

# THE PURPLE NOMAD JANUARY 2017

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## BLOEMFONTEIN GOLF CLUB

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*WITH OUR FIRST GAME OF 2017, WE HAD THE HONOUR OF SPENDING THE WEEKEND WITH NATIONAL CHAIRMAN VIC HALL.*

*MR HALL WAS ALSO PART OF THE INAUGURATION OF THE FREE STATE NOMADS TROPHY CABINET AT SCHOEMAN PARK GOLF CLUB.*

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## MOST GOLF



WELL DONE TO RIAAN NEETHLING ON COLLECTING THE PINK HAT.

## PLAYING FOURBALL WINNERS



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WINNING FOURBALL JEAN KHOURI, DAVID WESSO, RIAAN BESTER AND RUDI BOTHA.

## DIVISION WINNERS



CONGRATULATIONS TO RUDI BOTHA (A), JOHAN TERBLANCHE (B) AND JOHN ANNANDALE (C) FOR WINNING THEIR RESPECTIVE DIVISIONS.

## WORST PLAYING FOURBALL (ALTAR BUNNIES)



OUR CONDOLENCES TO BASIE CRAUSE AND MARTIN PIENAAR, FOR HAVING TO PACK UP THE ALTAR BY THEMSELVES.

## BEST PLAYING PAIR



WELL DONE TO DAVID WESSO AND RUDI BOTHA, ON A SCORE OF 71 POINTS.

## CHAMPION OF THE DAY



CONGRATULATIONS TO RUDI BOTHA ON A SOLID 36 POINTER

## GLENBRYNTH WISKEY DRAW



CONGRATULATIONS TO MC PIENAAR, SENDY MATSEMELA AND BARNEY FOURIE ON WINNING THE WISKEY DRAW.

## NEAREST TO THE PINS



CONGRATULATIONS TO CHARLES VAN DER BLINK ON GETTING LUCKY.

## LONGEST DRIVES



WELL DONE TO OUR BIG HITTERS ON HITTING IT LONG AND KEEPING IT IN THE FAIRWAY. RUDI BOTHA (A), WESSEL MOSTERT (B) AND BENNY LINDEQUE (C)

## LONGEST PUTT



WELL DONE TO ALBERT NYOKONG ON SINKING A LONG ONE.

## SHORT HOLE AGGREGATE



WELL DONE TO FERDI WESSO ON WINNING THE GUESSING GAME.

## GLENBRYNTH WSKEY DRAW



WELL DONE TO ALBERT NYOKONG ON WINNING THE CAPTAINS DRAW AND A BOTTLE OF GLENBRYNTH SPECIAL RESERVE

# PHOTO GALLERY



NATIONAL CHAIRMAN VIC HALL WITH VICE CAPTAIN GERT VENTER, CAPTAIN JOE DE BEER, JUNIOR VICE CAPTAIN MOK LAZARO AND PREVIOUS CAPTAIN GARY LINDEQUE.



THE BOYS HAVING SOME FUN AT THE FUNCTION.



THE COMMITTEE AFTER OUR MEETING WITH MR HALL.



ANDRE RHEEDER DOING THE CUTTING OF THE RIBBON FOR OUR TROPHY CABINET.



READY FOR TEE-OFF. NATIONAL PRO ROBBIE FRANK, OOM NEELS BEZUIDENHOUT, NATIONAL CHAIRMAN VIC HALL AND CAPTAIN JOE DE BEER.



A SPECIAL OCCASION FOR OUT INDUCTEE RIAAN NEETHLING, BEING INDUCTED BY NATIONAL CHAIRMAN VIC HALL.

## **Captains Report**

**We opened our playing year in 2017 with a very special occasion. Our National Chairman and National PRO joined us for our first game of 2017 on 15 January @ Bloemfontein Golf Club and did we have 60 players in the field. The best turn-out in the last 2 years! Many thanks to all members who joined us!!**

**A total of 49 Free State Nomads were in the field, 7 guests and 2 prospective members. The scoring average for the day was 28,4 and The Champ of the day was Rudi Botha with a score of 36. Well done Ruds! Welcome to Riaan Neethling, as he was inducted by our Nation Chairman, Vic Hall. We also welcomed back a founder member, Kenny Williams, who will be inducted at our next game. Welcome back Swempet!**

**The night before our monthly game Vice Captain, Gert Venter had a dinner and dance as an Andrew Mentis Fund raising event. The night was well supported and we had a lot of fun. Our trophy cabinet was inaugurated by Founder member, Andre Rheeder and Vic Hall. It looks great and I would like to thank the committee in this regard for their support to make it happen.**

**I can report back to the club that Vic Hall and NATEX are happy in all aspects with the Free State Nomads Club. There are some minor issues that need to be handled to insure that we support our Sponsors wherever we can, but all in all Free State Nomads is growing and we are Healthy!!!**

**An initiative to sponsor clothes and Food to “Ons Kinderhuis” was well supported during the last few games. We still need Nomads to donate clothes and food. Get in contact with me or Gert so we can get as much as we can for ONS KINDERHUIS. Please support this initiative!! Gert will be in contact with Ons Kinderhuis and report back on a suitable date to do the handover.**

### **Sponsor of the day**

**Many thanks to FINSO, Nomad Joe de Beer for sponsoring our January Game. Jaco Gerber, a previous member is also involved in Finso and many thanks to him for the sponsorship.**

**Snacks was sponsored by Imperial. Thanks Hein Viljoen for increasing our monthly amount to accommodate the bigger field in January.**

**Our next game is on 12 February at Bloemfontein Golf Club. I would like to urge all Free State Nomads that have not played their 6 minimum games to play the last 3 games of the calendar year to make sure they meet the required quota.**

**In closing, I am proud to be the Captain of Free State Nomads. All members at the January game played a part in marketing our club as a Nomad Club in Good Standing! I was proud in presenting Free State Nomads to Vic Hall in the way we did, and I think we aced it!!!**

**Have a Good one**

## From the Match Secretary.....

Stats for 15<sup>th</sup> January @ Bloemfontein GC

Playing field;	60
Nomads:	49
Guests:	7
Visiting Nomads	2
Prospective	2
<b>Days Average Score: 28.4</b>	
<b>Handicapping (Samson system)</b>	
<b>Cut : 7</b>	
<b>No Change: 20</b>	
<b>Gained : 22</b>	

**This was probably the largest turn-out of Nomads that we have had in the last 2 years!**

**It was also very special to have the National Chairman, Vic Hall & National PRO, Robbie Frank, joining us in the Field!**

Welcome to Riaan Neethling, who was inducted with a Baptism of Fire, winning the Match Box! ,

Congratulations, Rudi, you were the Star of the day - 36 points off a 2 handicap!

Please remember our next Monthly Game will be on **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> February @ Bloemfontein GC**, for those of you who are wondering why we are playing 3 games in a row @ Bloemfontein, this is because; due to unforeseen we had to drop Ladybrand from the Playing Schedule for the time being.

### .Update on the membership:

Total Membership now stands at 79, with Riaan Neethling's induction

Our 2 Juniors are now prospective members and will be inducted soon!

**If you cannot make the Monthly Game, please remember to contact me ASAP, on Cell 082 570 1627 or e-mail on mbraam@worldonline .co.za**

*Margi*

F.S NOMADS GOLF CLUB PRIZE SHEET: MONTHLY GAME

PLAYED AT BLOEMFONTEIN GOLF CLUB ON THE 15th OF OCTOBER 2016

**MAIN SPONSOR OF THE DAY: FINSO – JACO GERBER & JOE DE BEER**

**ADDITIONAL SPONSORS: SA BREWERIES AND GLENBRYNTH WHISKEY**

**MOST GOLF**

Hcp   Pts

RIAAAN NEETHLING

8   21

**WINNER      DOUG WATSON TROPHY**

A   DIVISION

RUDI BOTHA

2   36

**WINNER      JOSS HAMILTON TROPHY**

B   DIVISION

JOHAN TERBLANCHE

11   36

**WINNER      ROEL GERMS TROPHY**

C   DIVISION

JOHN ANNANDALE

20   34

**OVER 55 (OLD TOPPIES)**

**SPONSOR: ANON**

**WINNER**

PIET BRITZ

15   33

**PLAYING 4 BALL              WINNERS**

RUDI BOTHA

JEAN KHOURI

37   132

DAVID WESSO

RIAAAN BESTER

**DRAWN 4 BALL              WINNERS**

JOHN ANNANDALE   CHARLES VAN DER BLINK 40

95

JEAN KHOURI      MOK LAZARO

**WORST PLAYING 4 BALL ( ALTAR BUNNIES)**

BASIE CRAUSE

MARTIN PIENAAR 40

95

ASAPH MOKOTJO

**BEST PLAYING PAIR**

RUDI BOTHA AND DAVID WESSO

17   65

**NOMADS CHAMPION OF THE DAY**

**SPONSOR : RIAAN AHRENS**

RUDI BOTHA 2 36

**NEAREST TO THE PINS**

**SPONSOR : GYS DIE SLAGTER – ALTUS BEESTON**

SVEN GREYLING – HOLE 4

CHALRES VAN DER BLINK – HOLE 16

**LONGEST DRIVES**

**SPONSOR: JONO VAN RENSBURG**

A – DIVISION: RUDI BOTHA

B – DIVISION: WESSEL MOSTERT

C – DIVISION: BENNY LINDEQUE

**LONGEST PUTT HOLE 13**

**SPONSOR: NICO GORDON**

ALBERT NYOKONG

**SHORT HOLE AGGREGATE**

**SPONSOR: RIAAN BESTER**

FERDI WESSO 73

**2CLUBS**

HENNIE LABUSCHAGNE – HOLE 4

BASIE CRAUSE – HOLE 8

RIAAN BESTER – HOLE 8

BARNEY FOURIE - HOLE 8

ALEC AHRENS – HOLE 11

JOE DE BEER – HOLE 11

RUDI BOTHA – HOLE 11

RALPH OLIVIER – HOLE 11

**EAGLES**