



LATEST NEWS – 4 JULY 2025

Club News

Future of the Club

The Club is continuing its path of growth and financial stability. To maintain that progression the Club needs members to consider taking up a role so that the Club keeps pace and moves forward with the hospitality industry,

There are two issues facing the Club that may have an impact on our progress.

1. As previously mentioned **all the Directors are up for re-election in September**. This would be an opportunity to participate in the future direction of the Club. The Club has a lot of members with the skills and experience that could create new ideas and initiatives while maintaining the culture of the Club. It is a rewarding position, being involved with members, promoting the Club to the wider community, and working with fellow Board members that share the vision of the Club.

2. The Club is **experiencing a shortage of volunteer bar staff**. This is making it extremely difficult to keep the bar open for our current opening times during competition days.

The Club will pay the cost of getting your Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA). It only takes a few hours in one day to complete the course in Wollongong. If there are a couple of members interested, we can arrange for them to do the course together. Volunteering for bar work is a rewarding experience.

We do not want to be in a position that we have to close the bar or Club when volunteer bar staff are unavailable, so it is up to you to decide which direction we choose. Spare a little of your time to ensure the future of the club, so please consider a position. Any interested members can talk to me or any of the other Board members.

Conditions of grass.

There are several areas of fairway that have been negatively affected by galahs picking out the grass roots. This results in an uneven dead area of fairway. These areas on the course are to be treated as 'abnormal ground conditions'. This means, treat the area as Ground Under Repair (GUR).

Slow play.

Further to last month's reminder about keeping the pace of play flowing, it is the responsibility of the lowest handicapped player to keep fellow players moving. If you are given a hint from a fellow player to speed up, please do!

Club Welfare Officer.

A big shout out and thank you to Rita Beauchamp who is the Club's Welfare Officer. Rita follows up on injured and ill members, sharing our love and support. She is always working behind the scenes, thank you Rita for all that you do.

Members Cart Storage Shed Project

As you would have noticed the concrete slab has been laid and it should not be long before the shed is erected. Those members that are on the list will shortly receive a Cart Shed Agreement for reviewing and signing.

Les Beauchamp
President

GOLF NEWS

Single Matchplay Men & "Cock O' The Vale Draws.

These are out and printed on the club's noticeboard or click on the following links:

[2025 Men's Single Matchplay Championship Draw](#)

[2025 COV Championship Draw](#)

July Events

Saturday 5th July - Murray Dribbus Lawyers AGU Medal **featuring the commencement of Saturday Super Pin. Entry \$2, closest to the pin on the 11th Hole wins all. Male and female entries all welcome, cash only.**

Tuesday 8th July - The Skin Confidential WGA Medal

Saturday 12th July - Morrie Lucas Trophy

Tuesday 15th July - Parsons Veterans Open day - Rd 2 Better Business Accounting WGA Foursome Championships

Thursday 17th July - Jack Picton Trophy

Saturday 19th July - Coastline Roofing Solutions 2P Ambrose - Rd1 Woonona Physio & Sports Injury Clinic AGU Single Matchplay (incl. BBQ)

Tuesday 22nd & 29th July - Rounds 1 & 2 of the Camray Air WGA 4 Ball Matchplay Championship

Saturday 26th July - C.O.V first round

Upcoming August Events.

- Handiskins - entries Open now, contact the office. First round 9th August.
- Mixed Foursomes Championship First round Sunday 3rd August. Enter now.
- Nomination sheets for Mixed 4B Match Play, Men's 4B Match Play, are available at the score recording station near the bar



Bunker Rakes

Following concerns from members, the Golf Operations Committee determined an issue on the placement of rakes in bunkers.

It was decided that rakes are to be placed as per the following photo for a trial period. The rake is to point towards the centre of the green

Feedback would be appreciated.

June Sponsored Events

Tuesday 17th June was a lovely day of golf which all participants enjoyed tremendously. Congratulations to Lyn White, Genel Cartwright and Robert Fracasso for winning their divisions. A big thank you to Jack and Jackson Plummer for cooking the BBQ and feeding the players.





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Women's Foursomes Round 1 Championship Progressive Results.

Net winners after round 1- Diane Plummer & Clare Morgan

Best Gross winners after round 1- Julie Neal & Jane Davey.

Final Round 15th July 2025



Men's Foursomes to be decided in a playoff between Paul Fairall & Steve Townsend and, Russell Hammond & Anthony Bain.



Fursys AGU Men's Monthly Medal.

June Winners were:

A Grade -Justin Macmillan

B Grade - David Atkins

C Grade - George Young

Best Gross - Jeff Kennedy



Enhance Bellambi (Gross Winner)

June Winner - Jeff Kennedy

VALE: Club Member Don McCorquodale - Passed away 8th April