

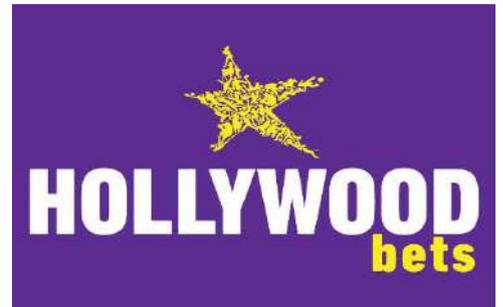
SCHOEMAN PARK GOLF CLUB

3 November 2024



3 Prospective
and 3 guests for
our November
game

Another great day thanks to our national sponsors:



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And our national partners:



FREE STATE NOMADS COMMITTEE – 2024/25

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It would be much appreciated if you contact the appropriate committee member for the relevant enquiry/query.

MEMBERSHIP SUMMARY

Category	Jan. 2022	Jan. 2023	Jan. 2024	Current
Associate	10	9	9	10
Full	62	56	69	69
Honorary	3	3	3	4
Honorary Life	0	0	0	0
Non-Active	4	0	0	0
Non-Playing	3	4	3	3
Sponsor (Local)	1	1	0	0
Sponsor(National)	1	1	1	0
Total	83	74	85	86

PROSPECTIVES

Leon Els

Wessel Smit

Udo Lange

Xavier Lange

Lean Uys

Alrico Bester

JC van den Berg

BIRTHDAYS FOR Nov & Dec 2024:

11 Nov: Pieter Maartens
18 Nov: Tjokkie Roux
23 Nov: Anton Coetzee
29 Nov: Francois Lessingh
30 Nov: Charles vd Blink



1 Dec: Stephen Jacobs
2 Dec: Armand Nel
13 Dec: Manni Oelrich
14 Dec: Henry Johnson
28 Dec: Gino de Crescenzo
31 Dec: Tony Halgreen

FROM THE CAPTAIN'S PEN



My Fellow Nomads

Firstly, a big thank you for Benny Lindeque (The Past Captain) for taking the reigns at Dewetsdorp while 8 of us were in Eswatini for the Swazi Nationals.

A special thanks to all players who joined me, some of us definitely enjoyed it more than others.

Louis, Riaan, Henry, Mok, Emiel, Bernu, Neels.

A special thanks to Neels for all the arrangements.

Back to the November game.

The weather definitely played its part!

Weather report stated that it would rain after 14h00 and as we know it is always wrong.

I really don't know where Rudi gets the saying "It never rains on a golf course"!!

Early rain and lighting meant a long halfway stop to refresh the thirst. It helped some and obviously not others. It definitely showed, as the highest score was only 37 or to most players, they will have an excuse that they were cut after the previous game 😊.

A big thank you to **VODACOM** for the sponsor of the game and **Bloem Marble & Granite** for the snacks at prize giving. Thank you to all our **National** and **Local** Sponsors for your continued support. It is very much appreciated.

Hope to see you all at our **Gold Cup game**, which will be on **24 November 2024** at **Schoeman Park**. We are honored to have our National Chairman, **Peter Runkel** visiting us on our Gold Cup game.

Hopefully, he can do better than the past Chairmans who have not done particularly well at our inland courses.

See you on 24 November.

Have a good one!

Nomad Greetings

Charles van den Blink

OUR SILVER DREAM MACHINE

Mellaney Hanton & Caren Bester

Guys, only one whiskey ticket per entry

Julle Nomads kan darem maar kansse vat



PLAYER STATISTICS	
Description	Count
Nomads	56
Visiting Nomads	0
Guests	3
Prospectives	3
TOTAL	62

NOMADS SCORING STATISTICS			
Cut	No Change	Gained	Ave Score
12	23	21	29,0

Whiskey & Milk Table

Introducing Policing:
Elsie Young, (The friendly policing lady)

I might need an investigator like Danie Liebenberg to come and assist.



Spicy Tamarind Table

Introducing: Lime & Sprite mix
Thank you for the initiative, Ladies



Main Sponsors of the day:



We at Vodacentre would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to Nomads Free State for the opportunity to be a sponsor on November 3, 2024. We're honored to support you and look forward to continuing to help improve your business with our range of services.

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For more information, please reach out to Pieter Maartens at 082 574 3115.

Thank you once again for this valued partnership.



Sponsor of Prize giving snacks: Bloem Marble & Granite



Guests	Prospective members	Visitors
Frikkie Janse van Rensburg	Alrico Bester	None
Rudi Gerber	Wessel Smit	
Ashley Schmidt	JC van den Berg	

INDUCTIONS & MILESTONES/ACHIEVEMENTS: None

PRIZE SHEET: 3 November 2024

Matchbox		9	18	Lerato Mosia			
Over 55 Winner		18	37	Leon Jordaan			
Playing 4-ball Winners		53	128	Cronje Ferreira	Joe de Beer	Coenie Beukes	Pieter Maartens
Drawn 4-ball Winners		65	136	Leon Jordaan	Neels Bezuidenhout	John Annandale	Moeketsi Machogo
Worst Playing 4-ball		33	103	Rudi Gerber	Wessel Mostert	Brendan York	Stuart Leech
Playing Pair Winners		25	71	Marius Kingsley		Alrico Bester	
Divisional Winner	A	4	36	Cronje Ferreira			
Runner-up	A	9	33	MC Pienaar			
Divisional Winner	B	14	37	Marius Kingsley			
Runner-up	B	11	34	Wessel Mostert			
Divisional Winner	C	18	37	Leon Jordaan			
Runner-up	C	16	36	Charles van den Blink			

Champion of the Day: Marius Kingsley (Sponsor: Bloem Marble & Granite)



Prize Giving: 3 November 2024

THE CAPTAIN: Charles van den Blink



Heavy Bulb

THE CREED: Johan Terblanche



**The Terror, Oupa Namaqua
Ha, ha. The Terror is terrified !!!!!**

THE JUDGE: Joe de Beer

You want to take a picture of my what???



Porn Star

PRIZE WINNING Wesel Mostert (VC)



Big Wes

Wes, I'm not part of your 4-ball

Apology. He can only be at one of two places. He is either looking for all the balls lost on the course or busy practicing at his driving range at Tempe



WORST PLAYING 4-BALL: Altar bunnies
Rudi Gerber, Brendan York, Wesel Mostert, Stuart Leach (Apology)

MOST GOLF: Lerato Mosia (Apology)

No John!! Don't push your luck. Your fly is open.



Slakkie, het jy my prys gevat?

DRAWN 4-BALL WINNERS



Neels Bezuidenhout, Leon Jordaan, Moeketsi Machogo, John Annandale

PLAYING 4-BALL WINNERS



Cronje Ferreira, Pieter Maartens, Coenie Beukes, Joe de Beer

DIVISION WINNERS

Enjoy your 2 handicap, Cronje



B-Division: Marius Kingsley (37)
A-Division: Cronje Ferreira (36)
C-Division: Leon Jordaan (37)

DIVISIONS RUNNER-UP



A-Division: MC Pienaar (33)
C-Division: Charles van den Blink (36)
B-Division: Wessel Mostert (34)

In die land van die blindes, is een oog koning



WINNER OVER 55
 Leon Jordaan



HERMAN BRAAM TROPHY
 (Lincon Construction Challenge:
 Ou Toppies 30,94) vs Young Guns 28,28)
Winner: Old Toppies

Apology. He is having a talk with his wife about policing the Whiskey & Milk Table

LONGEST PUTT – 13th
 Stef Young (Apology)

Aag Asseblief!!!

Die mooiste 2 Nomads

Gorilla Cartstens



BEST PLAYING PAIR:

Marius Kingsley
Alrico Bester

NEAREST TO THE PINS:

(Sponsor: Tax Lab)
Anton van Ee (17th)
Alrico Bester (14th)
Johan Terblanche (8th)
Domoknees van der Merwe (6th)

LONGEST DRIVES (2nd):

A-Division – ML Vosloo (Apology)
B-Division – Gerdie (Gorilla) Carstens
C-Division – Kalfie van den Hever

LUCKY DRAWS

SHORT HOLE AGGREGATE (9th)



(Sponsor: Auto Tech)
Henk van Niekerk

WHISKEY & VODKA & CAPTAIN'S DRAW



Show your teeth Mok

Mok Lazaro, Brandon Lindeque, Andrew (Chip & Dip) Murray,
Moektsi Machogo

JOKER DRAW- NOT WON – CARRY OVER: R4830

Steven Milton & Henk van Niekerk

No more red fives!!!



ATTENDANCE PRIZE

One must have
a fall to win this
prize

Hulle het seker
vallende siekte



Steven (Swem & Val) Milton, Bernu (Stort & Val) van den Heever

OTHER RESULTS

Pick 3: A: 36, B: 37, C: 37 - Not won – Carry over R1 087

Two Clubs: Basie Crause (6th), Charles van den Blink (6th), Moeketsi Machogo (8th & 14th)

Eagles: None

Hole-in-Ones: None

Average of the day: 29,0



REMAINING FIXTURES FOR 2024

EVENT	GOLF COURSE	DATES
Monthly Game	Schoeman Park (Gold Cup)	24 Nov

UPCOMING OTHER EVENTS FOR 2024

EVENT	DATE	TIME	VENUE
Donkey Derby	Friday, 22 Nov	17h30 for 18h00	Lochs Hoek, Kloofeind

EVENTS FOR 2025

EVENT	GOLF COURSE	DATES	STATUS
New Zealand Nationals (Queenstown Tour)	Queenstown, Millbrook Remarkables, Millbrook Coronet, Jacks Point	28 - 31 March 25	Entry forms available, Closing date for entries tbc
60th Nomads SA Nationals	Hermanus Golf Club	16 – 20 Mar 25	Entry forms sent out – Cut-off date for payment – 30 Nov
42 nd Zimbabwe Nationals	TBA	30 Apr–3 May	Awaiting details
2 nd UK Nationals (Kernou Nationals)	St Million Resort & Spa, Cornwall	11 – 12 Jul 25	Entry forms to be sent out on 24 Sep 2024
4 th Zambia Nationals	TBA	17 – 19 Jul 25	Awaiting details
23 rd Botswana Nationals	TBA	18 – 21 Sep 25	Awaiting details
9 th Swazi Nationals	TBA	16 – 18 Oct 25	Awaiting details
15 th Australian Nomads Nationals	TBA	24 – 26 Oct 25	Awaiting details

NEXT NOMADS GAME:

Schoeman Park Golf Club – Sunday 24 November 2024

National Chairman Visiting





THE TIGER (Halloween is Tuesday. You scare the kids)
Now you see himNow you don't



14th AUSTRALIAN NOMADS NATIONALS 2025

The Kooralbyn Valley Golf Course, Queensland



Well done Louis. 19 Points off a 16 handicap. Will be a nice memorabilia in your bar.

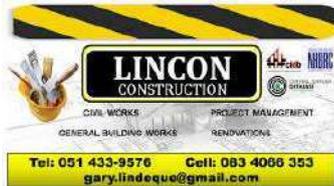
Let's get the logic straight. If **Slakkie** would have played in the same tournament and made 0 points off a 21 handicap, I would have beaten him by **5 shots**. Then he would have got the crying towel. Right????

Does it make sense? **NO!!!**

Louis, how many SA Match Boxes did you win as yet?



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