

Jubilee Jottings

A newsletter of the Jubilee Golf Club

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80th Celebrations Kick Off

So, when something as deserving as this event comes around, you need to go to a higher authority to get the facts. And this is what happened here. Read on.............

"Well, there were many ladies who enjoyed celebrating with Joy at her birthday bash at the King River Café a week or so ago. As a club we are so fortunate to have many people who just keep on giving and doing for our club, and Joy is definitely one of those. Joy helped with organizing a variety of jobs for the ladies committee before she joined the JGC board in 2012. Since then, she has held the membership portfolio and

only recently retired from the responsibility of Jubilee Jottings after 200 editions. I still think some of those risqué jokes that I submitted were suitable for publication Joy. I am sure everyone at the club wishes you many more birthdays to come."

Melody

Doing it for Jarrod

Golf Day

The date is yet to be set but keep your eye out and your diary open as it is coming up. Be sure to wear yellow.

Rule of the Month

Make sure you can clearly identify your ball so you don't accidentally strike the wrong one off the fairway or hit the wrong one out of the rough. Rule 7 states that players "may fairly search for the ball by taking reasonable actions to find and identify it." These actions include moving or bending anything that impedes your ability to identify your ball. And if you can't identify it when taking these actions, you are allowed to lift the ball to identify it. But the location of the ball must first be marked, and the ball must not be cleaned more than needed to identify it.

If the ball is yours (or another player's ball in your group that you are assisting) you must replace the ball as near as possible to its original spot. The only caveat to this rule is that you are not allowed to clean your ball when identifying it. If you lift the ball when not reasonably necessary, fail to mark the spot of the ball before lifting it or clean it when not allowed, you get one penalty stroke.



Next Meeting

of the board will be held on Tuesday, the 17th of Sept at 7.00 pm and any items you want addressed at that meeting should be sent in writing to the secretary.



17th Aug

Matt Walker

11th hole

Doris Chambers Cup

Marilyn Pane & Lee Freeland won our Doris Chambers Foursomes Stableford Club Qualifying Event held on August 1st. They won on countback from Melody Adams & Linda Stone who also carded 32 pts. Liane Graham & Vicki Moorhead were just one shot behind, so a very close finish. Marilyn and Lee now have the opportunity to play in the state final at Yering Meadows GC on Thursday 24 October but are unable to. We are not sure yet if any of our pairs are going to participate this year.

Men's Foursomes Championships Sun 4th

Best Scratch Rhys Rigoni & Steve Fisher 82 Best H'Cap Rhys Rigoni & Steve Fisher 76.5

Mixed Foursomes Championship

Winners: Val Ellis and Andy Senkic 70 Runners Up: Di Murphy and Glenn Ryan 71.5 Scratch Winners: Di Murphy and Glenn Ryan 83

Stableford Winner: Aaron Kungl 35

Ladies 4BBB RWH Event

Vicki Moorhead and Janet Wraith won with 42 pts closely followed by Linda Stone and Melody Adams with 41 pts.



One Fine Day

I recently took the opportunity to walk the Friends Track in the Warby's. I'd been waiting for a break in the too-regular frosty mornings and at last it felt like Spring might be not too far off. That will no doubt also see bigger fields on the course. Jubilee's undulating fairways and greens, laid out in the natural bushland, looked pretty good from Kwat Kwat Lookout.

Latest Upgrades

Cart Shed:

If you are interested in storing your cart or buggy at Jubilee GC please give your name to Gordon Paterson in the Proshop. Batteries will need to be taken home to be charged. Put my name on the buggy list, please Gordon! (Libby)

Coring of the Greens

Forward notice that this is booked to take place on Tuesday 29th October.

Fee Increases

As much as we didn't want to do it, to keep the upgrades rolling forward and maintain our standards, this has been necessary. Fees are coming in steadily now. A big thank you to the early birds. We appreciate your understanding of the need to raise fees this year. There have been significant increases with: Golf Australia fees, Fuel, Chemicals, Maintenance (including replacing 3 pumps and a mower), Electricity, Wages, etc, etc. To keep on top of things, this has been necessary.

Clubhouse Kitchen

Kitchen Sink Use

Thou shalt not wash cups in the sink near the urn.

The sink near the urn is for hand washing only. Who knew?

The Rural City of Wangaratta Health Inspector is likely to shut the kitchen down if a snap inspection is done and this sink is being used incorrectly. So please wash your cups and spoons in hot soapy water in the back sink, dry them and return them to the drawer and spoon container. Please do not leave cups on any sink. There are signs at the sink to remind you of this requirement. Your help in this matter will be

Strategic Winter Play

appreciated.

What some players will do to ward off the Chilblains. On Thursday 15th this month, when the thermometer started out at just 2.8 deg, Judy Fogarty used her second shot on the 15th to get the full benefit of the conditions. The question has been asked, "Was it a Hot Dot?"



What's on in September?

Tue 3rd Ladies Singles Knock Out 1st Round Sun 8th The Kerl Cup (Golf, Lunch & Trivia) Sun 15th Mixed Foursomes Championships Tue 17th Ladies Singles Knock Out 2nd Round Thurs 19th **Ladies Foursomes Championships** Sat 21st Medal of Medals Sun 22nd Kay O'Shea Day (4BBB) Tue 24th Ladies Captain V President Day Mon 30th VETS Championships at Howlong Rd 2

What's on in October?

Tue 1st Ladies Singles Knock Out 3rd Round
Thurs 10th Ladies Pairs Championship
Sat 12th Mixed Pairs Championship
Tue 15th Ladies Singles K/O Final Round
Jubilee Invitation Day

Tue 22nd Ladies Monthly Medal Sat 26th Men's Monthly Medal Mon 28th VETS at Wodonga

Welcome to

New Members

The following were approved as new members

Full Member:

Sam Morrell Ray Hargreaves Ryan Harris

Please make our new members welcome

Golf Quip

If you're afraid a full shot might reach the green while the foursome ahead of you is still putting out, you have 2 options: you can immediately shank a lay-up or you can wait until the green is clear and top a ball halfway there.

Kay O'Shea Day

Sunday 22nd September 18 hole 4BBB with draw for partners

Shotgun Start 9.30 for 10am hit off

A sheet will be available in the Pro Shop for you to put your name in.

Names MUST be in by Saturday 21st. All players are asked to bring a plate to share after the event.

Enquiries to Carol Myles 0417 257 214

Guide to Golf Etiquette

Slow Play

Nothing spoils a game of golf more than having to continually wait for the group in front. It spoils your rhythm, upsets your concentration, heightens frustrationthe list goes on.

And there's really no reason why it should happen. Here are a few tips to speed up your group: little things mean a lot. We want our players to enjoy the course, have a good time, and relax.

- 1. Walk or ride directly to your ball.
- 2. Don't wait until it's your turn to putt before reading the green.
- 3. Limit searching for lost balls to 3 minutes.
- 4. Think about your next shot before getting to your ball.
- 5. Be ready to hit when it's your turn to play.
- 6. Tighten up your pre-shot routine. Cut down on excessive practice swings.
- 7. Tee off promptly at each hole without undue conversation.
- 8. Park carts or leave golf bags near the exit area of a green to cut down the time it takes to get to the next hole.
- 9. Play ready golf.

If your group is losing ground on the group ahead, please either have the first 2 golfers to finish putting leave the green and go to the next tee and hit off. This can save a lot of time. Otherwise, call the group behind through.



Jubilee Juniors





An echidna, brave enough to consider joining in with the Juniors on Sun 11th, kept itself just out of range. Did you know they are Australia's most widespread native mammal, being found in almost all habitats, from snow-covered mountains to deserts and the tropics? They are also found in New Guinea.

Jubilee Veterans

Another month is almost done and unfortunately there is not a lot to report on for August. Numbers appear to be fairly consistent at around 25 each week however with the warmer weather coming (we hope) the numbers may improve.

NEDVGA tournament at Corowa was reasonably successful with some of our players winning prizes. Alex Jone was 2nd in A grade with 38 points. Peter Ford was 1st in B grade with 36 points and Ian Harbourd 40 and Bernie Grealy 39, were 2nd and 3rd respectively in D grade. Danny Potter, Graeme Ulbrick, Ian Harbourd and Larry Ball won the team event on the day with best 3 scores totalling 111. Congratulations to all those winners and thank you to all that attended.

Corowa was also the first round of the NEDVGA championships with the second round to be played at Howlong on 30th September. All of you that got prizes in the grades are very much in the running so ensure you nominate for Howlong to give yourself a chance. To all other NEDVGA members nominate anyhow so you can have a good day at Howlong with the rest of us.

A list of results for first 6 places after round 1 will be on the board by Monday as well as the nomination sheet for Howlong. See you all on the course.

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