



July 2021

Shiploads Donation



Shiploads have kindly donated this “ship load” of sanitiser to the Thirlstane Golf Club- for use at the club. A very generous donation that should save us a lot. Thank you to Shiploads.

New Club Sponsor

MAZDA Devonport has become the latest sponsor for our club. Mazda were looking to sponsor a community based sporting club and following discussions with our club sponsorship team (KJ Jones and David Dunham) decided that the Thirlstane Golf Club ticked all the boxes.

Two senior members of the Mazda team in Devonport, Jim Carter and Zac Duncan are currently country members of our club.

We very much welcome Mazda as a sponsor of our club and while we don't support any sponsor more than any other we urge all members to support our sponsors. If you are dealing with the Mazda team, let them know you are a member of the Thirlstane Golf Club.

A constant reminder of the Mazda sponsorship is the sign on the fence near the first tee bed.

KJ Jones.



Foundation Members

At the last AGM it was decided to redo the Foundation Members honour board as there were a number of errors that had been identified.

The General Committee has authorized the work to correct the honour board be undertaken. The Foundation Members played a critical role in ensuring the club's viability during the difficult start up period. Each person committed to pay a set fee to the club for a period of ten years following which they became life members.

Bevis Dutton

Trivia Night, 2021

Date: Friday, August 20

Time: 7.30 start Bar will open at around 7.00

Cost: \$10 per person. Supper is included.

Teams: **MAXIMUM** of 6 players in a team. Captains will need to register team details on the forms near the bar.

Trade table: an innovation this year suggested by Liz Sumpton

Home-made preserves, knitted things, artistic creations and other hand-crafted treasures donated by either male or female Club members will be on sale for competitive prices on the night. You can start bringing your Trade Table donations now. Give them to Lynne or Bevis (Fred) Dutton or leave them in the Club rooms in a safe place. Please make sure that your articles are clearly labelled 'Trivia Night donations'.

Major raffle: Several Club members have made special items for this. Tickets will cost \$2 or 3 for \$5 and will be on sale on the night or at the bar from early August.

New quiz section: Surprise!

Questions: Contact Lynne Dutton on 0409 947 798

Nine Hole Competition on a Tuesday

The Ladies Committee would like to encourage as many ladies to participate on a Tuesday. As the weather is getting cooler we are offering a Social Game of Golf or a 9 Hole Competition for Full Members, and maybe when the weather gets too hot in summer some may prefer to get out of the sun. Please see below the information for this Social Golf or 9 Hole Competition.

- Game to commence after 11.00am – fit in with the field that is playing.
- Non-members/ summer members: Commence as 9 holes social golf. Pay 9-hole green fee (\$10) Members 9-hole competition: if we have members who do not want to play 18-holes then we offer a 9-hole competition. They will pay \$5 entry fee for the competition.
- We can offer a 9 hole comp to members from other clubs : then they pay 9 hole green fees \$10 plus \$5 comp fee.
- Competition will be a stableford each week.
- Organise into groups when they arrive
- Marj Robson happy to organise on the day but if needed one member from the committee to assist each week.

Male Members Versus Lady Members

As an annual event in our Thirlstane Fixtures the upcoming Male v Lady Members will be held on Tuesday 27th July 2021.

- Shotgun Start 9.30 for 10.00 Single Stableford
- Cost will be \$15 per player inclusive of Lunch.
- Please book on the Online System, a sheet will also be placed in the Spike Bar Notice Board.

We thank our Lady Patron Audrey Mitchelson who has donated a Perpetual Trophy for this event.



Footy Margins 2021

Date	Name	Name	Name	Margin	Teams
21/03/2021	L Clarke	yet to be claimed	yet to be claimed	52	Nth Mel v P Adel
28/03/2021	yet to be claimed	R Paice	R Paice	29	Haw v Rich
4/04/2021	R Paice	B Hall	NW Smith	45	Carl v Frem
11/04/2021	L Clarke	G Mitchell	T Ryan	41	Nth Mel v Adel
18/04/2021	T Ryan	J Booton	B Hall	12	Adel v Frem
25/04/2021	N Smith	B Dutton	B Hall	3	Haw v Adel
2/05/2021	R Beveridge	B Hall	W Viney	30	Nth Mel v Mel
9/05/2021	S Vickers	M Aherne	B Hall	38	Haw v W Coast
16/05/2021	yet to be claimed	AT Dick	B Hall	7	ESS v Frem
23/05/2021	yet to be claimed	W Viney	R Beveridge	16	GWS v W Coast
30/05/2021	L Viney	S Vickers	R Beveridge	28	Rich v Adel
6/06/2021	M Smith	NW Smith	S Vickers	22	Carl v W/Coast
13/06/2021	L Viney	BA Hall	BA Hall	Draw	Nth Mel v GWS
20/06/2021	yet to be claimed	yet to be claimed	M Smith	13	Haw v Ess

Golden Circle Winners for June

5th June

\$30 P Timmerman

\$20 P Archer

\$10 K Mitchelson

19th June

\$30 L Baggott

\$20 P Timmerman

\$10 N Richardson

12th June

\$30 D Williamson

\$20 L Baggott

\$10 W Lockett

26th June

\$30 D Addison

\$20 B Dutton

\$10 N W Smith

Vets report for On Par

Our new Captain Roger Eadie has certainly had a baptism of fire since taking over the reins in April.

A series of away visits with our interclub challenges have resulted with us facing deficits in every game when these teams come to visit us later in the year. Our trip to a very wet Exeter course last week with a depleted line up saw us finish some 70 points in arrears and we will all need to bring our A game when they visit in November.

Our newest Vets member Rex Richardson was amongst our best and once he gets to play a few more games will become a handy player.

President KJ has assured Roger his job is safe but in AFL circles we all know what that means.

Submitted by David Dunham



Senior Ladies Day



44 ladies from North West Coast and Northern clubs enjoyed our course and hospitality on Friday 26th June. Cecily Berglund, Sue Westlake and Marj Robson with the help of contributions from many of the ladies made sure lunch was enjoyed by all who participated.

Club Records

Veterans

Stableford GA White Shayne Walker 39 pts 68 Gross 31/03/2021

Men's White

Stableford Tony Sherriff 46 pts 11/11/2020

Stoke/Nett Doug Walton 65 03/03/2021

2 Ball Aggregate Stableford Hayden Richardson and Nathan Richardson 76pts 26/09/2020

2 Ball Multiplier Stableford Roger Eadie and Chris Hinds 83 pts 18/01/2020

Men's Blue

Best Gross Dean Rigney 69 07/03/2020

Best Nett Keith Cock 64 07/03/2020

Mixed

2 BBB Stableford Brian and Irene Page 50 pts 22/02/2020

Ladies

Best Gross Janelle Thompson 78 19/06/2021

Stableford Fran Hamilton 44 pts 01/12/2020

2 Ball Aggregate Stableford Gina Philp and Liz Sumpton 76 pts 14/01/2020

Direction to Ride on Cart Users

Cart users must avoid all wet areas and take extreme caution when driving on soft ground, particularly between the 4th green and the 5th tee.

Cart users must adhere to all gravel tracks where provided.

Carts must not be driven:

- within 5 metres of any green;
- behind the 2nd tee;
- off the path between the 6th and 7th tee bed;
- **on any fairways** except when crossing the 3rd to the parking area, when crossing the 7th and when crossing the 9th in front of the ladies tee;
- up to the 9th tee, carts must be left at the parking bay behind the eighth green.

Bevis Dutton

President

A Joke from Carl Brown's collection

A mechanic was removing the cylinder head from the motor of a Harley when he spotted a well-known cardiologist in his shop. The cardiologist was there waiting for the service manager to come to take a look at his bike when the mechanic shouted across the garage "Hey Doc, come and take a look at this."

The cardiologist walked over to where the mechanic was working on the motorcycle. "So Doc, look at this engine. I open its heart, take the valves out, repair any damage, and then put them back in, and when I finish it works like new. So how come I make a basic wage and you get the really big bucks when you and I are doing basically the same work?"

The cardiologist paused, smiled, and said "Try doing it with the engine running."