



BUSSELTON
GOLF CLUB



*Captain & President
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<http://www.busseltongolfclub.com.au>**

Members NoticeBoard

Royal Fremantle Golf Club Trip

A weekend of golf has been organised with the Royal Fremantle Golf Club for the weekend of 11/12th October 2008.

It is planned for all players to travel together on a Gannaway's bus leaving the club on Saturday morning at around 7-8am, arriving at RFGC to play Sat PM.

Saturday night we will stay in a motel on a twin/triple share basis and then play Sun PM in their annual Anniversary Cup, stay for dinner (tie & jacket required) then leave 8-9pm to drive back to Busselton arriving 11-12pm.

Cost will be approx \$140 per head for the bus/driver and the accommodation.

At this time it is intended to have a party of 24 players, if we get more then we can review with RFGC.

A list is on the notice board in the competition results room at the end of the bar, put your name on the list if you wish to be part of this great trip. By the way the weekend is the 1st weekend after we core the greens here after the West Coast Open.

A deposit of \$50 will be required for the bus and accommodation once you put your name on the list.



Fennessey's To Sponsor Sunday Golf

I am happy to announce Ray & Jan Mountney at Fennessey's have dramatically increased their sponsorship of the club for the coming season.

Fennessey's will be the sponsor of the Mixed Championship in July, the Men's 4's Championship in August and will continue to also sponsor their normal Thursday scroungers event in April and a Ladies Wednesday event in June. In addition to all of this they will also sponsor a Sunday event each month during year to help the club get Sunday golf active

We thank them for their generous involvement with the club.

2008/9 Fixtures

These have been completed and are in with the printers, so members can expect the fixture books before the end of the month.

Club House Changes

This month will see the bar remodelled, with a new bar top and colour scheme, while the old grey carpet will be removed and the floor underneath polished and a new blue carpet runner placed between the bar and the door.



"My wife built this brick wall after I left, which makes me believe she's a little angry that I went golfing today."

Tee Signs

Members will notice after this coming weekend that the tee signs showing the hole layout will have been repainted to bring them back to life. This should keep them in shape for another few years until we can afford to replace them.

Volunteers

A big thankyou for all the volunteers who helped with the removal of the red gum near the 1st hole, you all know who you are and the club is most thankful.

Golf Results

January golf saw the running of two major competitions being the Streamline Underground Services Summer Cup and the Mixed Summer Cup for the Brian "Bagwan" Williams trophy.

In the Streamline event the winner the winner was Ray "Shortlegs" Horton, runner up being Noel Smith, for Ray his score of 42 points was equal to a 75 off the stick a great score. He won on a countback from Noel who has been playing some very consistent golf of late.

Special thanks to Brad Christian and the team at Streamline for the continuing sponsorship of this event, it was a great day and all enjoyed the event.

In the Summer Mixed Cup the winners were the jovial and popular and great dance duo husband and wife team of Rhonda and Dave Davies with 47 points on a countback from Carmel and Eric Watts, well played and thanks to Brian Williams for his trophy and his running of the event. The fact 46 pairs played is testimony of the esteem Brian is held by members of the club.

The other notable event during the month was the Willow Bridge Monthly Mug. Dale Mitchell had a great score of 66 and yet finished runner up 8 strokes behind Jeremy Emms on 58. Great golf and his handicap copped a hiding.

Other winners during the month were;

Date	Comp	Sponsor	Winners
Thur 3/1	Stableford	Club Trophy	Craig Butler 42, r/up Ed Bunbury 42
Sat 5/1	Stableford	Bay Yacht Cruises	Pat Anderson 41,r/up Ron Mathews 40
Tue 8/1	Stroke	Brian Schofield	Trevor Espinos 66,r/up Tony Haabjoern 67
Thur 10/1	Stableford	Harcourts	Alan Cowley 43,r/up John Hill 42
Sat 12/1	Stableford	Streamline Underground Services	Ray Horton 42,r/up Noel Smith 42
Tue 15/1	Stableford	Tony Haabjoern	Brian denney 38,r/up Brain Schofield 38
Thur 17/1	Stableford	Capel Professionals	John Muir 44,r/up Noel Smith 42
Sat 19/1	Stableford	Club Trophy	Ben Henderson 44,r/up Will Cunningham 42
Tue 22/1	Stableford	Anders Hammerstrom	Peter Huitson 44,r/up Dave Parrott 40
Thur 24/1	Stableford	Bankwest	Noel Smith 42,r/up Don Pinnock 41
Sat 26/1	Stroke	Willow Bridge Monthly Mug & Goblet	Jeremy Emms 58,r/up Dale Mitchell 66 Keeren Apps 74,r/up Lois Butcher 75
Tue 29/1	Stableford	Ray Horton	Brian Denney 39,r/up Ray Otto 39
Thur 31/1	Stableford	Wise Wines	Jeremy Emms 41,r/up Ismail Matsom 40