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MARCH 2010 NEWSLETTER

Dear Lefty,

Firstly I sincerely apologise for the lateness of this newsletter which is being sent by mail because of the inclusion of the programme etc.

Our last event was at Rosebud Country Club on 26th February 2010 played in warm and sunny conditions and on the North Course which was in truly magnificent condition – the greens were as good as you would see anywhere and the results are as follows:-

A Grade

Winner Trevor Golding 39pts (about time)
Runner-up Graham Taylor 38pts (on 1st c/back – Leigh Greening)

B Grade

Winner Richard Hudson 38pts
Runner-up Barry Gust 33pts

Right Handers/Visitors Winner Bill Guliano

Ball Run Down

Leigh Greening 38, Max Shearman 36, Keith Marshall 35, Gary Mackay 35, Ian Anderson 33

NTP

4 Max Shearman, 7 Peter Heggart, 11 Gary Mackay, 13 Alan Moloney

Well done to all the trophy winners (including me). The raffle winners were Bob Jordon and Brian Lynch and we trust that they enjoyed the wine, etc. Special thanks to Bob Jordon and Graham Taylor for transporting our Lonsdale lefties to and from the ferry – much appreciated by all. At the conclusion of golf we held our annual general meeting and the change in officeholders is that Barry Gust is now your Captain with congratulations. Max Shearman remains our President for 2010 whilst I will continue the role of Secretary/Treasurer. The meeting was advised that we have total assets of cash and trophies of \$17,500.

Subs

Your subs of \$30.00 are now due and over the Easter break I will get my records up to date and send invoices to those who have not paid for this year.

Cumulative Event

Now that we have played two rounds of Stableford the following are the progress scores

Gary Mackay 73, Leigh Greening 72, Richard Hudson 71, Max Shearman 66, Trevor Golding 65, Keith Marshall 63, Barry Gust 63, Jim Rogerson 62, Brian Lynch 61, Peter Heggart 54 and Adrian Dumsa 51. We have plenty of other players who have only played one round and have had an excellent score – their next good score will rocket them up the leader board.

Vale

It is with much regret that I report to you of the death of Kevin Bourke of ACT Division. Kevin was a very staunch supporter of the lefties for countless years and was the Secretary of ACT Division and Secretary of the NALGA National Executive also for many years. Our condolences go to his family.

National Championships – South Australia

This event is coming up in late October 2010 and you should get your entry form in as soon as possible. You will note on the entry form in relation to catering for the functions that no mention has been made of anyone requiring special dietary requirements – please contact the Secretary Julie Smallman on 08 8294 4123 or email petsdontfret@optusnet.com.au if this applies to you.

World Championships – Florida USA

Time is running out for you to enter this event. Go to website www.nalg.org.usa and this will give you all the information required. As mentioned previously the on course accommodation is the item you should attend to very quickly as it is apparently limited.

Leongatha Teams Events Day

Included with this newsletter is a promotional flier for our teams event day on Friday 28th May 2010. Whilst it may appear a fair way off I ask that you place in the notice board of your Golf Club or ask your Club Members if they would like to arrange a team with you for the day. In past years this has been a very successful lefties event and we have been provided financial support this year as we have for many years from the Dandenong Club on corner of Stud Road and Heatherton Road, Dandenong.

Next Event

Our next event is our Bright Myrtleford weekend on 27th & 28th March. The green fees covering the two days are \$50.00 which is very reasonable. We will be playing in the Riverina State Championships playing stroke on both days and we will also have our annual grudge event based upon net stroke scores. As to accommodation you will need to organise this yourself noting that accommodation has already been organised by Brian Lynch for a number of lefties and they have received separate correspondence by Brian of their motel booking. Like last year this promises to be a fantastic weekend. The hit off time for the Saturday at Bright Golf Club will be at 10.30 am onwards and at Myrtleford on the Sunday from 9.00am onwards. Due to the late notice please contact me by phone fax or email if you are playing.

Good golfing. 🏌️

Trevor Golding