

Reading Country Club

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Results		
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Date :- 8th June 2011</u>	<u>Competition</u>
1 st		
2 nd	Rained Out - No Competition	
3 rd		
<u>Friday</u>	<u>Date :- 10th June 2011</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>Meat Comp. - Ind. Stab.</i>
1 st	M Sly	19 pts
2 nd	W Jacobs	18 pts
3 rd	A Lombard	18 pts
4 th	L Nel	17 pts
5 th	C O'Brian	16 pts
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Date :- 11th June 2011</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>Better Ball Stableford</i>
<u>A.M. Field</u>		
1 st	CD Neeson / T Reyneke	39 pts
2 nd	P Jones / T Noble	36 pts
3 rd	C Jacobs	36 pts
4 th		
5 th		
<u>P.M. Field</u>		<u>Competition</u>
		Better Ball Stableford
1 st	D Ellish / S Meyer	44 pts
2 nd	Z Nunes / J Ferreira	41 pts
3 rd	J Pinnell / S Govender	41 pts
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Date :- 12th June 2011</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>Ind. Stableford</i>
1 st	J Vallabh	40 pts
2 nd	G Lee	34 pts
3 rd	P Madhav	31 pts
4 th		

Barrel of Fortune

Ticket No 488

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Unclaimed - not in the Bar

Next Week

R3300.00

Whisky Draw

Dillan Bullock

Bruce Milne

From :- Larry Macartney

With the AGM only a week away, it made me think about those unsung heroes of the Club who make themselves available to serve on the various Committees. They get no thanks, no pay and very little gratitude for the hours that they put in - the only reward being a parking spot closer to the Club !!!

One such unsung hero is undoubtedly our retiring Club Captain, Graham Field. Few Members are actually aware of the contribution Graham has made to "Reading" over many years, and in my case, I can only speak for the past two years. Never a Friday or Saturday night goes by that Graham is not present to do Prize Giving, and Weekly Draws, and this is his public persona. What Members take for granted, such as the Soccer Pools, Annual Golfing Calendar, League Selection and Tournament Schedules, to name but a few, are all thanks to Graham's personal input.

I trust that all the other Committee Members, who also give of their time, will not feel snubbed when I single out Graham for special mention, but his contribution over the past two years has been enormous and should be recognized. As from the 23rd June 2011, Graham will become an O.M.M. - Ordinary Moaning Member - but I know that he will always be available should we need his sage advice.

Two of our Members are in hospital at the present time, so we wish both Rob Evans and Dave “Pops” Lowery a speedy recovery, and look forward to seeing them back at the Bar in the near future.

The old saying “good things always come to an end” is true of our 2nd Scratch League Side, who lost their unbeaten record this past weekend when losing both their games. However, our 1st Side won one and halved one of their matches, so both teams have done well enough to stay in their respective divisions. Congratulations, guys, you have done “Reading” proud.

Father’s Day

Sunday - 19th June 2011 - is the day to recognize our “Dad’s”.

As mentioned last week, we are planning a great “Father’s Day Luncheon” at the Club on Sunday.

Below, you will see what we have on offer, together with a surprise gift to every “Father” present, and all for only R60.00 per adult and R30.00 for children.

Starters

Lentil Soup & Croutons / Waldorf Salad / Greek Salad / Pasta Salad

Main Course

*Roast Beef / Horseradish - Roast Pork / Apple Sauce
Roast Chicken*

Spanish Rice, Roast Baby Potatoes, 3 Vegetable Selection

Dessert

Malva Pudding and Custard - Ice Cream and Chocolate Sauce

Reservations essential

Chris 082 7135 082 or 011 907 8906 Ext 106

Dates for the Diary

Wednesday - 22nd June 2011

Club AGM

From the Pro Shop *Barry Bothma - PGA Professional*

Wednesday the course was closed due to bad weather

Friday was the Nine Hole Meat Competition, the best “chop” of the day went to M Sly on a very good 19pts. Winning the count out for second place went to W Jacobs, followed by A Lombard both on 18pts. Fourth place went to the famous Lizzard Nel on 17 pts, followed by C O’Brian in fifth on 16pts.

Saturday was a Better Ball Stableford Competition, first place honours went to the experienced combination of D Elish and S Meyer on 44pts. Winning the count-out for second place was the partnership of Z Nunes and J Ferreira, followed by J Pinnell and S Govender all on 41pts.

Sunday was a Ind Stableford Competition, first place went to J Vallabh on a very good score of 40pts. Second was scooped up by G Lee on 34pts and third place went to P Madhav on 31pts winning the count-out for third.

From the Lady Captain :- Marietjie Tame

Nomads Silver and Bronze Strokeplay Championships

The Ladies Golf Gauteng is presenting the Nomads Silver and Bronze Strokeplay Championships on the 18th and 19th July 2011 at the Bryanston Country Club. There will be an A-Division (0-9), B-Division (10-18) and C-Division (19-32). Green Fees R150 per round and R50 Competition Fee payable to the Proshop on registration. The format will be 36 Holes Strokeplay over 2 days. A team event can also be entered into - a team consists of 3 players of the same club - Format 3 players, 2 Scores to Count (Silver and Bronze Division). If interested, please contact Marietjie Tame 082 337 5713 to arrange entry form.

Local Rules

An updated version of the Ladies Golf Section “Local Rules” has been distributed to all lady members via e-mail. If you have not received this by middle June, please advise any of the Committee Members or Roz at the office.

Sanlam Cancer Challenge

The Sanlam Cancer Challenge takes place on Saturday June 18 with the format being Individual Stableford. The 3 divisions will be A-Division (0-18), B-Division (19-30) and C-Division (31-36). There will also be a prize for Longest Drive and Closest to the Pin. Green Fees this year will be R225 per player of which R60 goes to CANSA. The fees also include a Prize-Giving Lunch. Please append your name to the list in the locker room.

Mixed Open

Our next Mixed Open is scheduled for Sunday June 26. T-off times available. Kindly contact the Proshop 011 907 3666 to book. Green Fees: R160 per player.

That’s all from me, enjoy a great week and stay warm.

Caption to photo:

Jean Henderson and Blandyna Babski, winners of the Nellie van der Merwe Trophy

Senior Golf

Dear Seniors - please could you note the attached

“Guidelines for Tuesday’s/Thursday’s as from 1st February 2011”

Senior’s Committee :-

*Sid du Toit
Dave Ford*

*Roy McGregor
Robert Barker*

RoyMcGregor is our representative on the Reading Golf Committee

Tuesday’s

Summer times have been booked from 07h15 - 08h00 for both tee’s.

Winter times will probably be from 07h55 - 08h30

Times for drawing balls

First draw - at 07h10, maximum 4 groups either 3 or 4 Balls. Two groups each from 1st and 10th tees to tee off immediately after draw. At least 6 Balls to remain in pipe.

Second draw - at 07h20 for the balance of the group. If golfers arrive after the draw has been completed, they may be accommodated if a group is short of players.

These times will be revised during winter i.e. 07h40 and 07h50

Carts

If carts are shared, one ball should be put into the pipe. If drawn he must tell the Starter so that the correct number of golfers can be drawn for their group. The same applies to a single player in a cart.

If a player is drawn with a group which includes a cart, and does not want to walk with carts, his ball may be held over for inclusion in the next group.

Thursday's (Same times are booked)

The same provisions apply where applicable

Exception :- Every 2nd and 4th Thursday players may arrange their own 3 or 4 Balls.

These will usually be Individual Competitions. The starter on duty will arrange a balls-in-the-pipe draw for those players arriving without arranged groups. Also one ball in the pipe per arranged group to determine tee-off order.

General

Except for the two Thursday's per month Members are not encouraged to arrange playing partners. (Visitors excepted).

Starters : Sid duToit assisted by Roy McGregor, Dave Ford and Robert Barker

Stan Ingram and Wim Smalle are on the reserve list.

The Starter on Duty will decide on the format of the competition.

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

<i>Mr. Sid du Toit</i>	<i>011 827 2035 (H)</i>
<i>Mr. Roy McGregor</i>	<i>082 871 7013</i>
<i>Mr. Dave Ford</i>	<i>083 257 8336</i>