



# *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.*

## **May 2019 Newsletter**

**Goose Valley Game - 19<sup>th</sup> May 2019**



**The beautiful Goose Valley course.**



**The 'A Team'**



## Captain's report

Fellow Nomads

Goose Valley showed us its best: immaculate greens, excellent fairways with the beautiful Plettenberg Bay as a backdrop gave us a mouth-watering golfing experience. Goose Vice-Captain, John Wilschut and Lantic Motor sponsors, Tjoepie Pretorius and David Eveleigh, made the 18-holes finish way too fast.

The 52-strong field with 5 visitors and 2 waitlisters was a good number for Goose Valley and I am sure that the condition of the course will entice more members to play there in future. Jason de Boer was re-instated and welcomed in the Southern Cape fold and stalwarts Les Marais and Terry Dimatellis received their 20 and 15 year ties respectively.

As always the banter and the camaraderie before, during and after the game was something to behold and proof that Southern Cape Nomads is a happy and healthy club. However, there was a damper on the atmosphere as Steve Twycross received the very sad news that his sister passed away in a car accident earlier on Sunday. Our thoughts are with him and his family.

The length of the course, especially with the long white tee boxes as on Sunday, are detracting from the enjoyment of the game for some of the members who are not big hitters. This dilemma has not been resolved at Natex level and is frustrating for everyone. If some members have suggestions in this regard, please convey it to a committee member to discuss at the committee meeting. The committee will address this issue at its next meeting and will make a recommendation in this regard via our WhatsApp group in the near future.

I want to thank all the Nomads who played on Sunday and hope to see everyone at our next game at Fancourt on 9 June 2019.

Chrisleo Botha

Captain, Southern Cape Nomads

# OUR NATIONAL SPONSORS



*A cut above.*



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT



Thanks to our sponsor of the day: Lantic Motors: Tjoepe Pretorius and David Eveleigh

**Match Secretary's Report for May:**

We had a field of 58 players made up of 51 Southern Cape Nomads, 5 visitors and 2 prospective Nomads.



A very nice prize table from Lantic Motors



The lovely Lara our drinks hostess



Vice captain, Frankie, calling us all to order.

**Monthly Game Prize Giving at Goose Valley.**

Divisional winners:

- A: Walter Richards 37 Pts
- B: Andy Duncan 36Pts
- C: Tannah Harris 32 Pts



Divisional Runners up

- A Division Brendan Shamrock 36 Pts
- B Division Cameron Boccaleone 35 Pts
- C Division Brian Simons 31 Pts

**Best Playing Fourball**



**Cameron Boccaleone, Les Marais, MW du Preez (not present) and ghost: 131 points**

**Best Drawn Fourball**

**Dave Meyer, William Brown, John Wilschut, Walter Richards: 123pts**



**Over 55 winner Cameron Boccaleone, 35 Pts**



**Nearest to the pins:**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Brando Barnard, 5<sup>th</sup> Albert Viljoen,**

**11<sup>th</sup> Cameron Boccaleone, 13<sup>th</sup> Christo Langenhoven**

**Nearest for least on 18, Tom Gray**



**Goose Valley vice captain, John Wilschut, receiving a token of our appreciation for the use of the course**



**Worst playing fourball: Nick Nieman,  
Brandon Barnard, Jason de Boer, Mark  
Burmester: 100 Pts**



**Jason de Boer being reinstated**

**Glenbrynth Whisky Winners**



**Best playing pair, Adi van der Walt and  
Walter Richards: 70 pts.**

**1 Bottle, JP Meiring, 2 bottles, Wouter  
Kotze (not present), 3 bottles, Neighton  
Campher.**



**Thank you to our lovely "Pink Ladies", Berti,  
Christna and Helen, without whom Nomads  
could not function.**



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



A very Happy Birthday to:

Peter Moolman, Tannah Harris, Albert Viljoen, Malcolm Butlin, Frankie Brown, Berti Harris and Ferdi Jonck who have birthdays in the coming weeks.



Adi van der Walt won the Van Rensburgs meat hamper

Southern Cape monthly game Fixtures 2019

January 20 <sup>th</sup>	Kingswood
February 24 <sup>th</sup>	Mossel Bay
March 31 <sup>st</sup>	George
April 14 <sup>th</sup>	Knysna
May 19 <sup>th</sup>	Goose Valley
June 9 <sup>th</sup>	Fancourt
July 21 <sup>st</sup>	Mossel Bay
August 11 <sup>th</sup>	Knysna
September 15 <sup>th</sup>	Plettenberg Bay
October 6 <sup>th</sup>	Oudtshoorn
November 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Oubai
December 8 <sup>th</sup>	George (Gold Cup)
August 9 <sup>th</sup>	AM Pezula
August 10 <sup>th</sup>	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	Steve Twycross
Golforama	Leon Coetzee
Newsletter	Austin Graves
Club Liaison	John Lees
Website	Lars Jarner
Communications	Dave Meyer

Our next game in will be at Fancourt on June 9<sup>th</sup>.



See you on the tee!

Happy golfing

**Peter Leibbrandt won the golf bag**



**He's back after your money**



**The Ladies also won a prize**



**Mark Burmester receiving the 'matchbox'**



**BMW windbreaker winner: Brandon Barnard**



**Claude Wilson won 'Mikes' hamper**





Terry Dimatellis receiving his 15 year tie



Les Marais receiving his 20 year tie

50 shades of gray...!!!



Check Neighton's shoes...!!!

Great job on the trailer



Dave eating again...!!!





Three smart chaps



Albert giving it stick



**Away games report from Steve Twycross**

**Seaboard**

Pezula and Simola.

Monthly game at Knysna

9-11 August

**Botswana Nationals**

Gaberone Golf Club

12-15 September

**Southern Natal 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.**

Selbourne

27-29<sup>th</sup> September

**Swaziland Nationals**

Royal Swazi Golf Club

18-20<sup>th</sup> October

## **Australian National Tournament**

Magenta Shores.

25-27<sup>th</sup> October

## **South Easter**

St. Francis Links

16-17 November pending confirmation.

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## **Golforama**

### **Golforama report May 2019**

The winter tournaments (Winter Tour, as it is referred to) are in full swing. Local lad, Jake Redman (plays out of Fancourt), won his maiden tournament, the Lombard Insurance at Royal Swazi Spa Country Club the past weekend.

The partly confirmed tournament schedule has been sent to the coordinators. Southern Cape, subject to confirmation by the sponsors, will be hosting the Vodacom Origins Final at Simola from the 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> November 2019. I request all Nomads (especially those of Knysna and surrounds') to pencil this into your diary. I will be needing 11 Nomads for Thursday and Friday and 17 on Saturday. As soon as everything is final, I will firm up all the arrangements. This is a wonderful experience and a nice way to build some "gees" for you to give something back to golf and assist us in getting much needed funds from the Sunshine Tour for our effort. Importantly, the days spent doing Golforama duty count towards your National points, and you will have a blast along the way!

The next tournament is the Sun City Challenge, to be held at Sun City, from the 5<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Reminder, any member is welcome to go and assist the local Nomad club, contact me if you need help in making this possible.

**Leon Coetzee.**

