

Welcome
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CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Coming up next is our game at Melton Valley Golf Club on:

Monday the 2nd of September at 8.00am.

A course map of Melton Valley Golf Course is provided at the back of this document.

Electronic bookings for Melton Valley are now available. The online booking sheet has been switched on.



All cart bookings are to be via this email address:

info@humevetsgc.com.au

Kerry Bayly will be coordinating this event.

Registration from 7:00am.

Shot gun start at 8:00am.

Birthdays for September

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

Captain's Report: Bacchus Marsh August 5th.

It was great to get some nice weather and a bit of run on the course.

Thank you to Kerry for looking after the cart bookings and the start sheet. Gus did a great job organizing the cash payments while Peter Caple is away.

We had 4 grades with 2 men and 2 lady winners.

Results

We had 77 players with only 6 players better or equal to their handicaps. The top 3 were:

1 Laurie Craig	H'Cap 16	39 pts
2. Frank Tadic	H'Cap 16	37 Pts
3. Lorna Morrison	H'Cap 41	37 Pts

Grade Winners.

A Grade Winner	Ian O'Keefe	36 Pts
Runner up	Shane Turner	34Pts
B Grade Winner	Laurie Craig	39 Pts
Runner up	Frank Tadic	37 Pts
C Grade Winner	Faye Edwardson	35 Pts
Runner up	Ian Mein	34 Pts c/b
D Grade Winner	Lorna Morrison	41 Pts
Runner up	Tony Farriciello	32 Pts c/b

Ball Comp: 20 players received a ball going down to 31c/b.

Bradman Award Peter Grundy 1 Ball

<u>Nearest the Pin</u>	3 Golf Balls
3 rd Hole	Kerry Bayly
5 th Hole	Donald Kennedy
12 th Hole	Laurie Craig
16 th Hole	Kevin Elliott

"Raffallo" Draw

1 st Prize – Bottle of choice	Kerry White
2 nd Prize - 3 Golf Balls	Neil Fowler
3 rd Prize - 2 Golf Balls	Peter Plytus
4 th Prize – 1 Golf Ball	Arnold Messias

Birthday Draw

Shane Turner won a free game at Melton.
NEXT GAME: **Melton Valley Monday 2nd September 8 am Start.**

Bill Mandouit
Captain



A Grade Winner Ian O'Keefe
with President Alan Kinnaird



B Grade Winner Laurie Craig
with President Alan Kinnaird



C Grade Winner Faye Edwardson
with President Alan Kinnaird.



D Grade Winner Lorna Morrison
with President Alan Kinnaird.

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Blue Tees – Men

Red Tees – Women

To assist with registrations:

Electronic Payment details are:-

Bank: Westpac

BSB: 033118

A/c: 344854

When paying via electronic banking please put your membership number in the description field.



Melton Valley Golf Club

LOCAL RULES

(to be read in conjunction with the Rules of Golf and any Temporary Local Rules)

1. Out of Bounds: Rule 27 – to be read in conjunction with the local Rules Board

1. Beyond any fence bounding the course.
2. Other areas as defined by white stakes.

2. Immovable Obstructions: Rule 24-2

1. Trees and shrubs under 2 club lengths in height interfering with a players stance or area of intended swing. Relief **must** be taken.
2. Hoops, ropes, stakes and tree guards. Relief **must** be taken.
3. All structures concerning watering systems: all man made constructions, i.e. Tee markers, signs, control boxes, electricity poles, all artificial paths and retaining walls. Relief **may** be taken. **Line of sight relief is not allowed.**

4. **Sprinkler heads** – in addition if such obstruction is within 2 club lengths of the putting green of the hole being played, interferes with the intended line of play between the ball and the hole, the player may obtain relief without penalty as follows: a ball lying off the putting green but not in a penalty area and is within two club lengths of the intervening obstruction, the ball may be lifted, cleaned and dropped at the nearest point to where the ball lay which:

- a. is not nearer the hole
- b. avoids such intervention and

c. is not in a hazard or on the putting green.

3. Abnormal Ground Conditions: Rule 25

1. Areas defined by blue stakes, white lines or GUR signage are:
2. Ground Under Repair. Relief **must** be taken.
3. Solidly embedded stones 'through the green'. Relief **may** be taken

4. Distance Measuring Devices: Rule 4.3

- 4.1 A player may obtain distance information using a device that measures distance only.

Notes: Measurements on fairway:

White Disc or Post 50m to centre of green

Red Disc or Post 100m to centre of green

Blue Disc or Post 150m to centre of green

Yellow Disc or Post 200m to centre of green

Red Stakes/Lines Penalty Areas

White Stakes Out Of Bounds

Blue Stakes & White Lines Ground Under Repair

Penalty for breach of a local rule

Stroke play – 2 strokes

Match play – loss of hole

Please fix all divots (including in the rough) even if they are not yours

PLEASE FIX ALL DIVOTS

It is up to members to make sure that all PUG marks are repaired on the greens

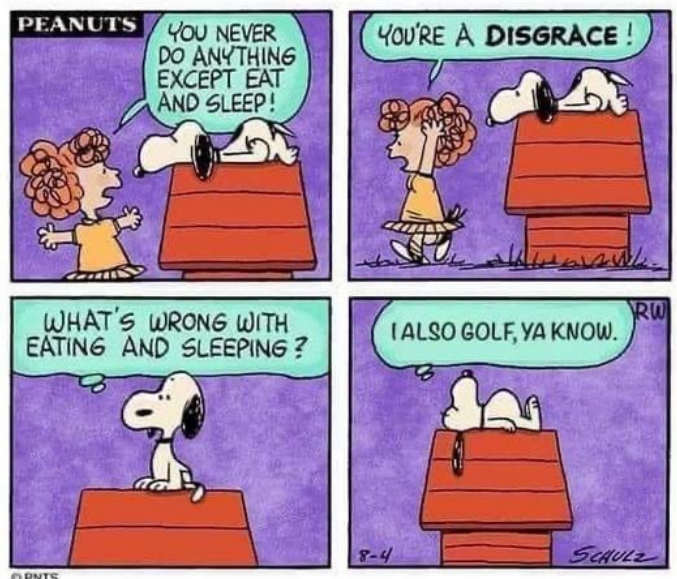
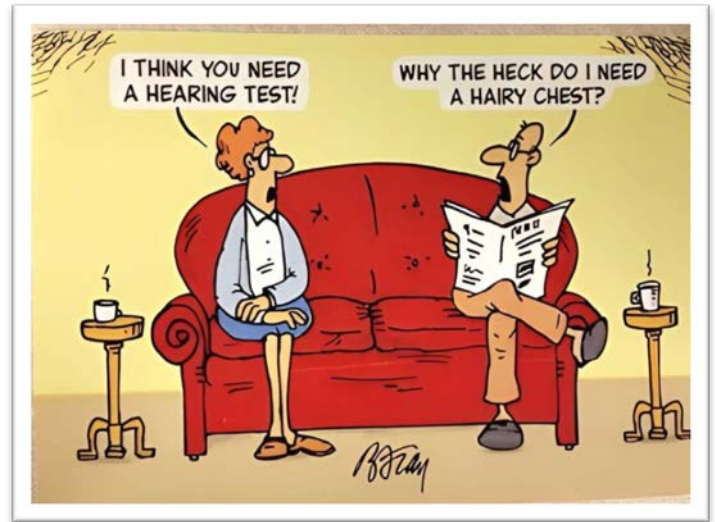


An 86 year old man was waiting in the Double Dutch Bar to have some drinks with an old mate. While he was waiting for his mate a gorgeous girl enters the bar and sits down a few seats away from where he was sitting. The girl is so attractive that the old guy just can't take his eyes off her. After a short while, the girl notices that he's staring at her, and approaches him.

Before the old guy even has time to apologize for staring, the girl looks at him deep in the eyes and says to him in a sultry tone, "I'll do anything you'd like me to do. Whatever you can imagine in your wildest dreams, it doesn't matter how unusual or extreme it might be, I'm game. I only want \$100 and there's only one other condition."

Completely blown away by the sudden turn of events, the old guy asks her what the one condition is. Well she says; "You have to tell me exactly what you want me to do and you can only use three words to describe it."

The old man takes a few seconds and considers the offer from the gorgeous girl. He takes out his wallet and gives a \$100 note to the girl. He then looks her straight in the eyes, and says slowly and clearly, "Paint my house"





The Melbourne District Veterans Golfers Association (MDVGA) have made the generous offer of full reciprocal rights for Hume Veteran golfers to play in their events. MDVGA usually charge an additional \$5 for guests but this fee will be waived for Hume Veterans.

Any Hume Veterans wishing to play in any of MDVGA events will need to provide their details; Name, GA handicap and home club by the close of business on the Friday prior to the event. You will be required to have access to MiScore on your phone to take part.

Bookings can be made using the link webmaster@mdvetgolf.org

A brief summary of MDVGA events is below.

DAY	2024	Course
WINTER	BREAK	WINTER
12. Monday	August 5	Rosebud- South Course
13. Monday	August 19	Medway
14. Monday	September 2	Southern(2) (Cap 72)
		(H'Cap Bowl Round 1)
15. Monday	September 16	Heritage - Henley
16. Monday	September 30	Cranbourne
17. Monday	October 14	Spring Valley & AGM
		(Teams – 4BBBs/ford)
18. Monday	October 28	Patterson River
		(H'Cap Bowl Round 2)
19. Monday	November 11	Rosebud- North Course
20. Monday	November 25	Riversdale
21. Monday	December 9	Keysborough (T)
		(Teams – Aggregate)

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Mon 5 Aug	OPEN 78 Available	ROSEBUD CC - SOUTH COURSE STABLEFORD Cost \$93, Local members \$20, Carts contact club on 5950 0888. Registration by 7.30am. To cancel after bookings close email webmaster@mdvetgolf.org	All All Day	B+
Mon 19 Aug	LOCKED 144 Available	MEDWAY STABLEFORD Cost \$61, Local members \$20, Carts contact club on 9317 9031. Registration by 7.30am. To cancel after bookings close email webmaster@mdvetgolf.org	All All Day	B+
Mon 2 Sep	LOCKED 144 Available	SOUTHERN STABLEFORD 1ST ROUND HANDICAP BOWL Cost \$96, Local members \$20, Carts contact club on 9798 3111. Registration by 7.30am. To cancel after bookings close email webmaster@mdvetgolf.org	All All Day	B+
Mon 16 Sep	LOCKED 144 Available	HERITAGE - HENLEY STABLEFORD Cost \$120, Local members \$20, Cart included. Registration by 7.30am. To cancel after bookings close email webmaster@mdvetgolf.org	All All Day	B+
Mon 30 Sep	LOCKED 144 Available	CRANBOURNE STABLEFORD Cost \$100, Local members \$25, Carts contact club on 5991 3456. Registration by 7.30am. To cancel after bookings close email webmaster@mdvetgolf.org	All All Day	B+
Mon 14 Oct	LOCKED 144 Available	SPRING VALLEY 4BBB AGM Cost \$125, Local members \$20, Carts contact club on 9562 3811. Registration by 7.30am. To cancel after bookings close email webmaster@mdvetgolf.org	All All Day	B+
Mon 28 Oct	LOCKED 144 Available	PATTERSON RIVER STABLEFORD 2ND ROUND HANDICAP BOWL Cost \$100, Local members \$25, Carts contact club on 9772 1972. Registration by 7.30am. To cancel after bookings close email webmaster@mdvetgolf.org	All All Day	B+

REMINDER

A small stock of new golf balls are being held by the club for members to purchase. Due to storage and handling restrictions on game days, the number of surplus balls held (above the prize balls) is limited so a restriction on the number of balls that can be purchased by each member is limited to one dozen golf balls at a time - on game days.

The following balls are available:



Srixon Soft Feel White:
\$25 Per Dozen



Srixon Ulti Soft White:
\$25 Per Dozen



Taylor Made RBZ TM 21
Soft Feel White \$25 Per Dozen

If you are considering purchasing any additional golf balls (or other models) or other items such as clubs, buggies, clothing, accessories etc., let Shane Turner know and he will contact the Altona Lakes Manager Chris Condon on your behalf to discuss a price and availability.

For those who are interested, Altona Lakes Golf Club can be found at: www.altonalakesgolf.com.au

Please let Shane Turner know if you require more than a dozen balls so he can have them available at the next event.

A word from the VVGA President

Reg No A0023016N



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Secretary: John Robertson
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Hello Veteran Golfers

Time once again to correspond with you regarding the status and happenings of our terrific association.

Already three state events have been completed and I thank those members who have participated. However, I have been disappointed in some of the attending numbers and suspect that the economy and fuel prices may be having a detrimental effect. The 4BBB Championship held at Buninyong G.C was highly successful, and the weather was warm and slightly pleasant except for the gusts of wind that at times were difficult to deal with. Riverside in Mildura was worth the drive with the weather being excellent. However, due to past flooding the course played with some difficulty and the scores portrayed the same. Unfortunately, the Sand Greens Championships at Parklands in Hamilton was very poorly supported with only Thirty (30) participants despite the hard work done by the organizers. As with most courses of this ilk the difficulty was high, and the scores once again reflected the same.

The next two VVGA events will be the Teams Championships at Bendigo Golf Club and the State Championship at Corowa Golf Club.

All district Secretaries have been forwarded the application forms for the Teams Championship and the alteration to this event for the future is that each District can nominate three teams of three participants.

As an important side note to this event is that we have been able to attract generous sponsorship from the Golden Square Hotel where the official dinner is to be held on the Monday evening of the 16th of September including a free drink upon arrival. I would urge all the districts to request their participants to attend, and fund the attendance, to support the sponsor and Council.

The next Council meeting is to held Wednesday 4th of September and the event calendar should be finalized for the upcoming year at this time so to advise the districts of date for their program.

The VVGA Zoning COmmittee has completed their work, and we have introduced a seventh zone, being Bayside Zone, and renamed Central Zone to that of Loddon Zone to alleviate the confusion between and with the Central Zone. The details of the changes are on the VVGA website vvga.org.au and I urge members to make themselves of the information contained within all the sub-classifications.

The Governance Committee has completed the work on the Model Rules Template and the adjustments necessary and applicable to the running of a District and some of the districts who are up to date with the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012 and are therefore compliant with this Act. However, it is important for the Insurance purposes that all districts are aware and compliant. Please contact Vice President Geoff Cook, Secretary John Robertson, or me with any query.

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
17/08/2024

VICTORIAN VETERAN GOLFERS ASSOCIATION
STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS
MONDAY 7TH & TUESDAY 8TH OCTOBER 2024
Hosted by Corowa Golf Club

ENQUIRIES
Golf Operations - Nath Thomas
Email: golfoperations@corowagolfclub.com.au

Cart Bookings
Email: proshop@corowagolfclub.com.au
Phone: (02) 6033 2162

[Entries for the VVGA State Championships can be done from the link below:](https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/67rf9L0xWA229czK2845)

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PROGRAM of EVENTS

VVGA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

SUNDAY 6th of October 2024 Golf available contact golf club for times and cost

MONDAY 7th of October 2024

VVGA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING: Commences at 9:00am

FIRST ROUND OF STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

The State Champion is best Gross score over 36 holes

To be eligible to be the State Champion, all holes must be played out as stroke
Championship Stroke, Gross & R/Up

A Grade Stableford GA 0-12

B Grade Stableford GA 13-24

C Grade Stableford GA 25-36 (Men) 45 (Women)

Grades subject to entries received.

Lunch Pack Provided

REGISTRATION: 10:00 A.M. to 10.30 A.M. (after VVGA AGM)

SHOTGUN START: 11.00 A.M.

PRESENTATION: Ball run and NTP's

DINNER: 6.30pm for 7:00 at Corowa Golf Club (order and pay from menu)

TUESDAY 8th October 2024

SECOND ROUND OF STATE CHAMPIONSHIP (as per Day One conditions)

BREAKFAST: From 7.30 A.M. Egg and bacon roll and Barista coffee/tea

REGISTRATION: 7.30 A.M. TO 8.30 A.M.

SHOTGUN START: 9.00 A.M.

LUNCH and PRESENTATIONS





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
Kooringal
Craigieburn
Melbourne Airport

For an annual fee of \$60 (which includes 5 tickets for a Parmaker electric buggy raffle) and \$50 per game with lunch, You'll be invited to play once a month at each of the above courses.

Prizes are given to top scorers, nearest the pins and a generous ball rundown.

All games count towards your handicap.

The final game of the year is just \$30, and everybody goes into the \$800 raffle.

All new members are given a free Hume Vets shirt, cap and name badge.

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

Ladies are most welcome to join.

For a membership application form please contact Mario Caruso. Tel: 0401 604 501 or email Hume Vets at info@humevetsgc.com.au.

For more details on our club's activities, visit our website: www.humevetsgc.com.au

All Correspondence to:Email: info@humevetsgc.com.au

Application for Membership

Membership Secretary,
Hume Veterans Golf Club Inc.
Mario Caruso info@humevetsgc.com.au

Sir/,Madam

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).....

Golf Link Number:

Address.....

Email Address.....Polo Top Size.....

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

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

Emergency contact & Phone No.....

Signature.....

The above-mentioned candidate is personally known to us and we believe them 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 his description shall render his election voidable at any time at the discretion of the Club.

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

Signed... 



[Melton Valley Golf Course](#)