



Captain's Corner



February Edition

Welcome Members to my first monthly newsletter. Together with the newly formed Match Committee, we will recognise the winners from the previous month, let you know of all the great events ahead and update you on news from around the Club.

So I'll start off with the 2018 Match Committee (MC). We have a great mix of people on the Committee this year, some new faces and some stalwarts who have been involved with the Club for many years. Everyone on the Match Committee generously donates their time to the Club and makes sure that your experience in competitions is as enjoyable as possible.

2018 MATCH COMMITTEE

Director of Golf - Steve Delfs
Captain - Dave King
Ladies Captain - Julie Reid
Greg Byrnes - Handicapper
Scroungers Captain - Lindsay Hurrell

Rob Steel
Wilma Chisholm
Sue Pippin
Peter Gaby

Keiron Shave
Jenny Knight (New)
Grant Ewins (New)
Jeremy Andeway (New)



Average of 73 players for weekend rounds in January

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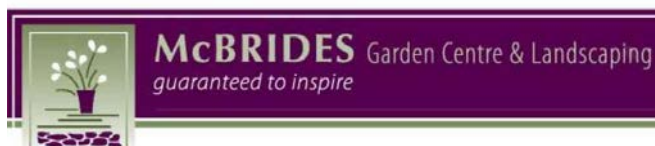
1st - Greg Byrnes (45 points)
6th - Rohan Cresp (+8)
7th - Austin Baroni (Nett 69)
13th - Ross Dawes (40 points)
14th - John Toreresi & Zac Hywood (63 5/8)
20th - Craig Bowie & Josh Fewkes (Nett 133)
21st - Kayden Andeway (+3)
26th - Ebony & "Aussie" Jamie Riordan (78 points)
27th - Brian Goodwin (Nett 65)
28th - Norm Karafilis (47 points)

SPONSOR THANK YOU!

- A big thank you to our sponsors for the month.

McBrides Garden Centre for sponsoring the Summer Cup. Darren is still running his landscaping business. Anyone who is in the need for a garden makeover, give Darren a call, with his green thumb he will make you a small oasis in your backyard. Ph: 0418 906 848

Ian Slater Roofing - Ian sponsored the Australia Day Reverse Handicap competition. With 88 starters and 100 for lunch it was a great turnout for a great day. It started off with the raising of the flag and singing the National Anthem, led by Lyn Dellar. It was also great to see the converted Aussies for the day, namely Jamie Riordan. Thank you Ian for your generous sponsorship.



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What's Happening in February?

February we will be introducing new initiatives to the GGC. For these to succeed, it will require the members to participate and support these new initiatives.

MEMBERS DRAW

Starting on Friday, 16th between 5.30pm and 6.30pm, we will be holding a members draw. Your member number will be randomly drawn out on the screen in the clubhouse between these times. The only catch is you have to be there to win the prize. We will be starting off at \$100 with a jackpot of \$20 per week until there is a winner.



Saturday, 17th of February is the **ROAD TO THE OUTBACK CHALLENGE**. The top 4 stableford winners on the day will qualify to play on the weekend of the PGA in a 4BBB format in May. Register on the day by paying \$35 and filling out the registration sheet. Presentations for this event will be held on the 25th of February. The MC will also hold a normal \$10 competition if you don't wish to participate in the RTTO Challenge.

MCBRIDES SUMMER CUP - McBrides Summer Cup winds up this month after 16 rounds. The presentation for the winners will be held on Sunday, 25th February after the Summer Closing Day. Round 2 is being replayed this weekend.

Greenkeepers Revenge!!!

This year we are introducing a fun day and a new concept. Greenkeepers Revenge.....I know a lot of you are thinking, well he puts the pins in hard spots now so what would be different, well think again, from the scores we had in January I would say the opposite.

Patrick and I have come up with the idea so that you, our members, can meet the staff that keep the golf course in the great condition it is in. Patrick Casey, the Course Superintendent will be playing some games on the course. What plans and pin placements he has install for us is a secret and the only way to find out is to come and play on the day. This is also a Shotgun Start at 8am. Playing fees for this will be \$20 with presentations and interviews after the game. It is planned to be a fun day and a great way to end what has been an enjoyable Summer. Look out for the nomination form in the coming weeks.

That's all from me. If you have any ideas or suggestions, don't hesitate to email me and we will consider it during our MC meetings. Happy golfing, Dave King