



Coringa News



4th September 2025

Kia Ora,

Saturday's Match

- A Stroke competition off the Black, Blue, and White tees for men, Yellow tees for women,
- Shootout
- Club Championships – 2nd qualifying round.

Raffle 1

9 Bev Gordon, 48 John Haddon, 11 Bev Gordon, 29 Chris Innes, 27 Keith Yardley, 14 Paul Snape
Program until the end of October - 2025

September	6	Sat	Stroke – SECOND QUALFYING ROUND CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS Black / Blue / White / Yellow tees Match of the Day – Stroke off 3 tees Shootout
	7	Sun	Interclub Blank Cup – at Pegasus vs Templeton Presidents; home game vs Christchurch
	9	Tue	Ladies; Best nett Trophy
	10	Wed	Templeton Wednesday Tournament

	11	Thu	Ladies; Veterans Rose Bowl 9-hole – Nett (Hidden holes) Men: Par - Yellow tees.
	13	Sat	Stroke – THIRD QUALIFYING ROUND CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS Black / Blue / White / Yellow tees Match of the Day – Stroke off 3 tees Shootout
	14	Sun	Interclub Thompson MacDonald – away game vs Rawhiti
	16	Tue	Ladies; Girls day out – Hororata
	17	Wed	WEDNESDAY TOURNAMENT – Stableford – White Tees 10.30 am start; \$10 Members. \$15 Visitors
	18	Thu	Ladies; Reserve Day or Stableford 9-hole – LGU Men: Stableford - Yellow tees
	20	Sat	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS 1 st round match play Black / Blue / White tees Match of the Day – Irish Stableford – Blue / White tees Shootout [for non-championship players]
	21	Sun	Interclub Blank Cup; at Harewood • Round 1 vs Russley • Round 2 vs Avondale Thompson MacDonald; away game vs Waimairi Beach Presidents; away game vs Waimairi Beach
	23	Tue	Ladies; Stableford
	24	Wed	Ellesmere Wednesday Tournament
	25	Thu	Ladies; Lilah Edgar/Acacia Stb R7 9-hole – Stableford Trophy Men: Irish Stableford - Yellow tees
	27	Sat	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS – 2 nd round match play Black / Blue / White tees Match of the Day –Stableford – Blue / White tees Shootout (for non-championship players)
	28	Sun	Thompson MacDonald; home game vs Weedons
	30	Tue	Ladies; Putting
October	1	Wed	Lone Star Group WATERING TOURNAMENT Stableford – White Tees.

			10.30 am start; (\$20 entry fee.)
	2	Thu	Ladies; LGU R9 – Joan Bisset Nett R8 9-hole; Betty McBirdie Trophy Men; Stroke – Jerry Attick Trophy – Yellow Tees
	4	Sat	Club Champs FINALS DAY 36 / 18 holes for finalists - Black / Blue / White tees. Match of the day – Russian Roulette – White tees.
	5	Sun	Interclub Blank Cup – at Clearwater • Round 1 vs Christchurch • Round 2 vs Clearwater Presidents; Home game vs Templeton
	7	Tue	Ladies; Val Sutherland Trophy
	8	Wed	Templeton Wednesday Tournament
	9	Thu	Ladies; Lilah Edgar / Acacia Stb R8 – Ringers close 9 Hole; LGU Men; Stableford – Silver tees
	11	Sat	Stableford – Black / Silver Tees (Reserve day for Club Championships)
	12	Sun	Interclub Thompson MacDonald Trophy • All teams playing at Coringa – Course Closed until 2pm • Coringa vs Avondale
	13	Mon	Coringa 9 Hole Tournament
	14	Tue	Ladies; Best nett trophy
	15	Wed	WEDNESDAY TOURNAMENT – Stableford – Silver Tees 10.30 am start; \$10 Members. \$15 Visitors
	16	Thu	Ladies; Championship Finals 9 Hole; Championship Finals Men; Par – Yellow Tees
	18	Sat	Stableford – Blue / Silver tees Shootout
	19	Sun	Interclub Presidents; away game vs McLeans Island
	20	Mon	Coring – Course Closed
	21	Tue	Coring – Course Closed
	22	Wed	Coring – Course Closed Ellesmere Watering Tournament
	23	Thu	Coring – Course Closed
	25	Sat	4BBB nett – Silver tees Shootout
	26	Sun	Interclub
	28	Tue	Ladies; Stableford
	29	Wed	XTRA - WEDNESDAY TOURNAMENT – Stableford – Silver Tees

			10.30 am start; \$10 Members. \$15 Visitors
	30	Thu	Ladies; Janet Sharp Bisque Par 9 hole; Putting (Last day for Ringers) Men; Irish Stableford – Yellow tees

CLUB NEWS

COURSE NEWS

Green speed is 10.8 feet. This week, the main focus was to complete the lifting of the green side sprinklers which is now completed. We also looked into the bad area just short right of the 2nd greenside bunker. We dig a 6-meter-long trench and place a sprinkler there so that the area gets a little bit more water and therefore a bit more grass growth.

We will also go back to the area in a few weeks' time when the grass fully kicks in and grove/seed and top-dress the area.

We also had the time this week to add an auxiliary sprinkler to the back right hand side of the 5th green to help with the high traffic flow coming off the green, this sprinkler will hopefully relieve some stress to the green.

Next week we will be giving the course a full wire to wire cut.

TUESDAY VOLUNTEERS

On Tuesday the team were busy around the course, starting with cleaning up an area of broom, gorse and long grass at the tenanted house.

Planting of native trees and plants continued.

The weed trimming around the previously planted native's trees and plants on the right-hand side of #11 also continued and is now looking really tidy.

Weed spraying on several paths was conducted and will continue next week.

We also made a start on the fence at the back of the white /yellow 17th tee block which is designed to keep golfers from walking on to the back of the tee block instead of using the path.

We will continue with the fence building next week as well as restoring the path between the 2nd green and the 3rd white/ blue tee blocks.

A big thanks to the volunteers that keep turning up to help with these jobs that assist in the continued improvements around the club and keeping our course looking great.

Harv / Brian

SATURDAY BOOKING SHEET – Change for Saturday 20th September

The Saturday start sheet usually opens every Friday morning, one week in advance.

The booking sheet for Saturday 20 September will open on Monday 15 September,

This is due to the first round of club champs taking up to 40 spaces, delaying the opening of the sheet will ensure all members have an equally fair chance to book in if they miss out on club champs.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Really a repeat of last weeks message

Everyone who should have received a subscription invoice has done so. Any issues / changes in category / resignation - please just let us know via email office@coringagolfclub.co.nz

Otherwise - either set up a DD for payment of pay in full via the Pro Shop or directly into the Club's bank account 03 0854 0594498 00

Membership cards and reciprocal right cards are available for collection **(for those who have either paid their subscription invoice or have a DD in place)**. You can pick these up in the Pro Shop.

Quick word on the reciprocal rights

This year we added in Waimairi Beach to Bottle Lake, Weddons, and Templeton.

There is a slight complication with the way Waimairi Beach allocate reciprocal games to their members – some members get 3 free games, some get 2 free games.

We have been asked to mirror this so.....

Full Coringa members – Full (incl Senior Full), Alpha, 3yrs, Corporate, Life and Staff get 3 games at Waimairi

All other members - 6 Days, U35, U23, 9 Holers get 2 games at Waimairi

There are two different cards – Barry or Nic will give you the right one depending on your membership category.

Note – for Canterbury Uni members. If you could hand in your current card in the Pro Shop we will issue you a new one valid to 30 November when your membership ends (marking off any games you've already used at Bottle Lake, Weddons, and Templeton).

And remember **all** Coringa members still get 3 free games at Bottle Lake, Weddons, and Templeton.

ADMIN ROLES AT THE CLUB

The new year as meant a changing of the guard at the Club. Andrew Wight has decided to retire for a 2nd time, giving up his roles at the Club (more time for golf he says!!).

Andrew has done a huge amount for the Club – covering Payroll, Banking and Membership (which Kevin Walker kindly picked up several years ago when our membership numbers grew and this job expanded).

Andrew has handed the Payroll work to Mandy Walsh (thanks Mandy!!) but I'm sure he will still be willing to share his expertise with us as we struggle to cover everything he has quietly done around the place.

Thanks again Andrew (and also to Kevin and now Mandy for all their work.

NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to our new members, enjoy your time at Coringa.

Dunn, Cam

Finnie, Hamish

Fukofuka, Fonua

Im, Charles

Im, Henna

Kwon, Kisoo

Lee, Kyung Sang

Lee, Myun Soo

Qin, David

Yi, Mi Young

URLWIN ROSEBOWL – Pairs match play on handicap,

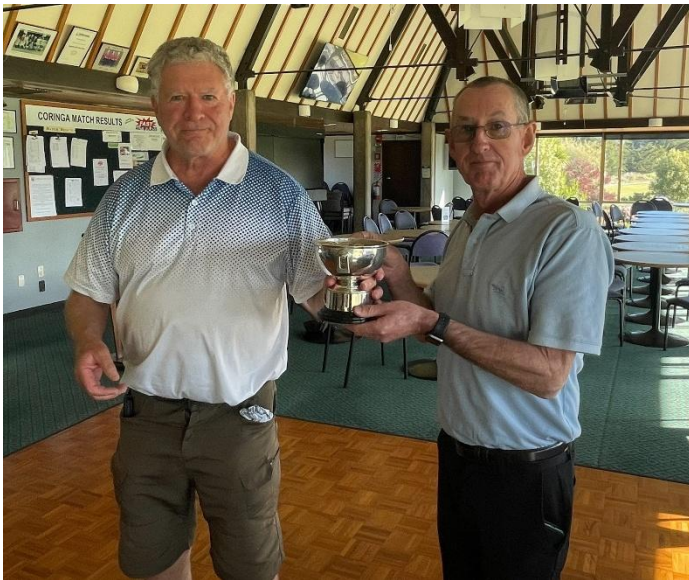
Finals – Brian Docherty / Terry Hampton vs Colin Harrison / Isaac Preece.

Another great edition of this competition has ended, with a fantastic final match,

It was a close battle for most of the round, but with time running out, Terry and Brian took control of the match to close out with a 3 / 2 win.

Thank you to all competitors this year, we had great participation numbers, and all games were played in the true sporting spirit,

Amazingly this is the first year I can remember where no games went into extra time,



Congratulations to our 2025 Champions

Terry Hampton and Brian Docherty

Winners receive \$30 each on their club cards

Runner ups receive \$15 each

2025 CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Qualifying started last Saturday 30 August.

Great participation numbers this year, good luck to all entries.

Divisions

As usual there will be five divisions,

Your Grade will be determined by your handicap, or age (masters div), **as of 30th August 2025**

There will be entry sheets in the pro shop, be sure to put your name down on the correct sheet,

and ensure you play off the correct tees for your grade

Senior	8.5 and under	Black tees
Intermediate	8.6 - 12.5	Blue tees
Junior A	12.6 - 17.0	Blue tees
Junior B	17.1 and over	White tees
Masters	Over 65yrs	White tees

Qualifying

There will be three qualifying rounds

30th August,

6th September

13th September.

Your best two scores from either of the three rounds will count towards qualifying,

The top eight qualifiers in each grade go into the matchplay draw. (Any ties decided by countback of the lowest scoring rounds)

Match-play rounds

For the match play rounds, competitors

- cannot enter the match of the day and will not be eligible for any of the usual jackpots,
- scores will not be counted towards shootout
- It is strictly match play – cards do not have to be used or submitted for handicapping, but you can do so if you wish.
- You are eligible for hole in one, or nearest to pin.

20th Sept – first round match play

27th Sept – second round (semi-final)

4th Oct - Finals day.

Finals Day – is scheduled for Saturday 4th October

Senior, Intermediate, Junior A and Junior B are 36 holes,

Masters will be an 18-hole match play event.

This year there **will not** be a shotgun start for the rest of the field,

A shotgun start creates a logistical headache for organisers trying to fit the two competitions seamlessly together, it greatly limits the number of people who can play, (92)

Using the booking sheet as normal we can fit 110 people + Alpha + finalists = so we can get closer to 140 people in total.

INTERCLUB

METRO A and METRO B

A big thank you to everyone who has answered the call from the metro interclub teams, We have a good pool of players, but we are still keen to get more names on the list. Please enter your details on the sheet in the shop or email me v.hetaraka@gmail.com.

A big thank you to the team managers for this year, Oliver Snape has kindly offered his services to lead the Metro A team, Chris Choie and Kyle Charlwood have offered to lead the Metro B team. The managers for both teams will be working closely together; we will start reaching out to players soon to ensure we have all your contact details correct.

The competition usually starts in early October, so we expect the competition draw won't be too far away from being published by Canterbury Golf.

BLANK CUP

The team played against Pegasus at Templeton on Sunday in driving rain and cold temperatures. To say the least the conditions were very trying. The team was 6/2 down for most the match. However they managed to come from behind to secure a 4 all draw.

This now places us in 3rd place at this stage with 5 rounds to go.

Winners: Woo Bong Kim, Gus Borren, Nelson Gaw and Jason Mccauley.

The next round is at Pegasus on Sunday against Templeton who are just ahead of us in 2nd place.

I am unavailable to managing the team this week due to a family commitment. Greg Carr has agreed to look after the team this week. Thanks Greg we greatly appreciate you help and hope you enjoy yourself.

DB

REPRESENTATIVE GOLF

Town vs Country

Congratulations to Woo Bong Kim and John Rademakers who were part of the successful Town team in the annual Town vs Country match played at Waimak Gorge GC.

[Click Here to read the full report from Town vs Country event](#)

CANTERBURY MASTERS

Congratulations to James Howard and Mike Boshoff (reserve) on being selected for the Canterbury Masters team to play Aorangi next Sunday 14th Sept.

WINTER RINGERS

[Click here to view Ringers results](#)

The thirteenth and final round of the Winter Ringers competition was played last Saturday, under ideal conditions,

After Round 13, we saw the conclusion of the Winter Ringers competition and Peter Marsh (33.400) maintain his lead over the field, his overall net score increased by 0.040, to be on 48.600. Gordon McCoy (21.144) consolidated his hold on a close second spot, narrowing down the margin behind the leader to 0.018, with his net score of 48.618. Phil Olsen (15.836) improved a spot into third spot on 50.164. He is followed by Chris Choie (15.764) who dropped a place into fourth spot on 51.236. The other most significant movers in the final week were Kevin King (19.280) up 10 places into fifth spot on 51.720, Alan Smith (28.750) moving up 2 places to eighth spot on 53.250, Greg Carr (32.591) up 3 places to lie in ninth spot on 53.409.

There were an additional 8 new birdies or better recorded bringing the total to 156, with two competitors to score multiple birdies in their round this week, namely Ram Thapa (8.673) with 2 birdies, one in each half; and Spencer Wicks (1.978) with four birdies, two in each half.

We ended with 36 players with a birdie or better. Twenty of the birdies or better have been scored on Hole # 12, with three of them being eagles, with the next best being Hole # 14 with 17 including two eagles. The Hardest hole to attain birdies or better are Holes # 2 and # 18 with two recorded birdies each, with Hole # 3 being the next hardest with three recorded birdies.

Here are some of the field statistics to date in the 2024/25 Winter Ringers Competition:

	<u>This Week</u>	<u>Last Week</u>
Number of Competitors	39	39
Range of Gross Scores	60 - 86	61 - 87
Range of Net Scores (Top 20)	48.600 - 55.511	48.582 - 56.000
	<u># of Players</u>	<u>%</u>
Under Net Par	39 (39)	100.00 (100.00)
Eagles or Better	5 (5)	12.82 (12.82)
Birdies or Better	36 (36)	92.31 (92.31)
Players with Multiple Birdies or Better	31 (30)	79.49 (76.92)
Bogeys or Worse to Discard	20 (22)	51.28 (56.41)
Double Bogeys or Worse to Discard	1 (1)	2.56 (2.56)

FINAL Results - Group Prizewinners :

Group A - 9 players (Range 1.978- 9.860)

Gross - Spencer Wicks (1.978) 60 \$40

Net

1	Mal Ashton (7.367)	53.633	\$40
2	David Harvey (9.030)	54.970	\$25
3	Ram Thapa (8.673)	57.327	\$15

Group B - 15 players (Range 9.861 - 14.550)

Gross - John Haddon (10.858) 66 \$40

Net

1	Andy Williamson (14.386)	53.614	\$40
2	Chris Innes (13.264)	53.736	\$25
3	Murray Angus (13.064)	54.936	\$15
4	Iain Findlater (13.691)	55.309	\$10

Group C - 15 players (Range 14.551 - 33.400)

Gross - Phil Olsen (15.836) 66 \$40

Net

1	Peter Marsh (33.400)	48.600	\$40
2	Gordon McCoy (21.382)	48.618	\$25
3	Chris Choie (15.764)	51.236	\$15
4	Kevin King (19.280)	51.720	\$10

The "King of the Ringers" Trophy which combines the Gross and Net results of the Summer and Winter Ringers competition was once again a close fought affair. Overall there were 60 competitors but only those that entered both competitions were eligible, that being 34 competitors.

The "**King of the Ringers**" Trophy final standings are:

First	Leighton Sparks (11.572)	215.285
Second	Mal Ashton (8.100)	217.700
Third	Gordon McCoy (22.196)	221.411
Fourth	Phil Olsen (16.143)	223.570
Fifth	Peter Marsh (31.875)	224.375

This Trophy will be presented to this years winner Leighton Sparks in the Clubhouse after his round on Saturday afternoon.

Congratulations to all the winners!!!

Happy golfing over the Spring months as we look forward to the Summer Ringers competition starting in December.

Have a good weekend on the course this Saturday and I'll catch up with you all on Saturday. Happy Golfing.

Kevin King

Ringers Convenor

LADIES REPORT

18-Holers: This week they played LGU Rd 8

Next week they play for the Veterans Rose Bowl

9-Holers (mixed):

Thursday: This week they played for the Betty McBirdie Trophy. 1st Ellen with 21 Stablefords, 2nd Chris with 20 Stablefords and 3rd Sandy with 19 Stablefords.

Next week we play Nett and Hidden Holes. Duty person is Chris Hendry

Saturday: If you are wanting to play on Saturdays with the 9-hole Ladies please contact Tracey Bruce. tracey.bruce@cdhb.health.nz . last week they played stablefords and 1st Anne Keh came in with 22 and Carly 2nd 19.

It was Myra's last game as a Coringa Player. Big thank you to her for all she has done for the 9 Hole players over the years.



Pictured - Loida Smart, Carly Shaw, Myra Story and Anne Keh

Sunday: No game played. Tee time booked for 10 am this coming Sunday

Tuesday: This week we played the Val Sutherland Trophy. 1st Janice Healey with 23 Stablefords. 2nd Judith Bennetts with 21 Stablefords and 3rd Leigh with 20 Stablefords.

Next week we play for Best Nett Trophy. Duty Person is Anne morgan

General News:

Fun day Out, Tuesday 16th September. We are booked at Hororata. !8-Holers tee off with Hororata 18-holers at 10am Green fee \$25. Mixed 9-Holers tee off with the Hororata 9-Holers at 11am. Green fee \$20. There are notices up in the lady's locker room for you to put your name down so that I can let Hororata know how many are coming.

Mixed 9-Hole Club Championship. The Draw is up. There are 2 Divisions. You have until labour weekend to complete the rounds. It is Match Play off the stick.

9 Hole Coringa Tournament 13th October 2025. Can ladies please start bring items to go on the raffle table at the Tournament. Please no Junk or outdated food products.

Tournaments: For 9-hole ladies, can you please let Leigh know when you are wanting to enter tournaments and she will send your entry in. leigh72mcwen@icloud.com ph. 0274340872.

18-hole ladies. If you are wanting to enter any tournaments, please do this yourself. Do not forget to send in your Handicap, ID and Index.

9 Hole Tournaments

Canterbury Golf 9-hole Tournament Sept 1st, to be held at Russley. Entry fee \$25

Russley Golf Club WOMEN'S & MEN'S 9 HOLE TOURNAMENT, Monday 15 September 2025

Affiliated 9-hole players only. Entry fee \$20

Avondale 9 Hole Open. Monday 29th September. \$20 entry fee

18 Hole Tournaments

KAIKOURA WOMENS TOURNAMENT 8th - 10th SEPTEMBER Gross, Nett & Stableford Handicaps: 0 – 40. Entry Fee \$35

Avondale Ladies Team Tournament 11th September \$100 per team. Max handicap 40.9

Bottle Lake Ladies Pairs Tournament. Friday 19th September. Entry fee \$60 per pair

Rangiora Golf Club, Women's Team Stableford, Thursday 25th September, \$160 per team

Greendale Golf Club Women's Team Stableford Tournament Teams of Four 18 Hole Members, Friday the 10th of October. Grades 0 – 40.4. Entry fee \$35 per person

McLeans Island Golf Club, Women's Open Teams Stableford Tournament. FRIDAY 31st OCTOBER 2025 ENTRY FEE: \$120 PER TEAM OF FOUR

Nic in the pro shop is going to start printing the posters that are sent out to us for relevant Tournaments. I will therefore, stop putting any new Tournaments into the newsletter.

Anne Morgan Ladies Club Captain

MENS REPORT

This Saturday 6th September

Will be a Stroke competition off the Black / Blue / White tees,

- Shootout.
- Club Championships begin – 2nd qualifying round

Last Saturday 30th August.

Today was the first round of club champs qualifying, with all tee options in play, We had record entry into the match of the day – 127 which is awesome, but it came at a cost.

Pace of play was very slow today,

There wasn't any one group to blame for the pace of play, a lot of the hold-up today came from hole 5, with most groups having a 20 – 30min waiting time – which was quite a bit above normal. It must have been playing a bit harder than usual, as indicated by some of the high scores on the hole, One person in my group took 8 shots on the hole, while an 11 was also reported by another group.

The best gross winner today was James Howard with a very respectable 76 off the Black tees.

The best score within the divisions was a tie between Wing Gin, and Lindsay Smith scoring a very impressive nett 66, following close behind was Sunday golfer Willy Stewart with a 67, great to see Willy out playing on a Saturday, well done.

Results – Stroke

[Click here to view the full results on the club website](#)

Black

Gill McKinnon	73
James Howard	75
SY Park	75
Johan Park	76

Blue – Div 1

Patrick Guo	69
Richard Kingsbury	72
Angus Tucker	72
Tim Donaldson	74
John Haddon	74

Blue Div 2

Willy Stewart	67
Peter McKay	71
Clinton Chase	72
Robert Tibbotts	72
Kyle Charlwood	74

White – Div 1

Joanne Joung	70
Min Jung	71
Brian McOscar	72
Mel Newburn	72
Sue Brown	72

White – Div 2

Lindsay Smith	66
Kevin King	69
Russell McGregor	70
Seamus O'Cromtha	71
Young Hae Lee	72

White – Div 3

Wing Gin	66
David Bruce	70
Beverly Gordon	70
Alan Smith	71
John Matthews	72

Best Gross James Howard (76)

Nett Eagle Hole (6) Not Struck

Birdie Hole (10) Sy Keelan, Yun Ok, James Howard, Ram Thapa

Nearest to pins Ram Thapa (5), Leighton Sparks (7), Noah Choi (13), Brian McOscar(17),

2's Jackpot Nelson Gaw, 13, 17

2's Nelson Gaw 13, 17, Leighton Sparks 7, Albert Yee 7, Chris Choie 7, Michael Homan 17, Brian McOscar 17, Lindsay Smith 7, Grant Morris 17, Walker Lin 5, Ram Thapa 5, Jason McCauley 7, Spencer Wicks 13,

WEDNESDAY

'Lone Star and Joes Garage Group' (\$20 entry) tournament

We had our monthly fundraising **Wednesday 'Lone Star and Joes Garage Group' (\$20 entry) tournament** on Wednesday with once again great numbers of **94** playing on rapidly drying greens and a course looking a picture. We had the usual **'Lone Star and Joes Garage Group'** \$50 vouchers for **'The Lone Star'** and **'Joes Garage'** premises and meat prizes from our friends at **'New World Bishopdale'** and closest to pins purchased through **'Hancocks'**.

This time we sold all four meat raffles and thanks to all those who purchased. I'm not too sure what was going on Walter, but my golly was there a lot of multi raffle winners.

This week I asked Dean to put the pins in some easier positions, and it looks like it worked, as there was only one prize winner who didn't play to handicap. Great scoring by Dave Stead with the day's best with a great 41 stablefords, Paul Snape after a practice on Monday on 40 and then five on 39 including Division 3 winner Gavin Walkinshaw and five on 38.

Coringa members Results;

Division One:

1st	Paul Snape	40
2nd	Sue Brown	38(C/B)
3rd	Youngdeuk Yun	38(C/B)
7th	Kevin Walker	36(C/B)

Division Two:

1st	David Stead	41
2nd	Cathy Seo	39(C/B)
4th	Charlie Su	39
5th	Mandy Walsh	38(C/B)
6th	Terry Hampton	38(C/B)

Division Three:

Nil

Celebrations:

Ian Donaldson turned 75 Wednesday and missed a putt on the 18th to shoot his age. Well done Ian and great to have you part of the the club. Unfortunately Ian missed out on a prize within the tournament but someone may have said "he played well enough for good old Dutchy to have to buy him a beer!" Congratulations Duck.

Murray and Sue Brown had their 38 wedding anniversary also on Wednesday. Great to see you both find the time to be playing with each other, after that many years! Ah I don't know whether that sounds quite right or what I meant to say but it sounds funny anyhow! Haha!

Player Numbers:

For the last two tournaments we have had 94 participants and as the weather improves, we may find more people playing. I would suggest that members and people who are interested in playing should make a booking through the Pro-Shop to guarantee you are not standing around too long before getting put into a group or to find an available tee time.

Sponsorship:

Once again **'The Lone Star and Joes Garage Group'** management have agreed to continue with **their sponsorship of the club and monthly Wednesday tournament**. This continues the fantastic support the management has been of Coringa for the last eight years. Please support the group restaurants and thank their staff for the ongoing support of the club.

Templeton:

The group heads out to Templeton next week. Remember you need to have a booking through the Pro-Shop there.

Wednesday mid month 'The Lone Star and Joe's Garage Group' Wednesday Watering (\$10 /\$15 Entry) Tournament:

We have mid month tournament on **'Lone Star and Joes Garage Group' (\$10 and \$15 entry) tournament on Wednesday 17th September** with the usual meat prizes from our friends at **'New World Bishopdale'** and closest to pins purchased through **'Hancocks'**. Come out and enjoy the course with a good chance of winning.

I will repeat my comments within the prize giving that Templeton's course will be closed on the 17th and a number of their members have indicated that they will be playing with us, so number may be up depending on the weather. There will be two meat raffles available.

Remember tee times start at 10 so to ensure your tee time, please make a booking through the Pro-Shop or just turn up and you'll get put into a four.

Lets hope for a good turn out.

Harv

THURSDAY

On a warm and sunny Spring morning we had a good field of 19 players turn up for the Thursday Golf tournament. Today's game was a stableford round off the yellow tees and we were playing for the Jerry Attick trophy.

In first place and winner of the Jerry Attick trophy was Seamus O'Cromtha who played superb golf and had 40 stablefords, in second place was Doug Densem who scored 38 points, in 3rd place was John Matthews who had 37 points, in 4th place was Jacky Zhang with 35 points and in 5th place was Tom White on 34 points.

Closest to the pin on hole 17 was Seamus O'Cromtha.

The most honest golfer today was Peter (Swampy) Marsh who played solidly for his 24 points.

Results

1 st	Seamus O'Cromtha	40 points
2 nd	Doug Densem	38 points
3 rd	John Matthews	37 points
4 th	Jacky Zhang	35 points
5 th	Tom White	34 points

AND NOW...

Balcony Life

Bill and Marla decided that the only way to pull off a Sunday afternoon quickie with their 10-year-old son in the apartment was to send him out on the balcony and order him to report on all the neighborhood activities.

The boy began his commentary as his parents put their plan into operation. "There's a car being towed from the parking lot,"

he said. "An ambulance just drove by." A few moments passed.

"Looks like the Andersons have company," he called out. "Matt's riding a new bike and the Coopers are having sex."

Mom and dad shot up in bed. "How do you know that?" the startled father asked.

"Their kid is standing out on the balcony too," his son replied.

MEMBERS CORNER

Here's a couple of members contributions to close out this week's newsletter





If anyone has any news, jokes or stories to share with the club please contact me

Email v.hetaraka@gmail.com

Txt, 022 458 8199

Vance Hetaraka