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# May Newsletter

## MONTHLY WINNERS

### FRASER MARINE / QUINTREX MONTHLY MEDAL - APRIL 26



Syd Donaldson – Net 72

Strangely enough, Syd even got a shot back on his handicap!

## LADIES MONTHLY MEDAL

Ros Haenig – Net 69



## RESULTS FOR THE MONTH

### **Wednesday Ladies Competition**

Vonnie – +2 in the Par round Wendy Farrell claimed an early-month win by 4 points.

Ros Haenig continued her excellent form with a +5 Par round. A great month of golf from Ros! Thanks to Mari Rankin for sponsoring the day.

### **Saturday Highlights**

- John Fletcher secured a rare win, reminding those under 90 to lift their game.
- Sue Kelly posted a net 69 and followed it up later in the month with another win (36 points).
- Greg Beashel celebrated his first win as a new club member—well done!

### **4BBB Event**

Ros and Gordon Butt won the day with 48 points. As sponsors, the prizes were awarded to:

- Dean Scott & Neil Rankin
- Mixed winners: Mitchell Fletcher & Rachael Gordon

### **Friday Winners**

Nicole Crowe – 20 points (front nine)

Stuart Cassis – 19 points (back nine)

## 👊 Tuesday Standouts

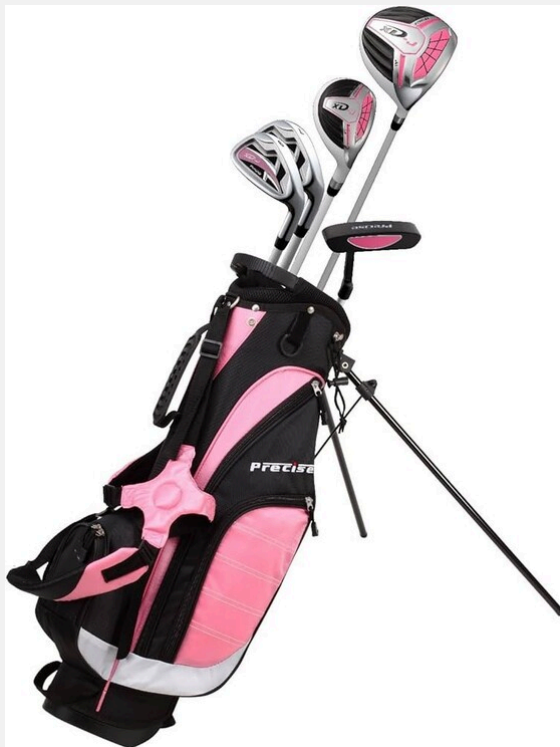
Ian Smith – 37 points (off 2 handicap), even using his old driver after breaking his new one! Hits the ball incredibly hard.

Brett Miller – 41 points off a -1 handicap. Outstanding golf.

## 🏆 Men's Match Play

First round matches must be completed by May 31st. It may seem like plenty of time—don't leave it too late. Organise your match and get started!

# JUNIOR GIRLS GOLF



Matt will be starting junior girls clinics very soon.

If you know someone interested, please let him know

ASAP—great opportunity to get involved and have some fun!

## FRIDAY SHOOT OUT WRAP UP



It's been a fantastic period on the course, with some impressive performances and strong participation from our members.

Our highest scores saw some standout rounds, with 22 recorded on the back 9, and an excellent 28 achieved on both the front 9 and overall—great efforts all around.

We also saw terrific engagement, with a peak field of 47 players taking part, highlighting the continued enthusiasm and support for our competitions.

In terms of individual success, Trevor Shrimp leads the way with an outstanding 4 wins. Close behind are Nicole Crowe and Carol Wilkinson with 3 wins each. Barb Mann, Paul Webster, Scott Armstrong, and Chris Cedar have all had strong seasons as well, each securing 2 wins.

Congratulations to all players for their efforts and contributions—it's great to see such competitive spirit and participation across the board.

## TREE REMOVAL

### Timber!

On 4 May, we said goodbye to one of the course's old trees as it was safely brought down. While it's always a little sad to lose a long-standing feature, its removal will improve safety for players and give the course a cleaner, more polished look.





## COMING EVENTS

**1 May:** Ladies Pennant v Tura @ Tura Beach

**4 April:** Mike Sheppard Memorial (Sponsor: Lyndon Sheppard)  
Monthly Members Draw

**6 May:** Ladies Stableford Interclub v Bega @ Eden

**8 May:** Ladies Pennant v Tathra @ Pambula Merimbula  
Friday Shoot Out of Shoot Outs

**15 May:** Ladies Pennant v Tathra 2 @ Bega

**18 May:** Bega Valley Seniors @ Pambula Merimbula

**22 May:** Ladies Pennant v Pambula Merimbula @ Eden  
Rules Clinic (4pm at Pro-Shop)

## VOLUNTEER UPDATE

The ladies have started cleaning up the gardens around the course.

There's a big tournament on early next year and they are getting a head start to make the course look good.

Hazel and Andrew continue to make improvements. If you look on the 3rd tee where there were blackberries in the rocks, they are all gone. Below the 7th green near the pond is now clear and looking much better.

The stick rake has been out and some of the areas between holes has been cleared out. This should make it easier to find your ball for those that venture off the fairways.

## GOLF ETIQUETTE

After finishing a hole, move promptly to the next tee before recording your scores.

This keeps play flowing and avoids holding up groups behind you.

## RULE OF THE MONTH

### **Can you place a leaf on the green as a target?**

No—you cannot deliberately place any object (leaf, coin, etc.) to act as a target line.

However, if a leaf is already on your line:

- You may leave it as a reference
- Or remove it as a loose impediment

## A FEW GOLF LAUGHS

A married couple is lying in bed talking about their future. Wife: “Babe, if I die, will you marry again?”

Husband: “Of course not.”

Wife: “I think you would.”

Husband: “Fine, I probably will.”

Wife: “Will you let her sleep in our bed?”

Husband: “Yeah, probably.”

Wife: “Would you let her use my golf clubs?”

Husband: “No way... she’s left-handed.”

## I'LL LEAVE YOU WITH THIS

“Before we work on artificial intelligence, why don’t we do something about natural stupidity?”

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