

The Melbourne District Veteran Golfers Association Inc.

Match Report

THE DUNES GOLF LINKS - 22 MAY 2018

The 74 players present today experienced cool and windy conditions, but otherwise free of rain and showers despite the intermittent showers experienced during the early morning drive down the freeway. The use of compulsory carts at The Dunes for all players proved popular as there would otherwise be long walks to some of the "shot gun" tees. The course was presented in excellent condition with fast greens.

The Dunes is one of very few links style courses in Australia. All the holes are played through and over rolling sand dunes on what is known as the "Cups Country" of the Mornington Peninsula. The Dunes is one of Australia's premier public access courses. The Golf Course Guide, Australia's golfing directory to public access courses, has rated The Dunes as the number one public access course in Victoria, and as high as number four in the country.

Today 41 golf balls were presented to players who had 30 or more points.

Our member guests today were John Brown from Peninsula Kingswood and Roy Shrimpton from Rosebud Country Club.

Lucky card draws - Rounds of golf for four donated by The Dunes were won by David McGrail. Rob MacDonald and Bryce Trotman.

Grades today - A Grade 1 to 14, B Grade 15 to 20, C Grade 21 to 36. Today's DSR 72, SR 71

Congratulations to today's winners:

A Grade Winner

John Anderson (13) Heidelberg, 38 pts from runner-up Keith Whitford (12) Box Hill, 36 pts



B Grade Winner

Peter Silk (18) Kew, 39 pts from runner-up Michael Prickett (20) Box Hill, 38 pts



C Grade Winner

Len Symons (34) Riversdale, 43 pts from runner-up P Bottomley (26) Sandringham, 42 pts



NEAREST THE PINS - NTP's							
Hole	Name	Club	H'cap	Dist. cm			
6	John Anderson	Heidelberg	13	228			
13	Mark de Carteret	Camberwell	19	175			
HRW 17	Ken Baddeley	Gisborne	12	600			
\$\$\$ 3	Rob MacDonald	The Heritage	13	207			



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TODAYS GOOD SCORES

Name	Club	H'cap	Score
Len Symons	Riversdale	34	43
Peter Bottomley	Sandringham	26	42
Peter Barber	Spring Valley	21	39
Geoffrey Boully	Riversdale	26	39
Peter Silk	Kew	18	39
John Anderson	Heidelberg	13	38
Michael Prickett	Box Hill	20	38
Graeme Goudie	Eastern	27	37
Eric Field	Eastern	33	36
Russell Howard	The National	22	36
David McGrail	Box Hill	32	36
Damien Patterson	Strathallan	18	36
Wayne Reddaway	Eastern	24	36
Keith Whitford	Box Hill	12	36
Reg Wicks	Northern	24	36
Fred Jamieson	Woodlands	18	35
Rob Scott	Northern	20	35
Laurie Miller	Wangaratta	19	34
Don Mullin	Camberwell	22	34
Joe Ruzicka	Spring Valley	18	34

Name	Club	Н'сар	Score
Norm Walford	Gisborne	12	34
Ken Baddeley	Gisborne	12	33
Creighton Burns	P/Kingswood	16	33
Wayne Jeffery	Eastern	13	33
Rob MacDonald	The Heritage	13	33
Phil Murphy	Northern	17	33
Colin Stott	Sandhurst	19	33
John du Plessis	Camberwell	26	32
Colin Monson	Camberwell	20	32
Len Taylor	Camberwell	36	32
Laurie Baldwin	Sandringham	29	31
Terry Dillon	P/Kingswood	19	31
Warren Killeen	Box Hill	18	31
Vin McCarthy	Spring Valley	34	31
Paul Treloar	Gisborne	6	31
lan Young	Waterford Valley	15	31
Roy Shrimpton	Rosebud	17	31
Warren Grant	Spring Valley	16	30
Tony Rijs	Woodlands	19	30
Barry Thompson	Eastern	20	30
David Worrell	The Heritage	13	30

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).

Match Day Updates

Members are advised to visit the MDVGA website after 6pm the day prior to a respective game for notice of any last-minute match day changes, weather conditions, cart restrictions in case of inclement weather etc.

Venue and date changes to Program of Events 2018

As a result of golf course renovations being undertaken at Spring Valley Golf Club in September, we have swapped events with Northern Golf Club.

The changes see Spring Valley switching to **Monday 10th September** with the AGM to follow the game. All other conditions are unchanged and Northern now to be played on **Tuesday 25th September 2018**.



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Next Games

Monday 4 June 2018

Yarra Yarra GC, stableford - Registration by **7.30am.** Concurrently the first round of the Handicap Bowl. Booking sheets now open.

Monday 25 June 2018

Southern GC, stableford - Registration by **7.30am.** Booking sheets open Monday 11 June, 5pm.

Frank Martel - Captain