



Coming up next
The game is at Kooringal
8.00 am Wednesday 5th of July



Course map

Provided at the back of this document.

Kooringal entries are now open.
 Kerry Bayly will be coordinating this event.

Next month Monday 7th of August at Bacchus Marsh.

Captain's Report Derrimut
5th June 2023

A mild morning greeted us on arrival at Mt Derrimut Golf Club and as the sun was rising over the city in the east, a rarer strawberry moon was fading in the western sky.

Everyone arrived on time with a few people being much earlier due to the removal of the Station Street rail crossing.

The course and bunkers were a bit damp in a few places but the greens were fast and in good shape.

Thanks to the greens and Pro shop staff for their service and as usual to the catering staff for their attention and a tasty lunch.

Also, thanks to committee members for their efforts in setting up the day and checking in the field and coordinating the results.

The weather was fine during the morning, but the wind strengthened during the 2nd nine and may have contributed to the lower scores.

Only 2 of the 59 players equalled their handicap with the ladies faring well in the results.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Handicap</u>	<u>Points</u>
<u>A grade winner:</u>		
Richard Te Whare	3	35
<u>A grade runner-up:</u>		
Darren Thorpe	9	34
<u>B grade winner:</u>		
Ian Goodger	21	36
<u>B grade runner-up:</u>		
Pamela Murphy	22	35 c/b
<u>C grade winner:</u>		
Janice Haydon	37	36
<u>C grade runner-up:</u>		
Ted Haydon	30	34

Nearest the Pin 3 Golf balls

6th hole	Ray Davidson
9th hole	Ron Watkinson
12th hole	Suresh Kaushal
15th hole	Darren Thorpe

Twenty balls were issued in the ball competition down to 28 points.

The "raffallo" prize was won by Steph Cuthbertson, with golf balls to Graham Roper, John Cardwell and Neville Petrie.

Winner of the Birthday draw was Ian Goodger, for a free golf game at Kooringal next month.

Time: 8.00 am on Wed 5th of July 2023.

Gus Steegstra
 Captain



President Shane Turner with
A Grade winner Richard Te Whare



President Shane Turner with
C Grade winner Janice Haydon



President Shane Turner with
B Grade winner Ian Goodger

Welfare Report

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.

Birthdays for July

Barry	Baguley
Daryl	Bessell
Mick	Labruna
Barry	McAloney
John	Misitano
Alan	Moloney
Greg	Paterson
Peter	Plytus
Kath	Rindfleish
Bob	Wilkinson

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NEW CLUB APPAREL ON SALE
NOW

We are now able to offer members Vests along with both sleeveless and long sleeve knitted Jumpers with Club **LOGO** embroidery.

The first lot of orders have been completed and delivered to members at the Mt Derrimut event.

New orders can be placed with Alan Kinnaird by email alan.kinnaird@bigpond.com or on his mobile 0418564760.

Cost – Vest-\$50. Sleeveless Jumper-\$60. Long sleeve Jumper-\$80.

One Colour only – Navy Blue

Payment online into the Hume Vets account prior to delivery.



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Slow Play



In order to keep the game moving, players are requested to play a little faster where possible and to minimize congregating on the greens after holing out.

The first player on the green should putt out and then move on to the next tee.

The first on the next tee should play so as to keep the game moving as there is no need to wait.

Don't delay making a stroke because you're having a conversation with a playing partner. Put the conversation on hold and make your stroke.

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Literary Golf Quotes

Golf appeals to the idiot in us and the child. Just how childlike golf players become is proven by their frequent inability to count past five.

John Updike

Art said he wanted to get more distance. I told him to hit it and run backward.

Ken Venturi, on Art Rosenbaum

Golf is an ineffectual attempt to put an elusive ball into an obscure hole with implements ill-adapted to the purpose.

Woodrow Wilson

The least thing upset him on the links.

He missed short putts because of the uproar of butterflies in the adjoining meadows.

P.G. Wodehouse

Golf, like the measles, should be caught young, for, if postponed to riper years, the results may be serious.

P.G. Wodehouse

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Ninth hole. Six yards. Par one.

VVGA Newsletter

Reg No A0023016N



01/06/2023.

Hello Victorian Veteran Golfers'.

Well, we are halfway through the year and have been able to hold two successful events with two more to come. Although Hamilton had some problems with the scoring the course playing conditions and amenities were excellent and we thank the Hamilton Golf Club for the great effort in hosting us.

Barham was a little chilly and blowy at times, however the course and facilities lived up to the expectations and the field of 144 competitors were treated with a great event. Due to the floods, we have moved the teams' event away from Kialla and will be held at Benalla with the State Championship to be held in Warragul. The entry forms will be sent to the District Secretaries and appear on the web site in due course.

The Council has been working on several projects over the past six months with the view of improving the representation and governance of both the Council and Member Districts. We have formed two subcommittees to achieve the tasks of rezoning and governance. So far, the rezoning committee has produced a formula that will include the addition of a new zone and hence a new Zone Councillor to reduce somewhat the trinary of distance for some of the existing Councillors and enable a broader coverage and representation for the districts. This change will not impede or change the way the twenty-one districts operate or play their individual or interdistrict events. As this is a change of the rules of the Council it will be necessary to detail the proposed changes and forward them to the districts in the timely manner for the motion of change to be voted on at the Annual Meeting.

The Governance subcommittee has been charged with the task of ensuring that the districts are compliant with the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012 as is necessary for the true running of both the Council and the Districts and is the corner stone to the insurance cover held in place by the Council. I have attached the schedule of our cover to this letter. Many of the District Secretaries have forwarded their Districts model Rules that they are currently working under. Some are outdated, but many have been found to be up to date and very compliant with the Act.

Our endeavour through the Governance Sub-Committee, is to assist those District's whose model rules need to be brought up to date to comply with the Act. The Governance Sub-Committee is preparing a template of model rules that comply with the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012 for those District's to use at their own discretion and update with Consumer Affairs.

I am pleased to announce that Geoff Cook, Central Zone Councillor, was elected to the new role of Vice President of the VVGA. I look forward to working with Geoff to develop and promote Veterans Golf.

The Council has over the past 18 months received several inquiries regarding the insurance policy that has been instigated to protect the organisation and the members. It is important to note that it is not an Accidental Policy covering members personal property or injury. The coverage is to protect those volunteers that are filling the Council and District Committees for Professional Liability, Management Liability and Public Liability for all members of the Victorian Veteran Golfers' Association whilst participating in Veteran events. All inquiries or matters regarding a potential claim are to be forwarded the VVGA Secretary.

In closing I wish you all the best of health and look forward to catching up with many of you at future events.

Kind regards

Ern Kraulis
VVGA President

Johansen Insurance Brokers Pty Ltd

AFSL 226601
ABN 28 005 714 803

The Insured The Victorian Veteran Golfers' Association Inc
Including all **Members** as defined in the Policy Wording

Address 24 Mountview Drive SEBASTOPOL VIC 3550

Sport/Business Golf Association

Teams/Members 4000 MEMBERS
15 NON-PLAYING MEMBERS

Cover Details

Combined Liability Underwritten by Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's

Part 1
Public Liability \$10,000,000 any one occurrence
Products Liability \$10,000,000 any one occurrence and in the aggregate
Excess \$1,000

Part 2
Professional Indemnity \$1,000,000 any one claim and in the aggregate
Excess \$1,000
Retroactive date: 09/02/2021

Part 3
Management Liability
limits as per those shown below any one claim and in the aggregate

Directors and Officers:	\$2,000,000
Offices Bearers	\$2,000,000
Trustee Liability:	\$2,000,000
Taxation Audit:	NOT INSURED
Crime/Fidelity:	\$10,000
Employment Practices:	NOT INSURED
Statutory Liability:	NOT INSURED
Appearance at Official Investigations:	Included
Heirs and Estates:	Included
Automatic Reinstatement of Indemnity Limit:	Included
Discovery Period:	Included
Outside Directorship Cover:	Included
New and Former Subsidiary:	Included
Occupational Health and Safety:	Included
Public Relations Cover:	\$100,000
Pollution:	Included for Sudden and Unexpected
Continuous Cover:	Included

Management Liability Excess

Standard Excess	\$1,000
Crime/Fidelity	\$1,000
Employment Practices	\$NIL
Retroactive date:	09/02/2021



www.humevetsgc.com.au

Hume Veterans Golf Club is now accepting new members.

**Play at these quality courses for only
\$50 a game (hot lunch included).**

Werribee Park

Gisborne

Melton Valley

Mandalay

Trentham

Mt. Derrimut

Goonawarra

Bacchus Marsh

Koorringal

Craigieburn

&

Melbourne Airport Christmas Lunch/Raffle and Golf

For an annual membership fee of just \$60 (which includes 5 tickets to the club's annual major raffle, valued at \$1200) and \$50 per game entry fee, you are invited to play once a month at each of the above courses. After each game, a sit-down hot meal and a presentation of prizes is conducted.

All new members are provided with a Hume Vets shirt and cap (both embroidered with the club logo) and name badge at no additional cost.

At each event prizes are given to top scorers, nearest the pins and a generous ball rundown.

All games count towards your handicap.

Applicants must be aged 55 years or older and have a current Golfink handicap.

Ladies are most welcome to join.

HVGC has fully electronic booking, scoring using MiGolf & MiScore and EFTPOS payments are available.

For more information, please visit our web page at www.humevetsgc.com.au or contact our Membership Secretary, Mario Caruso Ph 0401 604 501.



Hume Veterans Golf Club Inc.

ABN 58 679 581 932

President: Shane Turner 0438 428 932
Captain: Gus Steegstra 0407 098 423
Secretary: Arnold Messias 0421 035 881
All Email: info@humevetsgc.com.au

Application for Membership

Membership Secretary,
Hume Veterans Golf Club Inc.
Mario Caruso 21 Liquidamber Way Sunbury 3429 Mob: 0401 604 501

To Membership Secretary,

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 Golfink handicap.

Name in full (In block letters)..... Polo Top Size.....

Golf Link Number

Address.....

..... Postcode.....

Email Address.....

Home Club..... Date of Birth.....

Home Telephone no..... Mobile.....

Emergency contact name & Phone No.....

Signature.....

The above-mentioned candidate is personally known to us and we believe the applicant 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

Or By EFTPOS, cheque, or cash to the treasurer at any game

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 their description shall render the applicants election voidable at any time at the discretion of the Club.

Date received by the Membership Secretary...../...../.....

Signed.....



[Kooringal Golf Course](#)