

MiClub Autoscore

The following are some tips to assist in ensuring the card is filled out completely which helps in the speed of processing the scores.

Visitor Registration and Card Printing Instructions

If you are bring a visitor to play in a club competition, please assist your guest to register for the competition by following these instructions.

- Press of the Visitor Login button

- Enter the visitors Golfink number and press the *search* button to retrieve their details **or** *Swipe* their Golfink Card in the card reader.

- Verify that the retrieved details are correct and select the competition to play in.

- Press the Print Card button

- Wait for their card to be printed

In order to reduce errors marking the new autoscore card:

- Use a pencil instead of a biro so that if need be we can rub out unwanted

marks.

- Don't try and rub out mistakes in the red lotto area. Place a cross through the wrong score and mark the correct score instead.

- Fill out the gross score (red lotto area) once you have confirmed the scores with your playing partner after the completion of the game. This will reduce marking an incorrect score.

- Check that all scores for each hole are marked in the (red lotto area) for each hole including wiped holes by marking (P) which stands for "pickup".

- Write the players "nett" score in the top right corner of the card.

- Avoid writing in the *top left hand* area of the card which contains bar code information.

- Player and Marker to Sign the back of the card

Juniors

With the July school holidays fast approaching the junior calendar of golf goes crazy.

JULY

6th & 7th - GMJGF Srixon Champs @ WGC

10th - Gosnells Jnr Open

13th - GMJGF 14 & U Tournament @ LCC

15th - 17th - GMJGF 54 Hole Tournament @ Marg River, Buss & Capel

As of 1st July all LCC juniors will become members of the GMJGF with membership packs and entry forms for tournaments being posted directly to the member. Discounted entry fees will be on offer so play in as many events as you can

Upcoming Events

WAGA Metro Pennants

Rd 3

LCC vs Wanneroo @ WGC

Rd 4

LCC vs Vines @ The Vines

Rd 5

LCC vs Cottesloe @ LCC

Rd 6

LCC vs Wanneroo @ LCC

Mon 21st & Tues 22nd -

LCC Open Seniors Tournament. Entries available on web or in the office



JUNE 2009

Greens Report

Winter has arrived at last, and with it come the play conditions, which require all members to be more considerate to other players.

1 Pitch marks on the greens will increase and the repair to that area must be done with a pulling in of the damaged area with a two-prong pitchfork. Do not lift the turf up to "fill in the dent" as this will reveal the grass roots and they will get frost damaged.

2 Fairway divots need to have the damaged ground "chopped in" all the way around so that the divot is now a tangle of grass, spread a little of the sand from your bucket in that damaged grass and step on it to level it out. This also applies to divots on the tees. All the loose divots are to be picked up and discarded off the fairway.

3 There will be some wetter areas around the main walkways so please use common sense and avoid going through them. All motorised cart users must lead by example and go the extra distance to keep the wear down.

4 There is an effort being put in to return some of the "natural colour" to grounds behind the 3rd and 6th greens. The burning off of these areas is having that result, as well as some replanting of kangaroo paws and wattles. All players who spray their shots into these areas are asked to tread carefully to avoid damaging the new growth. Pulling buggies through these zones is not necessary, so please be prepared to arrive quickly to suspected "lost ball spot" as soon as you can and leave your cart / buggy on the fringe of that area. During this winter period and with tree debris on the fairways, it would be appreciated if members could pick up the loose debris and place them off the fairway. This will also include the bunkers (after playing you shot) while you are raking your footprints and play area. When raking the bunkers, please push the sand back to the floor of the bunker and not drag the sand up to your walk in point as this will lead to "spoon shape" floors in the bunker with the sand condition being inconsistent. As Greens Chairman I am

pleased to announce our Greens Superintendent Craig New was selected to represent Western Australia in the National Awards for AGSCA Excellence in Turf Management, Craig was one of two nomination finalists and was invited to make a presentation to the finalist panel. Unfortunately Craig was unsuccessful in the final but to make the last two is already a great achievement for Craig and Lakelands Golf Club.

One disappointment I have discovered recently is the removal of some plants around our Pro Shop and tenth ladies tee by someone, including a white Boronia and Egg and Bacon plants. Both were quite healthy and about to flower this spring.

If any one would like to donate trees or plants please contact me first as the plants and trees can only be Western Australian Native type.

Until next news letter. *Cast a shadow and make a footprint.*

MINI LOTTO

Remember you can cover a third of the numbers by selecting 8 numbers for \$9 or 9 numbers for \$11. Get your entries in.

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Ladies

The Lady Members of the Club currently number 98 of which the senior playing group consists 91. Despite some of these ladies only being able to play on Sundays due to work commitments we boast a participation average to date of 54, or almost 60%.

Having opened the season on 5th March, we have had a variety of competitions on Thursdays with many of our ladies donating trophies and our General Manager, Ben, supporting us on our first Guest Day held on 30th April when we fielded 87 including guests. On 30th March we held a WGWA Silver/Bronze event and fielded 97 in-

cluding many from other metropolitan clubs.

Beaufox Industries (Wayne Tibbits) sponsored our Foursomes Championships this year, however inclement weather on the second round on 21st May disrupted many players with only 8 pairs braving the elements and completing the event. We extend congratulations to Lynda Ovenden and Meg Baird who were our winners.

Again this year we have fielded teams in the Northern Suburban Pennants Divisions 1 and 3, but didn't manage to have a win in either division.

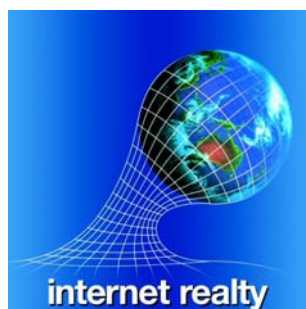
We are currently playing in division 2 of Metropolitan Pennants and host at Lakelands on 22nd June. We are hoping for a home ground advantage that day. My Committee, Petra Collier (Vice Captain), Ann Burbridge (Secretary), Barbara Bain (Treasurer), Pat Simmons (Handicapper), Lynne Searson (Asst. Handicapper), and Dale Crannage and Sandy Cattermoul (Social) have given me great support and we have many interesting events to look forward to as the year progresses.

Gae Gaffney
Ladies Captain

2009 Monthly Medal Winners

March -
Greg Williams
Gross 71 Nett 67
April -
Chris Sloan
Gross 73 Nett 66
May -
Mel Peake
Gross 73 Nett 67
June -
Peter Macri
Gross 75 Nett 65

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25th Anniversary Dinner Dance



House & Social Report

Firstly I would like to welcome all of the new members who have joined Lakelands in the last quarter. I hope you have a long and happy association with our club. The Board members and I would like to thank you for choosing to join our club. Hopefully I'll have a game with all of you at some time or another.

Secondly, I'd like to express my extreme gratitude to the 110 members who attended the 25th Anniversary ball at the Sheraton on May 2nd. Whilst we would have liked to have had another 80-90 people there, the night was a great success. The food and wine were fantastic, with the Sheraton staff very attentive making sure that no ones glass was empty at any time.

The band was very professional, and had the dance-floor well occupied with their repertoire of well-chosen classic songs.

Our President, Stephen Mann, was presented with his certificate of life-membership during the evening, and this was well-received with much applause for his efforts over the last 25 years. John Alchin and Karl Rowston both handled their speeches with great

aplomb, and John Rotherham presented his much-researched yearbook to the club. Well done gents.

The Master of Ceremonies for the evening was our GM, Ben Unbehaun, who is not only very good at his job, but could obviously handle a stand-up routine on late-night TV. Look out Rove! What a pity that we didn't record a podcast to put on our website.

Ok enough on the 25th. We look forward to the 30th Anniversary.

From a House & Social point of view, things have been very quiet. At present my committee comprises of only two people, myself and my lovely wife Laura. So, if there's anyone out there who'd like to put their name forward to go on to a committee, my numbers are in the book. I'd love to hear from you, or anyone who has any ideas/suggestions on what sort of functions they would like to see held at the clubhouse.

I've been loath to plan anything at all during a period where we were trying to gather numbers for the 25th Ball, but now that's over and

done with, I'll be planning something in the next month or two, so please watch out for any upcoming functions. (Probably a quiz-night).

In closing, please watch out for a dark-haired man of Mediterranean appearance, moving around furtively in the car-park, holding a monthly mug in his hand.

He's going to be targeting/soliciting people who leave the club straight after their round, to make sure that you buy him a beer.

For those of you who don't know...if you are "tapped on the shoulder" by the current holder of the mug, you are obliged to buy him a drink of his choice. So beware, leave early at your peril.

Seriously...much better to stay for a drink, it could be cheaper for you...safety in numbers...much less chance of a "tap"!

Thank you all once again, enjoy your golf and GO Pennant-teams one and all.

Maurice Swithenbank
Director of House & Social