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Club Contributions welcome!

Bank details: Warracknabeal Golf Club

National Bank **BSB:** 083 952 **Account:** 507 639 161

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Golf Course

The course is doing it tough with the persistent drying wind and a greater number of 40+ degree days. Well done to the grounds crew & Greenskeeper Gordon on their efforts to combat the conditions & keep the course in a playable condition.

Hole in One

Saturday 15th January broke the drought of 'holes in one' at 5th hole on the course.

Thirty years ago, Noel Huebner holed out on the 5th hole [202metre par 3] but he must hand over that privilege of being the last one to do it. It has taken our present 'hole in one' professional & local icon to do it!

Yes, **CONGRATULATIONS** to Mick Cheney who now has 4 'holes in one' on the course with the latest on the 5th hole, two on the 13th hole & an unofficial, unusual hole in one –



Mick teed off the twelfth hole to hole out on the 13th green!!

Well done, Mick!! Celebrations were to be had & a friendly ear to listen followed the days play.

Road to Port Fairy [after December]

The women's section is being dominated by Wendy Hewitt holding a nice lead of 25 currently while Dave Flannery leads the men's section comfortably by 13 but it is still a catchable target with three months to go. The chasing group in both men's & women's section have three months to apply some pressure & playing regularly will be the secret with summer conditions allowing anything to happen.

Men: Dave Flannery 76, Brenton Cheney 63, Ryan McKenzie 52, Kym Stepney 51, Danny Kearns 50, Dean Gunn 48, Wayne Henderson & Gary Krahe 45.

Women: Wendy Hewitt 95, Kerry Oulton 70, Mary Massey 67, Julie Bayles 62, & Kaye Picken 60, Janice Midgley 56, Vicki Hinkley 54 & Sue Krause 53.

Memberships

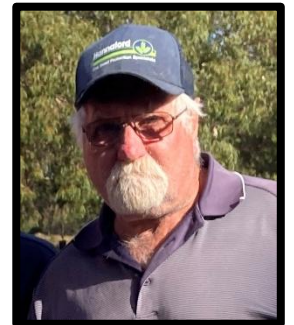
Your membership is now payable so please attend to it as soon as you can. Our club thanks you for your

commitment as a member & look forward to seeing you out on course. Remember cart/ hand buggy sheds, sponsorship or any other ie machinery or water donations are also welcomed.

If you require assistance re membership, please contact Ross Laycock Treasurer or Judi Armstrong Secretary or the captains Julie & Dave.

House Chair

It is fantastic to announce Dennis Murphy to the position of House Chair. Dennis is a terrific, active member of our club who puts his hand up when he sees that a role needs to be filled. Dennis has been with the grounds group as a green's mower, stepped in as captain for two years, assisted with captains on the Match Committee & opens the clubhouse/bar Thursdays & Saturdays.



His role as House Chair is to coordinate the needs of the clubhouse & bar when tasks arise. He will still have Mick Marchment assisting with bar orders and we appreciate the work Mick has done over many years.

If you notice any issue relating to the clubhouse, please contact Dennis [0439 195 462] & he will investigate your notice & seek to solve the issue.

Bowls – Trade Triples

The Golf Bowls Club start their annual Trade Triples season in February Wednesday with the usual 12-14 teams comprised of three persons. The season is 6 weeks in length, and this fun activity provides non bowlers to experience bowling in a social & relaxed atmosphere. Mick Marchment & his team do a great job each year to make this opportunity happen. Contact Mick for info.

Festive Season Functions

Well done to the Catering & Bar for their hosting of functions over the festive season with Ritchies IGA, the Warracknabeal Primary School & O'Connors holding their functions at the Golf Club.

The Club appreciates these community group's support.

Working Bees

Working Bees are held after each Men's monthly medal on the Sunday usually from 9:00am til 11:00am.

Next working bee: Sunday 8th February

**** There are a three large trees down at present with some of the grounds crew cleaning them up & would appreciate some assistance. There are a number of smaller branches around the course and plenty of pine cones also. So, if you have time, please contact Fred George or Gordon re the action you may take before 8th February.**

Annual Membership Fees



2026

EFFECTIVE 1st January 2026 to
31st December 2026

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY

Ordinary [May be paid in two instalments]	\$550
Ordinary- 1 st year ever member of WGC [May be paid in two instalments]	\$440
Country Outer Radius - over 40km	\$390
Country Outer Radius - over 100km	\$175
Senior – 70+years of age; last 10 years consecutive membership	\$440
Student (Full Time) [Up to age of 21 years]	\$70
Summer - (Must be a member of another golf club)	\$150
Social	\$ 10
Bowls	\$ 100
Cart/Buggy Shed	\$ 120
Hand Buggy Shed/Locker Room	\$ 40

NEW MEMBERS are eligible for pro-rata fee after 31st March. Pro-rata may be granted to members and past members under “special circumstances” on written request to the committee.

1st January to 31st March -	full fee
1st April to 30th June -	75% of full fee
1st July to 30th September -	50% of full fee
1st October to 31st December	25% of full fee

Membership forms & Bulk Green Fee forms are available at the clubhouse & on our website.

*** Grounds staff have right of way at all times**
***All players please read notice boards, heat policy & courtesy information. Thank you.**

Green Fees

Bulk Green Fees [6 months from payment date] – any interested person		\$180
Adults	<u>18 Holes</u>	\$ 25
	<u>9 Holes</u>	\$ 15
Attending Secondary School		\$ 10
Attending Primary, SDS School		\$ Free
(Must be accompanied by an adult)		
<i>Daylight Saving Special after 6.00pm</i>		\$ 10