

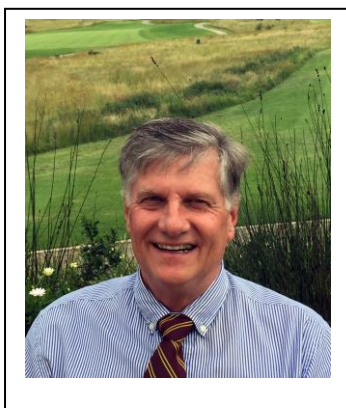
NEWSLETTER



“Senior Golfers Society Gauteng North”

– October 2017 –

Another year and another simply fabulous Dinner after our 9th Annual Championships at Pretoria Country Club. Again, a very special word of thanks to Petra for her outstandingly efficient and seamless dedication to detail. Petra, you made it so easy for those of us, who were lucky enough to have our partners with us, and even the group of bachelors, I was privileged to have dinner with, to share an especially fine dinner with decorum and elegance!!



The results of the championship are well summarised by Petra and the Presidential address; and traditional grace by Johan Stroh; reflected again on the excellent “space” our Society currently occupies in the hearts and minds of our “happy band of brothers” [Henry V, Act4, Scene3, William Shakespeare]! As we move into 2018 we can reflect on the prospect that our 10 year celebratory dinner will mark the fruition of work first started by our “groot” President Corné Kruger; and extended through the legacy of my predecessors Brian Richter and Graham Damp.

As recent debates on dress; decorum; and merit selection; that have recently taken place within our society, attest; this legacy is rich; and fiercely; and proudly contested; in a search for continuously reinvigorating excellence in a Society that won’t settle for the ease of second best; nor take heed of declining standards elsewhere.

Warm Regards, Bruce Edwards

RESULTS

4th October at PCC – CHAMPIONSHIPS

SENIORS GAUTENG NORTH

>>>ALSO REFER TO THE WEBSITE FOR COVERAGE OF RESULTS AND PHOTO GALLERY<<<

CHAMPION GOLFER: WIM FOURIE, with a gross score of 76

INDIVIDUAL STABLEFORD: 1. PAUL VAN ROOYEN, with a score of 40
2. RAY WILKINSON, with a score of 38
3. JAN VAN DER MERWE, with a score of 38 (age was used to count out winner)

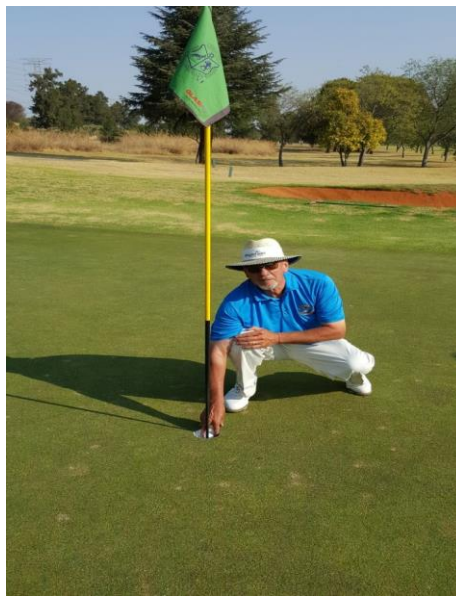
ECLECTIC WINNER: DEREK ACKERMANN

LONGEST DRIVE: ANDRE LE GRANGE

NEAREST TO THE PINS: JAN VD MERWE & KEN ROUX

2 CLUBS: WIM FOURIE, ANDRE LE GRANGE, BRIAN RICHTER, KE ROUX, HENNIE UYS, TONY YARED, JAN VD MERWE

Congratulations to ANDRE' LE GRANGE for his hole in one, achieved at WINGATE on 6th September!



Congratulations to Pieter Krogh for his Hole in one, achieved at the 5th at PCC on 30th September! – no picture, sorry!

6th September at Wingate – Individual Stableford + National Mid-Year Inter Society Challenge

Winner: Hugo Marais (40 points)

Runner up: Corne' Kruger (39 points)

Third place: Peter Brauer (39 points)

2 Clubs: Hugo Marais, Tony Yared, George Kyriakou and Peter Brauer

Longest Day Award - goes to Dieter Vogel!

The average score made by Gauteng North on the day was 30.3, and this score will be taken up to National level by Corne' to determine the overall winner of this inaugural National Inter Society, Individual Stableford Competition.

20th September at PCC – Individual Stableford – 2nd Round Iron Man Challenge

Winner: Gerhard van der Linde (39 points)

Runners up: Wim Fourie (37 points)

Third place: Wessel Theron (36 points)

2 Clubs : Andre la Grange, Wessel Theron, Derek Ackermann, Willem Krige and Frank Pretorius

Longest Day Award - goes to Joachim Mennen!

NOTE: The Award of the Iron Man Trophy, has been postponed and will now be awarded in Mid next year, as 2 fully accountable rounds are to be played in next few months - dates to be announced within next year's Fixture list.

INDUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS OF SENIORS GAUTENG NORTH SOCIETY: Congratulations and a warm welcome to:

Andre Kotze

Ken Roux

Thys de Beer

KING HENRY V:

THIS STORY SHALL THE GOOD MAN TEACH HIS SON;

AND CRSIPIN CRISPIAN SHALL NE'ER GO BY;

FROM THIS DAY TO THE ENDING OF THE WORLD,

BUT WE IN IT SHALL BE REMEMBER'D;

WE FEW, WE HAPPY FEW, WE BAND OF BROTHERS;

FOR HE TO-DAY THAT SHEDS HIS BLOOD WITH ME

SHALL BE MY BROTHER; BE HE NE'ER SO VILE,

THIS DAY SHALL GENTLE HIS CONDITION:

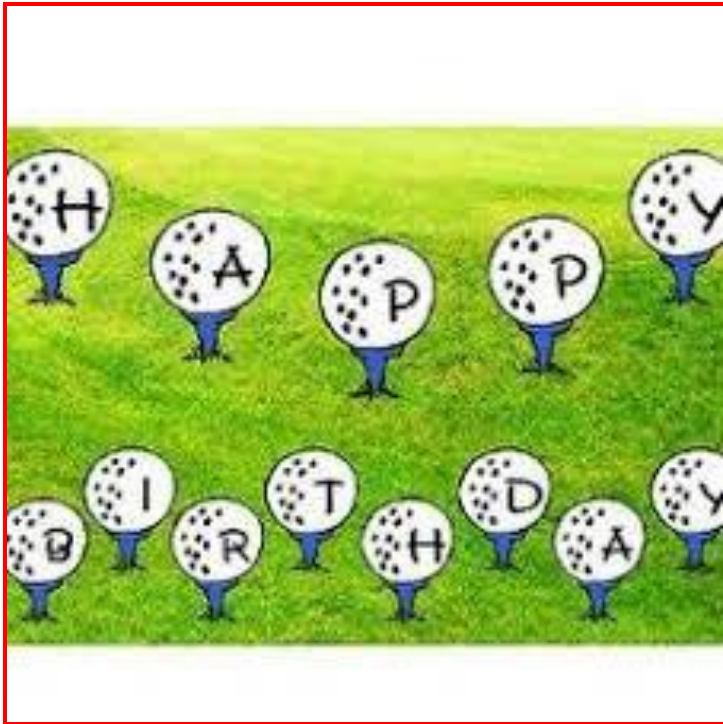
AND GENTLEMEN IN ENGLAND NOW A – BED

SHALL THINK THEMSELVES ACCURSED THEY WERE NOT HERE,

AND HOLD THEI MANHOODS CHEAP WHILE ANY SPEAKS

THAT FOUGHT WITH US UPON SAINT CRSIPIN'S DAY.

BIRTHDAYS IN OCTOBER



OCTOBER

1 st	Tallies Taljaard
1 st	Darlynne Ströh
5 th	Audrey Brauer
6 th	San-Marie Ferreira
8 th	Terry Brauer
8 th	Thelma vd Shyff
9 th	Sydney Mpipi
9 th	Don Williams
14 th	Barry Robinson
14 th	Karen Robinson
19 th	Ansie van Rooyen
19 th	Janet Hakim
23 rd	Jane Petre
31 st	Nico Maas

DIARY:

26 October – Away game at Services CC (2018 Eclectic - Round 1)

8 November – Home game at PCC “Across the Border” – Gauteng North vs Gauteng

23 November – Waterkloof GC (2018 Eclectic – Round 2)

2018 – Fixture list to be available during Quarter 4/2017.