

GANSBAAI



GHOLFklub – GOLF CLUB

**DIE MEES SUIDELIKE GHOLFBAAN IN AFRIKA
THE SOUTHERNMOST GOLF COURSE IN AFRICA**

Liewe lede—Die gewag is verby... die AJV is gehou en daar is 'n nuwe komitee wat gretig is om die klub na verdere sukses te lei. Ons bedank veral vir Bev Swart, vir sy bydrae die afgelope twee jaar. Sien die berig op bladsy 3.

Baie welkom aan die volgende twee nuwe lede: Sonia Mildner ('n sosiale lid) asook aan Christopher Malec (hy was jare terug 'n lid) ons is baie bly om hom terug te verwelkom.

Dear members—The wait is over...the AGM took place and the new committee is keen to get the ball rolling to lead the club to further success. Special thanks to Bev Swart for his contribution over the past two years. See report on page 3.

A hearty welcome to the following two new members: Sonia Mildner (a social member) as well as Christopher Malec (he was a member some years ago), we are very happy to welcome him back into our midst.

**NEW GOLF COMMITTEE FROM LEFT TO RIGHT FRONT ROW:
J SCHNEIDER; L SMITH; ADW VICTOR (CAPTAIN), W VAN COLLER;**

**BACK ROW: G ESTERHUIZEN (VICE CAPTAIN); L LOUW;
JBB PIETERSE (PRESIDENT) ; G HUNT; J BEUKES**



Baie geluk aan al die komitee lede, ons wens jul alle sukses toe vir julle termyn.

Congratulations to all the committee members, we wish you great success for your tenure.

Hierdie uitgawe/ this issue:

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Komende kompetisies/ Coming competitions

Each Wednesday/ Elke Woensdag

Hackers/ Sloegters. Single/Enkel/ Stableford. 18 Holes /gate.

Each Friday/Elke Vrydag

OK Foods nine hole/nege gate Single/ Enkel Stableford competition/ kompetisie/

Competitions/Kompetisies - September

02 Sep Houespel/ Medal

09 Sep Enkel / Single Stableford

16 Sep 4BBB Houespel / Medal

23 Sep Electric City se Fynbos
Gholfdag. 4BBB Enkel/Single Stableford. Sien/ see BI/pg 3.

30 Sep Beeskraal Golf Day. Borg/
sponsor Zonart (Bev Swart). Enkel/
Single Stableford. Sien/ see BI/pg 3

STEAK EVENING/AAND

Friday/Vrydag 1 SEPTEMBER

Do order your meat beforehand/
bestel jou vleis vroegtydig.

R70 steak en/and chips—bring eie
slaai/ bring own salad



A very happy birthday to all the September
guys and girls. May your dreams be fulfilled
this year.

Baie geluk aan al die September dames en
mans. Mag al jul drome hierdie jaar vervul
word.

Leon Hattingh	01
Thomas Potgieter	04
Neil Harrison	05
Hennie Gerber	06
Bertie Loubscher	07
Wolfgang Dornseifer	08
Pieter Loubser	09
Johan Pfisfer	12
Paul Roux De Villiers	12
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Dr Uwe Hermann	17
Piet du Toit	19
Michael Maus	25
Axel Thiefenthaler	26
Dawie Viljoen	26
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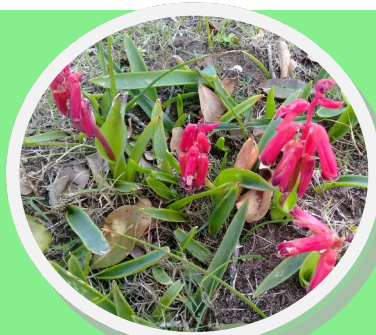
AS GEVOLG VAN HOLLOWTINING IS DIE KLUB OP MAANDAG,
DINSDAG EN WOENSDAG 28—30 SEPTEMBER VIR SPELERS
GESLUIT. HOLLOWTINING AT OUR CLUB ON MONDAY TUESDAY
AND WEDNESDAY 28—30 SEPTEMBER. THE GOLF CLUB WILL BE
CLOSED FOR PLAYERS. SLOEGTERS IS MOVED TO THURSDAY

ELECTRIC CITY FYNBOS GHOLFDAG / ELECTRIC CITY FYNBOS GOLF DAY

SPEELFOOIE R200 / COMPETITION FEES R200
4BBB ENKEL STABLEFORD/ 4BBB SINGLE STABLEFORD

KOM SPEEL SAAM MET ONS GHOLF GEDURENDE DIE **FUNKY FYNBOS NAWEEK** IN GANSBAAI. HIERDIE GANSBAAI FEES IS NOU VYF JAAR OUD EN TREK BESOEKERS VAN HEINDE EN VERRE. DIE LIGGING VAN DIE GHOLFBAAN IS ASEMROWEND MET SEE UITSIGTE EN DIS NATUURLIK TUSSEN FYNBOS GELEË WAT DIE TYD VAN DIE JAAR PRAGTIG BLOM. KOM SPEEL SAAM OP HIERDIE MEES SUIDELIKE GHOLFBAAN IN AFRIKA. BOONOP IS DAAR WONDERLIKE PRYSE TE WEN WAT GEPAARD GAAN MET GOEIE SPORTMANSGEES EN LEKKER LOSLIT GASVYHEID.

COME AND JOIN US FOR A GAME OF GOLF DURING THE **FUNKY FYNBOS WEEKEND** IN GANSBAAI. THIS FESTIVAL IS NOW 5 YEARS OLD AND ATTRACTS VISITORS FROM FAR AND WIDE. THE POSITION OF THE GOLF COURSE AFFORDS STUNNING SEA VIEWS AND IT IS LOCATED NATURALLY IN PROTECTED FYNBOS. THE FYNBOS IS CURRENTLY A FLOWERING SPECTACLE. COME AND PLAY AT THE SOUTHERNMOST GOLF COURSE IN AFRICA. THERE ARE WONDERFUL PRIZES TO BE WON. ENJOY GREAT COMPANY AND GOOD GOLFING SPORTMANSHIP.



BEESKRAAL OPE/ OPEN 31 SEPTEMBER

SPEELFOOIE R150 / COMPETITION FEES R150



KOM DEEL IN DIE PRET. 'VET' PRYSE TE WEN. JOIN IN THE FUN, 'FAT' PRIZES TO BE WON.

AFDELINGS SOOS VOLG: DIVISIONS AS FOLLOW:

TOLLIES / STEERS

0—40 JAAR

BULLE/ BULLS

41—65 JAAR

OSSE/OXEN

66—80 JAAR

KOEIE (DAMES)/ COWS (LADIES)

Ons hoef nie ons ouderdomme weg te gee nie !

GREENKEEPERS REVENGE !!!

Watter pret.....eenkeer per jaar het die greenkeeper 'n geleentheid om sy frustrasies op die spelers uit te haal. Dit was ook 'n kans vir Bev Swart om sy uittrede by die komitee af te sluit. Die klub is baie dankbaar vir al die werk wat Bev die afgelope twee jaar op die baan gedoen het. Hy het baie verbeteringe aangebring, jul mag herroep dat hy onder andere vir die aanlê van die besproeiingsstelsel op die skoonvelde verantwoordelik was. .

Voorbeelde van sy wraak op Saterdag 26 Augustus sluit in trekkers en implemente voor setperke geparkeer, bosse wat vanuit die niet verskyn, pype wat voor die setperke 'vergeet' is en bowwe waarvoor mens moes soek! Daar was geen tekort aan jolyt nie, dit was 'n pragtige sonnige dag wat deur almal geniet is. Boetes is aan die spelers se gewete oorgelaat en in die gees van die dag is beursies geskud om bydraes te maak vir onkuiddoder vir die baan. 'n Goeie bedrag is op die wyse ingesamel.



Bev Swart met wenner Melvin Tobias met 41 punte



Tweede: Lieke Louw met 36



Derde: Jackie Beukes met 36



Die manne slaan af oor die bosse vir die eerste gat by die 9de setperk. Werk daai een self uit!



Green keeper toys at the 8th green



Palmtakke maar dis geen oase!

Oh what fun.....once a year the green keeper has a chance to vent his frustrations and take revenge on golfers. It was also a time for Bev Swart the outgoing green keeper to take leave of the committee. The club is very grateful to Bev for all the work that he has put in over the past two years. He has made many improvements to the course, you may recall amongst others that he was responsible for the new irrigation system on the fairways.

Examples of the revenge on Saturday 26 August included a tractor parked in front of a tee, bushes that appeared from nowhere, pipes forgotten in front of greens and tee boxes that one had to search for! There was no shortage of hilarity and it was a beautiful sunny day enjoyed by all. Penalties were left to a player's conscience and in the spirit of the day players dug into their purses for weed killer donations resulting in a handsome sum collected.

KOMPETISIE GALERY COMPETITION GALLERY

Hugo Groenewald slaan 'n **gelukhou** op putjie 11 op 24 Augustus. Baie geluk Hugo, ons almal hoop om dit eenmaal in ons gholf loop-baan reg te kry.

Hugo Groenewald hits a hole in one on the 11th tee on 24 August. Well done Hugo!



SAT 5 AUG. HOUESPEL KOMPETISIE / MEDAL COMPETITION.

Wenner Daniel van der Merwe met 68 net (75 bruto).

Winner Daniel van der Merwe with 68 net (75 bruto)



SAT 12 AUG. 4BBB STABLEFORD/.

Wenners/ Winners Solly Wessels en/ and Leon Lombaard met/ with 46 points.



SAT 19 AUG. GEKOMBINEERDE/ COMBINED ENKEL/ SINGLE STABLEFORD. Wenners/ Winners Jakkie Beukes

aen/ nd Daniel van der Merwe. Met/ With 72 points. Geen foto beskikbaar / No photo available.

SAT 26 AUG. GREENKEEPERS REVENGE GHOLFDAG/ GOLF DAY. ENKEL/ SINGLE STABLEFORD.

Greenkeeper Bev Swart met/ with wenenr/ winner Melvyn Tobias met/ with 41 points.



Annual General Meeting 24 August Algemene Jaarvergadering 24 Augustus

Some of the most important issues touched on during the AGM were:

The finances are generally in a sound position compared to last year August. Other smaller clubs in the Overberg are in serious financial trouble so we have much to be thankful for.

Some decisions were taken re the new fee structure. Membership fees were increased by 10% and the pre-paid course fees are R4500 per year. Members may settle the prepaid course fees in two instalments for example, from January to June and from July to December.

A final decision could not be reached on two issues: (1) submitting game results on the system and (2) the competition fees. This will be taken up by the new committee.

Congratulations to our newly elected honorary members:

Dawie Viljoen

Jan le Roux

Van die mees belangrike sake wat bespreek is gedurende die AJV sluit in:

Die finansies is in die algemeen in 'n gesonde toestand vergeleke met hierdie tyd verlede jaar. Ander kleiner klubs in die Overberg is in ernstige finansiële verknorsing so ons het baie om voor dankbaar te wees.

Besluite is geneem rakende die fooie struktuur. Lidmaatskapfooie is met 10% verhoog en die vooraf-betaalde baanfooie is R4500 per jaar. Lede kan die voorafbetaalde baanfooie in twee paalemente betaal, byvoorbeeld van Januarie tot Junie en van Julie tot Desember.

'n Finale besluit rakende twee sake kon nie bereik word nie: (1) die invoer van spelpunte op die stelsel en (2) die kompetisiefooie. Dit sal deur die nuwe komitee bespreek word.

Baie geluk aan ons nuwe erelede:

Dawie Viljoen

Jan le Roux

The Management and Members of Gansbaai Country Club/Golf Club would like to congratulate Gina Esterhuizen on being the first lady to be elected as Vice-Captain of this Club. It is the beginning of a new era for all of us and we wish her a very successful term of office.

Thank you, I am as passionate about the club as you and very honoured that you place your trust in me, together you and our committee will strive to take the club to new heights. - Gina

Newsletter from Handicaps Network Africa (HNA) ... it is important to read this to stay informed.

The newsletter was sent a week ago, we need to be aware that the handicaps system will look different from 1 September. ***Hierdie nuusbrief is van Handicaps Network Africa (HNA). Ek plaas dit net so, lees dit asseblief en wees ingelig dat die voorgese stelsel vanaf 1 September anders sal uitsien.***

"This month we introduce the **Registered Rounds Percentage** score and explain how this minor addition to the handicap system will help verify the integrity of your handicap.

Registered Rounds Percentages

These days there are many players who seldom, if ever, play at their so-called "home club". In addition, there are some unscrupulous players who conveniently forget to record their better rounds, or perhaps even add rounds that were never played and rely on a friend to vouch for the round if ever questioned.

All of this makes it very difficult for the club's handicap committee to effectively manage or police handicaps, as the system relies on clubs to register all rounds (including nine holes) on the system before a golfer tees off.

The Registered Rounds Percentage – the number of Registered Rounds expressed as a percentage of Counting Scores – is the latest addition to the handicap system and will indicate how many of a golfer's last 20 scores have been registered at the club before playing.

Since the Registered Rounds Percentage will be openly displayed on the system everyone will now be able to see what percentage of a player's scores were registered at a club before, or while, playing. **Golfers will have their Registered Rounds Percentage launched at 100% and we hope that once it goes live, in the first week of September, most players will remain at 100% by opening each round before they play.** In the future, clubs may choose to only allow players who have achieved a minimum Registered Rounds Percentage to enter major competitions.

The Registered Rounds Percentage will be computed at the end of each day, along with the handicap calculation. It will not be possible to declare a 'Foreign Round' a Registered Round.

Registering your round before playing

We have asked all clubs to register rounds on the system for all golfers, including visitors who have a South African handicap. All clubs in South Africa have the ability to do this, either via their Handicaps Terminal's Open Round button (if enabled) or via their club's back-of-office service provider".



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