Coming up next 💗

The game is at Bacchus Marsh 8.00am Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> of October and is the second round of the Club Championships.



# Course map

Provided at the back of this document.

Entries are now open.

Mario Caruso will be coordinating this event.

Next month Monday 7<sup>th</sup> of November at Craigieburn.

# **Special reminder**

The John Feehan Annual Tournament to be held at Trentham Golf Club on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> of October. Entries close 30<sup>th</sup> September 2022. Entry form provided at the back of this newsletter.

# Captain's Report Bacchus Marsh 12th September 2022

The sun may have been up, but it was a cool start for the first round of our Championships at Bacchus Marsh Golf Club on the 12<sup>th</sup> of Sep 22.

Unlike the August game the wind blew at a gentle zephyr through the morning with long patches of sunlight providing a bit of warmth.

The course was in fair shape with the odd wet area on a few fairways. Thanks to the greens staff for getting the greens mown early and to the restaurant staff for providing a hearty meal.

Thanks to committee members for their efforts in starting the field and compiling results, especially Bill Mandouit coordinating his first event.

The field was down on numbers with late withdrawals, some sickies and a few on holidays. Although conditions were so much better than our last outing, only one of the local members out of 54 players participating was able to play better than handicap.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Handicap</u>	<u>Points</u>
A grade winner: Ray Pentony A grade runner-up	9	38
Vito Cirelli	<u>5.</u> 12	34 c/b
B grade winner: Laurie Craig B grade runner-up	16	34
Colin Braithwaite	<u>7.</u> 18	31 c/b
C grade winner: Ron Damons C grade runner-up	21	33
Bernie Handke	<u>5.</u> 29	30 c/b

#### Nearest the Pin 3 Golf balls

3rd hole	Ray Davidson
5th hole	James Fernandez
12th hole	Frank Tadic
16th hole	Mark Nicholls

Championship leaders in A, B, and C grades are the winners as above and D grade leader is Bernie Handke.

Congratulations to all the winners with the ball competition going to 29 pts on a count back. The "raffallo" prize was won by Captain Gus Steegstra, with golf balls to Fort Rizzo, Neil Cunningham and Cyril Newsome.

Winner of the Birthday draw was Paul Robinson, a free game at our second round at Bacchus Marsh on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> of Oct 22.

Gus Steegstra Captain

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President Alan Kinnaird with A Grade winner Ray Pentony



President Alan Kinnaird with C Grade winner Ron Damons





President Alan Kinnaird with B Grade winner Laurie Craig



All members that introduce two new members will receive a free entry to one of our events.

Once the new member has paid their membership you will be listed on the next event as paid.

Lady golfers are welcome to join.

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# HUME VETS TRIUMPHANT AT V.V.G.A. ANNUAL TEAMS TOURNAMENT 2022 held at Stawell Golf Club



Left to Right: Bernie Handke, Ron Swift, Laurie Craig, Daryl Bessel, Tony Barr, Brian Smith

We have just received news that our number 2 team was successful in winning the Championship Trophy for the best combined stableford score over the 2 days played on Monday and Tuesday this week which was held at the Stawell Golf Club.

Congratulations to Tony Barr, Laurie Craig and Brian Smith who were able to come back from 5 points down at the halfway mark and win by 3 points from Wimmera Vets with Ballarat Vets coming in third.

According to Tony the course was playing long due to recent heavy rain and the greens were not easy to read with the scores reflecting the tough conditions.



Left to Right: Laurie Craig, VVGA President Richard Olsen, Tony Barr, Brian Smith

Following are the individual scores:-Monday 5th, Tony Barr 31, Laurie Craig 29, Brian Smith 29, Total 89 points. Tuesday 6th, Tony Barr 34, Laurie Craig 35, Brian Smith 34, total 103 points. Overall total 192 points



Laurie Craig, President Alan Kinnaird, Tony Barr

Hume Vets have been competing in this prestigious event for many years and it is a fantastic result to finally have our name on the trophy. Well done boys.

Our number 1 team comprising of Bernie Handke, Daryl Bessell and Ron Swift were not far off the pace and Bernie played very well on Tuesday to win the best individual score with 37 points. He was only 2 shots off winning the best score for the two days.

Congratulations Bernie and a big thank you to him for coordinating the arrangements for our 2 teams.

Alan Kinnaird President HVGC

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## **Welfare Report**

Colin Yates is recovering after receiving a pacemaker.

Bob Duggan has had major surgery but will be back soon.

Carol Young has responded to well treatment, and we hope to see her in the not too distant future.

Peter Caple is the Welfare Officer.

Please contact Peter at p.caple@bigpond.com if you know of any of our members who are ill.

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# NEW PROVIDER OF GOLF GEAR ESTABLISHED

The committee would like to advise that the club has parted ways with our old providers of our golf gear, Walkinshaw Golf and Par Maker Golf. Our club has established a relationship with a new provider- Altona Lakes Golf Club (ALGC). In the past, ALGC has provided trophies for the John Feehan Tournament.

Shane Turner has arranged with Chris Condon - the club manager at ALGC - to support our club tournament prizes in the future.

Starting with providing competitively priced golf balls for our ball run downs and the prizes for this year's John Feehan Tournament at Trentham in October.

This arrangement also includes the on-going service of providing the members with an opportunity to purchase a very good golf ball at a competitive price of just \$25 per dozen.

Orders for the purchase of balls are to be made through Shane Turner.

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## **Birthdays for October**

Tony	Barr
Peter	Brideson
John	Cardwell
Joe	Curry
Peter	Denny
Alan	Gray
Terry	How
Harry	Johnson
Sureshbir	Kaushal
Peter	Olthof
Vince	Rusciano
Evan	Smith
Peter	Turner
Alan	Condron

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To give yourself the best possible chance of playing to your potential, you must prepare for every eventuality. That means practice.

**Seve Ballesteros** 

Baseball reveals character; golf exposes it. **Ernie Banks** 

# **2022 Presidents Cup**



After a three-year hiatus, the Presidents Cup is back in action

Normally held biennially on odd-numbered years, the Presidents Cup schedule was delayed due to the COVID-19 pandemic after the Americans won the 2019 matches in thrilling fashion, 16-14, at Royal Melbourne Golf Club in Australia. The return of the matches between the United States and the Internationals has been largely impacted by LIV Golf after numerous players with a case for qualification joined the upstart circuit led by Greg Norman and backed by the Public Investment Fund of Saudi Arabia.

With the four-day event set to begin at Quail Hollow Club in Charlotte, North Carolina, here's everything you need to know for the 2022 Presidents Cup.

# When and where

Dates: Sept. 22-25

Host course: Quail Hollow Club, Charlotte,

North Carolina

**Architect**: George Cobb (1961) **Par/Yardage**: 71 | 7,576 yards

Quail Hollow Club has been a regular stop on the PGA Tour and PGA Tour Champions dating back to 1969 and has hosted what is now the Wells Fargo Championship since 2003, although the 2022 event was moved to TPC Potomac at Avenel Farm in Potomac, Maryland, in preparation of the Presidents Cup.

Quail Hollow also hosted the 2017 PGA Championship, won by Justin Thomas, and will host the 2025 PGA Championship, as well. Built by George Cobb and opened in 1961, the course has seen several renovations over the decades, including by Arnold Palmer and, most

recently, Tom Fazio. It ranks as the No. 4 private course in North Carolina on Golfweek's Best Private Courses.

## **Format**

Fans will be treated to 30 matches spread out over four days as a team of 12 American players will take on a team of 12 International players (minus Europe, who competes against the U.S. in the Ryder Cup). Thursday will feature five four-ball matches, with five foursome matches to follow on Friday. Saturday will feature four morning fourball matches with four foursome matches in the afternoon. All 12 players will then compete in a singles match Sunday.

Each match is worth one point, with ties being worth half a point. Players are required to play at least one match, not including Sunday singles. Inspired by the 2003 Presidents Cup, the first and only tie in the competition's history, if the event is tied after Sunday singles, the teams will share the Presidents Cup.

LIV Golf has made an impact on this year's matches. Looking at the rosters from 2019, three American players (four if you count Brooks Koepka, who withdrew with a knee injury) and five International players have moved to the new circuit, opening up spaces for some fresh faces.

# History

This year marks the 14th playing of the Presidents Cup. Last time out the Americans were victorious in Australia at Royal Melbourne, defeating the Internationals, 16-14.

The United States have dominated during the history of the matches, going 11-1-1, with its lone loss coming in 1998 at Royal Melbourne, the third playing of the event. The lone tie in the history of the competition occurred two matches later in 2003.

# The players

For the U.S., the automatic qualifiers are:-

Scottie Scheffler, Patrick Cantlay, Xander Schauffele, Sam Burns, Justin Thomas and Tony Finau.

The captain's picks are:-

Jordan Spieth, Collin Morikawa, Max Homa, Billy Horschel, Cameron Young and Kevin Kisner.

For the Internationals, the automatic qualifiers

Hideki Matsuyama (Japan), Sungjae Im (South Korea), Tom Kim (South Korea), Corey Conners (Canada), Adam Scott (Australia) and Mito Pereira (Chile).

### The captain's picks are:-

K.H. Lee (South Korea), Sebastian Munoz (Colombia), Christiaan Bezuidenhout (South Africa), Taylor Pendrith (Canada), Cam Davis (Australia) and Si Woo Kim (South Korea).

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# Below Par IQ ACTUAL calls received at a public golf course

Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: What are your green fees?

Staff: 38 dollars.

Caller: Does that include golf?

#### Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: Yes, I need to get some information from you. First, is this your correct phone number?

#### Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: Yes, we have a tee time for two weeks

from Friday.

What's the weather going to be like that day?

#### Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: Yes, I had a tee time for this afternoon but I'm running late. Can you still get me out early?

#### Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: Yes, do you have one of those areas where you can buy a bucket of golf balls and hit them for practice?

Staff: You mean a driving range?

Caller: No, that's not it.

#### Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: Yes, I'd like to get a tee time tomorrow

between 12 o'clock and noon.

Staff: Between 12 o'clock and noon?

Caller: Yes.

Staff: We'll try to squeeze you in.

#### Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: Do you have any open tee times around

10 o'clock?

Staff: Yes, we have one at 10:15. Caller: What's the next time after that?

Staff: We have one at 10:22.

Caller: We'll take that one. It will be a bit warmer.

# **Hume Veterans Order of Merit standings**

Order of Merit - After Bacchus Marsh 12 Sep 22 - Top 25 Overall and Leaders By Age Category
NOTE: There are two more rounds to go in the 2022 Order of Merit. The winner in each age
category wil be presented with a prize at our presentation day, at our final game in December. To
be eligible for a prize a member must have played a minimum of 5 games since 1 January. The
best 7 games count towards points scores. The two players highlighted below need toplay at least
one more game to qualify.

				(A	Age Cat	tegories 1Jan202	22)	
Pos	Name	Games Counting	Total Points	55 - 65	66-70	71-75	76 Plus	
1	Bernie Handke	7	537			1	-	
2	Daryl Bessell	7	505	1				
3	Laurie Craig	7	501	2				
4	Ronald Swift	4	460		1			
5	Derek Kennedy	6	431		2			
6	Frank Cuthbertson	6	394		3			
7	Tony Barr	6	379			2		
8	Brian Smith	7	369			3		
9	Peter Brideson	7	368			4		
10	Frank Tadic	7	366				1	
11	Richard Te Whare	7	349	3				
12	Vito Cirelli	5	333	4				
13	Peter Caple	5	330			5		
14	Terry How	4	327				2	
15	Colin Braithwaite	7	325	5				
16	Raymond Pentony	5	315	6				
17	John Peart	7	312			6		
18	Sergio Onciarich	7	306		4			
18	Fortunato Rizzo	7	306			7		
20	Dean Murray	6	285		5			

# **Hume Veterans Golf Club Inc.**

# John Feehan Annual Tournament Medley Event to be Held at Trentham Golf Club

Friday 28th of October Registration 07:00- 08:00 Shotgun Start 08:30

55 years and over



Entries close 30th September 2022

**Age Grades** 

55-64 years 65-74 years

75 plus

**Medley Stableford** 

**Format** 

Field limited to 80

Must have an official Golf

official Golf Australia handicap Trophies Sponsored by APR Plastics-The home

of Advanced Recovery Alan Kinnaird 0418 564 760

Shane Turner 0438 428 932

# Cost to enter is only \$50

This includes green fees and a sit-down hot lunch Please pay via EFT or EFTPOS on the day

# Preferred method of payment is online via EFT

Account Name: HUME VETERANS GOLF CLUB
BSB: 033118 Account: 344854
Include your name and 'Trentham'

Enter via HVGC website	https:/	/www.humevet	sgc.com.au/home	Golf/Event
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Entries or use form below ENTRY DETAILS:

NAME:	MOBILE:	
HANDICAP:	HOME CLUB:	
GOLF LINK NUMBER:	DOB:	



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# Central Victorian Veterans Golfers Association



# Annual Goldfields Tournament

Belvoir Park Golf Course: 14th & 15th of November 2022

Two Divisions Open for Men and Ladies A & B Grades

# General Information

- Play will commence at 10:30am on Monday and 9:00am on Tuesday. Please report and register at least 30 minutes before scheduled hit off time.
- All players must be a registered and financial member of the VVGA District Association.
- Closing date for entries is Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2022 or when Capacity Field is reached (120 Players)
- Entry Fee includes a Bagged Lunch on Monday and on Tuesday prior to presentations.
- Golf Carts are available for Hire from Belvoir Park Pro Shop Ph: 0413 514 662
- Visitors from all VVGA District Association Clubs will be made most welcome.
  Contact Details:

Tournament Director Rob Rossiter 0466 361 557. <a href="mailto:stats.cvvets@outlook.com">stats.cvvets@outlook.com</a>
President CVVGA Brian Smith 0459 671 833

Please complete this form and send to the Tournament Director on above email.

Please provide date of payment: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_ and

EFT Receipt Number:



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# **Entry Form**

Surna	me:First Name	:		
Distric	t Association:			
GA Ha	ndicap: Golf Link No:			
Phone	Number:			
Email:				
Please	Complete the following information: (Circle your re	esponse please)		
>	I will be walking the course	Yes	No	
>	I will be using a one-person motorised vehicle	Yes	No	
>	I will be using a two Person Golf Cart	Yes	No	
>	If sharing a Two Person Cart, please provide Na	me of Partn	er	

# **Entry Fees**

Registration open until 4th of November or until field (120) is full

\$60.00 per player for Two Day Tournament

#### Payment Methods:

Electronic Payment preferred to

Central Victorian Golfers Association Inc.

BSB: 633 000

Account No.

5309 3555

Put your name in the description section of the transaction. No entry payments will be accepted on the day of the tournament.

#### Other Method:

If wishing to pay by Cheque or Money order. Please attach Cheque or money order to this completed form and mail to Tournament Director CVVGA 10 Thunder Street Bendigo VIC 3550. Please ensure this arrives prior to the 4<sup>th</sup> of November 2022



Northen District Veterans Golf Association

29th Spring Tournament

**Monday 17th and Tuesday 18th October** 

cluBarham Golf and Sports Club are proud to host the 29th Spring Tournament.

Monday Shotgun Start 11am-11.30am
Tuesday Shotgun Start 9am-9.30am
36 hole Stableford Event-Mens and Ladies Grades
(Grades determined when field is complete)

Name:		
Golflink Number		
Phone:		
Email address:	-	A SECTION AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY OF THE PA

\$80 PER PERSON

\$60

BARHAM MEMBERS

# **ENTRY INCLUDES**

SAUSAGE SIZZLE MONDAY,2 ROUNDS OF GOLF AND LUNCH FOLLOWING TUESDAY ROUND.

PAYMENT VIA DIRECT DEPOSIT OR OVER PHONE AT PROSHOP

BSB: 082-572 ACC: 509 610 012

# **Hume Veterans Golf Club Inc.**

ABN 58 679 581 932



President Alan Kinnaird 0418 564 760 Captain: Gus Steegstra 0407 098 423 Secretary: Arnold Messias 0421 035 881

Email: arnold@messias.net

# **Application for Membership**

Membership Secretary, Hume Veterans Golf Club Inc. Mario Caruso 21 Liquidamber Way Sunbury 3429 info@humevetsgc.com.au
Sir, I hereby apply for membership of the Hume Veterans Golf Club and if elected, agree to abide by the Articles of Association, By-Laws of the Club and Committee rulings. I have obtained the age of 55 years I am a financial member of a Golf Club affiliated with the Australian Golf Union and have a current handicap recognized by the Australian Golf Club Union or have a current Golflink handicap.
Name in full (in block letters) Polo Top Size
Golf Link Number
Address
Email Address
Home Club Date of Birth
Home Telephone noMobile
Emergency contact Name & Phone No.
Signature
The above-mentioned candidate is personally known to us and we believe him to be a suitable person to be elected a Member of the Hume Veterans Golf Club.
Proposer (in block letters)
Signature
Seconder (in block letters)
Signature
Membership fees can be paid via direct debit to Hume Vets Golf Club
BSB: 033-118 Account Number: 344854
Provided that the Directors shall not be bound to accept the application for Membership of any person, also provided any inaccuracy or misrepresentation in the particulars relating to the applicant or his description shall render his election voidable at any time at the discretion of the Club.  Date received by the Membership Secretary
Signed



Bacchus Marsh Golf Course