

Dalby Golf Club Newsletter

25th February 2019

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***** GOLFING EVENTS *****

Wednesday 27th Feb

Thursday 28th Feb

Friday 1st Mar

Saturday 2nd Mar

Sunday 3rd Mar

Single Stableford Mid Week Challenge

Sporters / Ladies Single Stableford 18 holes @ 8.30

Friday Frolics

Single Stroke Monthly Medal & Yearly Play off

(L) Single Stroke Monthly Medal

Windsor 3 Person Ambrose - Running Draw from 6.30am

Junior Pennants Final

Wednesday 6th Mar

Thursday 7th Mar

Friday 8th Mar

Saturday 9th Mar

Sunday 10th Mar

Single Stableford Mid Week Challenge

Sporters / Ladies Single Stroke Monthly Medal @8.30

Friday Frolics

1st Rd Championships (Men & Ladies)

2nd Rd Championships (Men & Ladies)/Mooloolaba Group

To view the online calendar please visit www.dalbygolfclub.com.au

MEN'S MONTHLY MUG YEARLY PLAYOFF Saturday 3rd March

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| 10.00 | Jim Dore Eric McMillan Chris Buckley |
| 10.06 | Doug Nuttall Jason Lumley Andrew Johnstone |
| 10.12 | Peter Greet Allan Buckley Bill Macmaw |

If you are unavailable please contact Bill Macmaw ASAP.

All players will be contacted this week.

COMING EVENTS

VETS: Monday 25th February @ Cabarlah
Monday 4th March @ Laidley
Monday 11th March @ Warwick
Monday 18th March @ City
Monday 25th March @ DALBY
MIXED VETS: Monday 25th February @ Oakey
Monday 11th March @ Cabarlah

NIGHT GOLF DRIVING RANGE

Every night- Monday to Sunday 5.30pm to 9 pm.

Please contact the Pro Shop (46624622) during Office Hours

Junior Pennants 2019

(Please note changes below)

| Date | Draw | Venue |
|----------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| 03/03/19 | Finals to be held at City Golf Club | |

Div 2 Pennants 2019

| Date | Draw | Venue |
|----------|-----------------|---------|
| 31/03/19 | Dalby v Gatton | Dalby |
| 07/04/19 | Ipswich v Dalby | Ipswich |
| 14/04/19 | Warwick v Dalby | Warwick |
| 28/04/19 | Dalby v Warwick | Dalby |
| 05/05/19 | Gatton v Dalby | Gatton |
| 12/05/19 | Dalby v Ipswich | Dalby |
| 19/05/19 | Final | |

MEMBERSHIP FEES

Invoices can now be collected at the Club. If you wish to change the category of membership that is listed on your invoice, please contact admin@dalbygolfclub.com.au

If you wish to pay your subscription levies by monthly instalments, please contact admin@dalbygolfclub.com.au so that the appropriate forms for direct debit can be completed prior to the 1st March.

(* Please note, if you paid by Direct Debit for 2018, you need to fill in a new form for 2019).

**MEMBERSHIP FEES ARE DUE ON THURSDAY 1ST MARCH
BUT NO LATER THAN SUNDAY 31ST MARCH**

PRESIDENT'S PATTTER FEBRUARY 2019

Firstly, I would like to thank all the members who attended the information session on Sunday 10th January regarding the restructure of the Golf Club operations. This restructure was formulated in conjunction with Golf Australia to position the club for the future. We are fortunate at Dalby to have a willing group of volunteers who provide countless hours of service to the club but with an aging membership, we need to ensure the viability of the club going forward.

The year started with Pestworx hosting an ambrose on Australia Day with over 70 players in attendance. It was pleasing to see another 70 players tee off in the annual Sandalwood beginner's 3 person ambrose and 50 players this weekend for the Russell Tavern Day. The Calendar of events for 2019 includes monthly ambrose events which are a great way to introduce people to the game. We have been fortunate in having many local businesses willing to sponsor such days. It is also pleasing Friday Frolics continues to grow in popularity and gives players the opportunity to contest a nine hole comp at the end of a working week.

This year, we have been communicating with the WDRC in relation to the Big Skies event in April – May. We will be conducting a 3 Person Ambrose on Friday 3rd May in conjunction with the week-long event. The Men's Veteran's Championships will be held at the Dalby Course on the 22nd & 29th July which is a coup for Dalby in hosting such an event outside Toowoomba for the first time in many years.

Peter Waters has been working on more promotions for Dalby Golf Club using the slogan "Golfing Every Day for Everyone" Peter has been working on visiting motels to promote deals and a new brochure has been designed to give visitors updated information.

Paul Donnelly has been doing a fantastic job with the "Cash for Cans" project having collected over \$1200 in the past three months. We are extremely grateful to Paul for this undertaking which is a very worthwhile environmental program as well as assisting our club financially.

Peter McKinnon continues to work tirelessly for the club in seeking funding through grants for various projects and we are indebted to him for his efforts. Although we were unsuccessful with the irrigation submission in 2018, Peter has already contacted Danny Nearhos from the Department of Sport & Recreation to determine options for future funding for this project.

We are also applying for a grant to update the air conditioning in the Club house through the Community Gambling Benefit Fund. At the end of last year, we received a minor grant from the WDRC for the aerators that were installed on the new dam to improve the water quality. This was an innovation from Bill Baker and certainly makes a difference to the water that is used on the fairways. Bill has a wealth of knowledge in regard to the grounds and it is great to see his health improving.

We also received a grant through Sport & Rec for ladies clinics to be held during 2019 to assist women by providing coaching in small groups. Peter and Jan spend a considerable amount of time sourcing grants and completing applications. As a not-for-profit organisation, this is an avenue that we will continue to explore as the club looks to maintain and improve the facilities available to members and the community.

Ergon will connect the solar power on Monday 25th February which will lead to reduction in electricity charges in future years. In the short term, the savings made will pay for the loan for the installation of the solar.

The drought conditions that we are currently experiencing make it very trying for the grounds staff and volunteers to maintain our fairways and we appreciate all the work that is being done. With cyclones hovering around, it would be nice to receive just a little bit of rain. It is hard to believe that we had over 100mm only two months ago. Until next month..... Michael MacNellie

CASH FOR CANS

MEMBERS WANTING TO DONATE THEIR CANS AND BOTTLES MAY DO SO BY DROPPING THEM TO THE CLUB.

LINED AGAINST THE LAST BUGGY SHED WALL (CREEK SIDE) ARE A NUMBER OF WHEELIE BINS. IF YOU WISH TO DONATE YOUR CANS AND BOTTLES (PLEASE CHECK THAT THEY ARE ACCEPTABLE) YOU CAN PLACE THEM INTO THESE BINS. PLEASE REMOVE ANY LIDS FROM THE BOTTLES AND PLEASE DO NOT CRUSH CANS. PLACE IN BINS LOOSE, PLEASE DO NOT PUT BAGS OR CARTONS INTO THE BINS. WE ASK THIS FOR THE SIMPLE REASON THAT THE BINS HAVE BEEN SORTED ALREADY AND WE DO NOT WISH TO HAVE TO RE-CHECK ONCE WE HAVE 12 BINS FULL WE TAKE THEM FOR DEPOSIT

DEPOSIT @ 10-02-2019 \$345.60

DEPOSIT TALLY AS AT 10-02-2019 : \$1279.60

Dalby Golf Club Weekly Wrap Up

The Club has experienced a huge increase in player numbers this week. Apart from good numbers in our Thursday and Saturday comps, TSBE sponsored a 4 Person Ambrose on Friday which attracted nearly 100 players. The event was basically a business networking day where people could rub shoulders with the movers and shakers of business in the Surat Basin. The club is grateful to have been chosen as the venue for this event. Russell Edwards and his Black Toyota team won the day with a 52½ nett.

Sporters attracted a field of over 30 and Tunna was able to present the winners with passes to the hospitality tent at the Queensland PGA in Toowoomba. These prizes were worth a few bob and I believe Jeff Pocock and Pat Heisler were the lucky winners.

The Russell Tavern sponsored a 3 Person Ambrose on Saturday with 51 players. The winners were B Scoins, D Darr and S McDonald with an incredible 12 under par 60, nett 54 ¹/₆. Cody Milne, Mick Maher and Jason Smith were next and Neil Hedge, Terry Harper and Danny Maguire came third. The Wooden Spoons' event went to D Wyatt, S Gilliland and C Wyatt. A good day was had by all and many thanks to Ross O'Connor who initially won a State of Origin jersey but kindly donated it back to be auctioned all for charity. Thanks also to Terry Clarke for conducting the impromptu auction. Thank you to Nathan from the Russell for hosting this day.

Twenty-four players played a 4BBB for club trophies on Sunday. Winners on a countback were Graham Coutts and Geoff Deane from Dale Green and Ross Siemsen on 47 points.

The Junior Pennants had a win on Sunday beating Gatton 3-1. City also had a win by beating Cabarlah 4-0. At present both Dalby and City are on equal points so it will come down to superior games to see who will play Toowoomba in the final/ A great effort by the Juniors and congratulations to all concerned.

This Saturday will see the March Monthly Mug held in conjunction with the Annual Mug of Mugs. The Mug winners will be arranged in groups to tee off from 10am. A draw has been published on the front page of the newsletter and players will be contacted this week. The Annual Windsor 3 Person Ambrose will be held on Sunday with a running draw from 6.30am.

Some light humour:

If there is a ball on the fringe and a ball in the bunker, your ball is in the bunker. If both balls are in the bunker, yours is in the footprint.

It's easier to get up at 6:00 AM to play golf than at 10:00 to mow the yard.

A good drive on the 18th hole has stopped many a golfer from giving up the game.

Golf is the perfect thing to do on Sunday because you always end up having to pray a lot.

A good golf partner is one who's always slightly worse than you are....that's why I get so many calls to play with friends.

If there's a storm rolling in, you'll be having the game of your life.

Golf balls are like eggs. They're white. They're sold by the dozen. And you need to buy fresh ones each week.



Saturday 23rd February Russell Hotel 3 Person Ambrose

Winners: Brad Scoins, Daniel Darr, S McDonald
Runners Up: Cody Milne, Mick Maher, Jason Smith
Third: Neil Hedge, Terry Harper, Danny Maguire
Bradman's D Wyatt, C Wyatt, S Gilliland
Pins: (3) Dave Roberts (6) Lochlan Ferguson
(14) Cody Milne (18) Cody Milne

Sunday 24th February 4BBB Stableford Medley

Winners: Graham Coutts & Geoff Deane (47)
Runners Up: Dale Green & Ross Siemsen (47)
Ball Run Down: Peter Hewson & Pat Heisler
Paul Donnelly & Jeff Pocock
Peter Hewson & Ashley Loveday
Pins: (3) Dale Green (6) Geoff Deane
(14) Katherine Black (18) Katherine Black
Pro Pin (17): Russell Edwards



EVERY WEDNESDAY SINGLE STABLEFORD

Thank you to Peter Forbes from 1 Property Centre for sponsoring the competition.

Next Shoot out in 2019 – March @ 8.30 am

Names can be entered on dalby.miclub.com.au under Competition or
contact pro shop 4662 4622.

| <u>Results</u> 20/02/19 | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <u>Winner:</u> | Jim Dore |
| <u>Runner Up:</u> | Bill Macmaw |
| <u>Ball Run Down</u> | G Deane, M Farley, R Griffiths |
| <u>Pins: (3)</u> | # |
| <u>(6)</u> | # |
| <u>(14)</u> | Bill Macmaw |
| <u>(18)</u> | Geoff Deane |

O'SHEAS

WINDSOR HOTEL

3 PERSON AMBROSE

SUNDAY 3RD MARCH

RUNNING DRAW FROM

6.30AM

MEMBERS \$25

NON MEMBERS \$30

OVER \$500 WORTH OF

PRIZES



WINDMILL
INSURANCE SERVICES

GOLF DAY

Live Band until late
Raffles, Plenty of prizes
BBQ from 10:00am to 7pm
BAR Open until late
Lots of Fun to be had by all

WHERE DALBY GOLF CLUB
Moreton St, DALBY QLD

EVENT 3 Person Ambrose - 18 Holes
Played in teams of 6

WHEN Saturday 23rd March 2019

T TIME 11AM Shot Gun Start

COSTS

Motorised Golf Carts for Hire \$40
Non Members Fees - \$30
Members Fees - \$25

Bookings to Heath at Dalby Pro Shop - 07 4662 4622
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