WGC Weekly

MORE THAN A GAME



NEXT SUNDAY · THE MAIN EVENT

The Mixed Foursomes *Championship*

One ball, two players, alternate shots. Find your partner for one of the true highlights of the Club calendar.

SUNDAY

29

NOVEMBER

12:45 pm shotgun

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING · BOARD ELECTION 2026

Tuesday 1 December *at 7:00 pm*

For the first time, eligible members are invited to vote online. Voting closes 9:00 am, Monday 30 November.

Cast your vote at **warrnambool-golf-club.virtual-psychologist.workers.dev**

FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

Can you *break par?*

Welcoming the new Mayor, nine holes on the putting green, and voting online for the first time.



James Loughnane *CCM MBA*

Dear Members, this week the Club was proud to host Warrnambool City Council's Mayor's Breakfast, welcoming the new Mayor of Warrnambool, Willie Benter. It was a great pleasure to see the clubhouse so full for the occasion.

You may also have noticed the new numbers and Club logo on the putting green pins. There are nine holes, each a par 2. Start from the edge of the green and putt to hole 1, then place your ball within a couple of club lengths of the hole and putt to the next. Can you break par?

Why not challenge your friends to a match, with a coffee or a beer on the line? As a junior golfer, I spent hours doing exactly this.

Finally, our Annual General Meeting is on Tuesday 1 December at 7:00 pm, with a ballot for two General Committee positions. For the first time, eligible members have been invited to cast their vote online. Voting closes at 9:00 am on Monday 30 November. Susan Rea and Lauren Higgins remain on the Board, each with another year to serve.

James Loughnane

JAMES LOUGHNANE CCM MBA · General Manager



MAYOR'S BREAKFAST *19 November*



9	2	18
HOLES	PAR EACH	TO BEAT

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING · BOARD ELECTION 2026

TUESDAY

1 *December*

7:00 pm *at the Club*

THE BALLOT · TWO PLACES

General *Committee*

- Jeff Hill
- Mark Jones
- David Stapleton

YOUR BOARD

Elliot Gould	PRESIDENT · ELECTED
Marcus Norton	VICE-PRES. · ELECTED
Vince Occhipinti	TREASURER · ELECTED
Susan Rea	CONTINUING
Lauren Higgins	CONTINUING

FOR THE FIRST TIME · VOTING CLOSES 9:00 AM, MONDAY 30 NOVEMBER

Eligible members are invited to *vote online*

Find out more at **warrnamboolgolf.com.au/agm-2026**

PLAY · COMPETE · BELONG

The *Results*

Saturday 14 – Thursday 19 November 2026

SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER

The Monthly *Medal*

183 PLAYERS — *Nett stroke play, the biggest field of the week.*

MEDAL WINNER

Ciara Lappin — 66 *nett c/b*

RUNNER-UP: Karan Henry 66

BEST GROSS: Lenny Spicer 72

CLUB COMPETITIONS

14 SAT · NOV — Women's *Stroke*

21 PLAYERS

WINNER: **Karan Henry** 66 *nett*

RUNNER-UP: Alana Ellery 69 *nett*

15 SUN · NOV — Stableford *White/Red*

43 PLAYERS

WINNER: **Nicholas Wormald** 38 *pts c/b*

RUNNER-UP: Clare Merison 38 *pts*

17 TUE · NOV — Veterans/ *Seniors*

76 PLAYERS

WINNER: **Neville Gorman** 37 *pts c/b*

RUNNER-UP: Richard Voigt 37 *pts*

18 WED · NOV — Women's *Stableford*

65 PLAYERS

BEST OF THE DAY · D GRADE: **Lyn Cook** 43 *pts*

B GRADE WINNER: Annette Lumsden 41 *pts*

19 THU · NOV — Thursday *Stableford*

BLUE/RED

WINNER: **Wayne Hansen** 46 *pts*

RUNNER-UP: David McDonald 42 *pts*

MEMBERS DRAW · THU 19 NOV

Not won *this week*

The jackpot rolls over.

NEXT THURSDAY · 26 NOVEMBER

$2,100

c/b denotes on countback

Members must be present to win · Full results via MiClub

KEY DATES & EVENTS

The Club *Diary*

November 2026 – January 2027

THE MAIN EVENT

SUNDAY

29

NOVEMBER

12:45 pm shotgun

NEXT SUNDAY · A HIGHLIGHT OF THE CLUB CALENDAR

Mixed Foursomes *Championship*

One ball, two players, alternate shots. A day that rewards partnership as much as skill. Find a partner and take part.

DATE	Sunday 29 November 2026
START	12:45 pm shotgun
ENTRIES	Now open via the *Members Portal*

The weeks *ahead*

DATE	EVENT	DETAILS	CATEGORY
22 SUN · NOV	Sunday Extravaganza	This Sunday. Thank you to all our volunteers	THIS SUNDAY
25 WED · NOV	McLaren Hunt AgVic event	Evening function in the clubhouse	FUNCTION
26–27 THU–FRI	Bolwarra Principals Conference	Two-day conference at the Club	FUNCTION
27 FRI · NOV	Bryan Peterson Christmas Party	Evening function in the clubhouse	FUNCTION
29 SUN · NOV	Mixed Foursomes *Championship*	12:45 pm shotgun. Enter via the Members Portal	MAIN EVENT
30 MON · NOV	Ballot closes · 2nd hole works	Votes due 9:00 am. 2nd hole closed Tue–Wed (Thu if needed)	PLEASE NOTE
1 TUE · DEC	Annual General Meeting	Drinks and nibbles 6:30 pm. Meeting 7:00 pm	GOVERNANCE
24 THU · DEC	Last lunch of the year	Whitley Fine Dining. Bookings essential	DINING
5 TUE · JAN	The kitchen reopens	Welcome back to the clubhouse for 2027	DINING
Every THURSDAY	Members Draw	Members must be present to win	WEEKLY



THE GOLF SHOP · TITLEIST

Next stop, *Boston*

Purchase a dozen Titleist golf balls from your Golf Shop and go into the draw to win a trip to Titleist Headquarters in Boston, Massachusetts.

Few golfers ever see where the #1 ball in golf is conceived, tested and refined. This is that invitation, and if Titleist is already the ball in your bag, each dozen now carries a little more promise.

BOARDING PASS · THE PRIZE — THE GOLF SHOP

WGC — WARRNAMBOOL → BOS — BOSTON, MA

FLIGHTS	STAY	TOURS	AND
To *Boston*	Accommodation	Titleist *HQ*	*more besides*

YOUR TICKET

12

TITLEIST BALLS

Every dozen is another chance.

01 Purchase a dozen

Any dozen Titleist golf balls, bought in your Golf Shop

02 Enter the draw

Trent will show you how to submit your entry

EXPLORE THE RANGE

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COURSE UPDATE · FROM STUART & THE TEAM

The season *turns*



GREEN DOWN THE MIDDLE, SUMMER ON THE WAY

The course is looking neat and tidy, and the team is steering it through the trickiest stretch of the year: hot one day, cool the next.

At this time of year the irrigation runs on and off rather than flat out, so we are still hand-watering where it is needed. Some of the rough is starting to dry, which is exactly what you would expect as summer arrives.

Once the rain stops, the unirrigated rough will turn golden while the fairways stay green, giving the course the strong, classic contrast of summer golf. Last year the rain held on until just before Christmas; we will see what this season brings.

THIS WEEK ON COURSE

01 **Irrigation repairs**
A broken valve and a faulty sprinkler, both found and fixed

02 **Hand-watering**
Keeping the drier areas healthy between rain

03 **Healthy greens**
Disease pressure is low, with preventative care continuing

04 **The surrounds**
Sprayed and tidied around the greens

BIGGER GREENS, MORE PIN POSITIONS

Six greens, *gently grown*

The 16th now reaches back to where its original footprint most likely sat, on the flat before the ground falls away.

3rd	5th	13th	18th	2nd	16th
THE BIGGEST CHANGE	A LITTLE LARGER	A LITTLE LARGER	A LITTLE LARGER	WITH THE ARCHITECT	ORIGINAL FOOTPRINT
IN RECENT SEASONS				NEW THIS MONTH	

THE 2ND HOLE — Works begin **Monday 30 November** · *closed Tue 1 & Wed 2 Dec, Thu 3 if needed*

See you on the course.

Stuart Calvert

STUART CALVERT · Course Superintendent

WHITLEY FINE DINING & CATERING

From the *Kitchen*

Portland flathead, Cape Grim beef and Meredith goat feta. The very best of our region, cooked with care in the clubhouse kitchen.

THE WEEK OF 23 NOVEMBER

Lunch *Specials*

TUESDAY – FRIDAY · 11:30 AM – 3:00 PM

Tart 18
Roasted vegetable and Meredith goat feta tart, house salad, pomegranate molasses V

Calamari 26
Salt and Sichuan pepper coated, fries, house salad, lemon I

Lamb Shank 26
Slow cooked, parsley and onion white sauce, sweet potato and pumpkin purée, snow peas

Today's Fresh Fish 29
Flathead, Portland, Victoria A

FROM THE CHEF

Bon appétit

Andrew & the Whitley team

THURSDAY 26 NOVEMBER

Thursday Night *Specials*

DINNER · 4:30 – 8:00 PM

Fish Special 32
Oven-baked Atlantic salmon, crispy chats, asparagus, lemon, dill and tarragon beurre blanc GF · A

Pizza Bianca 25
Bacon, mushroom, garlic butter, spring onion, mozzarella, parmesan

Calamari 26
Salt and Sichuan pepper coated, fries, house salad, lemon I

Today's Fresh Fish 29
Flathead, Portland, Victoria A

Steak 45
300g Cape Grim scotch fillet, crispy chats, house salad GF

YOUR CHOICE OF SAUCE

Pedro Ximénez jus · Mushroom & bacon
Café de Paris butter

CHRISTMAS FUNCTIONS

Celebrate the season *at the Club*

From work Christmas parties to family gatherings, Whitley Fine Dining & Catering can take care of all your Christmas function requirements.

LUNCH	DINNER	BOOKINGS & CHRISTMAS ENQUIRIES
Tuesday – Friday 11:30 am – 3:00 pm	Thursday evenings 4:30 pm – 8:00 pm	hospitality@warrnamboolgolf.com.au

V vegetarian · GF gluten free

Prices in dollars · Menus subject to availability

SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT · OUR VALUED PARTNERS

Prescott *Podiatry*

FOOT, NAIL & GAIT CARE · WARRNAMBOOL

> *We care for your feet, and you!*
>
> THE PRESCOTT PROMISE

Every individual is unique, so your care should be too. For golfers, comfortable feet are where every good round begins.

The team at Prescott Podiatry take the time to listen, then build a treatment or management plan around your lifestyle. No foot or lower-limb concern is too small for a consultation.

HOW THEY CAN HELP

01 Sport & Biomechanics

Diagnosis and targeted treatment for foot and leg pain

02 Nail & Skin Care

Ingrown toenails, corns, calluses and skin concerns

03 Diabetes Foot Assessments

Part of your diabetes management plan

04 Children's Podiatry

Caring for growing feet, from the very first steps

YOUR PODIATRIST



Blair Prescott

Principal Podiatrist

Experienced across all areas of podiatry, from ingrown toenails and corns to sprained ankles.

OPENING HOURS

Tue – Wed	8:30 am – 5:00 pm
Thursday	1:00 – 7:00 pm
Friday	8:30 am – 5:00 pm
Monday	*Closed*

VISIT

14 Smith Avenue *Warrnambool*

Just off the main street, with free parking at the rear and wheelchair access.

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