



# The Goose Valley Golf Club

Newsletter April 2019



Hi there from the Goose Valley Team

**“Don’t wait for extraordinary opportunities. Seize common occasions and make them great.”  
- Orison Swett Marden -**

Wow... Did someone just say April? Time as flown by this year and boy has it be a crazy fun one at Goose Valley. Last month we saw a new record being set in our fastest hole in golf and during our Club Championships, two divisions had to be decided via play offs – some serious excitement!

As we head into winter, we still have loads of enjoyment planned for our members, so things certainly won’t be getting much calmer around here. We have an actioned-packed schedule lined up from the return of our ever popular Derby Days to the Yellow Wood Spur night golf competitions and not forgetting the Goose Valley Pro Am – all of which will definitely add some warmth to the winter chill.

Please all remember that **STARTING 1 APRIL**, the temporary local rule permitting card-length placing has been removed, thus  
**NO MORE PLACING ON FAIRWAYS!**

Wesley and his team will be hard at work with their winter program beginning with work on the tees, so that when summer is again upon us, Goose will be even more spectacular.

In closing, we bid a sad farewell to all of our Swallows as they leave our sunny shores, we wish them a great summer back home and look forward to welcoming them all back, fit and healthy, next year.

**WE ASK ALL GOLFERS TO PLEASE:**

- \* keep up with the players ahead of you to ensure a pleasant round for all;**
- \* tend to your pitch marks on the greens and to all divots**
- \* be watchful for snakes, with the weather they will become more active;**
- \* not to consume the recycled effluent water that is used to irrigate the golf course.**



# PLEASE NOTE:

## FIRST ROUNDS OF THE DAY

NO one is permitted to start play before checking in at the Pro Shop.  
As from 7 January & until further notice, the first tee time of the day is at:  
**7:00 am**

## PROSHOP OPERATING HOURS

The current Pro Shop opening hours:  
**7.00 am to 17.00 pm**

## HNA – NEW CARDS

HNA have issued all handicapped members with a brand new red-colored card which is available for collection from the Pro shop and must be signed for.

## PLAYER'S EDITION – RULES OF GOLF 2019

Now available at the Proshop so pop in to collect your FREE copy.  
\*\*\* while stocks last \*\*\*

## LOCAL RULE – PREFERRED LIES

From 1 April 2019, and until further notice, there will be no more placing on fairways.





GOOSE VALLEY

**A BIG** congratulations to  
our new fastest hole record  
holders from the left we have  
Michael Cooper, Peter Cambanis  
& Wessel Benade.

Well Done gentlemen, this time  
will take some beating!

**: Time :  
45.52 sec**

**We are the fastest @ Goose Valley Golf Club**



GOOSE VALLEY

# 2019 Goose Valley Club Championships in conjunction with our Sanlam Cancer Challenge



GOOSE VALLEY

We had the great pleasure of hosting our annual flagship event, the Goose Valley Club Championships with both the Men and Ladies vying for the title of the year over the 2-day tournament.

And what a contest it was with not one but two playoffs to decide the final champions for 2019.

We also hosted our Sanlam Cancer Challenge which took place on the Saturday.

## Sanlam Cancer Challenge :Results:

### Men's A division:

Winner : Phillip Uys 36 pts  
R/up : Mark Vermeulen 33 pts

### Men's B Division

Winner: Scott Atherstone 40 pts  
R/up: Aiden Clarke 33 pts

### Men's C Division

Winner: Bobby Rogers 29 pts  
R/up: Anthony Hopkins 28 pts

### Ladies' A division:

Winner : Yvette Negrine 33 pts  
R/up : Anita Muller 24 pts

### Ladies' B Division

Winner: Rae Stephenson 36 pts  
R/up: Ruth Barclay 33 pts

### Ladies' C Division

Winner: Ruth Hein 29 pts  
R/up: Gail Wall 21 pts







Men's A Division  
 Nett Winner  
 Hannes Fourie



Ladies A Division R/up  
 Nicolene Cambanis



Men's Club Champion  
 Kenneth McEwan



Ladies' Club Champion  
 Yvette Negrine



Men's B Div Winner  
 Scott Atherstone



Men's B Division R/up  
 James Adams

## 2019 Goose Valley Golf Club Club Championship RESULTS





## Goose Valley Golf Club Club Championships 2019



Ladies C Division Winner  
Ruth Hein



Ladies C Division R/up  
Gail Wall



Men's C Division Winner  
Bobby Rogers



Men's C Division R/up  
Anthony Hopkins



We will be posting all the other pictures taken from the day on our Facebook page so be sure to go check them out.



## 6<sup>th</sup> March

- FORMAT: Betterball Stableford

Nearest the Pin : (2<sup>th</sup>) : Leon Nortjie  
(13<sup>th</sup>) : Hennie Smit

1 <sup>st</sup> : Daniel van Reenen & Simon Mottershead	50 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Otta Laistner & Andrew Smits	48 pts
3 <sup>rd</sup> : Louis Heyns & David Brown	47 pts
4 <sup>th</sup> : Lawrence Boer & Tim McMillan	47 pts

## 13<sup>th</sup> March

FORMAT: Individual Stableford / Sponsored by: Augusta Grill

Nearest the Pin : (2<sup>nd</sup>) : Alan Radley  
(11<sup>th</sup>) : Herman Delbrueck  
Nearest Pin for 2 on : (18<sup>th</sup>) Sone Fourie

### Non Member Winners:

1 <sup>st</sup> : Terry Selleck	38 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Alan Radley	36 pts

### Member Winners:

1 <sup>st</sup> : Clive Brown	35 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Richard Bursztyn	35 pts
3 <sup>rd</sup> : Otto Pletzer	34 pts

**We wish to thank our sponsors of  
our Wednesday Club Competition:  
Yellow Wood Spur &  
Currency Assist**

## 20<sup>th</sup> March

FORMAT: Alliance Twist

Nearest the Pin : (2<sup>nd</sup>) : Riaan Smit  
(13<sup>th</sup>) : Anthony Hopkins  
Nearest the Pin for 2 on: (18<sup>th</sup>) : Rolf de Wet

1 <sup>st</sup> : Garth Gregory, Martin Brassey, Don Searle & John Rintoul	86 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Peter Bailey, Lawrence Boer, Mark Vermeulen & Aiden Clarke	82 pts

## 27<sup>th</sup> March

- FORMAT: Betterball Stableford

Nearest the Pin : (2<sup>nd</sup>) : Hennie Smit  
(11<sup>th</sup>) : Jacques Kruger

1 <sup>st</sup> : Michael Cooper & Richard Bursztyn	47 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Ruan Smit & Scott Atherstone	44 pts
3 <sup>rd</sup> : Louis Heyns & Tim McMillan	43 pts
4 <sup>th</sup> : John Taylor & Frik Venter	42 pts



**: Sponsors :**



**MEN'S WEDNESDAY COMPETITION RESULTS, MAR '19**



# LADIES' THURSDAY COMPETITION RESULTS, MARCH 2019

## 7<sup>th</sup> March – BetterBall

Nearest the Pin : (5<sup>th</sup>) : Jutta Roegers  
 Nearest the Pin : (11<sup>th</sup>) : Claudia Eling (Sponsored by) :  
**CORNUTI**

1 <sup>st</sup> : Pat Jelly & Anita Muller	50 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Anne Riemer & Eva Delbrueck	49 pts
3 <sup>rd</sup> : Anne Hyde & Margaret Clarke	48 pts

## 14<sup>th</sup> March – Individual Stableford Sponsored by: Augusta Grill

Nearest the Pin : (5<sup>th</sup>) : Anne Riemer  
 Nearest the Pin : (11<sup>th</sup>) : Petro Bester (Sponsored by) :

**CORNUTI**

### Non Members:

1 <sup>st</sup> : Anne Hubbard	34 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Wendy Lloyd	34 pts

### Members:

1 <sup>st</sup> : Anne Riemer	34 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Louise Germain	32 pts
3 <sup>rd</sup> : Josiane Doenges	30 pts



## 21<sup>st</sup> March – Waltz

Nearest the Pin : (5<sup>th</sup>) : Josiane Doenges  
 Nearest the Pin : (11<sup>th</sup>) : Terri Bloom

1<sup>st</sup> : Angela Pease , Debbie Brown ,  
 Wendy Lloyd & Wendy Pretorius  
**85 pts**

2<sup>nd</sup> : Yvette Negrine , Terri Bloom ,  
 Gail Wall & Ghost  
**83 pts**



## 28<sup>th</sup> March – Betterball Stableford / Combined on the Par 3's

Nearest the Pin : (5<sup>th</sup>) : Gail Wall  
 Nearest the Pin : (11<sup>th</sup>) : Laurel Padbury

1 <sup>st</sup> : Terri Bloom & Janet Cooper	44 pts
2 <sup>nd</sup> : Laurel Padbury & Pivot	44 pts
3 <sup>rd</sup> : Gail Wall & Debbie Brown	44 pts



## 1<sup>st</sup> March

– Format: Individual Stableford / **Front 9**

Nearest the Pin : (5<sup>th</sup>) – Garth Gregory

1<sup>st</sup> : Hennie Smit 21 pts      2<sup>nd</sup> : Johan Nortjie 21 pts  
3<sup>rd</sup> : Mark Vermeulen 20 pts

## 8<sup>th</sup> March

– Format: Individual Stableford / **Front 9**

Nearest the Pin : (5<sup>th</sup>) : Mark Vermeulen

1<sup>st</sup> : Johan Nortjie 22 pts      2<sup>nd</sup> : Enquin le Roux 21 pts  
3<sup>rd</sup> : Mark Vermeulen 21 pts

## 15<sup>th</sup> March

– Format: Individual Stableford / **Back 9**

Nearest the Pin : (11<sup>th</sup>) Neil Heyns

1<sup>st</sup> : Don Searle 20 pts      2<sup>nd</sup> : Johan Nortjie 18 pts  
3<sup>rd</sup> : Wessel Benade 18 pts      4<sup>th</sup> : Neil Heynes 18 pts

## 22<sup>nd</sup> March

– Format: Individual Stableford / **Front 9**

Nearest the Pin : (5<sup>th</sup>) John Prins

(Sponsored by:

CORNUTI

1<sup>st</sup> : Clive Brown 22 pts      2<sup>nd</sup> : Marc Marryatt 22 pts  
3<sup>rd</sup> : Don Searle 21 pts      4<sup>th</sup> : Aiden Clarke 20 pts

## 29<sup>th</sup> March

– Format: Individual Stableford / **Back 9**

Nearest the Pin : (11<sup>th</sup>) Don Engstrom

1<sup>st</sup> : Herman Fourie 21 pts      2<sup>nd</sup> : Richard Bursztyn 20 pts  
3<sup>rd</sup> : Tim McMillan 19 pts      4<sup>th</sup> : Don Engstrom 19 pts  
5<sup>th</sup> : David Goodwin 18 pts

# FRIDAY MEAT COMPETITION RESULTS

## MARCH '19



### \*\*\* PLEASE NOTE \*\*\*

**ALL** players participating in this 9-hole competition are required to enter their scores immediately after completing their round, and are **ONLY** to record the score for the 9-holes pertaining to the day's competition.

Failure to do so or anyone entering an 18-hole score, will result in disqualification from the competition/s.



# A note from our Green Keeper



## RAINFALL STATS:

Feb 2018 -	28 mm
Feb 2019 -	14.5 mm
March 2018 -	36 mm
March 2019 -	34 mm

**W**e ended this season on a high after club champs. Our hard work has paid off and we have received numerous compliments on the condition of the course.

April is one of the best seasons for us as greenkeepers. The temperatures are dropping slightly and the course can take a rest after a very busy season. We can also slow down on the watering and rely on the rain to keep the grass going.

As we go into winter we will start focusing more on project and detail work. We have a few tee boxes to level out and other small projects that I will discuss within the next newsletter.

I just want to remind golfers to please fix pitch marks and divots especially as we going into winter and greens aren't drying out as fast.

To all the swallows that are leaving and have already left, I hope that you enjoyed the golf course this year and I look forward seeing you when you return for a new season.

# Golf Lesson Rates for 2018/2019



Richard Lee  
Head Golf Professional  
Goose Valley Golf Estate  
Plettenberg Bay  
072 083 8156 / 044 533 5082



Is your golf game not quite firing on all cylinders, sick and tired of losing to your mates or donating balls to that pesky water Hazard. Well then lets get your game firing again..

Give me a call or pop down to the Pro Shop and let's set about changing your game for the good...

## Once off Lessons:

### Adults:

30mins: R 300.00

### Young Adults / juniors:

30mins: R 120.00

**(Range balls are Included in all Range Lessons)**

## Packaged Lessons :

3 Lesson package: R 800.00

5 lesson package: R 1100.00

10 lesson package: R 2000.00

Upon taking either of the above mentioned package the first assessment will be complimentary.

**\*\*All lessons are to be settled upfront prior to the first lesson.**

## Playing lessons:

1 hour playing lesson: R 600.00 ( 3 holes)

9 hole playing lesson: R 1200.00

18 hole playing lesson: R 2100.00

**(All greens fees are for the clients own account)**





# Upcoming Dates

## April 2019

- Wednesday Comp 3,10,17,24
- Ladies Comp 4,11,18,25
- Meat Comp 5,12,19,26
- Saturday Comp 6,13,20,27

## May 2019

- Wednesday Comp 1,8,15,22,29
- Ladies Comp 2,9,16,23,30
- Meat Comp 3,10,17,24,31
- Saturday Comp 4,11,18,25



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