

What's News???

- We are all shocked at the devastation in Victoria with the bushfires. The club industry is raising much needed funds to support the Bushfire Appeal and our club will do our best to contribute with your support. Fund raising will be:
 - Tonight's meat raffle proceeds will be donated
 - Half of tomorrow's green fees will sent to the Appeal
 - Gerard has generously donated a Nike driver to also be raffled tonight.
 - Collection tins are around the club for cash donations

Please help us to raise the much needed funds by supporting the raffles and collection tins. We hope to raise at least \$2000 to send to the Red Cross.

- Tomorrow is an Invitation Stableford. It is also an opportunity for you to qualify for the Top Gun Shootout. There is only 3 weeks of qualifying remaining so hurry up and pay your \$5 at the Pro Shop and qualify.
- Well done to Laszlo Magyar on winning the Gold Medal which was played last week. I guess every player is entitled to a 'day out' and you certainly had one that day. Laszlo won with a score of nett 62 which is a fantastic round, well done. Interestingly, he wasn't the only one to shoot 62 as Peter Bell also followed up his recent outstanding form to finish with nett 62 as well. The unfortunate thing for Peter is that Laszlo beat you on a count back for the Geoff Butt Cup.
- Well done to the Major Pennant Team on their convincing 7-0 drubbing of Chatswood. The next 2 weeks will be interesting where we play Asquith (away and home) who have been highlighted as one of our main threats this year. Also, the Mixed Pennant team is tracking well. Should they beat Cronulla at home this Sunday, they may finish top of the tree and that is an outstanding effort. Well done to Nigel Westgarth and the team on a job well done so far.
- Good luck to Michael Raseta, Alex Peade, Kyle Grant and Stefan Albinski who will be competing in the Tasmanian Open next week. As many of you know, this event is a National Selection Trial so all the best to the boys and the old bloke.
- A great result following the recent outstanding performances of Michael, Kyle & Alex with all three being selected in the State Squads. Michael & Kyle have been chosen in the State Open Squad with Alex in the State Colts Squad. Congratulations guys.
- Make sure that you continue to repair your pitch marks and replace your divots. Lets not let ourselves down by being lazy after such a great effort to get it to where it is today. Interesting that the Pennant team from Chatswood thought they were playing at Augusta last weekend. I guess we all have a part to play in the course condition so don't let it slip back to where it was.
- You are requested to replace the flag after use in the proper manner. Too many of the holes are being constantly damaged by pins hitting the edge of the hole when the flag is being replaced. Also, standing on the edge or near the hole to retrieve your ball has become noticeable and causes damage.
- The next Live Entertainment at the club is on Sunday 22nd of February and features 'The Harveys' between 4.30pm and 8pm

Question: Glenn's ball lies in an area marked as ground under repair. He elects to play the ball as it lies, but the ball moves after he addresses it. Instead of replacing the ball, Glenn drops it within one club-length of the nearest point of relief from the ground under repair, no nearer the hole. Is this permissible?

Answer: Yes. If a player is proceeding under a Rule that requires him to replace the ball but another Rule applies, he may proceed directly under the other Rule (Decision 20-3a/3). A one stroke penalty for breach of Rule 18-2b is still applicable