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## **OUTENIQUA**

### **NEWSLETTER – February 2026**



It is already the end of February! A very successful Founders Cup event took place on 16 February 2026 at the Mossel Bay Golf Club. It is a spectacular course, and the day was very well organised by the hosts, Southern Cape Sages. Although Outeniqua Sages did not perform as well as we would have liked, it was a very enjoyable day, and we are thankful for the privilege to live and play golf in such unique surroundings! The full results are listed later in the newsletter.

March is the month that a lot of Sages members countrywide is waiting for with great anticipation! The annual National Championships will be played at Randpark Golf Club from 16-20 March.

The branch management committee would like to take this opportunity to wish the following players the best of luck and may you make Outeniqua proud! Although the results are important, how we play the game and the enjoyment we derive from it is paramount!

#### **Players representing Outeniqua at the Nationals:**

Marius Boersma (Captain), Casper Le Roux, Eduard van Greunen, Johan Hattingh, Charles Botha, Gert Jordaan, Martin Speelman, Eleonor Speelman, Piet Theron, Garth Harrison, Emil Vermeulen, Dawie van Rooyen, Jimmy Steele, Erhard Prinsloo, Pat McClintock, Leon Steenkamp

## FOUNDERS CUP - MOSSEL BAY GOLF CLUB - 16 FEBRUARY 2026

### RESULTS



Nic Marais (South Cape) receives the trophy from Jimmy Steele (Outeniqua)

### THE WINNERS, BETTERBALL STABLEFORD:

1) SC	BRANCO CELICA AND ALWYN VORSTER	53 POINTS
2) SC	PETRO VORSTER AND ANNEMARIE SMIT	51 POINTS
3) SC	BERT STEENBERG AND JOHAN LEONARD	49 POINTS
4) SC	LEON NEVELING AND FRED BULL	49 POINTS
5)	<b>OUT JAAP VAN DER WESTHUIZEN AND JAN FOURIE</b>	49 POINTS
6) SC	TONY BAILEY AND RICHARD PEASEY	48 POINTS
7) SC	BENNIE MINTOOR AND PETER FILLIES	47 POINTS
8)	<b>OUT GERT JORDAAN AND CHARLES BOTHA</b>	46 POINTS
9)	<b>OUT DANIE ERASMUS AND THEO BENZIEN</b>	46 POINTS
10)	<b>OUT ANDRE DE WET AND JENNES BREYTENBACH</b>	45 POINTS
11) SC	EDDIE DAACKE AND LES WRIGHT	45 POINTS

### NEAREST TO THE PIN:

<b>Hole 4:</b>	Marius Dunn (OUT)
<b>Hole 8:</b>	Pieter Nel (OUT)
<b>Hole 12:</b>	Johan Nel (OUT)
<b>Hole 15:</b>	Pine Pienaar (SC)

**Two Clubs:****Hole 4:** Marius Dunn (OUT), Nic Marais, Gert Brink**Hole 15:** Chris Barnard, Bennie Mintoor, Pine Pienaar

Very well done to all the winners and a big thank you to all players for contributing to make this a special day!

**Upcoming Competitions: 10 March 2026:***Kingswood Golf Estate***16-20 March 2026:***National Championships: Randpark GC***14 April 2026:***Goose Valley Golf Estate***BIRTHDAYS MARCH 2026! MANY HAPPY RETURNS!**

		<b>Date:</b>
Andre	Marais	1
Louis	Adams	2
Johan	Coetzee	3
Peter	Kurten	3
Martin	Speelman	3
Ben	Van Wyk	5
Herman	Swanepoel	9
George	Willis	15
Sylvia	De Moor	17
Koot	Barnard	20
Stoffel	Van Rensburg	20
Andre	Botha	21
Koot	Viljoen	22
Peet	Liebenberg	23
Rudolf	Britz	25
Chris	Mackay	27
Alan	Rudman	30

Note: The Committee decided to issue the newsletter in only one language this year, alternating English and Afrikaans monthly. The March newsletter will be in Afrikaans.

Kind regards,

Branch Management Committee

