## **Western Province**



## 14 September 2025

## September 2025 Newsletter

Welcome to our latest newsletter. I hope everyone is well and recovering from the very cold winter.

Our last game at Stellenbosch was extremely well supported, 112 players in the field. Unfortunately, I had to miss it as I had a prior appointment with my cardiologist and believe it or not, I do have a heart.

I am told the course was in good condition even though there was a lot of work being done on the course as they are preparing to host the SA Open next year and all the bunkers were being refurbished and were then treated as GUR.

On a sour note, I note that there were a number of **3 balls** as a result of no shows. Please ensure that you inform **Rohan** timeously if you cannot make it as he is now put under the duress of having to move players around. It is also disrespectful to the fourball you were to assigned to as they are now at a disadvantage to the rest of the field.

Our next game is the **first round** of our annual club championships to be played at **King David Mowbray on Monday 15 September.** The date was changed from the 18<sup>th</sup> September due to KD Mowbray having double booked with a WP golf fixture.

The competition is played **over two rounds** and the next round is at **Rondebosch Golf Club** on 9<sup>th</sup> October.

There is also a daily single stableford competition on the day, catering for visitors and members who cannot play both rounds.

The **A division** players play **medal** off the **white tees** and must also record their stableford points for the daily competition. **B and C division** players play single stableford off the **tee of their choice** adjusting their handicaps accordingly.

**NOTE:** Your **handicap index** as of **15 September** is to be retained for **both rounds**. We will however, keep record as I know many players cannot remember from one month to the next.

Best wishes to all our members who are celebrating their birthdays in **September.** Wishing you all many more healthy, happy years.

## **SEPTEMBER:**

Denis Joseph 2<sup>nd</sup>, Neville Solomons 2<sup>nd</sup>, Jurie Swart 3<sup>rd</sup>, Michael van Ross 3<sup>rd</sup>, Richard Wicomb 4<sup>th</sup>, Rob Blake 11<sup>th</sup>, Jacob van der Westhuizen 12<sup>th</sup>, Enver Malley 13<sup>th</sup>, Chris Isaaks 15<sup>th</sup>, Peter Dempers 20<sup>th</sup>, Edwin Taylor 21<sup>st</sup>, Hilton Williams 22<sup>nd</sup>, Laurence Brander 22<sup>nd</sup>, Henry Meintjies 23<sup>rd</sup> and Vernon Kearsey 27<sup>th</sup>.

Good luck to all those participating.

Kind regards

**Malcolm McDonald** 

Chairman