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Pictured | Across the 7th green with some locals enjoying the afternoon shade.

2023 FEBRUARY

February was another great month at Paterson Golf Club with warm summer weather & the odd drop of rain leaving the course looking exceptional.

Paterson Golf Club also welcomes our newly joined members who have taken advantage of our <u>Pro-Rata Membership</u> offer throughout January & February. Pro-Rata rates apply through until our next membership cycle commences from July.

March will continue to be a busy month with biannual course renovations taking place in addition to the HRDGA Pennants competitions approaching the pointy end of their respective seasons.

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MONTHLY COMMITTEE MEETING

The next committee meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday 21st March** starting from 7:30pm at the Clubhouse.







MONTHLY MEDAL WINNER - FEBRUARY

Congratulations to **Darren Egar** for claiming the **February Monthly Medal** with **63 Nett** including a birdie on the 15th.

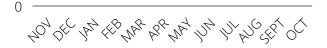
Darren claimed the medal over Rigby Vane-Wood who also carded a 63 Nett via the countback method.

Our next **Monthly Medal** is scheduled for **Saturday 4th March**.

MONTHLY MEDAL SEASONAL SCORES COMPARISON



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Each **Monthly Medal** winner throughout the **2022/23 Season** automatically qualifies for the annual **Tom Goodman Trophy** held during the Final Round of the 2023 Club Championships.

The player who shoots the lowest nett round during the Final Round of Club Championships is declared the Tom Goodman Trophy winner for the season.



TOM GOODMAN TROPHY MEDAL PLAY-OFF QUALIFIERS







Pictured | The 1st green being cut to 4.5mm in preparation for competition play.

CLUBHOUSE UPDATE

with Paterson GC Committee

Our <u>HRDGA Pennants</u> teams have continued to represent the club throughout February with all teams performing well so far.

Paterson Golf Club has also had the opportunity to host both B-Grade & Seniors to showcase the course & inject additional revenue; C-Grade plays host in early March. Thanks to the volunteers who assisted in preparing the course & also operated our food & beverage throughout both weekends.

<u>Pro-Rata Memberships</u> have continued to filter through which has boosted our membership base through until June & hopefully these new members can be converted into returning annual members in the next membership cycle.

Our annual course renovations are scheduled for **Wednesday 15th March**, volunteers are needed to assist with this process. If you are available during the morning, please let Wayne Stedman, Brian Mowle or David Singles know.

UNDER PAR COUNT

Throughout the February Saturday Competitions 107 rounds were lodged, with players scoring a total of 56 birdies or better. Ramsey Vane-Wood (7) rolled in 8 birdies to lead the count for the month.

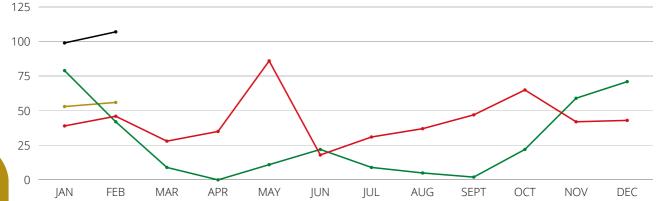
The 1st hole was most favourable amongst players with 8 birdies being scored. The par 3 seventh was also a happy hunting ground, with 7 birdies converted. The 3rd was the only hole where a birdie wasn't scored, however, the 4th, 9th, 10th, 12th, 13th, 16th & 18th also proved challenging with only a singular birdie being recorded respectively.

4th Feb | 12 birdies **11th Feb** | 16 birdies **18th Feb** | 11 birdies **25th Feb** | 17 birdies

Eagles Nest | 10 balls sit in the nest with no eagles throughout February.



Pictured | February birdie leader, Ramsey Vane-Wood



■ 2023 Birdies ■ 2023 Rounds ■ 2022 Birdies ■ 2021 Birdies





Pictured | Paull Bennetts (l) & Clinton Bridge (r) following their impressive stableford scores on February 11th.

PATERSON CUP RANKINGS 1. RIGBY VANE-WOOD 178 2. DENIS CROSSMAN 172 3. STEPHEN WATSON 165 4. ROBERT RICHARDSON 157 5. BRIAN MOWLE 151 WWW.PATERSONGOLFCLUB.COM

FEBRUARY RESULTS OPEN COMPETITIONS

4th February (Stroke)

Div 1 Winner - Darren Egar (63 Nett) Y Div 2 Winner - Stephen Pilgrim (65 Nett)

11th February (Stableford)

Winner - Paul Bennetts (44 Points) Runner Up - Clinton Bridge (40 Points)

18th February (Stableford)

Div 1 Winner - Graeme Valentine (41 Points) Div 2 Winner - Denis Crossman (39 Points)

25th February (Stableford)

Div 1 Winner - Allan Mckinnon (37 Points) Div 2 Winner - Phillip Watson (39 Points) 2BBB Winners - Stephen & Phillip Watson (49 Points)

FEBRUARY RESULTS VETERANS COMPETITIONS

7th February (Stableford)

Winner - Stuart Heathwood (43 Points) Runner Up - Neil Ritchie (41 Points)

14th February (Ambrose)

Winners - Denis Crossman, Stephen Pilgrim & Richard Berns (54 Nett) Runner Ups - Neil Ritchie & Steve Stibbard (64 Nett)

21st February (Stroke)

Nett Winner - Mick Dobosz (65 Nett) Gross Winner - Brian Mowle (83 Gross)

28th February (Stableford)

Winner - Stephen Pilgrim (40 Points) Runner Up - Jarn Cheetham (39 Points)

PATERSON CUP | JAN > MAR

Rigby Vane-Wood leads the January-March Paterson Cup after accumulating a total of **93 points** throughout February on the back of 85 points in January. Denis Crossman propelled himself into second position after picking up 104 points in February to sit 6 points behind first place.



The Paterson Cup will operate across 4 segments throughout January-March, April-June, July-September & October-December (*weather permitting*). Points will be allocated to Members who participate in Saturday Competitions throughout each period based on their ranking in each competition. To view the full leader board visit our <u>website</u>.

2023 SKINS

Skins resumed throughout February with the third & fourth rounds completed in idyllic summery conditions.

With only 13 registered players, 2 divisions will no longer be possible; as a result only the top 4 players with the best scores across 3 of their eligible rounds will qualify for the Final which is scheduled for April 15th due to course renovations in mid-March prior to the originally scheduled final.

Qualifying players will automatically be allocated to the 8:30am tee time on April 15th.

The fifth round remains scheduled to be completed on March 11th.



2023 HRDGA PENNANTS

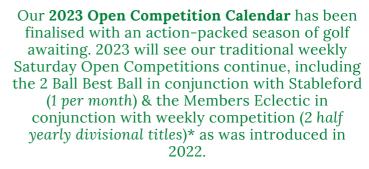
Our **2023 HRDGA Pennants** seasons are underway with teams approximately at the halfway point of their seasons. Each grade's schedule is *below* & all the latest fixtures & results are available via the **HRDGA website**.

B-GRADE	C-GRADE	SENIORS DIV B
5-FEB v BRANXTON @ ABERDEEN Won 3-2	29-JAN v KURRI @ KURRI Draw 2.5-2.5	29-JAN v ABERDEEN @ MAITLAND Won 2-1
12-FEB v BYE @ PATERSON	12-FEB v Hunter Valley @ Maitland Won 3.5-1.5	5-FEB v MAITLAND @ KURRI Lost 2-1
19-FEB v SINGLETON @ BRANXTON Won 3-2	19-FEB v Muswellbrook @ Singleton Won 5-0	12-FEB v KURRI @ SINGLETON Won 3-0
5-MAR v SCONE @ KURRI	5-MAR v SINGLETON @ PATERSON	19-FEB v bye @ Paterson
12-MAR v MAITLAND @ MUSWELLBROOK	19-MAR v MAITLAND @ MUSWELLBROOK	5-MAR v DUNGOG @ THE VINTAGE
19-MAR v Muswellbrook @ Singleton		12-MAR v THE VINTAGE @ ABERDEEN
26-MAR v KURRI @ SCONE		19-MAR v SINGLETON @ DUNGOG



2023 OPEN COMPETITION CALENDAR





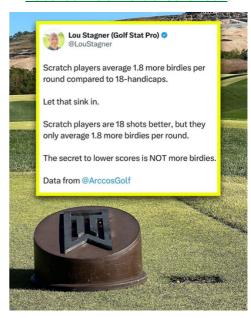
*The Members Eclectic competition will run in two half yearly segments (Jan-Jun & Jul-Dec) throughout 2022 in conjunction with the weekly open competition. The Eclectic competition will record your best score on each hole of the course throughout the period resulting in your best overall score with handicap adjustment. Our golf competition management system will automatically calculate results over the period with divisional winners being confirmed at the end of June & December.

Traditional Competitions

Stroke & Monthly Medal (1 per month)
Stableford & Last Man Standing (3 events)
Stableford (34 events)
Par (3 events)
Paterson Cup (4 quarterly titles)

Championships / Major Events
May | 2-Person Ambrose Championships
June | Bob Murphy Cup (2 Ball Best Ball
Championships)
September | Paterson Open
October | Male Club Championships (Stroke)

Stay up to date with the latest schedule via the Paterson Golf Club Calendar.







2022/23 MEMBERSHIP PRO-RATA RATES

Pro-Rata Memberships are now open. Join today for only **\$87 (adult)**.

2023 Pro-Rata rates will apply until May 2023.

All the information for new Members is available via our website (www.patersongolfclub.com) including the application form. If you need any further information please email the club or speak with one of our Committee Members.

This graphic shows our 2022/23 Membership categories. Paterson Golf Club offers some of the most competitive & affordable membership across the Hunter region. Join today & start to enjoy the benefits this country club has to offer!



Take on the quick monthly Golf NSW Rules quiz to test your knowledge.

Navigate via this <u>link</u>.



ECLECTIC UPDATE | FEBRUARY

Two months into our bi-annual (Jan-Jun) Eclectic Competition & leaders have emerged with scores being included following each weekly open competition. The Eclectic Competition records the best result scored on each hole in competition rounds.

Phase 1 runs from January-June & Phase 2 July-December.

Visit our <u>website</u> to see the current standings & to see how your scores stack up. Your handicap is adjusted to reflect 50% of your lowest handicap during the playing period.





ONLINE TEE TIME BOOKINGS

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



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