

Cumberland November

E-News

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

****LIFTING OF RESTRICTIONS****

In view of the gradual easing of restrictions regarding Covid19, the Board has decided that from Wednesday 11th November the temporary local rules regarding bunkers, holes and marking of scorecards will be rescinded and the standard Rules of Golf will apply. Foam will be removed from the holes, rakes returned to the bunkers and there will be no preferred lies in the bunkers. Both the player and marker will be required to sign the scorecard.

Congratulations to Brenda, Barbara, Tracey and Tricia, the recently elected Ladies Committee for 20/21. Good luck ladies and I'm sure you will continue to do a great job organising Ladies Golf Events and the many fundraising events you run throughout the year.

This month we will once again host Digger's Day on the 14th November with a 12.30pm 'shotgun' start. This is the yearly event where we raise funds for Legacy. Due to Covid19 many charity organisations, including Legacy, are struggling big time to raise much needed funds. So please. come along and support this worthy cause.



We are very mindful of social distancing rules, so we have updated our Covid19 Plan and there will be Covid Marshals on hand to help manage the event. We are confident that what we will have in place will ensure you can safely have a fun day. The price will include the traditional pre-game BBQ (Bunnings style with no multiple handling), a modified memorial service, dinner, drinks and prizes.

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The all-inclusive cost is \$90 for members and \$100 for visitors. Please book and pay at the office before the 12th November.

Denis Clifford (Club President)

CAPTAINS REPORT

October has again been an exciting month with our Club Championships and there is more to come in November. The Championship winners, representative team news and upcoming events are covered in this month's report.

The Championships provided some new winners and close finishes amongst excellent golf on a very tough day for the final round.

Daniel Barton won his first Championship with a magnificent final round of 69. With the rain bucketing down over the last four holes it shows how exceptional this score was.

Putting on the final hole played a role in A Reserve when Phil Britton had an unfortunate three putt to miss a playoff with Ian McCarthy and John Kiddle holed a 40 footer to win the Seniors by two shots. In B Grade, Leaston Paull had a back nine of 38 to force a three hole playoff and a win against Fred Daoud. In C Grade a run of five successive pars mid round provided a handy lead for Ricky Ware to finish with the win. Congratulations Daniel, Ian, Leaston, Ricky and John.

Full Results are:

A Grade: Daniel Barton	.295
R / Up: Arthur Barakat	.297
A Reserve: Ian McCarthy	326
R /Up: Phil Britton	.327
B Grade: Leaston Paull	344
R / Up: Fred Daoud	344
C Grade: Ricky Ware	367
R / Up: Jeffrey Grey	.377
Seniors: John Kiddle	.315

Nett Winners:

A Grade: Eugene Morozoff...284
B Grade: Roy Ranney......286
C Grade: Satish Chaudhary....277



Our Representative teams have had mixed success with the Encourage Shield and Junior Pennant teams getting some great experience to provide them with a better opportunity next year. The standout player to date has been Noah Eldick in the Juniors who is undefeated with one game to go. A very big thank you to the members who have managed the teams, Spiro Kambouris in the Encourage Shield and Matt Andrew and Brad Ferguson with the Junior Pennant. Your time is appreciated by the boys and the Club.

The Super Senior team have completed their Divisional matches and after placing second are now headed to the Finals games. Keep an eye on the Club website for news of progress in coming weeks.

In November we have Diggers Day, the Par 3 Championship and the Match Play Championships. Diggers Day is an open event and bookings, including any carts, need to be made through the office. All golfing categories of Cumberland membership are eligible to play.



Thursday 19th November 2020

8AM SHOTGUN START STABLEFORD EVENT \$25 ENTRY

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 - Ball Comp
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As always if you have any suggestions or questions you can email me at hilton59@tpg.com.au

Good golfing
Paul Hilton (Club Captain)

VICE CAPTAINS REPORT - "Around the Greens"



Welcome to Novembers edition of 'Around the Greens' and didn't October present a challenge for our course staff! With rain, winds and preparing our course for the Club Championships, Matthew and his team have again presented our members a great course with greens rolling beautifully despite the impacts of the weather.

The course staff continue work on improvements to our ageing irrigation system. Work has been completed behind the 8th green alleviating the issues that had been experienced in the past.

A de-thatching program will be implemented on tees. Whilst this may initially leave the tees somewhat unsightly, the result on the ladies 8th tee is a wonderful example of the benefits that will be brought to the end result. The removal and trimming of a number of trees around the 17th tee will open the air space allowing for a greater amount of sunlight to onto the tee, which should result in increased grass growth.

The Bare Patch and Mulching Programs will both continue following the recent interruption from wet weather.

The Club's dedicated garden group continue their great work assisting our Green's staff with the continued beatification of the course. If anyone has any spare time on a Friday and would like to help, please let Andrew Laplain or myself know or turn up on Friday at 8am.

That's about it for now, good golfing.

Good Golfing
Darren Stocks (Vice-Captain)

NEWS FROM THE LADIES



The Ladies AGM was held on Oct 27 with the following positions filled

PRESIDENT: Brenda Kennedy

VICE PRESIDENT: Barbara Cocks

CAPTAIN: Tracey Hilton

VICE CAPTAIN: Tricia Johnston

Thank you to those ladies who put their hands up to help out for another year.

Our next fundraiser will be HAMS DAY on November 24. We have been raising money each week to help provide good prizes for our raffle on the day. Hopefully we will have a generous amount of money for charity at the end of a difficult year.

Happy golfing ♣□♀♣□♀
Brenda Kennedy (Ladies' President)

NEWS FROM THE LADIES CAPTAIN

The last major event on the ladies golfing calendar for the year has been completed. Congratulations to the winners of the 2020 Ladies Match-Play Championship.

Div 1 - Natalia Yeob

Div 2 - Judy Attwood

Div 3 - Helen Gu



The nomination sheet with match dates for Friday Grade in 2021 is in the ladies locker room. If you are in Division 1 and interested, please put your name on the team sheet. The competition begins mid February so a team needs to be organised ASAP.

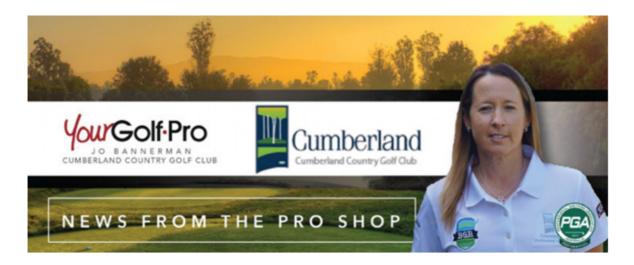
Upcoming Events

- * Christmas Ham's Open Day on 24/11 is a team of 4 best 2 Stableford scores per hole. There is no singles event. At this stage we will still have a shotgun start at 8am. Best Christmas dressed golfing team wins a prize!
- * Closing Novelty Day on 8/12 will be going ahead with Covidsafe novelties in

place. Dress up in your fanciest Christmas colours and enjoy a drink or two out on the course. Hopefully, Santa and the Helper Elf will be on hand again this year, in the drinks cart, ringing the Christmas bell and pouring the bubbly. Should be a fun day to end our year.

Tracey Hilton (Ladies Captain)





Not long to go now, just a few short weeks before the big man in the red suit breaks out his sack and fires up the reindeer for another dash around the world in 24 hours.

Now normally Christmas and the weeks leading to it can become quite the chore, but I do think this year that everyone is looking forward to feeling some normality return to all our lives.

That said, the constants that remain are the unbelievable deals and customer service available at the Banners Golf Pro-shop at Cumberland Golf Course. In a recent poll of Cumberland Pro-shop staff, we were again voted the number one Pro-shop in Australia for the seventh year in a row!

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Instore, we have the latest Callaway Big Bertha B21 woods ready to fit, the new Titleist TSi2 and Tsi3 are ready to launch. The current offerings from both Taylormade and Mizuno and finally the latest addition to our club range are the all new XXIO Eleven range of drivers, woods, irons, putters, wedges and bags. Come in and try out any of the hundreds of demonstration clubs we have available right now!

Moving into summer we have just updated our ladies and men's fashion range with all the newest releases from JoFit golf as well as Under Armour and Footjoy. This month's tip comes from Head Professional Joanne who says, if you want to hit a genuine draw shot on the golf course, make sure you strike the inside of the ball while making your divot go a little to the right.

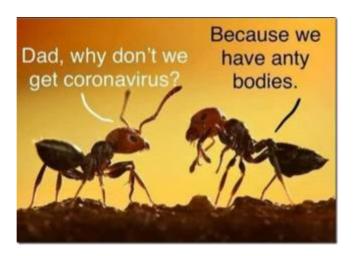
Keep an eye out over the next four weeks for our Banners Golf Christmas Catalogue which will I'm sure set hearts a flutter and pulses racing and no doubt electrify more than the odd email account when it comes through. So be ready with your cash as you will not want to miss out on any of the year end deals this time around.

So as 2020 inevitably hurtles towards Christmas and the new year, hopefully with better social times on the horizon, let's all pull together and see if we can single handedly save the economy by all shopping at Banners Golf! See you instore....



Jo Bannerman (Head Professional)

Quote of the Month



Stay Safe
Denis Clifford (Club President)

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