

## OUR HOST: SCHOEMANPARK GOLFCLUB



### **NEW MEMBERS**

None

### **GUESTS**

Janco Labuschagne  
Etienne Jnr Herbst  
Jaco Lumley  
Louis Sutil  
Etienne Jnr Herbst  
Dudley Rossouw  
Hanjo Bester  
Jacques Taljaard  
Kevin Johnston  
Koos Bierman

### **PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS**

Charles Maree  
Andy Mafata  
Darryn Horak  
Patrick Van Schalkwyk



## **Membership Summary:**

<b>Category</b>	<b>Jan. 2018</b>	<b>Jan. 2019</b>	<b>Jan. 2020</b>	<b>Current</b>
Associate	11	11	7	9
Full	66	59	65	58
Honorary	3	3	3	3
Honorary Life	0	0	0	0
Non-Active	0	0	0	4
Non-Playing	4	3	2	3
Sponsor ( Local)	0	0	0	0
Sponsor( National)	1	2	1	1
Suspensive	1	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>78</b>

## **BIRTHDAYS FOR DESEMBER 2020:**

**01 Desember : Stephen Jacobs**

**02 Desember : De Wet Steyn**

**03 Desember : Tubby Jordaan**

**04 Desember : Henry Johnson**

**13 Desember : Manni Oelrich**

**31 Desember : Tony Halgreen**



### **Our Captain Johan Terblanche:**

Our last game of 2020. Never thought that we will be able to report on games this year, but thankfully we are able to play since the restrictions were lifted. With all the competitions – Gold Cup, Gary Player ect. being cancelled, this would have been a big day on our calendar. For those of you that won during the year everything is not lost as your points and wins carry over to next year. The 2021 competition will be fierce with more contenders.

I must thank Schoemanpark Golf Club for the condition of the course. Some of the best greens we have played on. With the good rains the rough was really difficult but I suppose you must just make use of the fairways as they were in an excellent condition. The club also

made their braai facilities available to us and our ladies prepared boeries for us which they braaiied themselves. Thank you Caren and Mellaney and to Riaan Ahrens, who sponsored it. My fourball for the day was Wilfred Machogo, Ike Heyns and Sendi Matsemela. This was Sendi's first game for the year as he was not willing to play because of Covid. What a comeback – 36 points and overall runner -up and winner of the over 55's. The same could not be said for Ike. He was the previous months winner on an exceptional 42 points and came in with 24 this time. The golfing gods have a dry sense of humour.

I want to thank JVC Benny Lindeque for inviting some of the players from Free State Disabled Golf to our game. Four of them showed up and they were immediately made to feel welcome by our members. One of the players, Koos Bierman, is a blind player and he brought another disabled golfer, Hanjo Bester, with him to help with his alignment.

According to our rules Koos was cut as a guest and had to play off a 20 handicap, ending the day with 27 points on the board. It must be mentioned that Hanjo drove all the way from Bethlehem to help his friend. For those of you not living in the Free State, that is 260 km one way. The two other players were Jaco Lumley and Dudley Rossouw. Thanks gentleman for joining us and you will always be welcome. For those of you that made less than 27 points – enough said.

Thank you to all the players who brought their wives to the prizegiving as Louis Lange, the sponsor of the day, roped in Luis Sutil to make espetada's. Luis was also the winner of the day on 38 points and as an old Nomad decided to rejoin us. Welcome back.

I personally experienced Nomads capture in that Peter Rogers asked me if he can be the fines master for the day, and as with state capture, I capitulated. It was one of the best fines meetings and it was obvious that Peter came well prepared. Be wary of a founding member walking around with a small notebook – it can cost you!

Our next game will only be at the end of January and I wish all of you a Merry Christmas. For all of those that will be traveling, please be safe on the roads and remember that we our not yet out of the Covid 19 pandemic.

Be safe

Johan Terblanche



**BIG THANK YOU TO OUR MAIN SPONSOR OF THE DAY:**  
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## PRIZESHEET: 29 November 2020

<b>Matchbox</b>		14	21	Charles Van Den Blink			
<b>Over 55 Winner</b>		19	36	Sendi Matsemela			
<b>Best Playing Pair</b>		29	69	Sendi Matsemela	Johan Terblanche		
<b>Best Playing four</b>		50	127	Henry Johnson	Johnny Moore	Kevin Johnston	Ralph Olivier
<b>Worst Playing four</b>		50	109	Roy De Freitas	Emiel Jonker	Jean Khouri	
<b>Best Drawn four</b>		55	131	Louis Sutil	Vaughn Healy	Hanjo Bester	
<b>Divisional Winners</b>	<b>A</b>	-3	35	Johan Mostert			
	<b>A</b>	6	35	Hennie Labuschagne			
<b>Divisional Winners</b>	<b>B</b>	14	38	Louis Sutil			
	<b>B</b>	14	34	Peter Rogers			
<b>Divisional Winners</b>	<b>C</b>	19	36	Sendi Matsemela			
	<b>C</b>	17	35	Leon Jordaan			



**Prizegiving pictures: December 2020**



*Uke Heyns and Benny Lindeque : 40 pointers at November game.*



*Some guys played more golf than others!!!*



*Winners and Runner-up*



*Best 4-ball players of the day. Well done gents!*

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*Best playing pair: Johan Ferblanche and Sandy Motsemela. (Apology)*





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## Golforama: Joe De Beer & Riaan Bester

The Alfred Dunhill Championship was held at the beautiful Leopard Creek Golfclub in Malelane; a stone throw from the Kruger National Park. Because of Covid-19 the amount of tournaments held in South Africa are very limited, but Free State Nomads had the privilege to send 2 representatives to the Alfred Dunhill Championship: Joe De Beer and Riaan Bester.



Just to give some background to the new Nomads of what Golforama embrace: Golforama is a patent purchased by CNA in 1963 for the exclusive use of Nomads. It is the name of the scoring system cleverly devised by Nomads to facilitate "real-time" scoring at professional and other events in Southern Africa sanctioned by the South African Golf Association, Sunshine Tour and European Tour Events.

The system relies on volunteers from Nomads giving up their time to assist at tournaments by operating electronic equipment supplied by the Sunshine Tour organisers to record player's scores at each of the 18 holes. These electronically recorded scores are transmitted to a central control point operated by Nomads and in turn disseminated to the main scoreboard as well as various scoreboards around the course for "live" spectator updates. In addition to the manpower in the control room, scoreboard operators and greenside recorders the club also provides roving reporters who follow the leading 10 groups recording statistics and scores for television viewers assisting with the promotion of golf as a spectator sport. Although as Nomads we volunteer our time to ensure the success of Golforama, Nomads South Africa is compensated for the service and the proceeds of the money is expended on projects for the furtherance of golf.







*Free State Nomads supporting junior golf*



*The Purple Team  
preparing Boeries at  
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Girls!!!*



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