

Nominations for Committee Positions

Nominations for President, Vice President and Treasurer were received by the Secretary. Thank you to the incumbents, Ken Culpitt, Rosie Connolly and Ray Tume for standing again. There is an opportunity to fill the vacant Secretary position at the AGM on 14 March. A special thank you to Penny Martlew for a job well done in 2014/5.

AGM Notices of Motion

The Secretary has received a proposed change to the Constitution that opens the definition of a Veteran to both male and female members. NSW Veterans Golf introduced the same change in 2014. No other notices of motion were submitted for AGM consideration.

2014/5 Financial Outcome

The primary financial objective for 2014/5 was achieved. The Golf Section has reduced its cash reserve as preferred by the Twin Towns Board. Half the funds reduction was achieved by using 100% of competition fees as prizes. This strategy is consistent with competition prize pool suggestions provided by members at recent AGMs.

The financial statement shows that our reduced membership base is, relatively, playing a greater aggregate number of competition rounds than was the case in early years. Our retained members are more active!

Treasurer, Ray Tume will provide a full financial report at the AGM. Thank you Ray for your attention to the financial detail and most importantly keeping the Golf Club strategically on financial track.

Men's Monthly Medal

In 2015 the Men's Monthly Medal will be played in two divisions replacing the three grades previously used when the number of members was greater.

Reindexing of Golf Course

The Men's and Ladies' Captains have reindexed the Holes based on actual member performance in 2014. Over 2500 rounds were used to determine the reindexing. Detail of the changes follow.

Men

Hole	Current Index	New Index	Hole	Current Index	New Index
1	1	2	10	2	3
2	11	12	11	10	11
3	17	15	12	14	17
4	5	7	13	6	6
5	9	10	14	8	9
6	13	14	15	12	8
7	16	18	16	15	16
8	4	4	17	3	1
9	7	5	18	18	13

Ladies

Hole	Current Index	New Index	Hole	Current Index	New Index
1	1	1	10	2	5
2	13	13	11	18	18
3	17	17	12	16	16
4	3	3	13	8	6
5	9	9	14	12	10
6	7	7	15	4	2
7	11	14	16	14	12
8	5	8	17	6	4
9	15	15	18	10	11

Implementation of the New Index

The new course index will be implemented at the end of March when current card stock is run down and the new cards printed. The timing will allow related computer system changes to be tested and implemented.

Men's Captain Back in Action

Terrific to see Mike Flanagan overseeing Men's competition reporting and making the presentations. Greater than expected outcomes from the operation are on track.