

# THE PURPLE NOMAD JULY 2017

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## BLOEMFONTEIN GOLF CLUB

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*OUR JULY GAME WAS WELL ATTENDED BY THE MEMBERS ALTHOUGH IT WAS A WHITE MORNING IN THE FREE STATE WINTER.*

*COVER STORY: NATIONAL CHAIRMAN RICHARD PLUMB VISITS OUR CLUB AND JOINS US FOR A GAME OF GOLF IN THE COLD.*

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## MOST GOLF



WELL DONE TO JOHN TERBLANCHE ON COLLECTING THE PINK HAT.

## PLAYING FOURBALL WINNERS



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WINNING FOURBALL JOHN ANNANDALE, MANNI OELRICH, FERDI WESSO AND ML VOSLOO. FERDI MIGHT HAVE A FUTURE IN PHOTOGRAPHY WITH THAT POSE.

## DIVISION WINNERS



CONGRATULATIONS TO RUDI BOTHA (A), BASIE CRAUSE (B) AND DE WET STEYN (C) FOR WINNING THEIR RESPECTIVE DIVISIONS.

## WORST PLAYING FOURBALL (ALTAR BUNNIES)



WELL DONE TO RIAAN AHRENS, PIERRE GOOSEN AND ARMIN DE JAGER ON EARNING AN OPPORTUNITY TO PACK UP THE ALTAR.

## BEST PLAYING PAIR



WELL DONE TO PULE MATJOA AND DE WET STEYN, ON A SCORE OF 71 POINTS.

## CHAMPION OF THE DAY



CONGRATULATIONS TO RUDI BOTHA ON A SOLID 38 POINTER.

## GLENBRYNTH WHISKEY DRAW



CONGRATULATIONS TO RUAN DU PLESSIS, GERT VENTER AND LOUIS LANGE ON WINNING THE WHISKEY DRAW.

## RUNNERS-UP



WELL DONE TO RICHARD PLUMB (A), MC PIENAAR (B) AND JOHN ANNANDALE FOR FINISHING SECOND IN THEIR RESPECTIVE DIVISIONS.

## OVER 55 (OLD TOPPIES)



CONGRATULATIONS TO BASIE CRAUSE ON WINNING THE OVER 55 CHALLENGE AND COLLECTING THE THROPHY ON BEHALF OF THE OLD TOPPIES.

## DRAWN FOURBALL WINNERS



WELL DONE TO NEELS BEZUIDENHOUT, DE WET STEYN AND JONO VAN RENSBURG (ptg)

## NEAREST TO THE PINS



WELL DONE TO AUBREY JOSIAH, RUDI BOTHA (X2) AND CHARLES VAN DER BLINK ON GETTING ONE CLOSE.



## LONGEST DRIVES



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR LONG HITTING BOYS RUDI BOTHA (A), STUART LEECH (B) AND PIERRE GOOSEN (C).

## LONGEST PUTT



CONGRATULATIONS TO DAVID WESSO ON HOLE-ING A LONG ONE.

## PHOTO GALLERY



RUAN DU PLESSIS WINNING THE SHORT HOLE AGGREGATE, GREAT GUESS RUAN.



CONGRATS TO MOK LAZARO ON WINNING THE GLENBRYNTH SPECIAL RESERVE WHISKEY.



INDUCTEE BERNU VAN DEN HEEVER AND GERT VENTER WINNING THE ATTENDANCE PRIZE.



JOHN ANNANDALE RECEIVING HIS 15 YEAR TIE FROM NATIONAL CHAIRMAN RICHARD PLUMB. WELL DONE JOHN!



A PRIVILEGE INDEED FOR BERNU VAN DEN HEEVER (ABOVE) AND SANDY MATSEMELA (BELOW) BEING INDUCTED INTO THE FREE STATE NOMADS BY THE NATIONAL CHAIRMAN RICHARD PLUMB. A DAY NEITHER OF THEM WILL FORGET.



## **Captains Report**

**Our July game was quite special occasion as our National Chairman joined us for our game on 23<sup>rd</sup> of July @ Bloemfontein Golf Club and did we have 47 players in the field.**

**A total of 38 Free State Nomads were in the field, 1 visiting Nomad, 3 prospective members and 2 juniors. The scoring average for the day was 30.1 and The Champ of the day was Rudi Botha with a score of 38. Well done Ruds!**

**Welcome to Bernu van den Heever and Sandy Matsemela, as they were inducted by our Nation Chairman, Richard Plumb.**

**I can report back to the club that Richard Plumb and NATEX are happy in all aspects with the Free State Nomads Club. Free State Nomads is growing and we are healthy!**

### **Sponsor of the day**

**Many thanks to Konica Minolta, Nomad David Wesso for sponsoring our July Game.**

**Snacks were sponsored by Imperial, thanks Hein Viljoen.**

**Our next game is on 12 August at Schoeman Park Golf Club. I would like to urge all Free State Nomads that have not played their 4 minimum games to play the last 4 games of the calendar year to make sure they meet the required quota.**

**Yours in Nomads**

**Gert Venter**

**Free State Nomads Captain 2017**

## *From the Match secretary..... July 2017*

There were 38 Nomads, 1 Visiting Nomad, 3 Prospective and 2 Juniors, in the playing field making a **Total of 47**. The average scores for the Day were as follows: **A Div. 29.0, B Div. 29.9, C Div. 29.5**. Average score for the Day was **30.1, this means only 8 Nomads will be cut, 22 no change & 8 will gain**.

**It was a very special occasion, and an honour for Free State Nomads to have our National Chairman, Richard Plumb visiting us! Welcome Richard, hope you enjoyed your brief sojourn in the Free State**

**What a coincidence it was!!!! the winning scores in all 3 Divisions was 38, A Div. – Rudi Botha, B Div. - Basie Crause and C Div.- De Wet Steyn!** At least our National Chairman Richard Plumb did not go home empty handed as he was Runner- Up in the A Division!

Special Thanks to Basie Crause who has offered to sponsor the Old Toppies prize for 2017! Basie, Free State Nomads really appreciate your generosity & commitment!

**Gary Player Knock Out**: The Gary Player Knock Out has kicked off and the 1<sup>st</sup> Round will be played in the Monthly Game on the 13<sup>th</sup> August 2 Schoeman Park.

Congratulations to John Annandale on receiving his 15 year tie!!! Well done John! Your 100 game badge is not so far off!!

### **Update on the membership:**

Congratulations to Sandy Matsemela & Bernu v/d Heever on their inductions this Month! Total Membership is now at 83 with 4 Prospective Members in the pipeline!

Nico Gordon, will be out for a while yet due to back problems. Nico, we wish you a speedy recovery, and hope to see you soon!

**The next Monthly Game, is at Schoeman Park on the 13<sup>th</sup> August 2017.**

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

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F.S NOMADS GOLF CLUB PRIZE SHEET: MONTHLY GAME  
PLAYED AT BLOEMFONTEIN GOLF CLUB ON THE 23<sup>rd</sup> OF JULY 2017

**MAIN SPONSOR OF THE DAY: KONICA MINOLTA – DAVID WESSO**

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

<u><b>MOST GOLF</b></u>		<u>Hcp</u>	<u>Pts</u>
JOHAN TERBLANCHE		9	21
<u><b>WINNER</b></u>	<u><b>DOUG WATSON TROPHY</b></u>		
A DIVISION			
RUDI BOTHA		1	37
<u><b>WINNER</b></u>	<u><b>JOSS HAMILTON TROPHY</b></u>		
B DIVISION			
BASIE CRAUSE		11	38
<u><b>WINNER</b></u>	<u><b>ROEL GERMS TROPHY</b></u>		
C DIVISION			
DE WET STEYN		22	38
<u><b>OVER 55 (OLD TOPPIES)</b></u>			
<u><b>SPONSOR: ANON</b></u>			
<u><b>WINNER</b></u>			
BASIE CRAUSE		11	38
<u><b>PLAYING 4 BALL</b></u>	<u><b>WINNERS</b></u>		
JOHN ANNANDALE	ML VOSLOO	35	128
MANNI OELRICH	FERDI WESSO		
<u><b>DRAWN 4 BALL</b></u>	<u><b>WINNERS</b></u>		
DE WET STEYN	NEELS BEZUIDENHOUT	73	125
JONO VAN RENSBURG			
<u><b>WORST PLAYING 4 BALL ( ALTAR BUNNIES)</b></u>			
RIAAN AHRENS	PIERRE GOOSEN	48	100
ARMIN DE JAGER			
<u><b>BEST PLAYING PAIR</b></u>			
PULE MATJOA AND DE WET STEYN		30	71

**NOMADS CHAMPION OF THE DAY**

**SPONSOR : RIAAN AHRENS**

RUDI BOTHA 1 37

**SHORT HOLE AGGREGATE**

**SPONSOR: RIAAN BESTER**

RUAN DU PLESSIS 54

**2CLUBS**

CHARLES VAN DER BLINK – HOLE 8

PULE MATJOA – HOLE 11

GIAN WESSELS – HOLE 11

**EAGLES**

AUBREY JOSIAH – HOLE 5

HENNIE LABUSCHAGNE - HOLE 15