



Port Shepstone Country Club



WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE CLUB?

HIGHLIGHT!

This past week, we had quite a project to manage! The river mouth closed and we've had UGU step in and reopen. This is a periodic process where we monitor when it closes, we then get permission to open it only at a certain level. When the mouth closes, the salt content of the river moves up to the pump starting about 4km upstream and contaminates the UGU plant.



Image to the left: Our marks that indicate when this process needs to take place!

Behind The Scenes

Most of us are unaware of what goes on behind the scenes to ensure we have a smooth running club and stunning golf course. When the mouth closes, our waterways fill up rapidly, we therefore have valves and a sluice gate to keep the water out and to create a channel when we get heavy rains!



KWAZULU-NATAL GOLF UNION 2024 INTERCLUB

This weekend we are hosting the 2024 KZN Golf Union Interclub. It is a 3 day event over Friday, Saturday & Sunday. Please note that the course will be closed over these 3 days. We have arranged reciprocity with Umdoni & San Lameer for the weekend, please contact the proshop for more information.

There will be round about 100 players in this event, Sunday is the final and will be played at our club which will consist of the top 4 teams in each division. We have 2 teams representing our club, the Frogs and the Senior Frogs! Members are welcome to come over to the club and on the course to support our teams and watch some competitive golf!

The Beekman Classic! 2nd & 3rd November

PORT SHEPSTONE COUNTRY CLUB
1915 CENTENARY 2015

THE BEEKMAN GROUP GOLF CLASSIC WEEKEND
2nd & 3rd November
Saturday & Sunday

4 Ball Alliance, 2 Scores to Count
Shotgun Start - Sat @ 10am & Sun @ 9am
Cost @ R590 per person for both days
Prize Giving on Sunday @ 2:30pm

Recommended accommodation at Umthunzi
Boutique Hotel www.umthunzi.co.za

Main Event Sponsors
consult. by momentum | Leaf Technologies | EMA

Kiddies Playground
Jumping Castle
Padel Courts

Live Music on both days

BOOKINGS VIA THE PROSHOP 039 695 0140/1

The Annual Beekman Classic will be taking place on the 2nd & 3rd of November 2024! It is fully booked at the moment with a waiting list.

Weekly Golf Results

WEDNESDAY PROSHOP COMPETITION

FORMAT :

BB BONUS BOGEY

1ST - +10

**PIET SNYMAN & CHRIS
HATTINGH**

2ND - +6 OCO

**GARY VOGT & GAVIN VAN
WYK**

3RD - +6 OCO

**ALLAN ROWLEY &
CHARLES HULLEY**



Image (left to right) : Gary Vogt, Allan Rowley, Charles Hulley, Howard Crouch (Cpt), Chris Hattingh, Piet Snyman & Gavin van Wyk

IZOTSHA PRIMARY GOLF DAY



1st - 42 pts

Niel Retief & Christo JV Vuuren

2nd - 41 pts oco

Tony Higgins & Jesse Verster

3rd - 41 pts oco

Shaun & Annas

Nearest to Pins:

5th - Paul Bunge

8th - Jeevan Mahadev

14th - Christo JV Vuuren

17th - Chris Du Plessis

Longest Drive on 18th:

Men - Mitch Blewitt

Ladies - Jane Lind

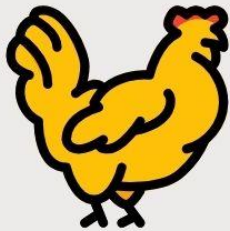


TGIF!

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HIBISCUS COAST ELECTRICAL



FOWL FRIDAY



18 OCTOBER 2024

1st - Theo van Rooyen 20 pts

2nd - Allan Rowley 18 pts

3rd - Gavin van Wyk 17 pts

4th - Bruce Holmes 16 pts oco

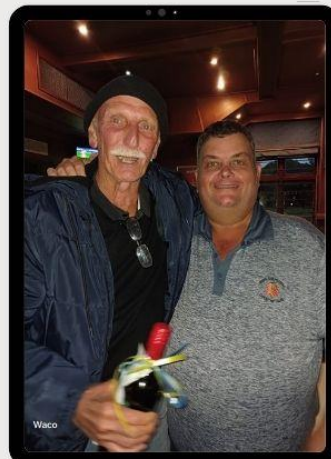


JOKER JACKPOT DRAW!!!

NO RED JOKER WAS DRAWN! JACKPOT ROLLS OVER - R14000!



**Joker Draw
Winner:
Roy
Anderson**



**Property
Port Prize
Winner:
John
Robertson**

BOWLS

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18 Oct

MBANGO VALLEY BOWLS BUSINESS DAY

2024



COMPETITION

Thank you to Mbango Valley
for sponsoring our Bowls
Business Challenge!



Winners:
Steve Moore
Sharolyn Dacey
Therese Barron



Sheppie Padel Club is one of the few new additions to the Country Club and to South Africa. Officially opened in November 2023, we will soon be celebrating our first year anniversary!



This new facility is open to the public and offers a variety of services like fun activities and special events. We also offer a range of coaching classes to enhance your skills and enjoyment of the game!



Padel is a hybrid sport that blends elements of tennis & squash. Padel has experienced remarkable growth in recent years and if you haven't already, please pop by and try it out, it could be your new favourite sport!



But thats not all, Another new hybrid sport called Pickleball is currently under construction adjacent to the padel courts so make sure you pay us a visit soon to try out the many sports facilities we have to offer!



A word from our **GREENKEEPER...**

JESSE VERSTER

We've had lovely rain over the weekend. The course is starting to take shape. We've been blessed with nice greens in the winter. The spray we've used for the winter grass has worked. Now with summer, the grass is starting to grow much faster. We're doing our best to keep up with all areas with limited staff. Our new tractor that is currently cutting the fairways has been working really well. A huge cost saving that was much needed. Tee boxes will be done this summer along with Spring Treatment to follow shortly after.



WE'VE HAD 2 WONDERFUL GROUPS JOIN US THIS PAST SATURDAY, UNIGOLF & SCPC! THEY LOVED EVERY SECOND OF BEING WITH US AND HAVE COMPLIMENTED THE COURSE AND SERVICE OF PSCC! WELL DONE TEAM!



Captains Corner...



Debbie Stewart - Ladies Golf Captain



After 3 days of hot, windy, eventful golf, Sheppie once again were on the top of the leaderboard. Congrats to Kim for sharing a trophy for the Mid Am for 2024 with Umkomaas! But the best result comes from our intrepid duo of Jennifer & Cecilia who managed to scoop second place in the Bronze division losing to girls on their home turf. We are so proud of you both. Sadly, Sheppie lost the tender for next years interclub that will be played at Southbroom.

Thank you to Vaaitjie for the hard work that went into the tender. We were much of a muchness in terms of pricing and it ended up being awarded to the club who had not hosted interclub the longest – a very fair choice! Thanks to each person who support our little ladies section, who are the toughest, most competitive bunch of girls. I think the highest compliment a club can have is when players say they cannot wait to play with the Sheppie girls. The Sheppie Ethos is magnetic!

Howard Crouch - Men's Golf Captain

A kind request that all players enter their full names on the score cards, especially on competition days as we need this information for the results. I would also like to welcome Sue to the marketing team. If you have any questions regarding the clubmaster app, please feel free to ask her as she knows the system well.



Sumansha (Sue)