Macksville Country Club GOLF Newsletter WE Saturday 02/05/2026

Another great stretch of golf at Macksville Country Club, with strong fields across both weekend and midweek competitions and plenty happening around the Club. It’s been good to see a mix of familiar names continuing their solid form while some new faces are featuring on the leaderboards and in the ball rundowns. Congratulations to our Medal winner **D. Pike** and Spoon winner **M. Manning** from Saturday’s Stroke event—well played to both. There’s been plenty of highlights across the board, including competitive midweek fields, Chook Run action, and ongoing course improvements and feedback shaping the future of the layout. A big thank you as always to our sponsors for their continued support—your contribution plays a huge role in keeping golf at Macksville thriving.

Looking ahead, the Golf Committee AGM (date to be confirmed) is an important opportunity for members to engage in the future direction of golf at the Club. With several committee members stepping down, we are actively seeking new volunteers to assist with running competitions, events, and general golf operations. If you’re passionate about the Club and keen to contribute, we strongly encourage you to consider nominating or reaching out to learn more about what’s involved.

Sponsorship Opportunities 2026/27

Macksville Country Club is proud to offer a range of sponsorship opportunities for local businesses and supporters looking to align with a strong, community-focused sporting club. Our sponsors play a vital role in supporting competitions, events, junior development, and the ongoing improvement of our facilities. In return, sponsors enjoy

excellent exposure to our members and visitors through regular competitions, signage, newsletters, and club communications. Whether you're a small local business or a larger organisation, we welcome the chance to work together and build lasting partnerships that benefit both the Club and the wider community. If you're interested in becoming involved, please contact the Club or a committee member to discuss available options.

Some Points to keep in mind while playing.

- **Carts** – While it is great that we have Cart availability at the course (Club, stored and people living in proximity), this means that the course is experiencing high traffic. Common sense is asked for, and, where possible, carts could remain 10m from the green. Example Carts to be kept to the right side of the 3rd and 12th green. Where possible, keep to the second cut around greens. No one should be parking directly next to any green.
- **Keep up with the group in front**
- **Be ready to play** – limit practice swings and move efficiently
- **Be aware of the groups around you –** If you have a group that is waiting on every shot behind you for extended periods of time, it might be worth letting them through at an appropriate time on the course.
- **Play ready golf** – hit when safe and ready
- **Be quiet and still** when others are hitting
- **Look after the course**
    - Repair pitch marks
    - Replace or fill divots
    - Rake our bunker

- **On the green**
  - Don’t walk in putting lines
  - Keep bags and carts off

- **Stay safe**
  - Don’t hit into players ahead
  - Call **“FORE!”** if needed

- **If you fall behind**
  - Let faster groups through

□□ Golden Rule: **Be ready, keep up, and respect the course and other players.**

Scheduled Events

2026 Schedule is available with the link below. Also Available in the Drop-Down Menu Labelled “Golf”

2026 Golf Event Calander

May 2026
Sat 2 May – Stroke Medal & Spoon, *Desma Hughes & Carmel Freudenstein*
S**at 9 May** – Single Stableford, *KC’s Fishing Charters* – AGM – Shotgun Start
Sat 16 May – 4BBB Stroke (Individual in Conjunction), *Jeff Gore*
Sat 23 May – Single Stableford, *BMW Flooring*
Sat 30 May – Single Stableford, Steve Hosking and Michael Simpson

Lastest Results

Saturday 2nd May 2026

Sponsor: Desma Hughes & Carmel Freudenstein
Event: Stroke Medal & Spoon

Medal Winner

D. Pike

Spoon Winner

M. Manning

Division 1

Winner: D. Pike
Runner-Up: R. Donnelly

Division 2

Winner: B. King
Runner-Up: J. Lambert

Nearest to the Pin

Div 1: Matt Ward
Div 2: Peter Lambert

Ball Winners

L. Laverty
P. Evans
J. Gore
B. Forty
B. Klar
R. Edwards
G. Single
M. Simpson
S. Ash
Bo Forty
S. Ward

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Midweek Competition 262

Winner

Ron MacDonald

Ball Winners

Brad 40
Steve Riddell
Steve Thomas
Mal Lam
Paul Donges

Chook Run – Ending 16/4/26

Winner

Bob Lindsay

Runner-Up

Peter Lambert

Weekly Pin Winners

Week 1 – Geoff O’Grady
Week 2 – Roy Rudner

Ball Winners

R. Curtis
R. Runner
N. Austin x2
M. Trisley
S. Hosking
J. Gore
M. Graham
T. Adams

Golf Committee AGM – Expressions of Interest

The Macksville Country Club Golf Committee AGM will be held on Saturday, 9th May at 9am with a 10am Shotgun start, and we encourage any members interested in the future of golf at our Club to consider joining the committee.

The committee plays an important role in ensuring competitions run smoothly, events are well organised, sponsors are supported, and the overall golf experience continues to

improve for members and visitors alike. With some members recently stepping down from their positions, we are now seeking new people who are willing to lend a hand and contribute fresh ideas.

There are many ways to assist, and duties can be shared. Areas where help is currently needed include:

- Securing and liaising with weekly competition sponsors
- Preparing and managing the annual fixture list
- Seeking new sponsorship opportunities
- Competition administration and finishing fields
- Assisting with newsletters and member communication
- Running knockout competitions
- Helping organise and manage Open Days and major events
- Liaising with course staff regarding event preparation, mowing schedules, renovations and course presentation
- General support with promoting participation and growing golf numbers at the Club

You do not need to do everything—many hands make light work. If you are passionate about golf at Macksville Country Club and would like to help shape its future, please consider nominating when AGM details are announced. New faces, new ideas, and shared effort are always welcome. Give Matt a tap on the shoulder this week or send an email to flag your interest.

Course Feedback & Proposed Layout Update

Thank you to the members who recently provided feedback on the course. While responses were limited, the feedback was practical and highlighted several key areas for improvement,

as well as a broader proposal for future course/land development.

Member Feedback Summary

Safety & Awareness

- Suggestions to install **clear signage** on holes where play overlaps or runs close together
- Focus on improving awareness between neighbouring tees to reduce risk

Course Care

- Recommendation to **relocate sand buckets and refill stations** on the 1st tee to a more visible position
- Add signage encouraging players to **repair divots and maintain course quality**

Access & Traffic

- Concerns raised about **access between nearby residences and the course/club**, including:
  - Blocked access due to parked vehicles and trailers
  - Poor conditions in wet weather
  - Limited lighting

- Suggested improvements include:
  - **No parking signage** to keep access clear
  - A **gravel path** to improve safe entry and exit

Course Condition

- Positive feedback that the **course is currently looking great**

A Proposed Course Layout (Overview)

A revised **18-hole layout (Par 70)** has been submitted for consideration.

Front Nine – Par 35

- Mix of existing holes and reconfigured tee positions
- Includes additional Par 3s and use of older tee areas
- Some minor works proposed (e.g. selective tree removal)

Back Nine – Par 35

- A combination of current holes and adjusted playing directions
- Reuse of existing infrastructure,
- **Total: Par 70**

Purpose of the Proposed Changes

The layout proposal is aimed at:

- **Improving player safety** by reducing crossing fairways and shared landing zones
- **Enhancing the pace of play** through better hole flow
- **Maximising existing infrastructure** to limit costs
- **Improving presentation and first impressions for members and visitors**

Summary

The feedback and proposal together highlight two clear opportunities:

Short-term improvements

- Signage for safety
- Improved access and traffic flow
- Encouraging better course care

Long-term consideration

- Potential course layout changes to improve safety, flow, and sustainability.

Continued growth in participation will begin asking questions about the viability of a 9-hole layout.

Further updates will be provided as feedback is reviewed and options are considered. Members will have the opportunity to provide input before any major changes are made.

COURTESY BUS

MACKSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB



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AVAILABLE WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY,
FRIDAY & SATURDAY NIGHTS
FROM 5PM-8.30PM

PICK UP LOCATIONS
THROUGHOUT MACKSVILLE

Bookings on 6568 1400


FAIRWAYS BISTRO
SCHNITZEL NIGHT
FROM $19.90*
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FAIRWAYS BISTRO MENU

STARTERS

	NM / M
Garlic Bread	$11 / $9 Add Cheese + $2
Salt & Pepper Squid W/ Chips & Aioli	$19 / $17
Onion Rings	$12 / $10
Bowl of Chips W/ Tomato or BBQ Sauce	$11 / $9
Bowl of Wedges W/ Sour Cream & Sweet Chilli	$14 / $12

UNDER THE SEA

	NM / M
Stone & Wood Pacific Ale Beer Battered Fish & Chips w/ Salad, Lemon & Tartare Sauce	$25 / $23
Salt & Pepper Trio Fish, Squid & Prawns W/ Salad, Chips, Lemon & Aioli	$26 / $24
Creamy Garlic Prawns W/ Rice & Salad	$32 / $30
Chipotle Garlic Prawns W/ Light Salad, Chips & Aioli	$30 / $28

PIZZAS

	NM / M
Hawaiian Ham, Pineapple, Napolitana Sauce & Cheese	$17 / $15
BBQ Meatlovers Bacon, Cabanossi, Beef, Ham, Pepperoni, BBQ sauce & Cheese	$19 / $17
Vegetarian Pumpkin, Caramelized Onion, Mushrooms, Fetta, Baby Spinach & Pine Nuts	$19 / $17
Genovese Roast Chicken, Pesto, Mushrooms, Napolitana Sauce & Spanish Onion	$20 / $18

FOR KIDS OPTIONS PLEASE SEE KIDS MENU

BARNYARD

	NM / M
Chicken Schnitzel W/ Chips, Salad & Your choice of sauce	$25 / $23
Chicken Parmigiana Chicken Schnitzel with Napolitana Sauce, Ham, Cheese Served W/ Chips & Salad	$28 / $26
300g Scotch Fillet W/ Chips & Salad Or Mash & Veg Your Choice of Sauce	$38 / $36
250g Striploin W/ Chips & Salad Or Mash & Veg Your Choice of Sauce	$31 / $29
Pork Cutlet W/ Mash, Veg & Red Wine Jus	$30 / $28
Mixed Grill 250g Striploin, Bacon, Egg, Sausage, Chips & Salad Your Choice of Sauce	$38 / $36
Crumbed Lamb Cutlet W/ Chips & Salad Or Mash & Veg Your Choice of Sauce (x2 Cutlets)	$32 / $30 Add Cutlet + $8
Beef Burger W/ Angus Patty, Bacon, Onion, Cheese, Tomato, Lettuce & BBQ Sauce	$21 / $19
Chicken Schnitzel Burger W/ Cheese, Tomato, Lettuce, Sweet Chilli & Aioli	$21 / $19

Extra Sauce - $3.00 - Gravy, Diane, Pepper, Mushroom, Creamy Garlic, Red Wine Jus.
Garlic Prawn Topper - $7.00

VEGGIE PATCH

	NM / M
Caesar Salad W/ Cos Lettuce, Eggs, Bacon, Croutons, Parmesan & Caesar dressing	$20 / $18 Add Chicken + $5
Veggie Burger W/ Baby Spinach, Zucchini, Capsicum, Eggplant, Red Onion, Haloumi, Chipotle & Aioli	$21 / $19

*Any alterations are at the discretion of the chef and may incur a surcharge.
*Surcharge of 15% applies on all Public Holidays.


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*Conditions apply


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GOLF DRIVING RANGE

OPEN EVERYDAY
FROM 8AM





SMALL BUCKET - $12

GOLF MEMBERS - $10

LARGE BUKET - $18

GOLF MEMBERS - $15

Subject to availability

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NAMES IN BY 5TH FEB.
SEE NAME SHEET NEAR TAB
STARTS FEBRUARY 2026
BUY-IN: $20 (PAID AT BAR)
MAX BET PER WEEK: $20
SEE PUNTERS CLUBS RULES FOR
MORE DETAILS


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MEGGA FRIDAY RAFFLES

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OVER $1000 IN PRIZES

FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH FROM 6PM

MEMBERS DRAW

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Jackpots $50 weekly!





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MACKSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB
STARTS SUNDAY 1ST MARCH
WINNERS TAKE CASH PRIZES
$70 ENTRY FEE
NAMES & BUY-INS IN BY 23RD FEBEUARY
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BE IN THE DRAW EACH THURSDAY
PUTT A HOLE IN ONE OR
ROLL A JACK TO WIN*

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FREE TICKET WITH EVERY
DRINK OR MEAL PURCHASED
FOR MEMBERS THURSDAYS
AFTER 5PM





Putt JACK

JACKPOTS $50 EACH WEEK IF NOT WON

*SEE TERMS & CONDITIONS FOR DETAILS



MEMBERS DRAW



WEDNESDAY RAFFLE

$$$$$

FRIDAY RAFFLE

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- CAPS AT $5000
- WEDNESDAY NIGHT AFTER 7PM
  FRIDAY NIGHT AFTER 7:30
- MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN WITH MEMBERS CARD
- INCREASES BY $50EA DRAW, EACH WEEK UNTIL WON*

MACKSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB

MENU

SCHNITZEL NIGHT

ALL SERVED WITH CHIPS & SALAD

Plain Chicken Schnitzel

with a choice of sauce
mushroom, dianne, pepper or plain gravy

Schnitzel Parmigiana

topped with house napolitana sauce & cheese

Meatlovers

topped with sliced pepperoni, bacon, onion & mozzarella cheese

Bosciola

topped with creamy bacon & mushroom sauce and parmesan cheese

Florentine

sautéed spinach, caramelized onions, fetta cheese & hollandaise sauce

Aussie

topped with bacon, avocado, egg & cheese

$25.00 Schnitzel le Mer

topped with cream garlic prawns

$19.90



Hospitality Staff WANTED!

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WE ARE LOOKING FOR FRONT OF HOUSE KITCKEN STAFF FOR PART TIME WORK.

Front of House

Kitchen Hands





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