



Our next game is at Koorungal Golf Club, Wilga Avenue, Altona 3018 on **Wednesday, September 3rd at 8.00am.** This event is the **1st round of our 2025 Club Championship.** The **2nd round will be played on this same venue on Wednesday, October 1st.**

Please be advised that private golf carts are permitted at Koorungal Golf Club **with prior approval.** All private cart users are required to provide **proof of insurance** and all cart users (Club and private) are required to **follow local rules regarding cart usage.**

There are still carts available. If you haven't yet booked a cart, please send a request via our email address info@humevetsgc.com.au

Electronic bookings for Koorungal are now available. The online booking sheet has been activated.

Kerry Bayly  will be coordinating carts.  is the event coordinator for this event.

Course map & Local Rules are provided at the back of this document.

Captain's Report

Apologies again for those players who had to walk long distances to their holes. Due to a reduced number of participants, we are unable to reserve the entire golf course. The golf clubs have reduced the number of available holes to allow for walk-up starts. The course was in good condition considering the rain they had had over the last month. The greens were great, and the roast beef lunch was superb.

Thanks to John Misitano for assisting with player registration and Mario for organising the carts. As always thanks to Shane for Shane's swindle. Thank you to Rory Alexander from Kieser for kindly sponsoring the prizes.

Results

There were 60 players, 5 players bettered their handicaps.

The top 5 players were:

1 Harry Pantelidis	H'Cap 14	39 Pts
2. Daryl Bessell	H'Cap 8	37 Pts c/b
3. Ian Mein	H'Cap 16	37 Pts c/b
4. Joe Ambruosi	H'Cap 18	37 Pts c/b
5. John Peart	H'Cap 16	37

Grade Winners.

A Grade Winner

Daryl Bessell H'Cap 8 37 Pts

Runner up

Bob Quayle H'Cap 10 36 Pts



A Grade winner Daryl Bessell with Rory Alexander representing our sponsor KIESER

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B Grade Winner

Harry Pantelidis	H'Cap 14	39 Pts
Runner up		
Ian Mein	H'Cap 16	37 Pts c/b



B Grade winner Harry Pantelidis with Rory Alexander representing our sponsor KIESER

C Grade Winner

Tim Dillon	H'Cap 19	36 Pts
Runner up		
Ron Watkinson	H'Cap 20	35 Pts c/b



C Grade winner Tim Dillon with Rory Alexander representing our sponsor KIESER

Ball Comp: 15 players received a ball going down to 32 c/b.

Encouragement Award: Tony Maguire - 1 Ball
Great Score – Ian Mein Eagle on the 15th Hole – 8 Balls

Nearest the Pin We now award 4 golf balls to the NTP winner. The concept allows the winner, if they so choose, to share a golf ball with each of their playing partners.

3 rd Hole	Joe Johty
5 th Hole	Rory Alexander
7 th Hole	Peter Giudice
10 th Hole	Alan Ogston
16 th Hole	Sebastian Formica

“Raffallo” Draw

1 st Prize – \$40 gift card	Keith Heard
3 Golf Balls	Ron Rayner
2 Golf Balls	Tim Dillon
1 Ball	Richard TeWhare

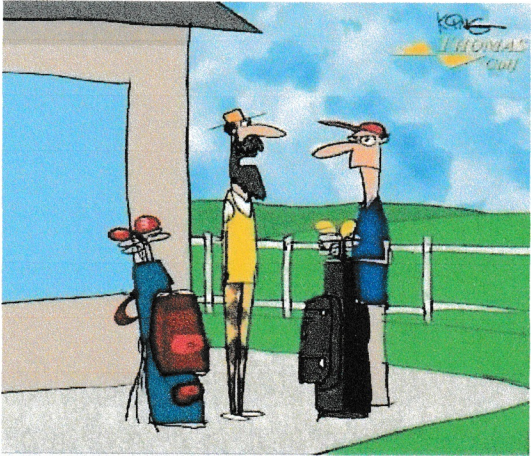
Birthday Draw

Tony Maguire Free game Kooringal

NEXT GAME: Kooringal
Wednesday 3rd September 8:00 am Start.

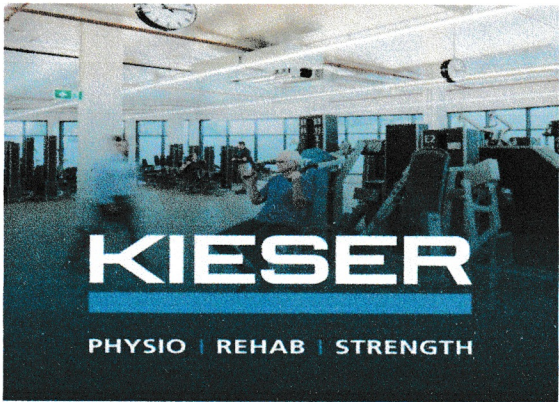
If you are unsure how to find your starting hole, ask the starters. We possess a map of the course and can guide you on the shortest route. Ask for help if you are unsure.

Bill Mandouit
Captain



“The was the slowest round I’ve ever played. I was clean shaven when I teed off.”

A MESSAGE FROM OUR SPONSOR



Hi Hume Vets,

Thanks once again for having me at Goonawarra GC. It was a great day. It was great to spend some time with you, and share a meal also. You have a great culture and a really warm and friendly atmosphere.

As I mentioned in my little chat, our health funded programs are one of a kind. 3-6 months of fully funded Physiotherapy and Rehabilitation strengthening, with no out of pocket cost to you. They are proven to help, with as I mentioned, our success rate avoiding surgery is up over 80-90% for both programs.

I have attached the referral form at the back of this newsletter that your GP or specialist needs to sign to be eligible for the program. You can then return to me (you can email me on rory.alexander@kieser.com.au or give me a call on 0421468515), and I can walk you through the next steps.

- Other eligibility requirements:
- 4/10 pain on average
 - X ray or other scan
 - Adequate level of hospital cover
 - And be with one of these funds:



If you don't qualify for this program, you can still absolutely come in and see us. If Kieser is something you'd like to consider for your overall health, or, to improve your golf game, and the ability to continue staying active, give me a call and we can book your initial assessment. There is no obligation to do anything after the assessment, but you will have a clear understanding of what we do, and how we can help you! Your \$100 voucher will cover most of this cost!

If anyone has any questions, please don't hesitate to give me a call.

Kind regards,

Be Strong, Stay Strong,

Rory Alexander

Exercise Scientist
Regional Leader (West Melbourne) - Essendon, Spotswood & Werribee
Partner

0421468515

W: www.kieser.com.au

LATE CANCELLATIONS – MONTHLY EVENTS

Over the past months there has been an increase in the number of **very late** cancellations which puts pressure on our event coordinator with adjustment of tee allocations in addition to the costs payable to the host club particularly in regard to catering cost for lunch.

We understand that there are occasions when situations occur at the last minute that cause a late cancellation and if this does occur please immediately either phone or SMS, Captain Bill Mandouit on 0439032822.

To date we have avoided being charged for late cancellations and normally most clubs are reasonably flexible in this regard but with costs increasing particularly in catering it is only a matter of time before this changes.

Alan Kinnaird
PRESIDENT

VVGA Teams Event at Portland G.C.

The committee is proud to announce that the Hume Vets will be represented by 2 teams at the VVGA 2025 Teams Event to be held on the 15th and 16th September at Portland Golf Club. The teams are:

- Team 1:
- Daryl Bessell;
 - Mario Spolidoro; and
 - Dorothy Nikolaidis.
- Team 2:
- Neil Fowler;
 - Peter Grundy; and
 - Alan Kinnaird.



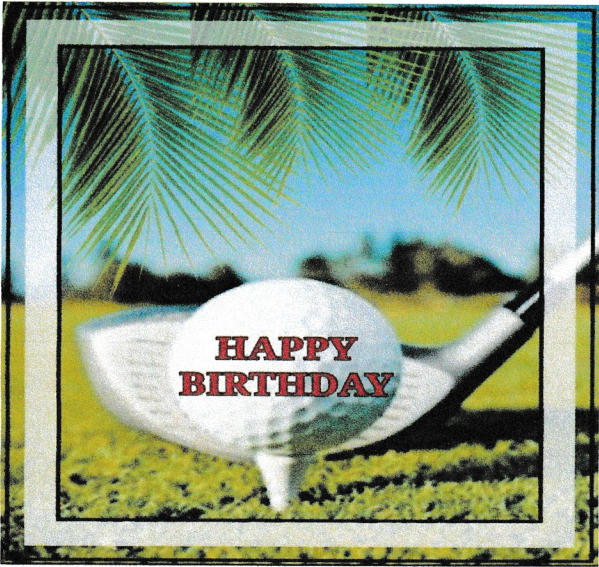
We congratulate the players on their selection and wish them all the best in bringing home the “goods”.

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CLUB MERCHANDISE

A reminder to all members who require new shirt/cap or other club merchandise, please contact our President, Alan Kinnaird, with your requirements. Alan will be placing an order with our suppliers soon.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS



Ambruosi	Joe
Baird	Richard
Damons	Ron
Farriciello	Tony
Jhoty	Joe
Novak	Tibor
Pantelidis	Harry
Petrie	Neville
Rizzo	Fortunato
Santalucia	Leo
Veale	David F

You must be present on the day to claim your free game.

NAME TAGS

Name tags play an important part in camaraderie and friendship on a golf course. The committee puts a high value on members wearing their name tags on game day and it’s the reason that they are included a part of the welcome pack on joining the club.

Club members are reminded that should their name tag are lost or broken/destroyed, they can be replaced for a cost of \$11.00. This covers the cost of producing a new tag.



GOLF BALLS AVAILABLE

Members are reminded that the club is holding a small number of golf balls for members to purchase at a competitive price. These golf balls are sourced from one of our sponsors and are a good quality mid range ball. If you are interested in purchasing bulk golf balls (i.e. 1 dozen ball packs), contact Shane Turner (0438 428 932) or on a comp day, come up to the match table and see what is available.

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.

CENTRAL VICTORIAN VETERANS GOLF ASSOCIATION ANNUAL GOLDFIELDS TOURNAMENT

The CVVETS will hold their annual Goldfields Golf Tournament on 22nd and 23rd of September, 2025 at Bendigo Golf Course.

The event is open to all our members and you can attend by filling out the entry form at the back of this newsletter.



Hume Veterans Golf Club Inc.

ABN 58 679 581 932

President Alan Kinnaird 0418 564 760

Captain: Bill Mandouit

Secretary: John Misitano

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

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.....

.....Postcode.....

Email Address.....

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

Any Emerg Info.to be included on Data Base.

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

Emergency contact & 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,

Provided that the Directors shall not be bound to accept the application for Membership of any person, provided also 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.....

Central Victorian



Central Victorian Veterans
Golfers Association
Annual Goldfields Tournament
Bendigo Golf Course: 22nd & 23rd of Sep 2025



Two Open Divisions for A & B Grades

Entry Form

Surname: _____ First Name: _____

District Association: _____

GA Handicap: _____ Golf Link No: _____ MiScore Y N (Please select)

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Please Complete the following information Circle your response or Bold response electronically

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| ➤ I will be walking the course | Yes | No |
| ➤ I will be using a one-person motorised vehicle | Yes | No |
| ➤ I will be using my own two Person Golf Cart | Yes | No |
| ➤ I will be hiring a golf Cart from the Bendigo GC | Yes | No |
| ➤ If sharing a Two Person Cart, please provide Name of Partner | _____ | |

Entry Fees

Registration open until 11th of September or until field (120) is full

\$85.00 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.**

Date of payment: ____/____/2025 and EFT Receipt Number: _____

General Information

- ❖ Play will commence at 10:30am sharp 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 a VVGA District Association.
- ❖ Entry Fee includes a **Bagged Lunch on Monday. Egg & Bacon Role Breakfast & Lunch on Tuesday**
- ❖ Golf Carts are available for Hire from Bendigo GC Pro Shop Ph: 5448 4878
- ❖ Visitors from all VVGA District Association Clubs will be made most welcome.

Contact Details:

Tournament Director Rob Rossiter 0466 361 557. cvvets.secretary@outlook.com
President CVVGA Brian Smith 0459 671 833

Please complete this form and send to the Tournament Director on above email.
Cash payment with completed form will be accepted by Secretary or Treasurer

KOORINGAL GOLF CLUB LOCAL RULES

*To be read in conjunction with the Rules of Golf and any
Temporary Local Rules*

OUT OF BOUNDS – Rule 18.2

- Defined with White Stakes with Black Tops
- The line between the **course-side** points at ground level of boundary fences
- Painted bricks near clubhouse.
- When playing the 14th hole, the 15th hole is out of bounds as defined by white pegs with black tops. These stakes are treated as boundary objects during play of the 14th hole. For all other holes, they are immovable obstructions.
- Maintenance Shed & works area is out of bounds as defined by white paint with black tops painted on fence and posts.

ABNORMAL COURSE CONDITIONS – Rule 16.1

GROUND UNDER REPAIR

Relief may be taken

- Deep wheel ruts made by vehicle or course machinery.

Relief must be taken

- **Staked trees and staked shrubs** – are **NO PLAY ZONES** and are ground under repair (the GUR includes the stake and any wrapping)
- From any area encircled by white stakes or a white line

IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS

- **Grates and Tap covers**
- **All Artificially sealed roads and paths**
- **Internal Protective fencing**

MOVEABLE OBSTRUCTIONS

- **All stakes, hoops, chains and signs are moveable obstructions. Please replace the obstruction in the same spot after playing the shot.**

IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS (E.G. SPRINKLER HEADS) CLOSE TO THE PUTTING GREEN – LINE OF PLAY INTERFERENCE

Rule 16.1b applies to immovable obstructions close to the putting greens. In addition to the types of inference described in Rule 16.1a, interference also exists if an immovable obstruction is: on the player's line of play, and is within two club-lengths of the ball and/or the obstruction is within two club-lengths of the green (Exception – There is no relief under this Local Rule if the player chooses a line of play that is clearly unreasonable.)

NO FREE RELIEF

Garden beds and mulched areas are integral objects unless defined by white stakes or painted lines.

***Unless otherwise noted the penalty for a breach of a Local Rule is the general penalty
(stroke play – two shots, match play – loss of hole)***

STAKE MARKINGS

Penalty areas – yellow/red stakes GUR – White stakes/white lines
OOB – White stakes with black tops or similar painting on bricks (near clubhouse)
and on fencing for the maintenance shed and works area

DISTANCE MARKERS TO CENTRE OF EACH GREEN

Please refer to notice board in golf shop for any temporary local rules

AVOID SLOW PLAY, REPLACE DIVOTS

REPAIR PLUG MARKS ON THE GREENS

COURSE STAFF HAVE RIGHT OF WAY AT ALL TIMES



More than just a golf club



More than just a golf club



Approx. North

Course Map

Koorngal Golf Club
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Course toilets

QUEEN STREET