



Hole in One



Glenda MacDonald had her first hole in one on the 22/6/2024 on the 15th hole. Congratulations Glenda, pictured here celebrating her achievement.

Trivia Night

It's less than two months before the Trivia Night on Friday, August 23rd. Invite your friends and relatives and make up a 6-person team and join us for some fun. The cost is only \$15 per player and you get supper too ... real value! A registration form will be posted near the bar in the Club House in early July. We only have room for 12 -15 teams so get in early.

A huge variety of subjects will be covered in this year's questions and there will be a new section from the work crew. You'll be surprised by their wide-ranging ideas.

If you need further information ring Lynne Dutton on 0409947798.

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Course Behaviour

Over recent months, we have received a few comments regarding members behaviour on the course including throwing clubs and inappropriate language.

Please remember that we are all out there to enjoy, as much as possible, our golf and the walk around the course. Yes, we all have bad shots and get frustrated, but at the end of the day we are amateur golfers for a reason. Even the pros get it wrong, but they tend to forget that bad shot and move on to the next.

Our golf club is known for its friendship and is something that we should be very proud of, but bad behaviour from our golfers isn't.

So next time you get frustrated, find a way of keeping it on the inside for the sake of those around you or you may find that others may avoid playing with you.

If this problem continues to be an issue, the General Committee may be required to take further action against those offenders. Any official complaints that are made will be taken seriously and will be dealt with by the General Committee.

Footy Margins

Date	Name \$10	Name\$80	Name \$10	Margin	Serial No	Game
9/3/2023	C Hinds	W Viney	C Hinds	32	331798	GWS v Coll
17/3/2024	M Smith	B Hall	C Hinds	45	333114	Melb v Foots
24/3/2024	BA Hall	S Revell	N Smith	48	336000	Foots v GC
31/3/2024	W Viney	Pa Baggott		76	334199	Foots v WC
7/4/2024	D Hansen	M Smith	Pa Baggott	28	333599	GCoast v GWS
14/4/2024	S Gardam	M Smith	B Smith	75	332997	Geel v Nth
21/4/2024	B Harvey	B Hall	C Sienesi	53	332397	Syd v GC
28/4/2024	B Harvey	AT Dick	C Hinds	37	331797	GC v W C
5/5/2024	M Smith	A Spencer	AT Dick	54	331200	Rich v Frem
12/5/2024	M Alison	C Hinds	M Smith	66	335400	Coll v WC
19/5/2024	C Hinds	G Sward	C Hinds	40	331800	Ess v North
26/5/2024	S Vickers	AT Dick	M Smith	25	330600	Haw v Bris
2/6/2024	W Viney	B Hall	B Clarke	92	332999	Melb v Frem
9/6/2024	NW Smith	B Hall	M Smith	30	332399	Syd v Geel
16/6/2024	ATDick	B Harvey		1	333000	Nth v Coll
23/6/2024	ATDick	M Smith	AT Dick	30	331799	Ess v W/ Coast

We Welcome these Members

Full

Hamish Monte
Ben Walker
Karl Vos
Jason Woodcock
Flynn Tueon

Welcome back to

Jason Heatley
Cam Simonds

Working Crew

The recent windy weather has given the work crew a fair amount of grief. Strong winds broke off some significant limbs and damaged others and also requiring a number of trees to actually be felled before removal.

As a result there is quite a stack of wood in the wood heap that will eventually be cut to length, split and stacked before being sold to club members who require some fire wood. It will be dried out enough for use next winter.

Two projects that will be ongoing in the next few months are the trimming of the blackwoods to provide safety clearance for machines operating near the trees and a deliberate attempt to remove a large number of tree roots from areas of the course that come into play. The General Committee has funded the purchase of a hand-held reciprocating saw to make the job of cutting tree roots much more efficient than using a chain saw or an axe. As well a new electric pole saw will make limb removal and trimming much easier and safer.

The work crew also put in quite an effort to rebuild the women's tee beds on the 7th and the 9th. Both these tee beds are looking good and will be able to be played on once Jason Sims and John Crawford give the all clear.

If you think you have some spare time on your hands and would like to volunteer on Mondays and/or Thursdays give Bevis a call on 0427296630 or drop out to the club about 9.30 either morning and talk to us. The work crew is continually evolving so there is plenty to do.



Scott Westlake and the crew splitting some wood

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The Tree Doctor removing some high limbs that had broken off and were hanging precariously



Mike George working on tree root removal on the side of the Seventh green.



Les Finearty and Tony Vaughan cleaning up after two large trees on the side of the third had to be felled.

What Happened to the Kitten?

A few weeks ago most of the vets' field saw a tiny tabby kitten peering from the bushes next to the dam, watching them hit off from the 16th tee.

Some "toss it in the dam" suggestions were ignored – instead, late that afternoon a determined rescue effort was launched by my grand daughter Lili and her friend Frida.

The girls disappeared into the bush at the edge of the dam (at great risk to their school uniforms) and managed to flush out the kitten.

Now named Thirlstane (or T for short) in honour of his birthplace, he has taken up residence in the Wild household, rapidly putting on weight and a cause of some puzzlement for the family dog.

Weighed, wormed, vaccinated, health checked - vet bills to date are around \$250 and will probably be four times that by the time he loses his manhood and gets microchipped.

With premium tucker, 5-star bedding courtesy of grandson Sam, and bathroom facilities as befits a spoiled inside cat, Thirlstane has no doubt got a longer and better life than would be the case if he spent the winter dodging golf balls on the edge of the dam.

Go Cats!!

Adrian Wild



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Cecily's 80th Birthday Lunch

