



Finally, the framework for the extension to the Buggy Shed has commenced!

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CONGRATULATIONS to the Winners of the Miller Kingston

Ben Watson & Troy Martin

Commiserations to John Wolfe & Glen Hannah who fought hard but were pipped at the post.

We would like to again **thank our wonderful sponsors** for their great support. Jeff & Marcia Miller, Brian & Marlene Kingston, Bernie Kurtz Optometrist, Richard Haverland – All Refrigeration & Appliances, John Wolfe – Australian Insurance Solutions.

The Match committee would like to advise that our **Junior members** are fully supported at this club and should be treated like all other members. Just a reminder that these young golfers are the future of our club and golf in general and should be allowed to play golf on our courses without the constant abuse from certain members in the club who feel that juniors have no right to be playing on Saturdays.

The Juniors have been monitored over a period of time and it has been proven by the committee that these young members are not holding up play and should be treated courteously at all times. Any member that is seen to be abusing Juniors on the course will be asked to meet with the Match committee to explain their inappropriate actions.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday 6th April – Good Friday
Saturday 7th April - Carlton Mid Men’s 4ball C’ship Qualifier
Saturday 7th July – President & Captain’s Dinner Dance (further details coming soon)

Please note members that when this **new sletter is sent via email** there are at least 10-15 email addresses that reject. Please advise anyone that you know who is not receiving their newsletter to check their email address is correctly listed.

A reminder on Members Dress Regulations:

Tucked in collared shirts and socks above the ankles are required whilst playing on the golf course.

In the Golfers Lounge you are allowed to have your collared shirts left out but you must have covered in shoes.

COURSE MATTERS

The recent flurry of construction activity has now been completed with another 1200 square metres of buggy paths installed and associated repair works conducted in the allocated time frame. The 6th River dam has had the rock wall revetment put into place and it has made a big improvement to the aesthetics of this area. A big thank you to the Members for their co-operation with disruption to the course during these important course improvement works and congratulations to the course staff for combining the extra workload with their normal duties whilst still very much in the growing season.

The 17th West green has germinated very well and should receive its first mowing on April 5 which is 20 days after sowing compared to 26 days for the trial nursery green area which is a positive start.

Works planned in the period after Easter include the commencement of a tree pruning program aimed at reducing the interference to lines of play, which will be ongoing over the next few months as resources allow. The installation of a geofabric material and new sand to two bunkers at 14th River green will take place which will prevent further contamination of the playing surface by stones and will be similar to the work carried out to the right side bunker two years ago. The West greens will also be deep tyne aerated during April to allow for some much needed air exchange following the summer months.

GCDGA Division 1 Pennants have won all their games thus far. Last week 3 holes went to playoffs, they eventually won 4-3 over Southport. Great work guys!

One match remains before the final on the 22nd April.

Round 5 – 15th April at Emerald Lakes
Final – 22nd April - Course tbc

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Now the editor of this Newsletter has taken up golf these golf observations seem so relevant now!

- The shortest distance between any two points on a golf course is a straight line that passes directly through the centre of a very large tree!
- A good drive on the 18th hole has stopped many a golfer from giving up the game.
- Golf is one big emotional roller coaster!