



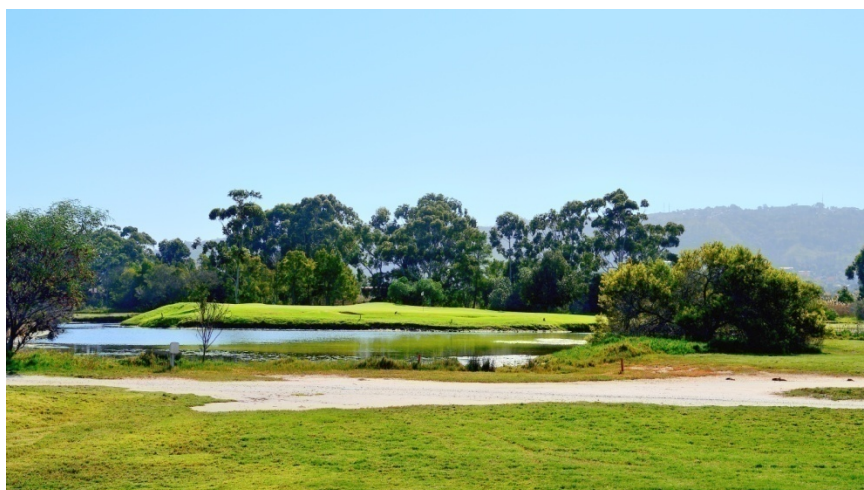
Southern Cape Nomads Golf Club

The Nomads Creed

*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.*

August 2019 Newsletter

Knysna Game - 11th August 2019



The beautiful Knysna course.



The "A team"



Captain's report

Fellow Nomads

After the buzz and all the excitement the Seaboard Weekend arrived. Our National Chairman, Neels Bezuidenhout, arrived on Thursday and Friday morning we booked in at Pezula, for Vice Captain Frankie Browns' AMEF Day. And what a day it turned out to be, 35 fourballs playing a fourball alliance with the teachers of the Zettie Jonker Hulpcentrum manning alternate "wet holes" made for lots of fun and banter. Frankie wanted a fun day and he delivered and in the process in excess of R50 000 was raised for his charity. The winners, Flats, Steve Twycross, Grumpy Mike and Rob Small from Knysna showed why we should never underestimate these wily old-timers. Zettie Jonker gave a passionate introduction to what they do at the Zettie Jonker Hulpcentrum and with a lump in the throat we can only acknowledge that these hard working, dedicated teachers are the real winners. A huge thank you to Frankie Brown who sponsored as Frameless Glass Solutions for a wonderful day for a worthy cause.

Saturday morning was the Seaboard as 135 slightly brittle and one very ill Nomad converged on Simola for the big day. As on Friday, Knysna gave us the best weather it could offer. But what the weather offered, Simola took back. Partnered with David Leibbrecht, Gary Sampson and Tjoepe it was a laugh a minute affair except for the four holes in succession where nobody made a point. However, at a well-attended prizegiving and excellent dinner it was the Southern Cape Nomads who lifted the Seaboard Trophy. Well done to all the boys who contributed. A huge thanks to my co-captains: Hein Lubbe, Carl Potgieter and John Nell who helped with prizegiving and a special thanks to John for busting my budget as fines master. The Seaboard demands tremendous organization and well done to Peter Leibbrandt who did a stellar job and sponsored the day. Peter, you made us proud.

Sunday was another beautiful day as 152 Nomads and our guests lined up for the monthly Knysna game. National Chairman, Neels, Knysna Captain Kevin Horak and Graeme Cann made for a very enjoyable round of golf. Knysna was in excellent condition as always and Quinton and his team gave excellent service at the halfway house and at the bar. Prizegiving was not well attended, but that could be expected with the players having to return home after a long weekend.

A special word of thanks should go to everyone that helped to make the weekend a huge success, but Pink Ladies Berti and Christna should get an extra thank you for the way that they worked tirelessly to make registration and the score calculations smoothly. Thanks to Bets, Tannah and Steve who helped them and especially Hansie who was first to start work and last to pack up.

Unfortunately the Sunday game was marred by two incidents that left a bitter aftertaste to what was a really good weekend. As Nomads we should adhere to three basic principles: Respect for the clubs which hosts us, respect for the people who work for the clubs and lastly respect for the game of golf that allows us to have such wonderful times and memories.

Enjoy the break, our next game is at Plettenberg Bay on 15th September and we hope to see everyone there.

Chrisleo



Vice captain's Andrew Mentis report

Hi Nomads

The past weekend's Andrew Mentis tournament was a huge success. Everybody coped well having to play with 9 drinking holes on the Pezula course and lots of fun was had.

Most importantly we raised R50, 450.00 for the Andrew Mentis.

This year I am planning to build a swimming pool for disabled therapy at the Zettie Jonker Hulp Sentrum in Mossel Bay.

I would like to thank everybody involved especially the committee.

Kind regards

Frankie Brown

OUR NATIONAL SPONSORS



A cut above.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT



Thanks to our sponsor of the day: Lindi Stander from MPK Chartered Accountants



Lindi receiving a token of our appreciation for the generous sponsorship



A very nice prize table from MPK

Monthly Game Prize Giving at Pinnacle Point.

Divisional winners:



Match Secretary's Report for Knysna:

We had a field of 150 players made up of 52 Southern Cape Nomads, 92 visiting Nomads and 6 guests.

game at May:
A: Samora Biko 33 Pts

B: Jacques Matthee 37 Pts

C: Kobus Delpport 35 Pts



The lovely Lara, dishing out the goodies

Divisional Runners up

A: Basil Booysen 32 Pts

B: David Eveleigh 37 Pts

C: Charles Brownlee 35 Pts



Best playing fourball

Hansie Nel, Gregory Abrahams, Frankie Brown and Jacques Matthee: 128 points

Best Drawn Fourball

James Eckley, Jacques Matthee, Bill Language and Frankie Brown: 126pts



Over 55 winner Kobus Delpont, 32 Pts



Nearest to the pins:

2nd, Gabriel Maguta, 8th, Tom Gray, 12th, Isaac Markgraaf, 14th, Graeme Cann.

Nearest for least on 18, Graeme Cann



Brian du Preez receiving his 15 year tie and 100 game badge

Worst playing fourball: Jason Aitken, Ed Harris, Jimmy Leggat and Hiron Snell: 98Pts. Only one stayed for Prizegiving...!!



Neels helping out

Glenbrynth Whisky Winners



Best playing pair, Gregory Abrahams and Jacques Matthee: 64 pts.

1 Bottle, John Lees, 2 bottles, Peter Leibbrandt, 3 bottles, Mark Burmester.



Thank you to our lovely "Pink Ladies", Berti and Christna plus Betts Theron who hopes to join the ladies on a permanent basis.



Aren't we fortunate being able to play on such great courses?



A very Happy Birthday to members who have birthdays in September:

Hilmar Prins, 1st, Ferdi de Lange,
18th Hugh Collier, 20th John Bland, 22nd
Les Marais, 28th

Southern Cape monthly game Fixtures 2019

January 20 th	Kingswood
February 24 th	Mossel Bay
March 31 st	George
April 14 th	Knysna
May 19 th	Goose Valley
June 9 th	Fancourt
July 21 st	Mossel Bay
August 11 th	Knysna
September 15 th	Plettenberg Bay
October 6 th	Oudtshoorn
November 3 rd	Oubaai
December 8 th	George (Gold Cup)
August 9 th	AM Pezula
August 10 th	Seaboard Simola

2019/20 Committee

Captain	Chrisleo Botha
Vice Captain	Frankie Brown
Junior Vice Captain	Peter Leibbrandt
Immediate Past Captain	Douw de Lange
Secretary	Christo Langenhoven
Treasurer	Chrisleo Botha
Match Secretary	Berti Harris
Membership	Flats Huisamen
Handicapper	Tannah Harris
Furtherance of Golf	Tannah Harris
Sponsorship	Christo Langenhoven
Equipment Officer	Hansie Nel
Away Tours	Dave Meyer
Golforama	Leon Coetzee
Newsletter	Austin Graves
Club Liaison	John Lees
Website	Lars Jarner
Communications	Dave Meyer

Our next game in will be at Plettenberg Bay on September 15th



See you on the tee!
Happy golfing

The golf bag was won by a Nomad who had to leave early



JP Meiring won the van Rensburg's meat voucher



Two happy chaps.



'Matchbox' winner



BMW windbreaker winner?



Who won 'Mikes' hamper?



Kevin Horak, captain of Knysna, receiving a token of our appreciation for the use of the course.



Entertaining the young lady...!!



Two smart gentlemen



An honorary member of Southern Cape



"You can't fine the National Chairman"



Has Chrisleo upset someone...??



Money changing hands...!!



He was in 'fine' form...!!



K... en betaal.



The winning team displaying the Seaboard Trophy



Away Games Co-ordinator's Report August 2019

As I said in my previous report

1. We have two Nomads attending Swaziland Nationals, Chrisleo and Douw.
2. We have Two Nomads attending Botswana Nationals, also Chrisleo and Douw.
3. Nationals 2020 Entry forms have been distributed to our members. I have only received 10 Entries this far and are working on filling our allocation of 18.
4. We have our Captain, VC and JVC attending Southern Natal's 35th Anniversary and National exec Meeting in 27-29 September.

Kind regards

Dave Meyer

Away Games Officer



Golforama Newsletter August 2019

The call for assistance at our next Golforama event in the Southern Cape, The Vodacom Origins of Golf Final at Simola from 31 October 2019, was met with overwhelming support. Thank you to everyone who volunteered. Please do not hesitate to add your name to the list, if you want to help, we all know how quickly things change and it is always prudent to have some reserves in place.

I continue the information drive on the duties we are expected to perform at tournaments:

Control

It is essential that this is run by someone who has used a base set or a radio before. He or she needs a strong clear voice, be quick and accurate, does not panic under pressure and commands respect (he/she will be the most important cog "in the wheel" if something goes wrong). Computer entry skills are also needed.

CONTROL is critical to the smooth running of a Tournament.

With the advent of live scoring, radios are used less frequently. However, communicating with the volunteers on the course is still necessary - e.g. when requesting a rules official. Furthermore, if the Computer system fails for any reason, the radio is our only back up. It therefore stands to reason that radio protocol is very important to set a "standard". This person may need to be relieved during the day - usually the Co-ordinator will step in.

CONTROL also performs a "quality" function to ensure that scores are being updated in sequence and are "reasonable". This is done via a computer monitor. If a Greenside Scorer is unable to enter the score for any reason CONTROL can do it "behind the scenes".

CONTROL also liaises with the Rovers to coordinate the needs of persons in the field.

CONTROL is the formal communication centre between the SST and Nomads coordinating personnel.

The next tournament is the King's Cup to be held at the Royal Swazi Spa Country Club from 5th September 2019 to the 7th September. The Vodacom Origins series come to the Eastern Cape, Humewood to be more specific, from 26th September 2019 to 28th September 2019.

Leon Coetzee.

Seaboard Trophy 2019 held at Simola, Knysna



Hi Fellow Nomads

After nearly three daunting months of planning and organising, the Seaboard Day eventually dawned on Saturday 10th August. We were blessed with a beautiful sunny day with no wind and Simola was as usual presented in pristine condition.

After a 07h00 start for registration, the field of 135 players got off to a shotgun start at 10h00. Well done and thank you Pink Ladies.

I had the privilege of playing with our National Chairman, Neels Bezuidenhout, his brother Wessel from Boland and Stuart McIver from Eastern Cape who is the National Chairman elect for 2020. Quite a daunting 4 Ball but we had a really great time. It's not every day that you win money from the National Chairman.

A great day on the golf course was followed up by a well attended prize giving and an excellent dinner that was attended by 170 Nomads and guests. Thank you to Hein Lubbe, Carl Potgieter and John Nell for handling the prize giving and fines session in such an efficient manner. The food was excellent and Tigger's music was enjoyed by all and added to the atmosphere of the evening.

My sincere thanks to "Coach", Di Pepler and all the staff at Simola for their outstanding service and for ensuring that that day went off without a hitch.

I also owe a big thank you to my fellow JVC's, Away Game Coordinators and the Southern Cape Committee for all the assistance and support in putting the Seaboard Weekend together. I couldn't have done it without you.

Would I do it again? Definitely YES!! Just one point - I won't be JVC next year!

Kind regards

Peter Leibbrandt



Seaboard co-ordinator, Peter Leibbrandt, congratulations on a great tournament.



The lovely ladies were on duty, as usual



Some past National Chairmen.



The Simola staff were very helpful



The Bezuidenhout brothers.



These guys can't count....!!!



Carl explaining his life as a jockey....!!!



Great fines session



A popular win for Southern Cape.....!!!