



A field of 120 members and guests attended today's event played at the Keysborough Golf Club. The morning was fine and sunny conditions. The course was presented in immaculate condition, lush fairways and the greens very true.




The short 100m temporary 19th hole was in play and situated behind the 18th green and runs to the right of the big lake and to the left of the 10th - this proved to be a good test.

A special welcome to new members Barry Cooke from Settlers Run, Craig Irvin from Box Hill and Mike Williams from Victoria playing their first game with us today.

We also welcomed member guests Alwyn Abraham from Brighton, Peter Bimbi from Brighton, David Heraud from Brighton, Barry Tunncliffe from Waterford Villages, Stan Walker from Yarra Valley Country Club and Pancho Deneffe from Kew.

Grades today – A Grade 1 to 14, B Grade 15 to 20, C Grade 21 to 36.

Congratulations to today's winners:

<p>A Grade Winner Bill Bussau (14) Rosanna, 38 pts cb from runner-up Jack Payne (12) Box Hill, 38 pts</p> 	<p>B Grade Winner Phil Murphy (17) Northern, 38 pts from runner-up D. Patterson (15) Patt/River, 36 pts</p> 	<p>C Grade Winner Don Mullin (23) Camberwell, 38 pts from runner-up Peter Barker (21) Gisborne, 36 pts cb</p> 
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NEAREST THE PINS - NTP's				
Hole	Name	Club	H'cap	Dist. cm
8	Bill Bussau	Rosanna	14	109
12	Dennis Mahaven	Spring Valley	24	139
15	Danny Cappellani	Keysborough	19	51
\$\$\$ 19	Young Chul Yu	Latrobe	15	20



GOOD SCORES

Name	Club	H'cap	Score
Bill Bussau	Rosanna	14	38
Don Mullin	Camberwell	23	38
Phil Murphy	Northern	17	38
Jack Payne	Box Hill	12	38
John Anderson	Heidelberg	11	37
Robert Bishop	Box Hill	14	37
Robert Ballard	Riversdale	27	36
Peter Barker	Gisborne	21	36
Damien Patterson	Patterson River	15	36
Sonny Trinder	Settlers Run	14	36
John Anstey	Spring Valley	24	35
Graham Cridland	Latrobe	15	35
Rod Prior	Eastern	22	35
David Teasdale	Riversdale	19	35
John Armstrong	Northern	14	34
Laurie Baldwin	Sandringham	27	34
Henry Chen	Box Hill	14	34
Warren Killeen	Box Hill	16	34
Young Chul Yu	Latrobe	15	34
Ralph Richards	Eynesbury	10	33
Russell Scott	Kew	25	33
Colin Brooks	Yering Meadows	10	32
Colin Capewell	Royal Melbourne	19	32
Jim James	Latrobe	7	32
Andrew Moule	Scotchmans Creek	10	32

Name	Club	H'cap	Score
John Sheedy	Spring Valley	18	32
Michael Taylor	Yering Meadows	9	32
Graeme White	Riversdale	25	32
Alwyn Abraham	Brighton	20	32
Peter Bimbi	Brighton	15	32
Bruce Adams	Rosanna	23	31
Trevor Drew	Camberwell	22	31
Ross Henshaw	Kew	9	31
Ian Humble	Huntingdale	21	31
Glenn James	Eastern	20	31
Stan Lee	Box Hill	24	31
Rob Pollard	Latrobe	16	31
Bill Short	Box Hill	26	31
Ken Baddeley	Gisborne	12	30
Cecil Bailey	Spring Valley	16	30
Peter Barber	Spring Valley	20	30
Danny Cappellani	Keysborough	19	30
Dale Collins	Northern	5	30
Russell Howard	The National	23	30
Colin Looker	Box Hill	20	30
Bruce Maple	Kew	20	30
Brian McGrath	Yarra Yarra	20	30
Bill Mitchell	Yering Meadows	11	30
Larry Wilson	Spring Valley	18	30

2019 Subscriptions

Invoices have now been issued by email for the 2019 subscriptions. Final payment date is the 1st December.

The 2019 fee is \$40, and for those members classified as Long Service Members, (members with 5 years of membership and who have reached the age of 70 years), such members shall receive a rebate of \$5 off their annual membership fee.

Payments (cash or cheque) can be made at collection desks on game day at Southern, Riversdale and Kew. It is also possible to make payments by direct deposit, cheque or payment to your clubs Liaison Officer.



Pay Subs Early for a chance to win a prize

The MDVGA values your commitment to the organisation and as such your committee has decided to award committed members who pay their membership subs **early** with a chance to win some excellent prizes. This year, members who renew their subscriptions before 1 December 2018 will be provided with lucky draw entries for **10 prizes** of either a bottle of Hanging Rock wine or one dozen golf balls. The draw will be held at Cranbourne on the 11th of February 2019. Renew your subscription early for a chance to win a prize.

TeamApp

The Melbourne Vets have deployed a free Smartphone Application to communicate with our members. This will notify you of updates to News, Events, Results and Bookings. It's called **TeamApp** and works on iPhone and Android. Instructions for downloading are now available from our website. You will need to know your Apple App Store or Google Play Account and Password details. If you need assistance installing the App, help will be available at the next event.

Guest Introduction Rewards 2018

If a member introduces a guest for a game during 2018 and that guest went on to join the Vets during the same year, the sponsoring member is eligible to receive a bottle of Hanging Rock wine or a dozen golf balls (no limit with multiple guests).

Guest Bookings

Members please be aware that there is now a requirement to specify Gender (M or F) when booking guests. This is because handicaps are different for Men and Women and often have different slope ratings. Therefore, when booking in your guests (Maximum of 3 unless specified otherwise), please ensure the following format for the guest name is followed:

Example for Terry Smith: Terry Smith_ _M **or** Terry Smith_ _F

If the extension pieces are not followed the file and its outputs we use will be compromised and your booking may not be completed. This is a short-term fix until the new booking system is completed.

NEXT GAMES

Monday 12 November 2018

Southern Golf Club, stableford. Registration by **7.30am**.
Bookings open Monday 29 October at 5pm.

Friday 23 November 2018

Riversdale Golf Club, stableford. Registration by **7.30am**.

Frank Martel – Captain