



Message from the Manager

Dear Members

Firstly I would like to welcome all of our Members back to Mossel Bay who have been away over the festive season. It is great to see all the groups back and in full swing at the Club.

Mr. Martiens Mulder has decided to step down as President from the Board. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Martiens for all of his valuable input and commitment to the Club over the past few years. It is appreciated and we wish you happy golfing and a great relationship with the Club in the future.

I would also like to mention that Steven Roos our current greenkeeper has tendered his resignation from the Club and will complete his duties at the end of January 2012. Steven will be moving to a landscaping company in Cape Town and this decision was made for personal reasons. There is no doubting the outstanding work that he has put into the course as we can all notice the quality of the condition. This is certainly accredited to Steven and all of your commitment to the Club. I would like to wish you well in all of your future endeavours.

Mr. Raymond Burt will be replacing Steven and starting on the 23rd January 2012. We have asked him to join Steven for his first week in order to be able to run through all of the system and procedures that are currently in place. Raymond was introduced and recommended by Steven and spent 11 years at the Hermanus Golf Club. I would like to welcome Raymond to the Club and wish you well for a long and successful relationship with the Club. Raymond is an avid golfer and I feel that his knowledge of the game and the industry will certainly benefit the Club. We will be introducing Raymond to the Members at prize giving functions from early February.

As promised please find below a summary of the unaudited salient operational results of the Club for December 2011 as well as for the first 6 months of the financial year.

MOSSSEL BAY GOLF CLUB

SUMMARY OF FINANCIALS THE PERIOD ENDING

31 DECEMBER 2011

	Actual	Month-DEC '11 Budget	Actual	Year to date Budget
GOLF DEPT.	R377,227	R185,693	(R137,250)	(R176,431)
BAR DEPT.	R96,546	R146,279	R282,459	R410,077
PRO-SHOP DEPT.	R51,318	R55,386	R54,636	R145,176
DRIVING RANGE DEPT.	R17,478	R7,427	R17,478	R7,427
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)	R542,569	R394,785	R217,323	R386,249
OTHER INCOME	R64,166	R12,774	R137,813	R116,074
Finance charges on hire purchases	(R14,423)	(R15,386)	(R79,315)	(R54,971)
NET PROFIT/(LOSS)	R592,311	R392,173	R275,821	R447,352
Depreciation	(R57,950)	(R64,285)	(R347,699)	(R364,285)
NET PROFIT/(LOSS)	R534,362	R327,888	(R71,878)	R83,067

The commission of investigation has been appointed by the Board. The Members are Danie Le Roux (Chairman), Koos Snyman and Malan Barnard.



In Closing I would like to inform you that the condition of the fairways are a result of the winter grass(poa annua) dying off and not for the salt content levels within the water that is been irrigated. This has been assured by Steven. There is however a plan in place to start a nursery in order to be able to replace and repair these areas in future. In saying this, the seed will have to germinate and grow prior to the implementation onto the course which means that we will have bad areas going through the winter months. And this will then be rectified as we go back into the growing season. Raymond will be tasked with this project on arrival and we will keep all the Members in the loop with regard to any further developments.

Yours in Golf,

Colin

NUWE LEDE

VOL LEDE

HENNIE LE ROUX - MOSSELBAAI
BEN UYS - GEORGE
DR GEORGE BARRETT - MOSSELBAAI
TJOEPIE PRETORIUS - MOSSELBAAI
RENE BARKHUIZEN - MOSSELBAAI
NEILIA BOTES - MOSSELBAAI
DAVID JOHNSTONE
MICK SKALECKY - MOSSELBAAI
DUDLEY DU PLESSIS - MOSSELBAAI
KELLY MULLER - MOSSELBAAI

SNR LEDE

MIKE BANDS - GROOTBRAK RIVIER

5 DAG LEDE

FRED BULL - SWELLENDAM

3 DAG LEDE

FRED VAN ZYL - MOSSELBAAI

COUNTRY LEDE

HANS KONING - KIMBERLEY
NICO BOTHA - LONDON
CHRISTEL LE ROUX - PRETORIA
STEPHANUS LE ROUX - PRETORIA
MARK HORWOOD - KENYA
DEBORAH BLINKHORNE - KENYA
ALAN MARSHAL - ENGLAND
WILLEM NIENABER
COBUS MULDER - PRETORIA
JORN FALBE - HOUTBAAI

U/35 LEDE

MARCEL NYSSCHEN - MOSSELBAAI
FRANCOIS TROSKIE - MOSSELBAAI
KAREL LE ROUX - BRACKENFELL
PIETER BUCKLE - MOSSELBAAI
CLYDE DAVIDS - MOSSELBAAI
CHRIS LE ROUX - VREDENBURG
ANDREW BROWN - MOSSELBAAI
CRAIG JENKERSON - MOSSELBAAI
MORNE TOME - OUDTSHOORN
ANGUS MAART - MOSSELBAAI
JOHAN GOUWS - MOSSELBAAI
RYAN VAN ZYL - MOSSELBAAI
ROWAN GROENEWALD - MOSSELBAAI
CHRISTO ODENDAAL - GEORGE
ROLAN MULLER - MOSSELBAAI
NATASHA GRASSOW - MOSSELBAAI
SEAN GRASSOW - MOSSELBAAI

JUNIOR LEDE

NEIL DELPORT - CHRISTIAN
BERNARD LE ROUX - MOSSELBAAI

SOCIAL LEDE

ROSLYN KING - MOSSELBAAI



VRYDAGAANDE VLEISTREKKING:

Baie dankie aan Andre Marx, eienaar van Ultra Meat (by die Mikeva Sentrum), vir die borg van ons Vrydag-aande se vleistrekking. Fairways Restaurant koop al vir baie jare hulle vleisprodukte by Ultra Meat en indien jy nog nie daar was nie, is dit nou die tyd om van hulle heerlike produkte aan te skaf.

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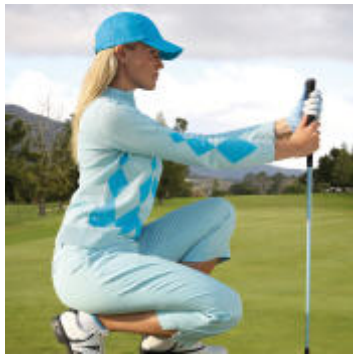


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Thursday, 12 January was a sizzling hot day for the first day of social golf for the ladies section for 2012. The format was Individual Stableford and a full enthusiastic field of 34 ladies tackled the heat and produced some excellent golf.

The most sizzling lady of the day was:
Marlies Morgan, handicap 22 with 38 points
Steaming in behind her was Ina Swart, handicap 16 with 37 points
Following closely was Annemarie Luggen, handicap 17 with 36 points
Nearest to pin on the 8th was Madelien Coopman.
The only 2 club of the day was Rita Herholdt on the 15th.
Congratulations to our "hot" winners!

We would also like to invite all Mossel Bay Golf Club Ladies to join us on a Thursday for a fun game of golf. Visitors are also most welcome.

The Committee Members steering the Ladies Section for 2012 are as follows:

Captain - Susan Wright

Vice-Captain - Magda Kaltenbrunn

Secretary - Thelma Winterbach

Treasurer and Southern Cape Representative - Rachel Mulder

Additional Members: Rita Herholdt, Ina Swart, Laetitia Higgs

Please make a note of the following golf days

- **January 14** **Ind Bonus Bogey**
- **January 18** **Ind Medal**
- **January 21** **Ind Stableford**
- **January 25** **Sakemanne Golf Day**
- **January 27** **Petro SA (Closed Event)**
- **January 28** **Cleveland Srixon Super Saturday**



Uitslae van die afgelope week:

Wednesday 11 January - (4 Ball Alliance)

1.	S. Bock/M. Hugo/A. Izaakse(Jnr)/W. Nel	113
2.	G.Pool/J. Brandt/F. Troskie/ F. Ras	110
3.	D.Wessels/S. Sadowski/I. Swart/R. Wienand	108
4.	F. Sauer/B. Power/D. de Wet/O. van Schalkwyk	107

Naaste aan pen nr 8

Marius Strydom

LEAGUE/LIGA 2012

League fixtures for 2012 season have just come through from Southern Cape Golf. The program will be fixed to the notice board, after which the appointed persons will start the selection process to determine the teams that will represent Mossel Bay in the first games.

Please keep an eye on the newsletter and notice board to plan your year in advance.

On the lighter side...

"What is a handicapped golfer?"

"One who plays with his boss," came the reply.

Enjoy your golf this week.

Your Friendly Team

