

Royal Park Ladies Golf Club

GOLF GOSS

Feb/March/April/May 2025

Welcome Back Lunch

39 members attended our welcome back lunch after a break of 2 months. It was a chance to catch up on member's Christmas events and holiday trips. The House Committee provided a yummy lunch and we had a raffle to support our Pennant team. Prizes were donated by GreenSpace, (a golf lesson for 4 members), and an expensive bottle of wine valued at \$135 donated by Maggie's friend, a huge thank you as we raised over \$300.



Pennant

A difficult year to organise for our Captain Barb, a player retired through injury, some went overseas, and others had family commitments. Our amazing Captain Barb (with the help of club members) managed to field a team each week and their efforts paid off - RPLGC Pennant winners 2025. It was a close call with a play off required after both teams were tied at the end of the 5 final matches. Bern showed true grit to win the play off.

Many thanks go to the members who were called on to play with little notice, and to the others who played each week.

Original team: Barb Allen Captain, Andrea McDonough (retired injured) Bernie Warton, Eila Yarnell, Kathy Hay,

Emergencies: Nola Graham (who played 4 games and was unfortunately injured toward the

end of the season) Bis Andrzejewski, Marg Harvey, Colleen Newton, and Corrine Dalach.

Fortunately Corrine was able to play in the final.



Guest Days

Our club has several Guest days throughout the year as it is a chance for members to bring a friend in a relaxed friendly atmosphere. 28 people attended in March. Our House Committee was in the Easter spirit organising hot cross buns, for a delicious morning tea.

Please note at joint lunches and morning teas when members from both the 18 hole and 9 hole competitions are together we have been selling Mulligans and Lucky numbers. Money raised will support our pennant team, \$100 was raised a great-effort by members.

RPLGC Website

If you haven't looked at RPLGC's new website please take the time to browse through the site. Angela Moylan has worked over several months updating the site with a professional web designer and between the two of them I believe our website now shows our golf club to be a friendly inclusive club, so much so that if I wasn't already a member I would join! Huge thank you to Angela.

Vets game and lunch

The Vets hosted RPLGC for an annual 9 hole golf game and lunch. 20 of our members attended. It is always a fun event with many prizes and a delicious lunch.

Winners our Jan and Tommy from the Vets



Club Championship

Our members played extremely well overcoming regular course maintenance and unfortunately patches of long grass. Val Tonkin and Bern Warton fought out the Gross championship, Val being the winner. The net championship was a tight contest until the last round with 4 people in contention. Congratulations to our winner Barb Allen closely followed by Merryle French.

In the 9 hole competition huge congratulations go to Heather Anderson who won both the Gross and the closely fought Net Championship with Moira Tyers one point behind.

Welcome to our new Members

Christine Gargan, Tina Henderson, Loretta Weedon, Cassie Kelsall, Penny Davis, Patricia Wilkinson, and Ruth Nguyen

Vale

It was with great sadness that RPLGC received the news that our long time member June Brown had passed away.

June joined in 1989. She was Club President twice, 6 years in total. She organised the Charity Day events and we heard that she single handedly cooked 10 Passionfruit sponges for one event! She took over the running of the RPLGC Xmas Club until quite recently. She always had a smile and story about her over 1000 Salt and Pepper shaker and Teddy Bear collection.



Geoff Carburn, husband of our life member Enid Carburn, passed way recently. He is remembered as a great support to Enid in her role as Treasurer and to RPLGC as he developed and refined the formatting of our score cards ready for printing - an essential item used by our club for many years. RPLGC has passed on condolences to Enid during this sad time.

After Golf



Discussion, laughter, golf reviews, friendship!