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SWINGING INTO ACTION:

Dear Sages Members,

Welcome to the Second Edition of the SAGES FN Newsletter – 2025!

What an exciting time to be part of our SAGES community! We are thrilled to share highlights from the recently completed Triangular Tournament, where camaraderie, competition, and great sportsmanship were on full display. Congratulations to all the participants for making it such a memorable event!

But the action doesn't stop there — we're now setting our sights on the upcoming National Championship Tournament! Get ready for more thrilling rounds, friendly faces, and the chance to etch your name into senior golf history.

Wishing the very best of luck to all the FN SAGES competing in the National Championships!

Participating Members

Joan Acutt (Team Manager)
Harry van Staden (Team Captain)
Mark Acutt
Chris Edmeston
Richard Braun
Lou Schoeman
Karl Jaacks
Johan Mulder

Your dedication, skill, and love for the game inspire us all. May you play your best, enjoy every moment on the course, and make memories to last a lifetime. Fairways and greens to everyone — you've already made us proud!



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Club Membership:

Drakensig Club:

43 members. Club doing well and more applications expected as people come of age to join.

Phalaborwa Club:

14members. Club doing well and more applications expected as people come of age to join.

Tzaneen Club:

13 members. Club doing well and more applications expected as people come of age to join.



Love and Loss:



Andrew Lovell underwent an operation.
Lynette Straus is undergoing treatment for her back
Whishing both of you a speedy recovery.

A Toast
to the
Happy Couple!

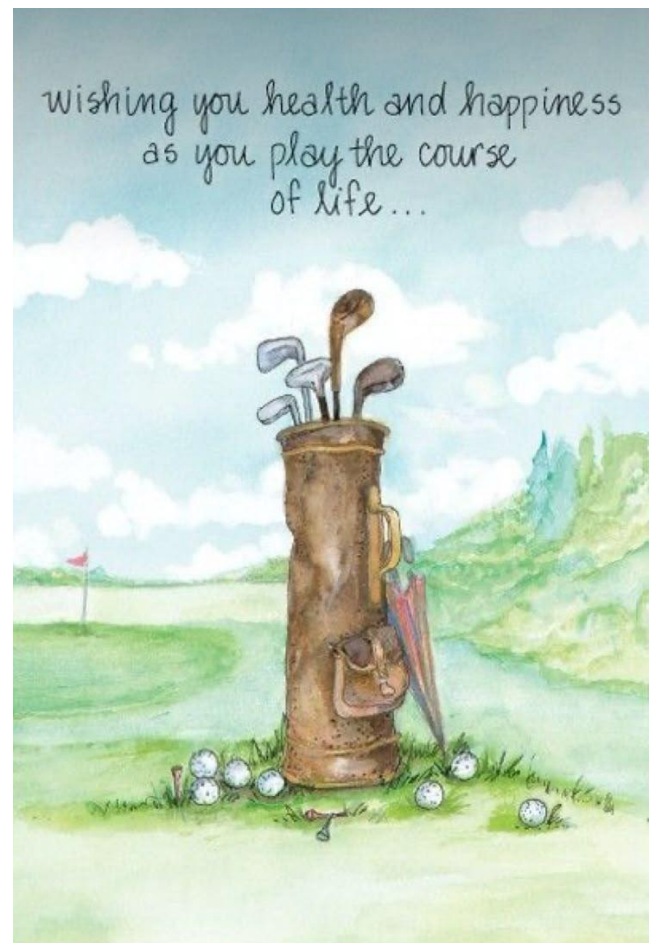


Congratulations to Casper and Hanlie on their nuptials.
Wishing you both many years of joy and happiness together.

Birthdays March and April

We wish all who have had and will be having a birthday all the best and we hope that the coming year will be blessed with health and happiness.

Mark	Acutt	11-03-1963	Drakensig
GT	Smith	11-03-1961	Phalaborwa
Johan	Mulder	13-03-1969	Drakensig
Egbert	Botha	28-03-1971	Drakensig
Alan	Kenny	30-03-1960	Tzannen
Harry	Van Staden	01-04-1968	Drakensig
Simon	Buys	05-04-1961	Drakensig
Wikus	Venter	06-04-1968	Drakensig
Joan	Acutt	15-04-1964	Drakensig
Erl	Konig	16-04-1954	Tzaneen
Wilter	Biewenga	21-04-1949	Phalaborwa
Tika	Ralepelle	24-04-1954	Tzaneen



SAGES Regional 15/03/2025

SAGES PHALABORWA COMPETITION RESULTS

REGIONAL COMPETITION		DATE	
IPS / 2 BALL COMBINED STABLEFORD		15/3/25	
TOP 10 OVERALL POSITIONS			
POSITION	NAME	SCORE	PRIZE
1 st	D Steytler	67/41	Glasses
2 nd	JM Piteux	68/40	Glasses
3 rd	Helene	70/38	Wine
4 th	C Edmeston	71/37	
5 th	H Preston	71/37	
6 th	P Bottomley	71/37	
7 th	M Acutt	72/36	
8 th	A Smit	72/36	
9 th	G Mac Gregor	73/35	
10 th	J Mulder	73/35	
	BEST NETT		
	D Steytler	67	Trophy
NEAREST TO THE PIN			
HOLES	NAME	PRIZE	
2	H Preston	R50	
17	F Coetzee	R50	
TWO CLUBS			
HOLE	NAME	PRIZE	
	Nil		
TOTAL			
	2 BALL COMBINED		
NAME			
1 ST	D Steytler & J Mulder		76
2 ND	JM Piteux & Christian		75
NAME		PRIZE	
WISKEY DRAW			
NAME		PRIZE	
M Acutt		WISKEY	
TOTAL (Cash payout)		SIGNATURE	
R100			

The next regional competition will take place on 26/04/2025 at Drakensig Golf Club



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14th March 2025

Mr Tom Buckle

National Vice President

Sages Golf

Dear Sages Management

APPRECIATION FOR SUPPORT TO THE CANCER ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AFRICA (CANSa)

I express my heartfelt gratitude for your unwavering support over the past 18 years. Your commitment to the Sages Golf Days in aid of CANSa, has been instrumental in helping us raise significant funds for our cause. We are thrilled that you have surpassed an incredible milestone, raising R9,125,461 million over the 18 years of involvement, and the amount of R955,028 for 2024 is just amazing!

Your dedication and generosity have contributed financially and helped build a strong community of supporters who share our vision. Your involvement has been the cornerstone of our fundraising efforts, and we are deeply grateful for the trust you have placed in us.

Throughout these years, your partnership has enabled us to care for and support for over 300 000 patients and their loved ones. Your contributions have made a tangible difference in the lives of ordinary South Africans who benefitted from our public education programmes to reduce the risk for cancer and whose lives we saved through our cancer screening and early detection programmes. We are proud of what we have achieved together and look forward to continuing this successful partnership.

Please extend our appreciation to your team and everyone involved in making these golf days such a success. We are honoured to have you as part of our journey and look forward to many more years of collaboration.

Thank you once again for your remarkable support. We are excited to see the continued impact of our combined efforts.

Yours sincerely

ELIZE JOUBERT
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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Triangular Tournament 27 March 2025 :

Sages driehoekige byeenkoms / triangular competition 27 Maart 2025 - Waterberg / Verre Noord / Jakaranda

Time	Bof / Tee 1																						
	P1					P2					P3					P4							
Tyd	Name / Naam	Reg	T6	Cart	IPS	Tyd	Name	Reg	T6	Cart	IPS	Tyd	Name	Reg	T6	Cart	IPS	Tyd	Name	Reg	T6	Cart	IPS
9:00 am	Joan Acutt	VN	Y	H	34,0	9:00 am	Gary Hampton	VN	Y	S	33,0	9:00 am	Mareuil de Haas	WB		H	37,0	9:00 am	Pieter van Graan	WB		S	26,0
9:10 am	Harry van Staden	VN	Y	H	28,0	9:10 am	Johan Mulder	VN	Y	S	39,0	9:10 am	Sophia Stroh	WB		H	31,0	9:10 am	Venita Korff	WB		S	28,0
9:20 am	Piet Scheepers	VN	Y	H	28,0	9:20 am	Gerrit Breytenbacht	VN	Y	S	24,0	9:20 am	Bou v/d Spuy	WB		H	32,0	9:20 am	Nico Nagel	WB		S	27,0
9:30 am	Lodewyk de Wet	JAK	Y	H	34,0	9:30 am	Alex Daneel	JAK		S	33,0	9:30 am	Allan Kingham	WB		H	19,0	9:30 am	Chris Rogman	WB		S	28,0
9:40 am	Garth Mare	JAK		H	29,0	9:40 am	Gawie Opperman	JAK		S	27,0	9:40 am	Coenie Louw	WB		H	25,0	9:40 am	Johan Bester	WB		S	24,0
9:50 am	Las Du Plessis	JAK	Y	H	26,0	9:50 am	Pieter Botha	JAK		S	26,0	9:50 am	Basie Greef	JAK		H	30,0	9:50 am					
10:00 am	Spotty de Waal	JAK	Y	H	34,0	10:00 am	Kobus Gouws	JAK		S	-	10:00 am	Nico Nel	JAK		H	23,0	10:00 am					
10:10 am						10:10 am						10:10 am						10:10 am					

Bof / Tee 10																													
Name / Naam		Reg	T6	Cart	IPS	Name		Reg	T6	Cart	IPS	Name		Reg	T6	Cart	IPS	Name		Reg	T6	Cart	IPS	Name		Reg	T6	Cart	IPS
9:00 am	Skobol Swanepoel	WB		H	23,0	9:00 am	Sarel Coetzee	WB		S	31,0	9:00 am	Christo Ungerer	JAK	Y	O	25,0	9:00 am	Theo Hendriks	JAK	Y	S	33,0	9:00 am	Theo Hendriks	JAK	Y	S	33,0
9:10 am	Hennie Kruger	WB		H	35,0	9:10 am	Antonie Abrahamse	WB		S	39,0	9:10 am	Jan Potgieter	JAK		H	31,0	9:10 am	Sameer Shukla	JAK		S	34,0	9:10 am	Sameer Shukla	JAK		S	34,0
9:20 am	Arno Peschl	WB		H	21,0	9:20 am	Hannetjie Peschl	WB		S	14,0	9:20 am	Walter Gillilan	JAK		H	33,0	9:20 am	Leon de Bruyn	JAK		S	32,0	9:20 am	Leon de Bruyn	JAK		S	32,0
9:30 am	Alvin Hoole	WB	Y	H	32,0	9:30 am	Alf Darvall	WB		S	36,0	9:30 am	Jannie van Walt	Jak		H	32,0	9:30 am	Francois Booyse	JAK		S	22,0	9:30 am	Francois Booyse	JAK		S	22,0
9:40 am	Johan Minaar	WB	Y	H	30,0	9:40 am	Gerhard Olivier	WB		S	26,0	9:40 am	EbenMartincich	WB	Y	H	28,0	9:40 am	Jack Radford	WB		S	28,0	9:40 am	Jack Radford	WB		S	28,0
9:50 am	Koos Meyer	WB	Y	H	39,0	9:50 am	Riaan Foord	WB	Y	S	32,0	9:50 am	Marie Venter	JAK	Y	H	29,0	9:50 am	Jan Terry	JAK		S	29,0	9:50 am	Jan Terry	JAK		S	29,0
10:00 am	Erhard Spies	WB		H	31,0	10:00 am	Robert Abrahamse	WB	Y	S	26,0	10:00 am	Neels du Toit	JAK		H	27,0	10:00 am	Dolf van Tonder	JAK		S	27,0	10:00 am	Dolf van Tonder	JAK		S	27,0
10:10 am						10:10 am						10:10 am						10:10 am						10:10 am					

Team / Span	Insk.	Team	Span Score	Streek Score		Pos	Speler Uitslae	Span	IPS
Jak	29	6	181	616	30,17	1	Antonie Abrahamse	WB	39
WB	28	6	187,001	748,003	31,17	2	Koos Meyer	WB	39
VN	6	6	186	186	31,00	3	Johan Mulder	VN	39
AN	0	0	0	0		4	Mareuil de Haas	WB	37

Naaste aan die Pen Closest to the pin	Nr	Naaste aan die Pen Closest to the pin	Nr	Two clubs Spog twee	Nr	Two clubs Spog twee	Nr
	2		11				
	4		13				
	8		14				

Kobus Gouws	JAK		S	NR
Antonie Abrahamse	WB		S	39
Koos Meyer	WB	Y	H	39
Johan Mulder	VN	Y	S	39
Mareuil de Haas	WB		H	37
Alf Darvall	WB		S	36
Hennie Kruger	WB		H	35
Joan Acutt	VN	Y	H	34
Lodewyk de Wet	JAK	Y	H	34
Sameer Shukla	JAK		S	34
Spotty de Waal	JAK	Y	H	34
Alex Daneel	JAK		S	33
Gary Hampton	VN	Y	S	33
Theo Hendriks	JAK	Y	S	33
Walter Gilfillan	JAK		H	33
Alvin Hoole	WB	Y	H	32
Bou v/d Spuy	WB		H	32
Jannie van Walt	Jak		H	32
Leon de Bruyn	JAK		S	32
Riaan Foord	WB	Y	S	32
Erhard Spies	WB		H	31
Jan Potgieter	JAK		H	31
Sarel Coetzee	WB		S	31
Sophia Stroh	WB		H	31
Basie Greef	JAK		H	30
Johan Minaar	WB	Y	H	30

Garth Mare	JAK		H	29
Jan Terry	JAK		S	29
Marie Venter	JAK	Y	H	29
Chris Rogman	WB		S	28
EbenMartincich	WB	Y	H	28
Harry van Staden	VN	Y	H	28
Jack Radford	WB		S	28
Piet Scheepers	VN	Y	H	28
Venita Korff	WB		S	28
Dolf van Tonder	JAK		S	27
Gawie Opperman	JAK		S	27
Neels du Toit	JAK		H	27
Nico Nagel	WB		S	27
Gerhard Olivier	WB		S	26
Las Du Plessis	JAK	Y	H	26
Pieter Botha	JAK		S	26
Pieter van Graan	WB		S	26
Robert Abrahamse	WB	Y	S	26
Christo Ungerer	JAK	Y	O	25
Coenie Louw	WB		H	25
Gerrit Breytenbacht	VN	Y	S	24
Johan Bester	WB		S	24
Nico Nel	JAK		H	23
Skobol Swanepoel	WB		H	23
Francois Booyse	JAK		S	22
Arno Peschl	WB		H	21
Allan Kingham	WB		H	19
Hannetjie Peschl	WB		S	14

Sages Regional 25 April 2025

SAGES DRAKENSIG COMPETITION RESULTS			
REGIONAL COMPETITION		DATE	
IPS / 4 BALL RED BALL ALLIANCE		26/4/25	
TOP 10 OVERALL POSITIONS			
POSITION	NAME	SCORE	PRIZE
1 st	Andrew Lovell	70/38	R250
2 nd	Lynette Strauss	71/37	R200
3 rd	Anton Smit	71/37	R100
4 th	Simon Buys	72/36	
5 th	Peter Bottomley	73/35	
6 th	Joan Acutt	73/35	
7 th	Johan Mulder	73/35	
8 th	Nigel Dott	74/34	
9 th	Mandy Rossouw	75/33	
10 th	Piet Scheepers	74/32	
	BEST NETT		
			Trophy
NEAREST TO THE PIN			
HOLES	NAME	PRIZE	
4 & 13	Clint van Jaarsveld	R50	
7 & 16	Johan Mulder	R50	
TWO CLUBS			
HOLE	NAME	PRIZE	
4	Peter Bottomley	R30	
13	Simon Buys	R30	
13	Clint van Jaarsveld	R30	
TOTAL		R90	
RED BALL ALLIANCE			
NAME	Karl Jaacks		
	Johan Mulder		
	Simon Buys		
	Alwyn Grove	R400	
MOST GOLF			
NAME			PRIZE
Magali Pichon			
			R50
WISKEY DRAW			
NAME			PRIZE
Sarel van Zyl			Whiskey
TOTAL (Cash payout)		SIGNATURE	
R1190			

The next regional competition will take place on 24/05/2025 at Tzaneen Golf Club



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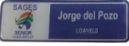
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	Item description	Colour	S	M	L	XL	Total	Price	Extension
							0	R 305,50	R 0,00
	Windbreaker microactive	Navy	2XL	3XL					
							0	R 332,75	R 0,00
			4XL	5XL					
							0	R 365,75	R 0,00
							Total		R0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L	XL	Total	Price	Extension
							0	R 238,50	R 0,00
	Stadri short sleeves	Sky	2XL	3XL					
							0	R 259,70	R 0,00
			4XL	5XL					
							0	R 285,45	R 0,00
							Total		R0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L	XL	Total	Price	Extension
							0	R 281,65	R0,00
	Dress shirt mens S/S	Sky	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL			
							0	R 321,70	R 0,00
							Total		R0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L	XL	Total	Price	Total
							0	R 298,45	R 0,00
	Dress shirt mens L/S	Sky	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL			
							0	R 341,00	R0,00
							Total		R 0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L	XL	Total	Price	Total
							0	R 310,15	R 0,00
	Dress shirt Ladies S/S	Sky	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL			
							0	R 333,65	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00

	Item description	Colour	S	M	L		Total	Price	Total
	Piquet golf shirt mens 175g	Sky					0	R 172,15	R 0,00
			XL	2XL	3XL	4XL			
							0	R 180,85	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L		Total	Price	Total
	Piquet golf shirt ladies175g	Sky					0	R 172,15	R 0,00
			XL	2XL	3XL	4XL			
							0	R 180,85	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L		Total	Price	Total
	Mens sublimated golf shirt	Sky					0	R 255,00	R 0,00
			XL	2XL					
							0	R 265,95	R 0,00
			3XL	4XL	5XL				
							0	R 282,50	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L		Total	Price	Total
	Ladies sublimated golf shirt	Sky					0	R 255,00	R 0,00
			XL	2XL					
							0	R 265,95	R 0,00
			3XL	4XL					
							0	R 282,50	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L	XL	Total	Price	Total
	Jersey long sleeve	Navy					0	R 325,55	R 0,00
			2XL	3XL					
							0	R 357,85	R 0,00
			4XL	5XL					
							0	R 393,30	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00

	Item description	Colour	S	M	L		Total	Price	Total
	Piquet golf shirt mens 175g	Sky					0	R 172,15	R 0,00
			XL	2XL	3XL	4XL			
							0	R 180,85	R 0,00
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	Item description	Colour	S	M	L		Total	Price	Total
	Piquet golf shirt ladies175g	Sky					0	R 172,15	R 0,00
			XL	2XL	3XL	4XL			
							0	R 180,85	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00
	Item description	Colour	S	M	L		Total	Price	Total
	Mens sublimated golf shirt	Sky					0	R 255,00	R 0,00
			XL	2XL					
							0	R 265,95	R 0,00
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			3XL	4XL					
							0	R 282,50	R 0,00
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	Item description	Colour	S	M	L	XL	Total	Price	Total
	Jersey long sleeve	Navy					0	R 325,55	R 0,00
			2XL	3XL					
							0	R 357,85	R 0,00
			4XL	5XL					
							0	R 393,30	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00

	Item description	Colour	S	M	L	XL	Total	Price	Total
	Short sleeve pullover	Navy					0	R 289,99	R 0,00
			2XL	3XL					
							0	R 318,75	R 0,00
			4XL	5XL					
							0	R 350,05	R 0,00
							Total		R 0,00

	Item description	Colour	S/m		L/xl		Total	Price	Total
	Floppy hats	Nave blue					0	R 101,80	R 0,00
	Cricket hats	Navy blue	S/m		L/xl				
							0	R 163,65	R 0,00
	Golf caps (ONE SIZE)	Navy blue					0	R 87,85	R 0,00
	Woven beanie (ONE SIZE)	Navy blue					0	R 52,55	R 0,00
	Magnetic name badges						0	R 42,50	R 0,00
	Loose blazor pocket badge						0	R 28,50	R 0,00
	Woven ties						0	R 225,00	R 0,00

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Golfing tip of the Month:

TOP 10 Unwritten GOLF RULES

Golf is a game of rules and traditions. From the clothes you wear to the number of clubs you can have in your golf bag during a tournament, there are many regulations that must be adhered to.

There are also a number of unwritten golf rules that every golfer should know by heart.



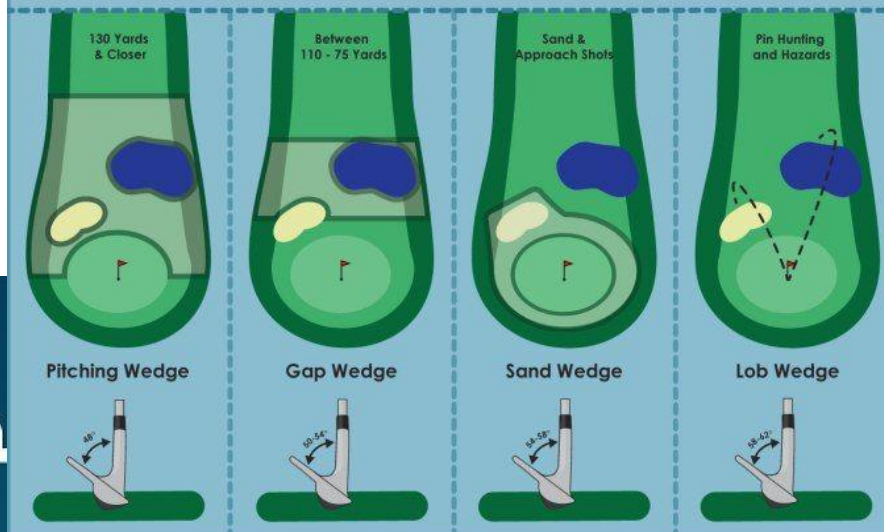
- After a round of golf, players should always remove their hats when shaking hands.
- Don't stand where your shadow covers another golfer's ball or is the line of the shot.
- Be sure to tap the sand off your golf shoes after you dig your ball out of a bunker.

- Pay attention to the signs and keep your golf cart on the path.
- Rake the bunker after you have traipsed through it. When finished, keep the rake inside the sand trap.
- If faster golf pair is right behind you, let them play through and don't hold up their round.
- Yelling "fore!" may not be cool, but it can save someone from a concussion – or save their life – when you hit a wayward ball.
- Leave the course in better shape than when you started the day. This means fixing any ball marks or divots.
- By all means, be quiet when someone is hitting.
- Tip your caddie, beverage cart and others doing their jobs that allow you to have fun on the course.



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A Beginner's Guide to Wedges



THE GRATEFUL GOLFER

Joke of the Month:

