

# NATAL NOMADS

## Newsletter

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June/July 2025

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### Celebrating 55 Years of Dedication – Tony Bolt Honoured

The highlight of our recent gathering was the unforgettable moment when **Tony Bolt** was honoured with his **55-year tie**, by our Captain Garth Hanger, a symbol of enduring commitment to the Natal Nomads brotherhood.

Tony captivated the room with stories from decades past, speaking with heartfelt passion about the values, friendships, and rewards that come from being a dedicated Nomad. His legacy is a shining example of what it means to belong, contribute, and inspire.

#### 🏆 Congratulations, Bolty!

Your journey is nothing short of remarkable. Thank you for your unwavering spirit—don't be a stranger.

# Captain Garth's Game Day Reflection



## Bluff National Park Golf Course

### Captains Report – June 2025

It's hard to beat Winter afternoon golf in Durban. Lovely warm weather, little wind and no humidity. Coastal courses also tend to hold their condition for a bit longer than the inland courses. Bluff National Park has experienced a rough couple of years, but with an injection of membership and maintenance assistance, has bounced back with aplomb. I am sure in the months and years to come, it will improve even further and hopefully resume its place on the Natal Nomads rotation. As we heard from Tony Bolt, Natal Nomads has many fond memories and history with Bluff National Park. I played with Bluff's long-standing captain and ex-Nomad Monay Pretorius. He is very excited about Bluff's future and hopes to see Natal Nomads back next year. Not so excited was Mike Jordan who teamed up with Deon Myburgh to hand Monay and myself a convincing victory.

Congratulations to Natal Nomad stalwart Greg Graham who received his 15 year tie, well played Greg. The highlight of the evening was handing Tony Bolt his 55 year tie and listening to him regale tales of past events and speaking so passionately about Natal Nomads. Tony emphasised just how rewarding being a committed Nomads can be. Incredible achievement Bolt, don't be a stranger.

After listening to the enthusiasm of Tony, it was disappointing that so many members had chosen not to attend prize-giving, 19 in total. Prize-giving is the time for Natal members to spend quality time together as a community and is as much a part of our monthly meeting as the game is. I want to encourage all members to make every effort to attend and not run for the carpark shortly after tapping in your last putt.

Numbers for the Bluff game were down slightly on our recent meetings, with numerous members withdrawing a day or two before the game, due to work commitments and illness. Hopefully we can field over 80 players again in July at Cotswold Downs.

Nomads	67	Visiting Nomads	0	Guests	5	Prospective Nomads	1	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>73</b>
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Scoring for the day was 30,3 which was far lower than my triple draw prediction.

### Congratulations to our Division winners,

<b>A Div</b>	- Antony Kerdachi	38 Pts	<b>B Div</b>	- Mike Hayes	37 Pts	<b>C Div</b>	- Bongani Mdletshe	34 pts
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Dalan Hall found the going tougher than everyone, scoring just 22 points off a handicap of 12. Welcome to the Chop Club Dal!

Tony Bolt for his 55 year membership and Monay Pretorius for being a great host, received the Captain's Johnnie Walker appreciation awards

Many thanks, as always, to the following stalwarts,

Registration = Antony Kerdachi, Garth Enslin, Darrell de Jager

Scorer = Mike Jordan                      Prize table = Steve McClelland

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Finally, I would like to acknowledge and thank a member whose contribution to the club has gladdened the hearts of most of us. The Johnnie Walker whiskey table is a popular meeting place for members to align their sights and warm their joints before heading for the tee box. Due to budget constraints, the lubrication so critical to this essential process was halved to 1 bottle per meeting. Enter Mr. Budgie Shearer, who without hesitation or personal gain, donated a case of Johnnie Walker Blonde to our whiskey table, so that no man should risk injury or not be aligned for the game that lies ahead. Thank-you Budgie, we appreciate you. Not all super-heroes wear capes!



# Cotswold Downs Golf and Country Estate

25 July 2025

## Captains Report – July 2025

### Good Day Natal Nomads

What a wonderful outing was enjoyed at Cotswold Downs. The course was in great condition and even with favourable weather conditions, presented a speedy challenge for all golfers. We hosted a fantastic field of 92 golfers, well played gents! It is brilliant to see Nomads turning out in large numbers and inviting their guests.

I played in the celebrity fourball of Mark Renwick, CEO Cotswold Downs, Grant Litster, founding Captain of Eswatini and a founding member of Zambia Nomads, and well-known orthopaedic surgeon, Andy Baker. A proper tussle with great comradery, thank-you gentlemen it was a pleasure indeed.

Prize-giving was also a busy affair.

AJ Smith and Mark Kirkland were each awarded Silver Salvagers for scoring 40 pointers in previous games. Very well-done AJ and Mark.

Gary Smith was awarded his 300-game badge. He achieved this award in a little under 30 years of dedicated Nomads membership. Congratulations Gary, fabulous effort!

It is always great to induct new members into the Natal Nomads fold. Welcome to Bryce Goss proposed and by Dalan Hall, and Roan van Eeden proposed by Craig Davidson. I wish the both of you an eventful and fulfilling Nomadic journey. I would like to remind the proposers, that their task is not complete. It is your responsibility to mentor our new members, and ensure they integrate fully into Natal Nomads, becoming active members involved in far more than a monthly game of golf. Thank-you to Keith Gillespie for leading the Nomads Creed.

As mentioned, our July meeting was enjoyed by a lovely full field. There was even concern that with our short winter days, we may struggle to finish with enough light. I will be happy to have that concern at every game. We did have a few late withdrawals upsetting our tee sheet, but certainly less than previous months. Thank-you gents. With our calendar planned a year in advance, withdrawals within a week of the game should only be for emergencies, medical or otherwise. Although prize-giving was delayed +40 minutes due to administrative challenges, it was well attended. The delay allowed for a few more rounds to be quaffed under their belt, which made for a festive and interactive show. Even though there was a delay in the start to proceedings, prize-giving was still completed by 19H30, which is more than acceptable in my opinion.

We had 10 members who did not attend prize-giving. Prize-giving is as much a part of a Nomads monthly meeting as the game is. I once again appeal and encourage all members to make every effort to attend.

Some game stats:

Nomads	75
Visiting Nomads	5
Guests	9
Prospective Nomads	3
TOTAL	92

Average scoring for the day was 26.73

Congratulations to our Division winners,

A Div - Richard Barker 35 Pts  
B Div - Janus Horn 34 Pts  
C Div - Graham Biffen 31 pts

Chop Cap for the golfer who found the going a little tougher than most, went to Terry Young scoring 20 points of a 15 handicap.

I gifted visiting Eswatini Founding Captain, Grant Lister, and Cotswold Downs CEO, Mark Renwick, a bottle of Johnnie Walker Blonde each.

Many thanks, as always, to the following stalwarts,

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Scorer = Mike Jordan

Prize table = Steve McClelland

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In closing I would like to make special mention of our Cotswold Fines Master, Trevor Larkan. Trevor arrived on stage looking the part, draped in the contents of the lost and found closet. He then proceeded to make public the downfalls of most members present. Tales I'm sure, that were filled with truth. In a heartbeat, rather than face further public humiliation, wallets were emptied and hard hats filled. Certainly our most profitable fines meeting in a few years. Well done Trevor and all members who donated their hard-earned cash so generously.

Our next game is on 21<sup>st</sup> August at Victoria Country Club. Another KZN gem with some of the trickiest greens in the country. I am hoping we can enjoy another swollen field, followed by a spirited prize-giving.

Yours in Nomads

**Garth Hanger**

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**Gavin Brown**

**Birthdays for July 2025**

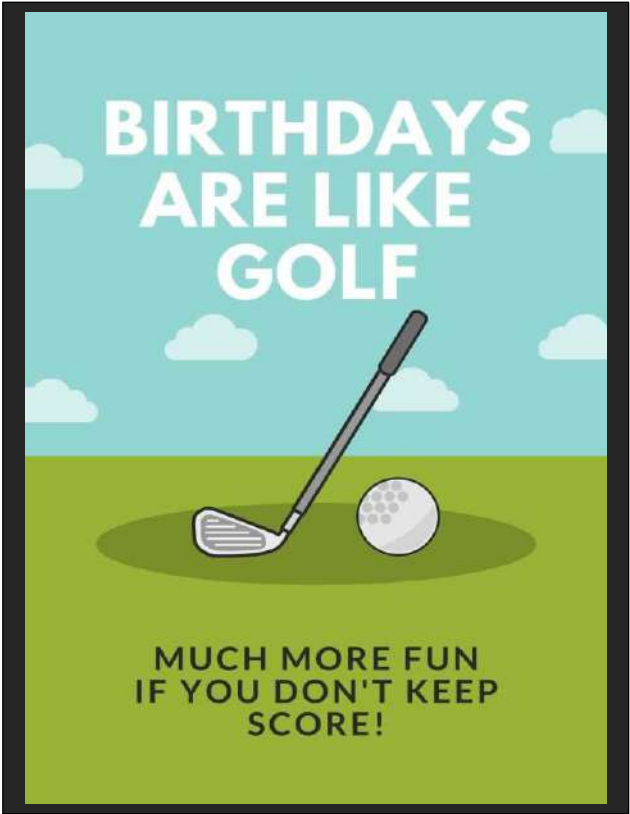
STRUWIG	Wes	1987-07-22	38	DAVEL	Mark	1971-07-31	54
ESLICK	Richard	1963-07-23	62	RIDL	Tony	1948-07-13	77

**Birthdays for August 2025**

DUROCHER - YVON	Fabien	1982-08-14	43	MZILENI	Eric	1975-08-27	50
MAJOLA	Lungisani	1975-08-17	50	PIETERSE	Werner	1974-08-30	51
SMITH	AJ	1974-08-28	51	FORDE	Keith	1969-08-12	56
WALTERS	Chad	1968-08-15	57	HANGER	Garth	1968-08-10	57
SAUNDERS	Don	1963-08-13	62	SMITH	Gary	1958-08-12	67
MAYERS	Mike	1950-08-24	75				

**Birthdays for September 2025**

FORDE	Nick	1998-09-09	27	HALL	Dalan	1993-09-19	32
BARFF	Tom	1976-09-15	49	NEETHLING	Pieter	1972-09-22	53
MCCLELLAND	Stephen	1972-09-19	53	BOTHMA	Johann	1967-09-23	58
ALLESON	Ross	1960-09-08	65	GILLESPIE	Keith	1956-09-20	69
VENTER	Brian	1954-09-10	71	ANDERSSON	Richard	1948-09-10	77



# NATAL NOMADS

## Bluff National Park Prize Sheet

### NATAL NOMADS PRIZE PRESENTATION @ BLUFF NATIONAL GOLF CLUB

Thursday 22 MAY 2025

#### Thank our NATIONAL SPONSORS

SOUTH AFRICAN BREWERIES	TAYLOR MADE	The PRO SHOP
ROWLIN NATIONAL BROKERS	HOLLYWOOD BETS	DIAGED

#### Thank our LOCAL SPONSORS.

HERITAGE MOTORS - Richard & Shaun Barker	GAVIN BROWN & ASSOC - Gavin Brown
HUME HOUSING - Tony Bolt (Thunderbolt)	BRANDFIN - Brand van Niekerk
GRAVEL JUNCTION - John Hooper	The BOYTJE BRAND - Tyrone Rudolph
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VETTIES AUTO - Laurens van der Walt	GAS & SOLAR to GO - AJ Smith
TINKER BEAM CREATIONS - Karen van der Walt	PRE MATCH WHISKY - Budgie Shearer
FLAMMA GRILL, CONCHILLA, CONCHA CAFE - Fabien Duracher - Yvon	

#### OUR THANK YOU's for the DAY

REGISTRATION	GARTH ENSLIN, DARRELL DE JAGER & ANTONY KERDACHI (Joker & Hole in One)
SCORER	IAN BREWER STARTERS GAVIN BISSICT (Est) ROB THORNHILL (10th)
PRIZE TABLE	STEVE MCCLELLAND PHOTOGRAPHER CRAIG DAVIDSON

- 1 Our VISITORS. Thank you for joining us, hope you enjoyed your day. The best score today by a visitor wins a bottle of Smirnoff Spicy Tamarind sponsored by DIAGIO.

On a HANDICAP of **19** scoring **34** pts **FRANCIS LEGGETT**

- 2 DRAWN 4 BALL. Each receive RHINO TEARS Wine. h/c of **62** scoring **133** pts  
**KEVIN PISTORIUS LUNGISANI MAJOLA CRAIG DAVIDSON KEEGAN REDFERN**

- 3 PLAYING 4 BALL RUNNERS UP: On a combined h/c of **56** scoring **130** pts  
**MICHAEL HAYES ROB THORNHILL GARTH ENSLIN GHOST**

- 4 PLAYING 4 BALL WINNERS: On a combined h/c of **77** scoring **131** pts  
**KEEGAN REDFERN TRISHEN NAIDOO ARMIE NEVELING DARRELL DE JAGER**

- 5 PLAYING PAIR RUNNERS UP: On a combined h/c of **33** scoring **68** pts  
**CRAIG SMYTHE RICHARD ANDERSSON**

- 6 PLAYING PAIR WINNERS: On a combined h/c of **34** scoring **70** pts  
**MICHAEL HAYES GARTH ENSLIN**

#### 7 OUR DIVISIONAL RUNNERS UP

A DIVISION	B DIVISION	C DIVISION
h/c <b>7</b> scoring <b>34</b> pts <b>DEON MYBURGH</b>	h/c <b>11</b> scoring <b>34</b> pts <b>CRAIG SMYTHE</b>	h/c <b>21</b> scoring <b>34</b> pts <b>KEEGAN REDFERN</b>

#### 8 OUR DIVISIONAL WINNERS

A DIVISION	B DIVISION	C DIVISION
h/c <b>8</b> scoring <b>38</b> pts	h/c <b>12</b> scoring <b>37</b> pts	h/c <b>20</b> scoring <b>34</b> pts

- 22 FINES MASTER today is: **JOHANN BOTHMA**

#### LUCKY DRAWS

- 23 JOHNNY WALKER BLOND WHISKY DRAW 1 bottle to: **FRANCIS LEGGETT (11)**

- 24 CASH DRAW Receiving: R 350.00 **WERNER PIETERSE (71)**

- 25 LOTTO DRAW: WINNING NUMBER **7** **STEVE MCCLELLAND**

#### ATTENDANCE & NON - SKILLS DEPARTMENT

- 26 SAB BEER DRAW - 2 Winners receive a case of CASTLE Lite each  
**ERIC MZILENI (4)** **SHAUN BARKER (45)**

#### 27 HOST CLUB GOLF VOUCHERS X 4 Winners

<b>KEVIN PISTORIUS (52)</b>	<b>GARY SMITH (14)</b>	<b>JODY MARTIN (63)</b>
<b>DEON MYBURGH (22)</b>		

#### 28 CONCHA CAFE VOUCHERS Winner receives 2 x R 100.00 Vouchers

<b>PHILIP LEWIS (39)</b>
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- 29 CAPTAINS CHOICE: **Johnny Blonde Whisky** **TONY BOLT (55 YEAR Tie Award)**  
**Johnny Blonde Whisky** **MONAY PRETORIUS (Bluff Captain)**

#### 30 JOKER DRAW TONIGHT (excl June takings) is for R **21,160.00**

1 Sheet F2 <b>CRAIG SMYTHE</b> Card F4	2 Sheet F24 <b>BUTCH ARMITAGE</b> Card G2
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- 31 Players eliminated from the VICE CAPTAINS JOKER DRAW: **MICHAEL HAYES** F4 **BUDGIE SHEARER** G2

- 32 2025 TAYLOR MADE Super 10 Draw Winner for JUNE is: **GARTH HANGER (25)**

- 33 Next Game is on Thursday 24 JULY 2025 at COTSWOLD DOWNS (GARY PLAYER - Round 3)

- 34 Next COMMITTEE MEETING is on Monday 23 JUNE 2025 at KLOOF CC

- 35 THANK YOU ALL, HOPE YOU HAVE ENJOYED YOUR DAY & TRAVEL SAFELY!

#### DIVISIONAL STATISTICS for the DAY

Div	Nomads	Guests	Aggregate	Average
A	19	2	650	31
B	27	2	852	29,4
C	21	2	712	31

#### TAKERS

JOKER JACKPOT Lines	600	Hole in One's	49
TRIPLE DRAW	61	38 - 37 - 34	No Winners
EARLY LEAVERS	19	LOWEST SCORES	21

#### PLAYER STATISTICS for the DAY

Nomads	67
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Guests	5
Prospective Nomads	1
TOTAL	73

#### NOMAD SCORING STATISTICS

Cur	No Change	Gained	Average Score
18	36	13	30,3

#### ANTONY KERDACHI MICHAEL HAYES BONGANI MDLETSE

#### 9 TRIPLE DRAW. POOL (Excl June) is R 1385.00

TODAY'S SCORES were	A Division <b>38</b>	B Division <b>37</b>	C Division <b>34</b>
NO WINNER			

#### 10 BEST INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE on the DAY

on a handicap of **8** scoring **38** pts **ANTONY KERDACHI**

#### 11 ANNUAL JOHNNY WALKER CHALLENGE - Positions after 6 rounds. (Winner - best 8 round Total)

1 <b>ANTONY KERDACHI</b>	190	2 <b>BRIAN VENTER</b>	187
3 <b>GARTH ENSLIN</b>	186	4 <b>CRAIG DAVIDSON</b>	186
5 <b>BRENDAN TOOHEY</b>	184	6 <b>KEEGAN REDFERN</b>	184
7 <b>MIKE JORDAN</b>	179	8 <b>MIKE CLARK</b>	179
9 <b>SHAUN BARKER</b>	177	10 <b>SEAN PHILLIPS</b>	176

#### 12 OUR LUCKY UNDER 60 yr MEMBER TODAY is:

**GREG GRAHAM (11)**

#### 13 OUR LUCKY OVER 60 yr MEMBER TODAY is:

**JOHN ELLIOTT (11)**

#### 14 WUNUNDER (Under Par on the short holes sharing a pool of 6 golf balls)

NO WINNER

#### 14 THUNDER BOLT - Hole 2 Birdie winners receive a sleeve of golf balls sponsored by TONY BOLT

**GARTH HANGER**

#### 16 NEAREST the PINS each receive a bottle of SMIRNOFF SPICY TAMARIND from DIAGIO

No 2 <b>STEVE MCCLELLAND</b>	No 8 <b>ROB EARL</b>
No 12 <b>LOURENS van der WALT</b>	No 16 <b>TRISHEN NAIDOO</b>

#### 17 NEAREST the PIN for 2 on Hole No 3 Winning a bottle of SMIRNOFF SPICY TAMARIND

**DERYCK WILLIAMS**

#### 18 HOLE in ONE sponsored by NATAL NOMADS Pool is R 19,135.00 (excl June takings)

NO WINNER

#### 19 TWO CLUBS (Total of 8) each receive a Golf Ball sponsored by NATAL NOMADS

<b>RICHARD ANDERSSON JUSTIN DE NEEF</b>	<b>TREVOR LARKAN KEITH FORDE</b>
<b>HANGER TRISHEN NAIDOO</b>	<b>GAVIN BISSICT WERNER PIETERSE</b>

#### 20 MOST GOLF sponsored by Antony Kerdachi & Associates receiving the CHOP of the MONTH

PINK CAP to be worn at the next game.

On a handicap of **12** scoring **22** pts **DALAN HALL**

#### 21 FINALLY "THE HARD HAT BRIGADE" Please assist with the Collection of Fines & Alter Pack Away

On a combined handicap of <b>49</b> scoring <b>113</b> pts
<b>MAURICE CHELIN KEVIN PISTORIUS JANUS HORN BLAKE SHEPHERD</b>



# NATAL NOMADS

## Cotswold Downs Prize Sheet

### NATAL NOMADS PRIZE PRESENTATION @ COTSWOLD DOWNS GOLF AND COUNTRY ESTATE

Thursday 24 JULY 2025

OUR THANK YOU's for the DAY -



#### NATIONAL SPONSORS

SOUTH AFRICAN BREWERIES, TAYLOR MADE, The PRO SHOP, ROWLIN NATIONAL BROKERS, HOLLYWOOD BETS, DIAGEO

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**REGISTRATION** GARTH ENSLIN, MTHOKO MTSHALI & DARRELL DE JAGER (Joker & Hole in One)

**SCORER** MIKE JORDAN

**NEWSLETTER**

ARNIE NEVELING

**STARTERS** BRENDAN TOOHEY (1st)

RICHARD ESLICK (10th)

**PRIZE TABLE** STEVE McCLELLAND

**PHOTOGRAPHER** CRAIG DAVIDSON

STEVE McNABB

The best Visitor score today on a HANDICAP of 8 scoring 32pts

**DRAWN 4 BALL:** On a combined handicap of 56 scoring 121pts

JANUS HORN CHAD WALTERS

BLAKE SHEPHERD

GRANT LISTER

**PLAYING 4 BALL RUNNERS UP :** On a combined handicap of 46 scoring 116pts

CHAD WALTERS JOHN ELLIOTT

CRAIG ALLAN

ANDREI CORNELIUS

**PLAYING 4 BALL WINNERS :** On a combined handicap of 71 scoring 117pts

ROSS ALLESON GRAHAM BLACKBURN

KEITH GILLESPIE

JOSHUA REDFERN

**PLAYING PAIR RUNNERS UP :** On a combined handicap of 21 scoring 63pts

MTHOKO MTSHALI

DON SAUNDERS

**PLAYING PAIR WINNERS:** On a combined handicap of 24 scoring 67pts

SHAUN BARKER

RICHARD BARKER

#### DIVISIONAL RUNNERS UP:

**A DIVISION** h/c 3 scoring 32pts

Craig Allan

**B DIVISION** h/c12 scoring 34pts

Sam Bahata

**C DIVISION** h/c16 scoring 30pts

Lourens van der Walt



#### DIVISIONAL WINNERS:

##### A DIVISION

h/c 9 scoring 35pts

RICHARD BARKER

##### B DIVISION

h/c10 scoring 34pts

JANUS HORN

##### C DIVISION

h/c20 scoring 31pts

GRAHAM BIFFEN

**BEST INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE on the DAY** h/c 9 scoring 35pts

RICHARD BARKER

**ANNUAL JOHNNY WALKER CHALLENGE** - after 7 rounds. (Winner based on best 8 rounds for the Year)

1 BRIAN VENTER 216

2 ANTONY KERDACHI 215

3 GARTH ENSLIN 213

4 CRAIG DAVIDSON 213

5 BRENDAN TOOHEY 210

6 KEEGAN REDFERN 210

7 SHAUN BARKER 209

8 DALAN HALL 208

9 MIKE JORDAN 206

10 MIKE CLARK 205

**UNDER 60 yr MEMBER TODAY**

NIC FORDE (15) 13

**OVER 60 yr MEMBER TODAY**

IAN HAYES - HILL (18)

**THUNDER BOLT**

MYHOKO MTSHALI ARNIE NEVELING MIKE JORDAN

**NEAREST the PINS**

No 5 MARK OLIVIER No 7 EMMANUEL GODONGWANA

No 14 ARNIE NEVELING No 16 JOSHUA REDFERN

**NEAREST the PIN for 2**

**TWO CLUBS:**

MIKE JORDAN  
NIC FORDE  
JOSH REDFERN

No 6

TONY GRAHAM  
ARNIE NEVELING  
LOYISO TOYI  
MARK WARD ABLE

MARK OLIVIER  
ROB HARRISON

MTHOKO MTSHALI  
STEVE McNABB

**MOST GOLF sponsored by Antony Kerdachi & Associates receiving the CHOP of the MONTH**

**PINK CAP** to be worn at the next game.

On a handicap of 15 scoring 20pts **TERRY YOUNG**

**"THE HARD HAT BRIGADE"** Please assist with the Collection of Fines & Pack the Alter

On a combined handicap of 61 scoring 99pts

BRYCE GOSS

SAM BOHATA

GAVIN BROWN

FRANCIS LEGGETT

**FINES MASTER:**

TREVOR LARKAN



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# Medals, Mulligans & Moments of Glory



## Silver Salver Awards!!

In recognition of each of their achievements, AJ Smith & Mark Kirkland were awarded a Silver Salver from Captain Garth for scoring 40 points on the day.



## Divisional Winners

Richard Barker (left) proudly accepts the A Division Trophy, while Graham Biffen receives the C Division honors—both acknowledged by Club Captain Garth Hanger for their standout performances on the day.



## Playing 4-Ball Awards

### Runner-Up 4-Ball

From left: John, Andrei, and Chad—joined in spirit by Craig Allan (absent)—were edged out by a single point in a nail-biting finish.



### Winning 4-Ball

Keith, Graham, Joshua, and Ross Alleson (absent) proved that sometimes, one point is all it takes to claim victory. Their teamwork and precision earned them top honours on the day.



## The Old and the New: Honoring Legacy & Welcoming Fresh Faces Welcome to the Nomads!

Bryce Goss (left) and Roan van Eeden receive their jackets and ties, officially joining the Natal Nomads family. May your journey be as rich and rewarding as the path walked by Gary Smith, who was honored with his 300-game badge by Club Captain Garth Hanger—a true milestone of dedication and spirit.





## \*\* ⚡ FINES MASTER EXTRAORDINAIRE ⚡ \*\*

### \*Trevor Larkan never ceases to amaze—\*

Amidst the banter, the chirps, the chaos,  
He stands firm, clipboard in hand,  
A maestro of misdemeanors,  
A collector of coins and chuckles.

Whether it's late arrivals, dodgy kit,  
Or that mysteriously vanished match ball,  
Trevor's got it logged, tagged, and fined—  
All with a grin and a razor-sharp quip.

He doesn't just tally the totals,  
He elevates the art of accountability.  
In the court of club camaraderie,  
He's judge, jury, and comic relief.

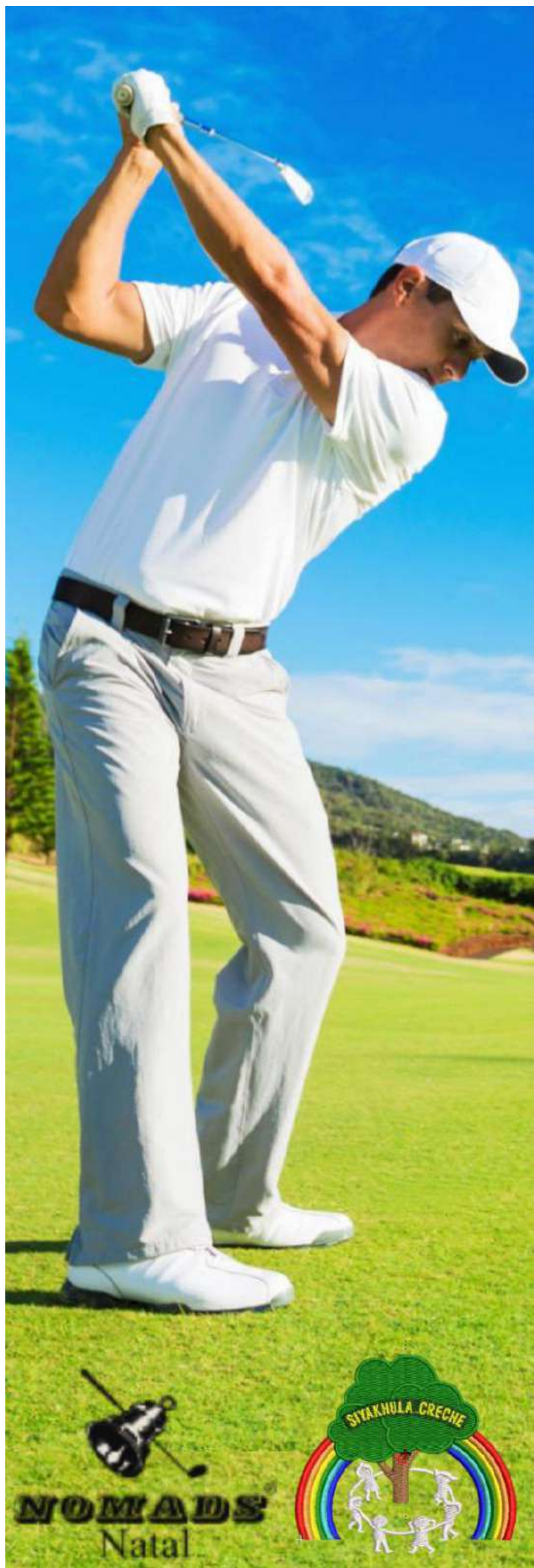
So here's to the man who makes paying up  
Feel like part of the fun.  
Long may the fines roll in—  
And long may Trevor reign supreme.



fiamma  
GRILL



CONCHA  
BAKERY & CAFE



YOU'RE INVITED TO THE

# ANDREW MENTIS GOLF DAY

in aid of The North Coast Courier  
Orphan Fund, Siyakhula Crèche,  
and The Practicing Christian  
Outreach Trust.



JOIN US AT KLOOF  
COUNTRY CLUB

FRIDAY

# 07

NOVEMBER 2025

Enjoy a day of golf, networking,  
and giving back to the  
community.



*The Practicing Christian Outreach Trust*  
"Strengthening the foundations - We are a People on the move"  
Genesis 1:1-5 & Matthew 28:19-20 - John 1:1-5 & Mark 16:15-16

## NATAL NOMADS LOTTO NUMBERS 2025

1	Cameron Delport
2	Mthoko Mtshali
3	Moiria Brown
4	Greg Graham
5	Wes Struwig
6	Gavin Brown
7	Steve McClelland
8	Johann Bothma
9	Philip Lewis
10	Craig Smythe
11	Keith Gillespie
12	Peter Jewell
13	Mike Graham
14	Terry Young
15	Darrell de Jager
16	Butch Armitage
17	Derek Browne
18	Mark Ward Able
19	Garth Hanger
20	Derek Browne
21	Tony Graham
22	Andrei Cornelius
23	Mike Mayer
24	Brendan Du Randt
25	Antony Kerdachi

26	Brand Van Niekerk
27	Mick Sugden
28	Craig Davidson
29	Rob Earl
30	John Veasey
31	Fabian Durocher-Yvon
32	Graham Blackburn
33	Shaun Barker
34	John Cole
35	Ross Alleson
36	Brian Giddey
37	Tony Bolt
38	Mick Sugden
39	John Crimes
40	Richard Eslick
41	Daryl Francois
42	Budgie Shearer
43	Kevin Moody
44	Jamie ferguson
45	Gavin Bissict
46	Sizwe Khumalo
47	Andre Conradie
48	Chad Walters
49	Brand Van Niekerk
50 / 52	Bongani Mdleshe
51	Roger Part



Nomads' policy regarding payment of Lotto -

The Winner needs to notify the Treasurer of their win and supply Banking Details to the treasurer to be paid for such.

Credits are not passed against debtor accounts as it complicates the accounting system.



### NOMADS CREED

It is printed in the renowned extract from the Meditations of John Donne (1573-1631):

'No man is an island entire of itself;  
Every man is a piece of the continent,  
a part of the main;  
Any man's death diminishes me,  
because I am involved in mankind;  
And therefore, never send to know for  
whom the bell tolls;  
It tolls for thee.

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#### 2025

THURSDAY	22 <sup>ND</sup> May 2025	ATHLONE GOLF CLUB
THURSDAY	19 <sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2025	ABLUFF NATIONAL PARK GOLF CLUB
THURSDAY	24 <sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025	COTSWOLD DOWNS GOLF CLUB
THURSDAY	21 <sup>ST</sup> AUGUST 2025	VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB
THURSDAY	25 <sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025	ZIMBALI COUNTRY CLUB
THURSDAY	23 <sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER 2025	UMKOMAAS GOLF CLUB
THURSDAY	20 <sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025	AMANZIMTOTI COUNTRY CLUB
FRIDAY	5 <sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2025	KLOOF C.C. (GOLD CUP)

#### 2026

THURSDAY	22 <sup>ND</sup> JANUARY 2026	UMHLALI COUNTRY CLUB
THURSDAY	19/26 <sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2026	MOUNT EDGECOMBE C.C (to be confirmed)
THURSDAY	26 <sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2026	COTSWOLD DOWNS GOLF CLUB
THURSDAY	23 <sup>RD</sup> APRIL 2026	ROYAL DURBAN GOLF CLUB

### CALENDER EVENTS

ANDREW MENTIS	FRIDAY 7 <sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025	KLOOF COUNTRY CLUB
ESWATINI NATIONALS 2025	16 <sup>TH</sup> TO 18 <sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025	EZULWINI GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB
60 <sup>TH</sup> NATIONALS 2025	16 <sup>th</sup> - 20 <sup>th</sup> MARCH 2025	HERMANUS GOLF CLUB

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