

Reading Country Club

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<u>Results</u>		
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Date :- 10th March 2010</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>4 B B B S</i>
1 st	A Pedro	41 pts
2 nd	B Lazenby	41 pts
3 rd	S Cappelletto	41 pts
4 th	A Mzizi	41 pts
5 th	B Bothma	40 pts
6 th	J Tait	40 pts
<u>Friday</u>	<u>Date :- 12th March 2010</u>	<u>Competition</u>
	<u>Meat Competition</u>	<i>Ind. Stableford</i>
1 st	N Van Der Westhuizen	22 pts
2 nd	M Snyman	19 pts
3 rd	J J Coetzer	18 pts
4 th	S Cappelletto	18 pts
5 th	A Mzizi	17 pts
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Date :- 13th March 2010</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>4 B B B S</i>
<u>A.M. FIELD</u>		
1 st	S Kurten / M V Blerk	41 pts
2 nd	P Madhav / Y Makda	41 pts
3 rd	R Reichel / A Kurten	40 pts
<u>P.M. FIELD</u>		<u>Competition</u>
1 st	D Mhlahlo / A Pedro	43 pts
2 nd	D Lowery / J Reis	41 pts
3 rd	A Polydorou / D Nitzan	41 pts
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Date :- 14th March 2010</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>I.P.S.</i>
1 st	P Rossi	34 pts
2 nd	D Wade	34 pts
3 rd	M Wade	34 pts

Barrel of Fortune

Ticket 120

Dr Spin Meyer

Unclaimed

Next Week

R2700.00

WHISKY DRAW

Larry Macartney

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Ian Brown

As Per Government Legislation - Please Note :-

“No Smoking throughout the Clubhouse”

Please abide by this new ruling

From :- Larry Macartney
(Club Manager)

We have come through a very difficult fortnight since the accident, and I would like to thank all our Members for your understanding if the service has been a little slow at times.

Also, the generosity from all quarters has been overwhelming and Simon's Family have asked me to extend their sincere thanks and gratitude to everyone who has contributed towards their expenses. I would like to recognize especially all our Weekend Golfers, the Seniors, the Bowlers and the Lotus Golfing Society who so generously contributed so that we were able to collect approximately R8000 for the family - many thanks indeed.

The news on Emily and Ntabiseng (Happiness), is quite encouraging

They appear to be off the critical list, but are still serious and still need our prayers.

Although they are both still in the General I.C.U. - they are making good progress - and the nursing staff are hopeful that they might be moved into the General Ward - before too much longer.

Now onto more positive things. Congratulations to our Mid Amateur League Side who have won both their games so far, and the Betterball League Side who are unbeaten, having recorded one half and one win. Well done chaps, keep up the good work.

Once again our Poker Evening proved to be a success, with Paul Carter emerging victorious. We are going to run these evenings once a month and are looking to expand our numbers, so even if you are a beginner come along and join in the fun.

We are very grateful to Mark Peterson for his kind donation of two industrial brush cutters for use on the Golf Course. Also sincere thanks once again to Pieter Mostert for his assistance with repairs to the pumps, Kevin Gough for his help with repairs to the Kubato rough cutter and Hennie Breed for his donation of tree's.

The generosity of our members never ceases to amaze me.

From the Pro Shop
Barry Bothma - PGA Professional

At last the Members of Reading Country Club will know the truth. There has been a misnomer, a fallacy, a misconception, that the super stores are cheaper than on course pro shops. The fable continues that their service is better and advice superior. Well now you know that this is all false. We buy direct from the suppliers and most of the time are cheaper than these big super stores.

Here are a few reasons why you should see us first and can compare to see if your super stores provides you with the same services.

- *We have qualified P.G.A. Professionals to help you*
- *We allow you to test clubs on the course and not hit into a net, which is not the best way to test a club*
- *We see you every week and cannot run away*
- *You are not a number or a sale to us, but a friend with a name*
- *We carry the same guarantees as other stores*
- *We are the friendliest shop in South Africa*
- *We are able to test your swing and custom fit you*
- *We offer a full range of repair services at the best prices and turn around time*
- *We will match or beat any other stores prices*
- *If we do not have the product you desire, we will have it before your beer is warm*
- *Offer corporate gifts, embroidery etc*
- *No traffic blues, less petrol consumption, less time wasted and definitely the best service in the country.*

Now if this is not enough reason for you to visit us first then I give up. So why not pop in and test our service and pricing.

This month's specials

Buy a dozen Srixon AD333, soft feel or ladies soft feel for R240.00 and stand a chance to win great prizes such as a stand bag, putter or wedge. This offer will be limited to the first 50 entries.

10% discount on our A Game leather shoes

The Pro's Slice

A young boy with a green, yellow and red Mohawk sits next to an old man at the park. After 5 minutes he turns to the old man and says "What are you staring at, you never did anything crazy in your life". The old man turns and says, "Sure have... I had sex with a peacock years back and I'm wondering if you're my son".

From the Lady Captain: Lorraine Cross

League Results

The League Ladies all look absolutely stunning in their new navy blue shirts and stone pants.

Our first Midweek League game was an away game played on the 18 February 2010 against Kyalami, unfortunately we lost 4 – 2

Our first Sunday League game was also an away game played on 14 March 2010 against Houghton and we drew 3 – 3

Well done ladies and thank you for representing Reading Country Club

Important Information :-

Changes to the SAGA Handicap System

The attached communiqué from the SAGA regarding the discontinuation of the Handicap Allowance will be of much interest to all of us and most welcome.

The SAGA Handicapping and Course Rating Committee has decided that as from 1 April 2010 the SAGA will discontinue with the Handicap Allowance. Therefore for those competition formats that previously required 75% of the handicap to be used (being the allowance), will now be played using the handicap only. The basic handicap computation is 100% of the average of the best ten of the last twenty rounds.

The full communiqué from the SAGA will be posted on the notice board outside the Ladies Locker Room

Senior Golf

The Seniors have just completed a successful Knock-Out Pairs Competition funded to the tune of R1000 cash and two trophies donated by five of its prominent members.

Such was the keenness to play that one match was only decided at the 25th hole, and the spirit was great. More such tournaments are in the pipeline.

Winners of the K/O were Peet Van Der Merwe and partner Fred Marx, who beat Dave Ford and Anthony Gilbert on the 18th with a putt described by Dave as “a long one”

The plate event for first round losers was won by English import Mick Ryott and partner Jimmy Wood.

Should you have enquiries regarding the “Seniors Golf Section”
- please contact one of the following Members :-

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