



FROM THE CHAIRMAN'S CHAIR VAN DIE VOORSITTER SE STOEL



PROGRAM 2026

JAN	1	Voorspoedige Nuwejaar/Happy New Year
	22	Humewood - 08h00 - 08h40, both Tee's
FEB	13	Port Alfred - (EP vs East London Sages)
	26	Walmer G C - 11h30 onwards - (AGM)
	5	Wedgewood GC - 08h00 - 09h00, both Tee's - (EP vs Kouga)
MAR	16-20	16-20 March Randpark GC (Nationals)
	26	Port Elizabeth GC - 07h30 - 08h30, both Tee's
APR	9	St Francis Bay - 11h00 onwards, both Tee's
	23	Port Elizabeth GC - 07h30 - 08h30, both Tee's
	12	Wedgewood GC - 08h00 - 09h00, both Tee's
MAY	18 & 19	Pentagonal (St Francis both courses)
	28	Walmer GC - 11h30 onwards
	18	Humewood - 08h00 - 08h40, Both Tee's - (EP SAGES vs EP Seniors)
JUN	25	Port Elizabeth GC - 07h30 - 08h30, both Tee's
JUL	9	Humewood - 08h00 - 08h40, both Tee's
	23	Wedgewood GC - 08h00 - 09h00, both Tee's
AUG	13	St Francis Bay - 11h00 onwards, both Tee's
	27	Port Elizabeth GC - 07h30 - 08h30, both Tee's
SEP	10	Humewood - 08h00 - 08h40, both Tee's
	22	Walmer GC - 11h30 onwards
	5	Port Elizabeth GC - 11h00-12h00, both Tee's - Club Champs
OCT	6	Port Elizabeth GC - 11h00-12h00, both Tee's - Club Champs
	26 & 27	Cape Regionals (St Francis both courses)
	10	Wedgewood GC - 08h00 - 09h00, both Tee's
NOV	19	Port Elizabeth GC - 11:00 onwards, both Tee's - (CANSAs Golf Day)
DEC	3	Humewood - 08h00 - 08h40, both Tee's
	TBC	Jaareindfunksie / Year End Function

Many of us can still recall the wonderful cricket commentary of Charles Fortune. He had a unique way of saying things. I vividly remember that whenever Graeme Pollock played his cover drives in that inimitable style of his, Charles Fortune would always remark: "When he hit it, it stays hit." It makes no difference whether Bryson DeChambeau strikes with an iron or a driver — "When he hits it, it stays hit."

Jy moet egter oor besondere vaardighede beskik om so hard na die bal toe te slaan en dit dan goed en op lyn te slaan. Die meeste van ons gewone sterflinge weet dat as jy te hard na 'n bal slaan is die kans baie groot dat jy dit gaan haak, of trek, of op die kop slaan.

"Play within yourself" is the best advice anyone has ever given me. Yet it requires a great deal of discipline. It demands that you set aside your ego, take an extra club or two, and swing more gently at the ball.

"Lewe binne jouself" is ook 'n baie belangrike lewensbeginsel wat groot selfdisipline verg. Om eerder uit 'n moeilike situasie weg te loop as om met ondeurdagte optrede dit te vererger, is nie altyd die maklikste ding om te doen nie. It is very easy to let go and say whatever you want, do whatever you please, and not care about the consequences or the impact it has on others. Anyone without meaningful life skills can do that. But it takes exceptional emotional strength to turn the other cheek, to walk the second mile for someone, and to overcome evil with good.

Geen ernstige gholfspeler sal ooit daarmee tevrede te wees om skewe of swak hou te slaan, net omdat hy of sy so hard as moontlik na die baan wil slaan nie. Ter wille van 'n beter telling sal daar aanpassings gemaak word. In the same way, we cannot be content when our actions go astray and negatively affect others. Yet to make the adjustment, to live within yourself, and to see how it positively influences the lives of others brings exactly the same satisfaction as striking your golf ball perfectly on line.

IPS Grand Championship

We are now more or less in the middle of this year's competitions, and below is the current state of affairs regarding this event. Remember that participation on both days of our club championship, as well as playing in 70% of our regular competitions, is compulsory in order to qualify for the final prizes.

Hierdie puntelys kan na die einde van die jaar toe nog baie verander. Laat jou stokke die praatwerk doen!

1. Tienie Maritz	37.8
2. Gerhard Beukman	36.6
3. John Price	36.2
4. Barry Harmer	35.8
5. Reg Haupt	35.0
6. Marius Theron	34.2
7. Sean Cunningham	33.6
Pierre Goosen	33.6
8. Deon du Plessis	33.2
André Lötter	33.2
9. Delein van Schalkwyk	32.8
10. Piet Wilkenson	32.8
11. Michael Price	32.6
12. Joe Buys	31.4
13. Eldon Wait	31.2

Warm regards,

André Lötter

Chairman

LEDENUUS/MEMBER NEWS

Almal is perdfris en gesond behalwe vir Willie Fouche wat intensiewe behandeling ondergaan en Cindy wat sukkel met n lastige verkoue. Johan se knie het mooi herstel en Schalk nurse nog 'n skouerbeserings.

Ek will ook van die geleentheid gebruik maak om te vra dat julle vir Willie in jul gebede hou en bid vir spoedige en volkome herstel.

Die lede is welkom om enige nuuswaardigheid met my te deel. Eie prestasies, kinders en kleinkinders is nuuswaardig en sal hier genoem word. Ons as SAGES familie sal saam juig en jubel....

GELUKKIGE VERJAARSDAG/HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Baie geluk aan al die Mei en Junie Babas.

Competition – 28 May 2026 / Walmer Golf Club

Results:

- **1st Place:** Sean and Barry
- **2nd Place:** Keith and Jannie
- **3rd Place:** Mr & Mrs Goosen
- **4th Place:** Gerhard en Marius

1st Place



2nd Place



3rd Place



Two Clubs – Reg. Gerhard Piet and Kobus



Closest to the pin prizes – Barry on both the short holes

Barry Harmer - Hole in one / Volkome gelukshou op die 6de oor die water by Walmer GC



Pentagonal Tournament – St Francis Bay

What a weekend of golf at St Francis Bay, playing both the St Francis Links and St Francis Bay courses.

The weather certainly didn't make life easy, but everyone dug deep, gritted their teeth, and completed both rounds in true SAGES spirit.

After Day 1, EP SAGES was sitting in second place behind Kouga, but unfortunately the Links course had other ideas and proved to be a stern test for all of us.

Congratulations to all the teams on a great tournament. The final standings were:

- Suidkaap
- Kouga
- EP SAGES
- Outeniqua Border

Well played to everyone who represented their regions. We look forward to the next Pentagonal!

IPS Leaderboard : Top 10 Players
18 & 19 May 2026

Name	HCI	Region	Day-1	Day-2	IPS Total
Carina Theron	13	Kouga	38	31	69
Christiaan Frederik Barnard	10	SC	33	34	67
Marius Dunn	14	OUT	33	33	66
Marius Theron	15	EP	38	28	66
Sean Cunningham	14	EP	35	31	66
Frans Stapelberg	15	EP	29	35	64
Eldon Wait	11	EP	32	31	63
At Harvey	13	SC	36	26	62
Derek Dowd	11	Kouga	35	27	62
Ernie Blommaert	15	OUT	32	29	61

EP SENIORS VS EP SAGES by Humewood op 18 Junie 2026.

Vergeet maar van St Francis links, Augusta, Shinnecock Hills en Royal Birkdale. As Humewood se setperke geskeer is en die suidwester waai jou blaai koud, het jy probleme. Wel, probleme vir net sekere normale mense. Jannie en John se vierbal vind dit bleikbaar maklik om arende, voe ltjies en syfers aan te teken in gure weersomstandighede. 😊



Humewood Golf Club

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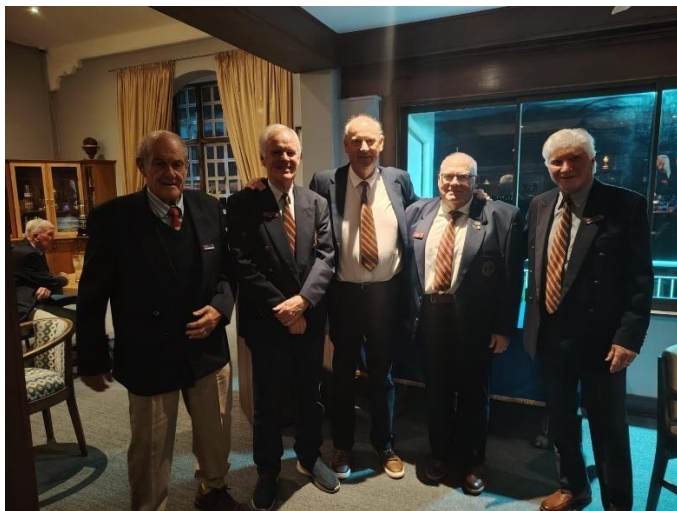
Has there ever been a more remarkable fourball performance on the famous 16th hole at Humewood Golf Club?

During the recent EP Seniors Event on 18 June 2026, the fourball of Dabs Dalton, Keith Clark, John Martin and Jannie Joubert produced an incredible sequence of scores:

- 🏌️ Dabs Dalton – 4 (2 points)
- 🏌️ John Martin – 4 (3 points)
- 🏌️ Jannie Joubert – 3 (4 points)
- 🏌️ Keith Clark – 2 (5 points)



1ste plek EP Seniors vierbal



2de plek, Jannie en John se vierbal



Spogtwees verwerf deur Jan, Pierre en Carl van EP SAGES





Port Elizabeth gholfbaan 25 Junie 2026

Lekker dag wat n bietjie ree n opgelewer het, maar dit het darem nie die dag bederf nie. Ons het die tweede nege en meeste van die eerste nege in perfekte weer gespeel.

1st plek, Eldon Wait op 38 punte



2de plek, Gerhard Beukman op 37 punte



3de plek, Christo Boshoff op 37 punte



4de plek DeeDee van Schalkwyk op 36 punte



Naaste aan pen pryse.

Spogtwees Andre het twee behaal op 14 en 17 onderskeidelik.



Singles and Doubles.

Please make an effort to complete your outstanding matches and forward the results to me so that I can update the standings.

In the meantime, I have advanced the players who were in attendance on the day.

Money Matters:

Charles Meyer provided the following financial update:

- **Bank Balance:** R 35 420,00
- **Investment Balance:** R 60 000,00
- **Jackpot:** R 570,00

Please pay your outstanding singles and doubles fees with Marius Theron

Please ensure that your scorecards are completed correctly and that all required information is filled in accurately.

There is also an onus on each player to enter their scores after the game.

Finances remain healthy—thank you to everyone for your continued support and contributions!

For any clothing needs, please contact Carl Vermeulen on 0829226989

GOLF GREETINGS/GHOLFGROETE.

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