

Reading Country Club

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<u>Results</u>		
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Date :- 17th August 2011</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>Ind. Bonus Bogey</i>
1 st	R Williams	+ 1
2 nd	M Sly	+ 1
3 rd	N Westoby	0
4 th	M Bradshaw	- 2
5 th	J Coetzee	- 3
<u>Friday</u>	<u>Date :- 19th August 2011</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>Meat Comp. - Ind. Stab.</i>
1 st	H Breed	22 pts
2 nd	J Van Der Merwe	20 pts
3 rd	B Bothma	19 pts
4 th	J Correira	19 pts
5 th	A Mzizi	18 pts
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Date :- 20th August 2011</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		<i>Ind. Stab.</i>
<u>A.M. Field</u>		
1 st	T Hone	37 pts
2 nd	B Donnelly	33 pts
3 rd	A Gilbert	33 pts
<u>Winter Club Champs</u>		
<u>Saturday Afternoon / Sunday Morning 20th / 21st August 2011</u>		
<u>“A” Division</u>		
Winner	Lucas K	144 gross
Runner-Up	Palm C	150 gross
Best Nett Sat.	Bradshaw M	74 nett
Best Nett Sun.	Wentzel Q	74 nett
Best Nett Total	Sly M	148 nett

<u>“B” Division</u>		
Winner	Breed H	177 gross
Runner-Up	Van Der Merwe J	179 gross
Best Nett Sat.	Carter P	77 nett
Best Nett Sun.	Field G	77 nett
Best Nett Total	Demetriou J	158 nett
<u>“C” Division</u>		
Winner	Wood B	64 pts
Runner-Up	Tartt E	63 pts
Best PTS Sat.	Lovesay T	35 pts
Best PTS Sun.	Cosgrove N	29 pts
<u>Senior Club Champ</u>		
Winner	A Mzizi	38 pts
Runner-Up	D Ford	32 pts
<u>Saturday - 20th August 2011</u>		
<u>Non Club Champs - Players</u>		
1st	J Gluckman	36 pts
2 nd	J Howie	35 pts
3 rd	B Josselsohn	31 pts
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Date :- 21st August 2011</u>	<u>Competition</u>
		Ind. Stableford
1st	A Lalla	34 pts
2 nd	M Ley	32 pts
3 rd	P Madhav	31 pts

Barrel of Fortune

Ticket No 208

A Kleinhans

Not Claimed

Next Week

R800.00

Whisky Draw

Joe Reis Ian Brown
Hennie Breed

From :- Larry Macartney

Club Manager

The “Winter Champs” have come and gone, so thanks are extended to Donovan and Juan for their excellent organization of the tournament. Congratulations to all the Prize Winners, especially Kyle Lucas, who will forever see his name engraved on the Winter Champs Shield, as the 2011 Winter Club Champion.

He will be in good company as some of the past winners will bring back memories, such as Harold Struwig, Greg Nicholas, Jonathan Chisholm, Same Krige, the Ferreira Boys - Tyrone and Steven, Clinton Stoltz and someone called Carl Liebenberg in 2000 !!! Anyone know the last named ???

The only negative with the “Champs” was the very disappointing entry across all Divisions. The final line up showed 14 in “A” Division, 10 in “B” Division, 7 in “C” Division and 10 Seniors, giving a total entry of 41 players, for one of the Club’s Major Tournaments. How sad !!

This coming weekend, sees the Regional Finals of the Sanlam Cancer Challenge, being played at Country Club Johannesburg. “Reading” will be represented by Jonathan Pinnell, Brian Gordon and Neville Cosgrove in the three Divisions, and we wish them well and hope they bring home the bacon. I understand that C.C.J. does not sell “Windhoek Draft” - on the course, so Brian will be arriving at 10:30 a.m. for his 12:20 Tee Off Time !!! Good Luck Chaps.

One of our Members, Les Ashkettle, has been given permission - by the Committee, to erect a cart storage area for his private use, and has asked me to canvas any other Members who would like to house their personal Golf Cart at the Club. It makes sense, and is more cost effective, to erect more than one - so if anyone is interested, please contact Les at 082 688 0919

I heard through the grapevine that our Bowlers swept the boards at the recent "South of the Line" Tournament held at Suburb Sports Bowling Club, with three Winners, three Runner's-Up and one Semi-Finalist out of eight disciplines. This was sufficient for "Reading" to be declared overall winners of the Tournament, so well done Bowlers, you are carrying the flag for Reading.

Please see attached photo showing :-

Bruce Milne, Dave Dyason, Joan Kissane, Wim Van Gils, Sandra Cheruslich, Tommy Branford, Corrie De Villiers, Miranda Bertacco, Veronica Vincent, Claudio Delise

Results

South of the Line Bowls Tournament

<u><i>Winners</i></u>	<i>C Delise</i>	-	<i>Novice Singles (Men)</i>
	<i>V Vincent</i>		<i>Novice Singles (Ladies)</i>
	<i>M Bertacco</i>		<i>Senior Singles (Ladies)</i>
<u><i>Runners-Up</i></u>	<i>S Chersulich/C De Villiers</i>		<i>Pairs (Ladies)</i>
	<i>T Branford</i>		<i>Senior Singles (Men)</i>
	<i>W Van Gils</i>		<i>Open Singles (Men)</i>
<u><i>Semi Finalist</i></u>	<i>B Milne / D Dyason</i>		<i>Pairs (Men)</i>

Finally, I would like to make a comment on "Rules". Every Club has it's "Rules", and Members are expected to accept, and follow, such rules. However, over the past few weeks there have been unpleasant, and unnecessary, altercations between Members over two of the simplest rules - the use of cellphones on the course, and the parking in reserved areas. Folks, the use of cellphones on the course is prohibited, and the

“President’s” parking spot is a privilege he has earned, so why do certain Members feel that these two rules do not apply to them ??? Enough said

Please remember that this Sunday, being the last of the month, we will be serving lunch. It would help greatly, if you would kindly book your table through Chris on 011 907 8906 Ext 106.

Dates to Diarise

<i>Friday</i>	<i>26th August</i>	<i>Poker Evening</i>
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>28th August</i>	<i>Invitation Mixed Open</i>

From :- The Club Captain - Kevin Gough

The Captains Chronicle

As Kevin is away - nothing for the Captain’s Chronicle this week

KEEP SUPPORTING YOUR CLUB
Kevin Gough

From the Pro Shop
Barry Bothma - PGA Professional

Wednesday was an Ind. Bonus Bogey which meant it was every golfer for himself out there. Winning the count-out for first place was R Williams, followed by M Sly in second place both on a very good +1. Third place was scooped up by N Westoby on a solid 0. M Bradshaw had to settle for fourth place on -2 and was followed by J Coetzee on -3.

Friday was the 9 Hole Meat Competition and the Final Round of the prestigious Klipdrift Currie Cup. In the "Meat" it was the one and only H Breed on a very good 22pts. Second place went to the very talented J Van Der Merwe on a respectable 20 pts. Winning the count-out for third was non-other than our Local Pro - B Bothma on a steady 19 pts, followed by "Appie in Training" J Correira on a sizzling 19 pts. In fifth place was A Mzizi on 18 pts.

In the Klipdrift Currie Cup it was the mighty "Leopard" that stood their ground to defeat the "Sharks" and win the first Klipdrift Currie Cup at Reading Country Club. Well done to the ladies, keep up the good work. The Final Log standings were as follows:

*Leopards – 40 pts
Sharks – 38 pts
Stormers – 36 pts
Lions – 30 pts
Cheethas – 22 pts
Bulls – 17 pts
Griquas – 16 pts
Pumas – 16 pts*

Saturday was the first round of the Winter Championships and an Ind. Stableford for the rest of the field. In the Stableford Competition it was J Gluckman who took first place on a very good 36 pts. Second place was taken by the very skilled J Howie on 35 pts, followed by B Josselsohn in third on 31 pts.

Winter Championships was a great success, thank you to all the players who entered. In the Senior Champs it was the deadly A Mzizi who took the honors with 38 pts, runner-up was D Ford on 32 pts. In the "C" Division it was the skilled B Wood that came out tops in first place on a total of 64 pts over 2 days. Close runner-up went to E Tartt on 63pts. "B" Division was taken by the experienced H Breed on a total gross of 177 for 2 days. Runner-up was J Van Der Merwe on a total gross of 179. The new Winter Champion 2011 was non-other than K Lucas on a solid total gross of 144. Runner-up for "A" Division was C Palm on a total gross of 150. Well done to all the winners, for the rest of the guys there is always next year.

Sunday was an Ind. Stableford which was won by A Lalla on a solid 34pts. M Ley took no chances and secured second place with 32 pts, leaving P Madhav to settle for third on 31 pts.

From the Lady Captain :- Marietjie Tame

Pretty in Pink Spring Trophy

Our Annual Spring Trophy Day will be held on Saturday - September 3. And what better way to welcome "Spring" than to add a touch of pink to your attire. We'll leave it up to your imagination. Green Fees this year is R190 per player, which will include your Prize-Giving Lunch. Format is Individual Stableford. Please book directly at the Pro Shop 011 907-3666, T-Off times have been set aside. Book now to avoid disappointment.

Mixed Open

This month on Sunday - August 28. Only a few T-Off times still available. Book at the Pro-Shop 011 907 3666, this competition is becoming quite popular, so don't miss out.

SA Mid-Amateur

The Annual SA Mid-Amateur Ladies Championships this year is taking place from 7th to 9th November 2011 at the Kingswood Golf Estate. It is open to any Amateur Woman Golfer affiliated to Woman's Golf South Africa, or any Amateur Woman Golfer affiliated to a Governing Body recognized by W.G.S.A. and over the age of 35. Handicap limit 24. "A" Division: 0-9 "B" Division: 10-18 "C" Division: 19-24. Closing Date for entries is 7 October. Enter on-line at www.wgsa.co.za.

And to brighten up your day:

Golfer: "Please stop checking your watch all the time. It's too much of a distraction."

Caddy: "It's not a watch - it's a compass."

Enjoy your week and get ready for spring.

Marietjie

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 Roy McGregor
 Dave Ford Robert Barker*

Roy McGregor 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>