

# BURRUM DISTRICT GOLF CLUB



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## NEWSLETTER

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### FEBRUARY

Sun 02	Mixed - Monthly Medal
Tue 04	Vets
Wed 05	Mens'
Thu 06	Ladies
Fri 07	Chook Runs
Sun 09	Mixed Stableford
Tue 11	Vets
Wed 12	Mens
Thu 13	Ladies
Fri 14	Chook Runs
Sun 16	Mixed
Tue 18	Vets
Wed 19	Mens
Thu 20	Ladies
Fri 21	Chook Runs
Sun 23	Mixed
Tue 25	Vets
Wed 26	Mens
Thu 27	Ladies
Fri 28	Chook Runs

### AMBULANCE CHARITY DAY

A great turnout for the Ambo Day a lot of people hit the course to show their appreciation of our wonderful paramedics. There was a lot of antics happening mainly from David Burraston, who, when the winners were called out handed them plastic drink bottles, which broke everyone up. There were lots of prizes but the biggest prize was reserved for Les Bennett when Josh the paramedic who helped save his life came to him to say hello he was glad to see Les made it through. It was nice to say thank you in the flesh to all the Ambos who were there. We managed to donate \$650 to them. Gosh the Clubhouse was really rocking with the laughter & goings on from our male members especially good to see they were having a good time. David had them in fits of laughter with his Carmen Miranda impression with the fruit bowl prizes & Danielle won the lucky door prize. The weather was kind to us, lots of cloud & thunder but no rain to speak of. Les Bennett & Bill Brand won \$50 each from the boards. The new bar got a good work out & the beer is back on tap! So everybody is happy!



### Birthday Wishes for February

Ken Bullock	12	Andrew Pulsford	16
Shaun Hincliffe	23	Roger Robertson	26

*Happy Birthday Boys & Girls  
with many more to come!*

### COMPUTER TROUBLES?

Are you having computer troubles then ring

**Peter Thomas 0415 323 163**

He is very reasonable & quick.

### CART SERVICING

Have you any issues with your carts? Maybe you need it to be serviced if so put your name down at the bar with Danielle. There needs to be 6 carts booked in to keep the price right & to make it worth Roger Whittaker's while.

### NEW MEMBERS

*Allan Davies*

*Brian Bramble*

### WORKING COMMITTEE & MAINTENANCE CREWS

Works Manager; Trevor Allen  
Greens Maintenance; Trevor Allen, Les Bennett,  
Peter Griffin.

Mowing; Kevin Bird  
Fairways Mowing;  
General Maintenance; Craig Edwards.

If you have any suggestions, complaints etc or wish to participate please talk to the Works Manager.

### OOPS!

Peter Cunningham was left off the list of Committee Members in the last newsletter sorry about that Pete.

### NUMBERS

The member numbers are growing with good turn outs at games that are running now. The official start of competitions begin from the 02 February 2020.

The first of the Games will officially start with the first Monthly Medal sponsored by the Vets, Starting on Sunday 02 February 2020.

The Vets game is also a Stroke game

***Let the games begin!!***



### Inside and Out



The following Committee members gave their time & in the case of Les Bennett & Trevor Allen lots of it by repairing the leak on the 3rd green. Also on deck was David Burraston & Peter Cunningham with Coot on the ditch witch. Thank you men, good job!

Many thanks to Peter Griffin for helping out watering the greens during the big dry & finding & fixing a further leak on the green, the pipes need redoing!

To all who are helping out in any capacity the members appreciate it as they should. Please make sure you clear anything you want to do with the Committee first though we can't have people just going off doing their own thing. It's all about coordinating.

Wow have you seen the new bar area at the Club? What a great job done by Ian Brady & Neil Clarke, the bar was remodelled & polished it is a work of art! You would think it was brand new!

The floor is another great part of this whole picture, great job by Ray Berkery & Andy Pearce.

The entire area looks so fantastic, John Musgrave said he thought he would never see the day of it ever being done. Great to see you have John, a lot of years under the bridge for you there boyo!

It is only a week into the New Year & there is a great feel to the Club & the members are soaking it up too.

All that is left is for it to rain!



### *Pray for it people, it is desperately needed!*

Good work everyone, our prayers have been answered.

I think Tony Borg got us over the line though he has a direct link to the big boss upstairs! Good one Tony!

I have heard from Lillian & Peter Lochel recently they are enjoying good health & were out at Julia Creek during the summer.....the aircon was going 24/7 Lillian said. It is lovely out there one of my favourite places & we hope to get there again....not in summer August is good! I lost their addy as I have done with others from time to time. If you want your newsletter sent to your inbox please let me know.

We had a small field of 16 on Australia Day but it was a fun day for us all. Especially Max Fenn who won the day with a creditable 36 points!

The Tuesday Vets following Aussie day, fielded 28 players with the Marilyn & Trevor Allen winning the 4BB stableford with 48pts!



### CAN YOU BELIEVE IT?

Kevin Leader caught a very nice Barra during his time off at Burrum Heads. Trouble was he had to put it back because it was out of season. It is so hard to see a grown man cry, he was still crying in his sleep we were told & couldn't be consoled!



The numbers have remained steady for competitions over the break which is really good lets hope we can build on them when we resume in February. The Committee & members are all working together to make it an enjoyable way to spend the day playing golf. There's a good vibe to the Club so we can only build on that, more members are what's needed to carry on where some have left off by way of injury, passing away &/or moving away. There has been some interest from some who left for whatever reason & are coming back, we are happy to have you rejoin!

The Vets fielded 28 players the week before opening officially which is great. Kevin Leader has taken to the job of Vets Captain with gusto!



Everybody is happy with the new bar area, these two look like they are putting their names down on a roster!

Many thanks to John Musgrave for filling in for Danielle whilst she was on holidays. Just like riding a bike eh John! Nice to see you & Barb, it's been a while!

Tex Howard had a capful on Australia Day..... wasps nests that is! He was wondering why his head was itching. Lucky there were no inhabitants, could have been a painful experience.

### CLAIMING THE DATE The Burrum District Golf Club Open Day has been set down for the **29th March 2020**

More details in the next newsletter.

How green is our valley? Many thanks to the rain god!

Its official time again so could the Captain's of the day please give Danielle their results please, including numbers on the day.

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