



# Claremont Golf Club Members News

May 2018

## Happy 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday

This year marks the clubs 90<sup>th</sup> year of operation. Happy Birthday to the Claremont Golf Club. In operation since 1928. Look out for our Birthday Golf Day in July!

## Membership 2018 – 2019

Annual membership fees have been reviewed and approved by the Board for the 2018-19 financial year. New memberships fees are outlined below and if you haven't received your membership renewal please get in touch with the Club directly.

Memberships can be paid at the Club and are effective 1 July 2018 to 30 June 2018

Membership Level	Annual Fees
Premium Membership	\$1,599
Full Membership	\$1199
Full Membership (continuous)	\$1149
Quantum Membership	\$490
Colts Membership	\$375
Teenager Membership	\$160
Junior (12 and under) Membership	\$35
Social Membership	\$10

## Course update

We have been busy around the course over the past few months. Just some of the work we've completed is:

- Irrigation improvements have been made on the 1<sup>st</sup> hole - splitting the fairway irrigation in two sections, replacement of sprinkler heads and improving pressure, coverage, drainage and growth.
- Irrigation installed on the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> hole as well as the Clubhouse. This is intended to increase the size and playability of these areas.
- Autumn green renovations have been completed and are recovering well. Next year we will be planning for this to occur in March to improve recovery further.
- Old 17<sup>th</sup> is being put to good use as a 50m range and practice putting area.

Thanks to Noel and Dave for their contributions to improve Tee conditions.

An ongoing thanks to Dads Army for their ongoing commitment to improving our course and club facilities.

We are dedicated to the continual improvement of our course, playing areas and clubhouse and we value our members and volunteers feedback and ideas. Please don't hesitate to send them to me by email, give me a call or catch me on the course – Shane.

## *News from around the club*

### **Tee Update**

Members are reminded that all social play is now to be played off the green markers. All other tees are for competition use only.

### **Pennant**

Now complete for the 2018 season with our teams producing some great results.

The ladies' division two team won over Kingston Beach in the final roster match 4-1 to finish at the top of the table and have qualified for the State Finals to be held in Devonport on 3<sup>rd</sup> June. A fantastic effort ladies and Good luck in Devonport.

In the Men's the Division Six team were victorious whilst those in Divisions 2, 3, 5, 10 and 12 were beaten in their finals on the day.

A big thank you to Eddie Saville for his commitment in getting the teams on the track each week.

### ***Club Computer Systems Upgrade***

Thank you must be extended to Ron Alomes, Noel Nation, Rob Cruickshank and Leigh Smith for their hard work bringing the computer network into the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. It's not quite there yet but it's getting closer.

This has and will see improvements in our internet speed and once complete we will be able to fully integrate our POS system throughout the club.

### ***Sponsorship***

Sponsorship is as important to our club as it is at any club. Several of our sponsors have taken the opportunity to invest in packages with signage, this is a great sign and you will see this grow around the course as more sponsors come on board. If you are aware of a business wanting to sponsor a local club please ask them to make contact or provide their details to the Sponsorship Taskforce for follow up.

Thanks to our Sponsorship Taskforce of Eddie Saville and Mark Newman for their ongoing hard work and dedication. We also acknowledge and thank Bryan Sackley and Gary Rowbottom for their service to the Taskforce as they step away to fulfil other commitments. If anyone is interested in joining Eddie and Mark as replacement for the services of Bryan and Gary, please contact Anthony to discuss further.

### ***Staff***

A Club is only as good as its people and we've had some staff movements of late.

Although with us for a little while now, we would like to formally welcome both **Yuanita** and **Roger** into our club. They have both fitted seamlessly into the Club. Welcome!!

Yuanita has joined us to take on the (extremely) important Cleaners role vacated by **Tony Corbett**. Tony has become part of the furniture in the many years he has worked for the Club, both as an Employee and a Volunteer and we appreciate his efforts over the years.

It is with great regret that we will be farewelling **Jodi** as she leaves us to join Beauty and the Bees. Jodi has been an asset to the Club over the past 12 years in varying capacities, most recently in the role of Office Administrator. We thank you Jodi for all your work over the years and your contribution to the Club will be missed by all. Jodi finishes up on Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> June and will be upstairs between 5pm and 7pm

for farewell drinks so we look forward to you joining us and Jodi for a farewell drink. In fact, make a night of it and stay for dinner! 😊

**Alison Smith**, has agreed to assist us in a *voluntary* capacity covering some of Jodi's duties in the short term. Thank you, Alison.

### **Workskills**

We have approached Workskills and applied to be part of another program as our current program has ended. At present Workskills are reviewing their forecast in relation to placement numbers for programs and will contact us again when they have confirmed programs and placement numbers to discuss this further.

### **Social Events and Functions**

The Club has seen a good number of social events and private functions over the past couple of months including birthdays, an engagement party, veterans golf, sports presentations dinner and a high tea.

### **Upcoming Events**

We are planning to hold some theme nights in the future. Look out for further details on our Facebook page and check the promo screen in the Clubhouse.

### **Swing Fit**

Swing Fit is currently up and running for the second year with a good number of ladies taking up the opportunity. If anyone would like to join the group, it's not too late! Contact Anthony for more details. Sessions are held on Saturdays from 2pm – 4pm.

### **Pro Shop**

#### **Nominal Opening Hours**

Monday	8am – 5pm
Tuesday	8am – 5pm
Wednesday	7am – 5:30pm
Thursday	8am – 5pm
Friday	8am – 5pm
Saturday	7am – 5:30pm
Sunday	8am – 5pm

#### **Staff Arrangements**

Day	Anthony	Todd	Roger	Josh
Monday	Off	8am – 5pm	Off	Off
Tuesday	8am – 6pm	Off	8am – 12noon	Off
Wednesday	6:30am -12noon	12noon – 6pm	7am – 12noon	Off
Thursday	8am – 6pm	Off 12noon – 5pm*	8am – 12noon	Off
Friday	8am – 6pm	12noon – 5pm	Off	Off
Saturday	6-7am/11-5pm	12noon – 5pm (F/N)	7am - 12noon	12noon – 5pm (F/N)
Sunday	7:30-12:30*	Off	Off	1pm – 5pm 8am – 5pm*

\*alternate weeks on rotating roster

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