KILCOY GOLF CLUB FEBRUARY 2023 NEWSLETTER

GET INTO GOLF



Our club has been successful in applying for funding from Golf Australia and the IGA Community Chest to run a 6 week 'Get Into Golf' programme. This will begin on Friday 17th of February, and run for 6 weeks, with one 45 minute lesson at 3.30 each Friday. No equipment is needed, and it's suitable for complete beginners, as well as anyone wanting to improve their game. This is open to all adults, so if you know anyone who is keen to try golf, please encourage them to come along. Registration prior to 17th February is essential; cost is \$5. Please phone the club on 5405 5705 to get your name down.

KILCOY GOLF CLUB STRATEGIC PLAN

The strategic plan was presented to members at the 2022 Annual Meeting.

- This plan will be regularly reviewed and updated by the committee.
- This plan gives all members information on what improvements are planned for the club.
- This plan is open to change and input from members
- From when the committee started work on this in 2021, some of the original goals and actions have already been achieved.
- If you would like a copy of the Strategic Plan, please ask a committee member.

CHAPPY GOLF DAY

A Chappy Golf Day is on Friday 24th March, and will be a 4 Ball Ambrose. Cost is \$300 for a team of 4 (\$75 each), which includes lunch and golf.

To register, contact Kilcoy School Chaplain Peter <u>peter.robertson@suchaplaincy.org.au</u> or ring 0490 171 429.

All money raised will support the Mount Kilcoy and Kilcoy Chaplaincy Service. Buggy booking is through the club:- 5405 5705.

NEW WEBSITE

Our new club website is up and running and looks great! Non-members can now book and pay for rounds of golf online, and members can see the newsletters and results there as well as a link to our fixture book.



NEW ROOF

We are getting close to the start of building works for our new roof, and improvements in the dining and kitchen area. Hopefully this won't cause too much disruption to our normal activities, but we do request your patience while this is completed. Some of you may have noticed the air conditioner near the entrance is not working. All air conditioners were recently serviced, and this one was considered too expensive to be repaired, and will be replaced when builders are working here and installing new air conditioning in the dining/kitchen area.

FROM THE COURSE (Troy)

As we start a new year I would like to thank all the volunteers who helped with removal of stumps and the clearing of the pine trees. These were jobs I wanted to complete in 2022. This year I would like to renew a few of the tee blocks and will be asking members for input on which tees they would like to update.

The greens are coming back nicely and we will be scarifying and fertilising in the coming weeks.

Once again thank you to all our volunteers and looking forward to a good year on course in 2023.

A BIG THANK YOU

On behalf of Jenny and Peggy, the club would like to thank Louise and Julie for organising the catering for the funeral of our patron, Joan Early. Thank you, also, to all the helpers who cooked, prepared food, and worked in the kitchen. Well done, everyone!



A BELATED THANKS

A round of applause, too, for our club secretary, John Robinson. John was the mover and shaker behind the new distance markers and tee signs which appeared on the course last year. Onya Robbo! We also wish John a speedy recovery from his recent surgery.

GOLF ETIQUETTE AND RULES

Player Conduct and Spirit of the Game

It is one of the central principles of the game of golf that players play by the Rules and in the spirit of the game. Golf is played, for the most part, without the supervision of a referee or umpire. The game relies on the integrity of the individual to show consideration for other players and to abide by the Rules. All players should conduct themselves in a disciplined manner, demonstrating courtesy and sportsmanship at all times, irrespective of how competitive they may be. This is the spirit of the game of golf.

