

PATERSON GOLF CLUB MONTHLY NEWS

KING PARROT MINUTES



Pictured | Early morning light over the 2nd fairway.

JANUARY 2022

Welcome to Volume 2 of the King Parrot Minutes as we celebrate 12 months of publications.

January kicked off in great fashion with our 2022 calendar launching & perfect Summer weather to welcome in the year.

Our Pennants season has also commenced with opening matches being completed over the weekend. Best of luck to all grades for their respective seasons.

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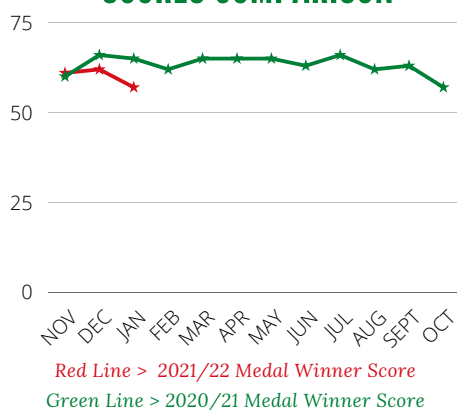
MONTHLY MEDAL WINNER - JANUARY

Congratulations to **Robert Walker** for claiming the **January Monthly Medal** with an impressive 57 Nett.

Robert claimed the medal over Greg Sainsbury who also put together a highly competitive score of 59 Nett.

Our next Monthly Medal is scheduled for Saturday 5th February.

MONTHLY MEDAL SEASONAL SCORES COMPARISON



MONTHLY COMMITTEE MEETING

Our first committee meeting of 2022 is scheduled for Tuesday 15th February starting from 7:30pm at the Clubhouse.

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JANUARY 2022 MONTHLY MEDAL WINNER

JANUARY 8TH, 2022
ROBERT WALKER
NETT 57

WHAT'S ON | FEBRUARY

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|---------------------|--|--|---|
| FEBRUARY SCHEDULE | MONDAYS | TUESDAYS | |
| | WEEKLY LADIES COMPETITION 7TH, 14TH, 21ST & 28TH | WEEKLY VETERANS COMPETITION 1ST, 8TH, 15TH, 22ND & 29TH | |
| | WEDNESDAYS | THURSDAYS | FRIDAYS |
| | SOCIAL GOLF ALL DAY 2ND, 9TH, 16TH & 23RD | WEEKLY LADIES COMPETITION 3RD, 10TH, 17TH, & 24TH | SOCIAL GOLF ALL DAY 4TH, 11TH, 18TH & 25TH |
| | SATURDAYS | SUNDAYS | NOTES |
| | WEEKLY COMPETITION 5TH STROKE 12TH STABLEFORD & 3RD RD SKINS 19TH STABLEFORD & 4TH RD SKINS 26TH STABLEFORD & 2BBB | SOCIAL GOLF ALL DAY 6TH, 13TH, 20TH* & 27TH* | HRDGA PENNANTS HOSTED BY PATERSON GC NO SOCIAL GOLF UNTIL 12PM |

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE



Pictured | Our latest machinery purchase arrived throughout January.

CLUBHOUSE UPDATE

with Paterson GC Committee

Our new John Deere tractor arrived early in the month which will prove to be a useful resource across the course. The upgraded tractor will assist with a variety of functions which are critical to the overall upkeep.

The majority of works throughout January revolved around maintaining the course with perfect growing conditions leaving many golfers noting the heavy rough which has made finding stray shots difficult. Thanks to our team of volunteers & Friday Crew who have assisted with the workload.

Paterson Golf Club also wishes to extend a sincere thanks to the BARGRE golfers for their generous donation to the club.

UNDER PAR COUNT

Throughout January Saturday Open or equivalent Competitions, 170 rounds have been lodged with players scoring 79 birdies or better. Darren Eggar (6 HCP) rolled in the most birdies throughout the month with a total of 7 including 4 on the 15th of January.

2nd Jan | 10 birdies

8th Jan | 17 birdies

15th Jan | 19 birdies

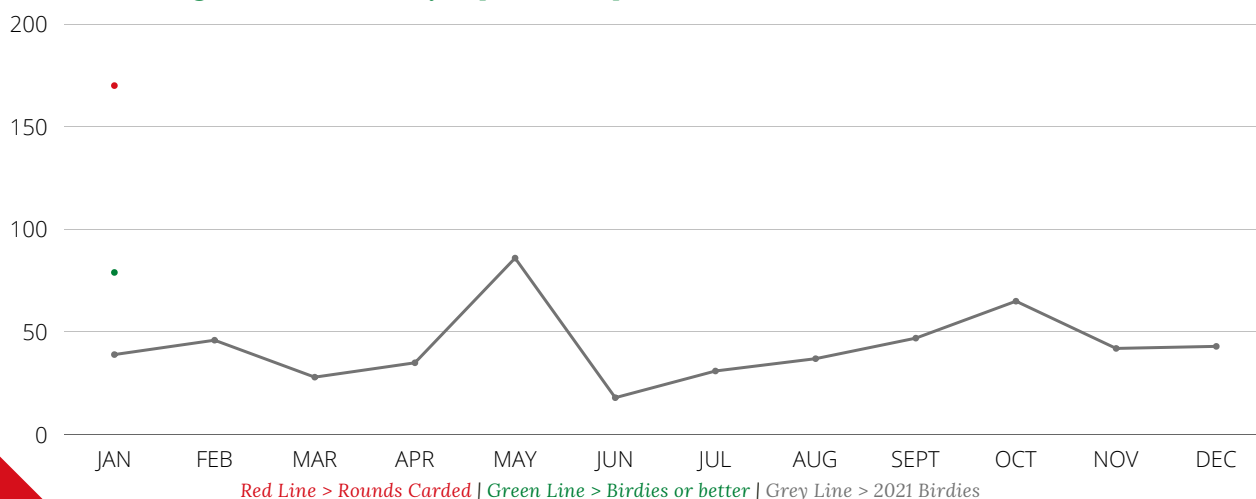
22nd Jan | 17 birdies

29th Jan | 16 birdies

Eagles Nest | 5 balls lie waiting in the nest for the next player to score an eagle in the weekly Open Competition.



Pictured | Darren Eggar





Pictured | Greg Kellner (l) & Larry Castle (r) following the Last Man Standing Event on January 29th.

JANUARY RESULTS OPEN COMPETITIONS

2nd January (Stableford)

Winner - Robert Richardson (37 Points)

8th January (Stroke & Monthly Medal)

Division 1 - Robert Walker (57 Nett) 🏆

Division 2 - Greg Sainsbury (59 Nett)

15th January (Stableford)

Division 1 - Darren Egar (38 Points)

Division 2 - Phillip Watson (40 Points)

22nd January (Stableford & 2BBB)

Division 1 - Stephen Watson (42 Points)

Division 2 - Adele Curry (41 Points)

2BBB Winners - Stephen & Phillip Watson (49 Points)

29th January (Stableford & Last Man Standing)

Winner - Greg Kellner (36 Points)

Runner Up - Larry Castle (39 Points)

JANUARY RESULTS VETERANS

4th January (Stableford)

Winner - Larry Castle (39 Points)

11th January (Stableford)

Winner - Greg Barry (36 Points)

18th January (Stroke & Monthly Medal)

Winner - Joseph Jackson (62 Nett) 🏆

25th January (Stableford)

Winner - Stuart Heathwood (38 Points)

PATERSON CUP JAN > MAR

The Paterson Cup has restarted for season 2022 with the first quarter underway. All Paterson Golf Club

Members are eligible to participate with points available for weekly Open Competitions. Stephen Watson takes the lead after 5 rounds of play with a total of 169 points.

JANUARY RESULTS LADIES

13th January (Stableford)

Winner - Susan Radford (28 Points)

PATERSON CUP STANDINGS



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1. STEPHEN WATSON 169
2. PHILLIP WATSON 161
3. DARREN EGAR 155
4. ROBERT RICHARDSON 143
5. GREG SAINSBURY 133

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JANUARY | FEBRUARY | MARCH



2022 HRDGA PENNANTS
PATERSON GOLF CLUB
RESULTS



Hunter River
DISTRICT GOLF ASSOCIATION

RD 1
SUN 30
JAN

B-GRADE v ABERDEEN @ PATERSON
WON | 4-1

C-GRADE v MAITLAND @ KURRI
DRAW | 2.5-2.5

SENIORS DIVISION B v CYPRESS LAKES @ MAITLAND
LOST | 2-1

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PENNANTS SCHEDULE C-GRADE

5th Feb v Hunter Valley @ Scone
13th Feb v Branxton @ Maitland
20th Feb v Kurri @ Singleton
27th Feb v Scone @ Paterson
6th Mar v Singleton @ Branxton
13th Mar v Muswellbrook @ Muswellbrook

PENNANTS SCHEDULE B-GRADE

5th Feb v Kurri @ Aberdeen
20th Feb v Maitland @ Branxton
27th Feb v Branxton @ Maitland
6th Mar v Muswellbrook @ Muswellbrook
13th Mar v Scone @ Paterson
20th Mar v Singleton @ Scone

PENNANTS RESULTS SENIORS DIVISION B

5th Feb v Singleton @ Kurri
13th Feb v Maitland @ Singleton
20th Feb v Bye @ Paterson
27th Feb v Aberdeen @ Cypress Lakes
6th Mar v Dungog @ Aberdeen
13th Mar v Kurri @ Dungog

B-GRADE (8 TEAM COMPETITION)
EQUAL 1ST | 2 POINTS

C-GRADE (7 TEAM COMPETITION)
EQUAL 4TH | 1 POINT

SENIORS DIVISION B (7 TEAM COMPETITION)
EQUAL 4TH | 0 POINTS

THANK YOU!

A special thanks to Adele Curry for assisting with food & drink sales as Paterson GC hosted the 1st Round of HRDGA Pennants on Sunday 30th January. Also, thank you to David Singles for mowing the greens & to former member Paul Monaghan for lending a hand to mow the heavy rough prior to play. The event ran smoothly with great feedback from all clubs complimenting the condition of the course.

STABLEFORD SKINS LEADERBOARD AFTER ROUND 2



DIVISION 1 | (TOP 1-4)

1ST | STEPHEN WATSON 72 PTS, 2ND | JAMES COWLED 68 PTS
3RD | DARREN EGAR 66 PTS, 4TH | GREG SCOTT 66 PTS

DIVISION 2 | (TOP 5-8)

5TH | GRAEME VALENTINE 66 PTS, 6TH | ALLAN MCKINNON 63 PTS
7TH | GREG SAINSBURY 62 PTS, 8TH | RAMSEY VANE-WOOD 60 PTS

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STABLEFORD SKINS IS UNDERWAY

The 2022 edition of Stableford Skins has kicked off with 2 Rounds completed throughout January. Stephen Watson leads Division 1 with 72 Points & Graeme Valentine holds top spot in Division 2 with 66 Points.

Skins continues throughout February with further points available on February 12th & 19th.

Visit our [website](http://www.patersongolfclub.com) for the full leader board.



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**STABLEFORD
SKINS**

**\$25 ENTRY FEE
\$430 TO BE WON!**

BEST 3 INDIVIDUAL
AGGREGATE SCORES
COUNT OVER
ROUNDS 1-5

1ST ROUND | SATURDAY 15TH JANUARY
2ND ROUND | SATURDAY 22ND JANUARY
3RD ROUND | SATURDAY 12TH FEBRUARY
4TH ROUND | SATURDAY 19TH FEBRUARY
5TH ROUND | SATURDAY 12TH MARCH
FINAL ROUND | SATURDAY 19TH MARCH

**TOP 8 PLAYERS SPLIT INTO 2 DIVISIONS FOR
PLAY OFF IN FINAL ROUND FOR \$**



2021 MATCH PLAY CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

2021

SINGLE MATCH PLAY CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP | PATERSON



| Round of 32 – 1 st Tee Played by: 19 th FEB | | | Round of 16 – 1 st Tee Played by: 5 th MAR | | Quarter-Finals – 1 st Tee Played by: 26 th MAR | | Semi-Finals – 1 st Tee Played by: 10 th APR | | Final – 1 st Tee 24 th APR | | Matchplay Club Champion |
|--|----------|-------------------------------------|---|------------------|---|----------------|--|----------------|---|----------------|----------------------------|
| 16 | 1 32 | MICHAEL SHANLEY BYE | 8 | MICHAEL SHANLEY | 4 | Winner & Score | Time 2 | Winner & Score | Time | Winner & Score | |
| 15 | 16 17 | NICK HOWELL BRIAN MOWLE | | | | | | | | | |
| 14 | 8 25 | GRAEME VALENTINE BYE | | 7 | | | | | | | |
| 13 | 9 24 | PETER GRIFFIN BYE | | PETER GRIFFIN | | | | | | | |
| 12 | 4 29 | BRIAN WRIGHT BYE | 6 | BRIAN WRIGHT | 3 | Winner & Score | | | | | |
| 11 | 13 20 | MICHAEL DOBOSZ GREG KELLNER | | | | | | | | | |
| T10 | 5 28 | JAMES COWLED BYE | | 5 | | | JAMES COWLED | | | | |
| 9 | 12 21 | DAVID SINGLES BYE | | DAVID SINGLES | | | | | | Winner & Score | |
| 8 | 2 31 | RAMSEY VANE-WOOD BYE | 4 | RAMSEY VANE-WOOD | 2 | Winner & Score | | | | | |
| 7 | 15 18 | DARREN EGAR PHILLIP WATSON | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 7 26 | RIGBY VANE-WOOD BYE | | 3 | | | RIGBY VANE-WOOD | | | | |
| 5 | 10 23 | PAUL LANGLEY STUART HEATHWOOD | | | | | Time 1 | Winner & Score | | | |
| 4 | 3 30 | EDWIN ORCHARD BYE | 2 | EDWIN ORCHARD | 1 | Winner & Score | | | | | |
| 3 | 14 19 | WAYNE STEDMAN ROBERT WALKER | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 6 27 | STEPHEN WATSON BYE | | 1 | | | STEPHEN WATSON | | | | |
| 1 | 11 22 | DENIS CROSSMAN ROBERT RICHARDSON | | | | | | | | | |

Our rescheduled 2021 Match Play Club Championships are set to commence throughout February, culminating with the Final in late April. 22 Players have opted into the Championships with the draw available via the [website](#). Players involved need to coordinate their respective fixtures within the timelines noted. If you have any issues scheduling your match please discuss with Club Captain, Ramsey Vane-Wood.

Best of luck to all Players!

ACE ALERT!

Congratulations to Mal Olsen who claimed an ace on Tuesday 18th January during the Veterans Stroke & Monthly Medal event.

Mal scored the hole in one from the Paterson Golf Club's signature hole off the back tees on the 14th.





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HOLE IN ONE



CONGRATULATIONS TO MAL OLSEN!

14TH HOLE | TUESDAY 18TH JANUARY, 2022

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HOW TO HIT IT SOLID – AND GET THE DISTANCE RIGHT

via [Australian Golf Digest](#)

When tour players drive the ball in the rough, they can usually still get it to the green. But that changes at most US Opens, where deep rough often requires hacking out after a bad drive, leaving a wedge in. And when those wedge shots are 40, 50, 60 yards, even the pros don't like them.

The secret to playing a half-wedge is committing to the hit. I see a lot of players make a long backswing, and then quit on it at impact. Or they try to baby it and end up in a front bunker. Instead, make a shorter backswing that will prompt you to accelerate through the ball, which improves contact and distance control.

Start with the ball in the centre of your stance and your weight 60-40 on your front foot. Then make that shorter backswing and put a firm strike on the ball, keeping up your speed to the finish. Let your lower body turn through the shot – don't freeze your legs and steer the club with your hands and arms. Your body should move like it does on a full swing, just on a smaller scale.

One last thought: return the loft. Whatever your clubface looks like at address, return the same amount of loft at impact. No chopping down on it, and no flipping your hands to try to get the ball up. Returning the loft is a great image for these little wedges. – with Peter Morrice



ONLINE TEE TIME BOOKINGS

Saturday / Open Competition &
Major Event tee time bookings
via the online portal:
<http://120.150.189.119/golf/>



SOCIAL GOLF SCHEDULE

Social golf is available every day.
Enjoy 9 or 18 holes at Paterson Golf Club.

Members & Juniors \$5
Visitors only \$15!

No bookings required. Please plan
your visit around our weekly
competitions & check our website
calendar for any events.
Don't forget to pay upon your arrival
via either Direct Deposit or cash
deposit into our honesty box.

PATERSON GOLF CLUB

2022 KEY EVENTS

2-PERSON AMBROSE CHAMPIONSHIPS
MAY
1st Round | Saturday 21st May
2nd Round | Saturday 28th May

**BOB MURPHY CUP
(2BBB STABLEFORD)**
JUNE
1st Round | Saturday 18th June
2nd Round | Saturday 25th June

STABLEFORD LAST MAN STANDING
JANUARY, AUGUST & NOVEMBER
Saturday 29th January
Saturday 27th August
Saturday 26th November

2022 PATERSON OPEN
SEPTEMBER
Sunday 18th September

2022 MALE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS
OCTOBER
1st Round | Saturday 8th October
2nd Round | Saturday 15th October
Final Round | Saturday 22nd October

STABLEFORD SKINS
JANUARY > MARCH
1st Round | Saturday 15th January
2nd Round | Saturday 22nd January
3rd Round | Saturday 12th February
4th Round | Saturday 19th February
5th Round | Saturday 12th March
Final Round | Saturday 19th March

SINGLES MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIPS
JULY > SEPTEMBER
1st Round | Saturday 9th July
2nd Round | Saturday 30th July
Quarter Finals | Saturday 20th August
Semi Finals | Saturday 10th September
Final | Saturday 24th September

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SOCIAL GOLF AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

NO BOOKINGS
REQUIRED

MONDAYS | 11:30AM ONWARDS

TUESDAYS | 11:30AM ONWARDS

WEDNESDAYS | ALL DAY

THURSDAYS | 11:30AM ONWARDS

FRIDAYS | ALL DAY

SATURDAYS | 11:30AM ONWARDS

SUNDAYS | ALL DAY

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VISITORS > \$15

MEMBERS > \$5

JUNIORS > \$5