

ANNUAL REPORT

Marrickville
golf 

2017/2018

MARRICKVILLE GOLF, SPORTING AND COMMUNITY CLUB LIMITED
ABN 67000 114 152

Notice of Annual General Meeting
Monday 3rd December 2018 at 6.30pm

Business

1. To confirm the minutes of the 67th Annual Meeting held on the 4^h December 2017.
2. To receive and consider the report of the Board of Directors.
3. To receive and consider the statements of financial performance and financial position as the 31st August 2018 and supporting financial statements for the year then ended, together with the auditors' report thereon.
4. Resolutions of the Board of Directors

That pursuant to the Registered Clubs Act

- (a) The members hereby approve expenditure by the Club in a sum not exceeding \$1000 over the following twelve months for the following expenses, subject to approval by the Board of Directors.
 - i. Reasonable expenses incurred by Directors in traveling by either private or public transport to and from Directors or other duly constituted committee meetings, either within the Club or elsewhere, as approved by the board on production of documentary evidence of such expenditure.
 - ii. Reasonable expenses incurred by Directors either within the Club or elsewhere in relation to such other duties, including entertainment of special guests of the Club and other promotional activities approved by the Board on production of documentary evidence of such expenditure.
- (b) The members acknowledge that the benefits in paragraph (a) above are not available to members generally but only for those who are Directors of the Club and those members directly involved in the above activities.

Explanatory note

The purpose of this resolution is to meet the disclosure requirements of the Corporations and Registered Clubs Act. The adoption of the resolution will confirm and set an upper limit on the amount to be expended.

At the last Annual Meeting held on 4th December 2017 members approved unanimously an amount of \$1000 and this amount was not exceeded.

5. To transact any other business which may be transacted pursuant to the Clubs' Constitution.
6. To declare the names of Directors elected for the ensuing year of 2019.

By resolution and direction of the board.

Dated 31st October 2018

Club Captain's Report

I would like to acknowledge the MGS&CC Club and Women's Committee for their support in the management of the various competitions that occur each week throughout the year. On behalf of all playing members and visitors please accept our sincere appreciation for your efforts.

I would also like to thank Mr Brad Johnson and Ms Tracy Tuite, a most competent Administration Team, for their role in managing current and new members in the Club and all other issues pertaining to golf i.e. SLICE updates, Trophy allocations etc. and to Kylie Moulds and her team of professionals and assistants who support our members and visitors as they start and finish golf each day. Together we have strived to make your golf experience a trouble free one. I am sure you too are thankful for the team that we have.

As Club Captain, and as a player, it has been a challenge playing golf over the past six months on our course. Despite the usual stressors, such as the heat earlier in the year followed by near drought conditions for the remainder of it, the quality of the greens is testament to the leadership of Brad Johnson and Wayne Beckhaus and the dedication of our greens staff. While we have focused on greens and tees, obviously our fairways and rough have been a challenge. This explains why we have played with relief "through the green" for an extended period this year.

As a golf course we have not been alone in allowing such playing conditions as our priority is to protect the course as best we can. Now, with recent good rain, I am pleased that as you are read this report we have finally been able to produce a quality course and return to normal playing conditions.

I would like to pass on my appreciation to all the Men and Women who gave up their own time by participating in our various representative teams. We had a mixed year with some positive results. Good luck again in 2019.

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our Club Champions in both the Men's and Women's competitions. They are:

Men's Club Championships

A Grade	Drew Cremin
A Reserve	Hamish Mulholland
B Grade	Matthew O'Neill
C Grade	Ronald Byrne

Women's Club Championships

Division 1	Mary Brewer
Division 2	Libby Tonkin

In appreciation,



Patrick Stafford
Club Captain

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Women's Captain Report

The 2017/2018 women's golfing year has once again been a very successful year. The Women's Committee continue to be responsible for organising the major women's events such as Chick O' The Walk, the Knockout Competition, the Foursomes Championship, the Medal Competition, Medal of Medals, the Nett Championship and the 54 Hole Club Championship.

The Marrickville Ladies are strong supporters of various golfing events sponsored by Golf NSW and include the Pewter Plate this year at Richmond Golf Club. We also had two qualifiers at club level in the Keno NSW Women's Fourball Championship. Our participation in the Interclub Bronze 2 Pennants continued although it is regrettable that there are currently not enough Division 1 players for the Bronze 1 Pennants.

The women's committee and members would like to acknowledge the ongoing support and sponsorship from the Men's Veterans for trophies and to Ron Knott for his continued support of women's golf. We would also like to acknowledge the continued support from the Club, the ground staff and the team in the Pro Shop, who all work so hard to support women's golf.

Our Annual Charity Day organised by the Women's Committee and strongly supported by all members was again an outstanding success. This year we supported the Marrickville Women's Refuge, Aboriginal Women and Children's Crisis Service, raising a total of over \$5,800. As in previous years there was exceptional support from golfers throughout Sydney and beyond. This day could not be the incredible event it is without the active support of the club, members, friends and volunteers.

The Women's Committee continue to actively support all initiatives to develop new golfers. This includes working with our Professional, Kylie Moulds, to support the very popular NSW Golf Seniors Program. We ensure that there is always a Committee member available to play with and support emerging golfers in beginner programs as well as the Swing Fit initiative.

The Women's Committee continue to work hard to create a welcoming and fun environment for new women players as we strive to increase the number of new members. Finally, I would like to thank the members of the Women's Committee for all their hard work and tireless support throughout the year. They give unstinting hours of their time to support the women's competition and work hard to build a sense of camaraderie and team.

Libby Tonkin

Veterans Report 2018

It is very pleasing to report that our Marrickville Veterans Golf continues to grow with an average every Thursday of 64 golfers, this is up from previous years.

The weather was most kind to us with only 2 days lost to rain.

Our Vets committee must be congratulated and thanked for this achievement they are; Secretary/Treasurer: Graeme Johnson, Vice President: Mick Solomon, Captain: Phil Herring, Vice-Captain: John Billet, Handicapper: Brian O'Connell and Frank Meehan, a job well done.

If you are 50 or over please come and join us, you will be most welcome, we play Thursday 7.30 to 9.00am.

Club Championships;

Division 1	Winner Scratch	Julio Simoes – Vets Club Champion
	Nett Winner	Jim McCarthy

Division 2	Winner Scratch	Brian O'Connell
	Nett Winner	Nick Petropolous

Veteran's President
Jim Donovan