

What's News???

- Tomorrow is an Individual Par Event. Good luck to all players.
- The Major Pennant Team had another convincing win last Sunday against Palm Beach 5 ½ to 1 1/2. This recent result puts us well clear in our section on 29.5pts with another round to go against Chatswood away. We are also 1.5pts ahead of our nearest rival Woolooware Golf Club for the Green Division. This will seed us 1st for the Divisional Semi Finals that will be held on April 19th at a neutral venue to be determined. Our final round against Chatswood is on the 29th of March at 8.15am.
- Michael Raseta, Kyle Grant and Alex Peade are currently contesting the Australian Amateur in Queensland. All the scores can be seen on the Golf Australia website. Play well boys.
- To clarify. The reason why the sheets for the Major Championships are posted on the whiteboard in the club is that in the past, Members have played in the Championships with prior knowledge that they would NOT be available for the entire competition, thus removing the opportunity of other Members to Qualify. By putting your name on these sheets, you are committing yourself to the entire competition. This will provide us with sufficient information regarding the number of players who will be contesting the Major Event and will allow us to accommodate those players accordingly when it comes to rounds 3 & 4 on the timesheets, where cuts will be made. Cuts will be determined upon the results.
- The greens are recovering well from the recent renovation and my discussions with Andy are very positive regarding what condition they will be in come Club Championship time on the 18th of April. The course is in the process of being prepared for the Championships and Andy advises me that the greens will be hard and fast with the course being in its best condition. It should be a great contest this year.
- Over the past few weeks you have been handed recommendations in regards to speed of play. The next stage of our improvement on this issue is to reintroduce the bundy clock with specific bundy cards, which will commence shortly. These cards are to be stamped at the beginning and end of the round and will be the responsibility of 1 player in the group. Remember that the speed of play reflects the group and not an individual as penalties, when applied, will be given to each member of the group and not the individual. More information will be provided prior to implementation. Remember, it is everyone's responsibility to keep up with the group in front and not put your whole group under pressure.

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Rule of the Week

Mental interference by another ball

Question: In order for A to be entitled to have B's ball lifted because of interference, does B's ball have to be on or near A's line of play and thus in a position to interfere physically with A's ball? Or may A also have B's ball lifted if it is off his line of play but catches the eye and thus constitutes mental interference?

Answer: A player may, under Rule 22-2, have another ball lifted if the ball interferes either physically or mentally with his play.