



Serpentine & Districts Golf Club

July 2025 Newsletter



June Monthly Mug:

The inimitable Garry Byles shone on the day with an excellent 68!
Smiley was runner up on 70...
Not too shabby.

President's Post

There is not a lot of specific activity to report this month however the Club does remain in a strong and stable condition due to the ongoing efforts of all the committees and members alike.

The tree trimming contractors have completed the work requested by the shire on the 2 white gum trees in the carpark. The club can now complete our tasks of constructing garden beds around the trees to protect the surface roots from vehicular traffic.

Work on the building project is probably not progressing as fast as was originally intended however the project group are working hard to resolve the issues that are delaying the commencement of the real physical work. Thanks to Stan Indge and a few volunteers for moving a quantity of the internal furnishings from the clubhouse to the storage container in preparation for the building work.

Great to see several members out and about flying the Serpentine Golf Club flag at various competitions around the state. Also great to see is the number of green fee players taking advantage of our course and hopefully with some encouragement we can attract some new members.

Mike Fancote



Kathy Rouse after her great 37 points Stableford win on July 1st pictured with trophy donor Chris Watson.

Our girls who competed in the South West Women's Singles Champs at Donnybrook!



Men's Captains Corner

This months monthly mug saw a familiar face on the podium with Garry Byles winning by 2 shots from Kevin Pollock.

The Saturday morning tee off is not proving to be as popular as I had hoped. I will continue with it through this season and then re-assess.

The Friday night golf is up and down one week we have a good field the next it drops off. We have a hard core that come every week but are failing in keeping the visitors from coming back on a regular basis.

Brett

Ladies Captains Corner

The weather forecast has been against us this month but we have still managed to get through most of our games without too much rain, but smallish numbers playing .We have had a number of our ladies off touring around our state or overseas, so hoping they are all having a great holiday and hope to see them all back at golf soon .

We had the Jubilee Foursomes this month with the winners being Lynda Ritchie and Enid Andrew by 1 shot from Tricia and Judy Borgward. Lynda and Enid will represent Serpie at the playoff later in the year at the Mount Lawley golf course.

We then had the 3rd round of stroke, silver spoon and monthly medal which was won by Alyson Blazic 71 nett. R/U was Judy Borgward on C/B from one of our new members Annette Chandler 75nett.

Last week we had a Stableford and it was so great to see Kathy Rouse come in with 37pts for the win. R/U was Bev Thomas with 35 pts. Well done girls.

It was great to see that the ground staff had mowed in front of the ladies Tee boxes, and we would all like to thank them for that and would also like to congratulate them on how wonderful the course is looking .

Don't forget the Mixed Foursomes Champs are coming up on the 19th July, so make sure you all find yourself a partner and remember tee off is at 11am

Happy golfing!

Judy

Points of Interest



Winners and the prize table from our Autospec WA Day Ambrose.

Congratulations to "Battlers", Leezelle Comejo, Liz Beattie, Alison Waters and Matt Kennewell.

The girls are pictured with the wonderful and modest Rick Murphy from Autospec 4X4...

Around the Grounds



No “Around the Grounds” or “Clubhouse Upgrade” news this month. All the mongrel protagonists are in Shark Bay and/or Exmouth fishing and playing golf...and swimming, snorkling, drinking...



From The Archives

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Earthworks 1980

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Featured Hole

No.6: Par 4. Men 339m Index 6 Ladies 294m Index 10
Challenging hole that plays longer than its 339 or 294m.
And miss the fairway on either side and it's generally chip out! Might be a bit more forgiving now that the redgum on the RHS has gone to god!