

ZULULAND NEWSLETTER JULY 2026

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Dear Sages

Herewith our newsletter for JULY 2026 :



August birthday babies :

- 1. Billy King - 08 August**
- 2. Leon Graaff - 31 August**

Results of our game at Mtunzini Golf Course (RYDER CUP), Sunday, 12 July 2026 :

1st - Rozy de Vos & George van Wyk - 54 Points

2nd - Dawie Pretorius & Jackie Joseph - 48 Points/Count Out

3rd - Marina Graaff & Apie Hughes - 48 Points

NTP NO 3 : Johan Meeding

Most golf : Johan Meeding & Wilhelm J van Rensburg - 38 Points

**** Brian Conway & Greg Duncan - 40 Points**

Birdies : Willie Steyn; Mike Brown & Pieter Cloete

Whisky Draw : Rozy de Vos

“A leading difficulty with the average player is that he totally misunderstands what is meant by concentration. He may think he is concentrating hard when he is merely worrying.”

- Bobby Jones -



First Place : Rozy de Vos & George van Wyk with committee member Willie Steyn



Second Place : Jackie Joseph & Dawie Pretorius



Third Place : Marina Graaff & Apie Hughes

“Doubt yourself and you doubt everything you see. Judge yourself and you see judges everywhere. But if you listen to the sound of your own voice, you can rise above doubt and judgment. And you can see forever.”

- Nancy Lopez -



Most Golf : Greg Duncan & Brian Conway



Birdie Winners : Mike Brown; Willie Steyn & Pieter Cloete - All scored one birdie each

SAGES - Mtunzini (Ryder Cup)				
SUNDAY, 12 July 2026				
USA			EUROPE	
NO	NAME	POINTS	NAME	POINTS
1	MIKE BROWN	47	BRIAN CONWAY	40
	HRIS HOWCROFT (CAPTAIN)		GREG DUNCAN	
2	BURT PORTEOUS	45	WILLIE STEYN	44
	WILLIE STEYN		HUGO DU PREEZ (CAPTAIN)	
3	JOHAN MEEDING	38	JOHAN VAN DER WALT	44
	WILHELM J VAN RENSBURG		CHRIS HEUNIS	
4	DAWIE PRETORIUS	48	MARINA GRAAFF	48
	JACKIE JOSEPH		APIE HUGHES	
5	DAWN SWARTZ	45	JEANETTE DE KLERK	44
	TOM SWARTZ		PETER DE KLERK	
6	ROZY DE VOS	54	PIETER CLOETE	42
	GEORGE VAN WYK		ANDY GELDENHUYS	
TOTAL		277	TOTAL	262



WINNERS 2026 : TEAM USA



Whisky winner : Rozy de Vos

Sponsor : Peter & Jeanette de Klerk



LIV GOLF TEAM RESULTS as on 20 June 2026							
TEAMS	Feb	March	May	June		TOTAL	POS
	21	28	23	30			
	Zini	Kwam	RBCC	Umf			
MULLIGANS	98	113	127	101		439	1
IMPIS	83	112	108	97		400	2
EAGLES	100	102	92	97		391	3
RECYCLED DIVITS	88	89	103	100		380	4
BOERE & BIERE	112	106	93	0		311	5

REMAINING LIV GOLF FIXTURES - 2026		
DATE	VENUE	FORMAT
25 July	Felixton	4 Ball Alliance (3 Scores)
22 Aug	Empangeni	4 Ball Alliance (3 Scores)
19 Sept	Richards Bay	4 Ball Alliance (3 Scores)
17 Oct	Mtunzini (FINAL)	4 Ball Alliance (3 Scores)

“Golf combines two favourite American pastimes :
taking long walks and hitting things with a stick.”

- P.J. O'Rourke -



THE FOLLOWING ZULULAND PLAYERS SUPPORTED THE CANSA DAY :

- * Leon Graaff; Marina Graaff; Leon Loots & Charlene Loots
- * Sam Aston; Billy King; Brian Conway & Ockert Annandale
- * Jeff Hunter; Pieter de Klerk; Mauritz Woeke & George van Wyk

GOLF EXPRESSIONS :

- Trust your club; fear the shot.
- Never let the fear of the sand trap you from the green.
- The harder you swing, the harder it is to find the ball.
- In golf, as in life, the lessons are in the mistakes you make along the way.
- One shot at a time.
- The grass is always greener on the golf course.
- The real key to golf is playing one shot at a time.
- Golf is my therapy.
- Golf is a mental game, and the most potent weapon is patience.
- A good golfer knows how to [keep score](#) without a pencil.

Zululand Sages Remaining Branch Fixtures - 2026

DATE	VENUE	FORMAT
18 July	Pongola	4BBBS
15 Aug	Richards Bay	Cansa Open Day (IPS)
06 Sept	Kwambonambi	IPS
5 & 6 Oct	Dundee	KZN Regionals
11 Oct	Monzi	Hidden Partner (IPS)
01 Nov	Empangeni	Club Champs
21 Nov	RBCC / Sages Open Day	4BBBS
06 Dec	Kwambonambi	Committee Revenge Game ** Prize Awards



Best regards
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