilee Golf Club.

Other individual winners were A Grade: Elizabeth M'Crystal (Yackandandah) 37 R/U Bernie Mclean (Corowa) 35 B Grade: Lyn Poulson (Mansfield) 39 R/U Gail Smith (Beechworth) 37 C Grade: Libby Smith (JGC) 42 R/U Liane Graham (JGC) 39 D Grade: Erika Lombard (JGC) 31 C/B R/U Robyn Grealy (JGC) 31 C/B



Robyn welcomed everyone and shared the history of the Parson's Bowl then Carol took charge of the microphone and announced the presentations to winners.



Thirsty work, the line at the bar continues.



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