

Macksville Country Club GOLF Newsletter WE Saturday 20/06/2026

The Foursomes Championships were the highlight of the week, with members enjoying one of golf's most traditional and demanding formats. Congratulations to **Allan Clarke and Beau Lavender** on taking out the Men's Gross Championship, while **Peter Lambert and Neil Cunneen** combined superbly to secure the Net title. A big thank you to **Nambucca River Co-op** for sponsoring the Men's Foursomes Championship.

The **Mixed Foursomes Championship**, proudly sponsored by **Cheryl and Brad Fortescue**, also produced some outstanding golf. Congratulations to **Desma Hughes and Matt Baker** on claiming the Gross Championship, with **Nikki Laird and Gary Clarke** finishing as Gross Runners-Up. The Net honours went to **Rhonda McAuliffe and Alan Clarke**, while **Jo Anne Montague and Graham Everett** were worthy Net Runners-Up. It was fantastic to see such strong support for both championship events and some excellent teamwork on display throughout the day.

Away from the championships, competition remained strong throughout the week with **Neil Cunneen** continuing his good form by winning the midweek event, while **Cathy Cresswell** claimed the Ladies Stableford. Congratulations to all of our winners, ball winners and nearest-the-pin recipients over the week. The continued support of our sponsors, volunteers and members is what makes golf at Macksville Country Club such a success, and we sincerely thank everyone who contributes both on and off the course.



A promotional poster for Macksville Country Club membership renewal. The background is a scenic view of a golf course with a pond and trees. At the top, the MCC logo is centered above the text 'MACKSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB'. Below this, the word 'MEMBERSHIPS' is written in large, white, block letters, and 'ARE DUE!' is written in a large, dark, brush-stroke font. To the left of the text is a large white golf ball with the MCC logo. To the right is a blue flag on a pole with the MCC logo. Below the main text, a paragraph reads: 'To ensure you remain a financial member and continue to enjoy all the benefits of being part of our great club, please renew your membership.' Below this is a calendar icon with a checkmark, followed by the text 'DUE BY 30TH JUNE 2026'. Underneath is a section titled 'YOUR MEMBERSHIP SUPPORTS:' with four icons in circles: a golf flag (Great Courses), three people (Strong Community), a trophy (Quality Competitions), and a golf bag (Junior Development). To the right of these icons is a handwritten-style message: 'Thank you for your continued support!'. At the bottom, a dark blue banner contains the text 'RENEW TODAY AND KEEP BEING PART OF MACKSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB'.

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MEMBERSHIPS ARE DUE!

To ensure you remain a financial member and continue to enjoy all the benefits of being part of our great club, please renew your membership.

 **DUE BY 30TH JUNE 2026**

YOUR MEMBERSHIP SUPPORTS:

-  **GREAT COURSES**
-  **STRONG COMMUNITY**
-  **QUALITY COMPETITIONS**
-  **JUNIOR DEVELOPMENT**

Thank you for your continued support!

RENEW TODAY AND KEEP BEING PART OF MACKSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB

Introducing Your 2026/27 Golf Committee

Following the Golf Committee Annual General Meeting held on **4 June 2026**, we are pleased to introduce the Golf Committee for the 2026/27 year. The committee brings together a diverse group of members who have volunteered their time and experience to continue developing golf at Macksville Country Club. Their focus over the coming year will be to deliver enjoyable competitions, strengthen sponsorship, support volunteers, improve communication, encourage membership growth and continue enhancing the golfing experience for all members and visitors.

Congratulations to those elected and appointed to the committee: **Matt Baker (President)**, **Neil Cunneen (Vice**

President), Jordan Welsh (Captain), Phil Bambury (Vice Captain), Nikki Laird (Secretary), Dave Poole and Noel Austin (Handicappers), Carmel Freudenstein, Eddie Booth, Gary Clarke, Peter Lambert and Murray Smith. The committee is looking forward to working together with members throughout the year and welcomes ideas, feedback and volunteers who would like to contribute to the continued success of golf at Macksville Country Club.

We would also like to sincerely thank the outgoing committee members for their dedication and service over the past year. Their time, commitment and willingness to volunteer have helped build a strong foundation, and we look forward to continuing that work together as we move into another exciting year of golf.

Recreational Burn

The Committee will be conducting a recreational burn at the back of the 8th tee on Saturday, the 27/06/2026, after the Ambrose event. Grab a beer from the bar and come down for a catch-up with the committee. Commencing from 3pm.

Volunteers Needed

The Golf Committee is seeking assistance from members who can volunteer a small amount of their time to help around the course and support the ongoing presentation of our facilities.

There are a number of tasks where additional help would make a significant difference, including ball collection on the driving range, rough maintenance, course clean-up, gardening, minor repairs, and general course presentation. No special skills are required, and members can contribute as much or as little time as they are able.

As with many community sporting clubs, much of what we enjoy today has been built by volunteers. Whether it's an hour

occasionally or more regular involvement, every contribution helps reduce the workload on staff and ensures the course continues to be presented to a high standard for members and visitors alike.

If you would like to lend a hand or simply learn more about how you can assist, please speak with a member of the Golf Committee or contact the Club. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Below is a Summary of people who have put their hand up, and also shows where we need more help. Thankyou to everyone already helping out.

Volunteers Register

Area of Support	Specific Job	Times Required	Volunteers
Golf Course	Rough Mowing	1-3 times per week, depending on the season	(needed) Michael Simpson has expressed some interest, but would need to confirm availability
	Fairway Mowing		Gary Clarke
	Mechanic	For equipment / carts when required	(needed) -Bob Lindsay mentioned he would be happy to help
	Gardens	1-2 per year	Possibly part of a Working Bee Crew (needed)

	Greens	When Ricky is away	Gary Clarke
	Tee sign cleaning		Possibly part of a Working Bee Crew (needed)
	Golf Cart Repair & Maintenance		Dave Poole
Bowls Green	Roll the greens	3 x per week	Ken Grace
	Maintenance of Seats /Shades/Scoring Signs		Need to confirm with Bowls committee
	Gardens around greens	As required	Lady Bowlers
Club	Windows	Regularly	Need to confirm if this is a Staff/Cleaners role
	Entrance / Carpark		Possibly part of a Working Bee Crew (needed)
	Courtesy Bus	Wednesday-Saturday	(Needed)
Office	Assist Tracy		Carol Turner Carmel Freudenstein
IT	Website		Matt Baker

	Social Media	Club events Bistro, golf and bowls regular community engagement	Jessica Lambert Work with Amber and Matt
Golf Committee	Running of Daily Competition, open events, sponsorships, handicapping		Members of the Golf Committee
Bowls Committee	Running of Daily Competition, open events, sponsorships, growing the game.		Members of the Bowls Committee
Junior Golf	Organisation & Coaching		Matt Baker assisted by Glen Baker
Driving Range	Ball Pick Up	Every afternoon	Mon -M Baker Tues – P O’Neil Wed- ? (needed) Thurs – ? (needed) Fri – ? (needed) Sat – ? (needed) Sun – P Bambury

Bottles & Cans	Pick up and deliver to Coffs	When required	Brendon Howard has offered to do this – Just need to confirm when we are ready for him
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Completing a Scorecard

As a reminder to all players, scorecards submitted after competitions must be completed clearly and correctly. Recently, a number of cards handed in have been difficult to read or missing important details, such as player names, totals, dates, markers' signatures, and other required information. This creates unnecessary delays and difficulties when finalising competition results at the end of the day.

While golf has always been built on honesty and integrity, it also relies on players taking responsibility for correctly completing and checking their scorecards before submission. Under the Rules of Golf set out by the R&A, players are responsible for ensuring their card is accurate and properly completed. In previous years, incomplete or incorrect cards often led to disqualification. While we aim to keep competitions enjoyable and relaxed, maintaining basic standards is important for the smooth running and fairness of the competitions.

The Golf Committee asks all players to please take an extra moment before submitting their cards to ensure they are legible, signed, correctly totalled, and contain all required details. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated and helps volunteers and committee members process results.

Scheduled Events

2026 Schedule is available with the link below. Also Available

in the Drop-Down Menu Labelled "Golf"

[2026 Golf Event Calander](#)

June 2026

Sat 6 Jun – Stroke Medal & Spoon, *Steve Ash*

Thu 11 Jun – Chook Run Mid-Year (3) Club Event, *Tony & Susan Adams*

Sat 13 Jun – Single Stableford, *Neil & Ali Cunneen*

Sat 20 Jun – Nambucca River Co-op Foursomes Championships (27 holes)

Sun 21 Jun – Mixed Foursomes Championships

Sat 27 Jun – 4 Person Ambrose, *The Auto Salon Macksville*

July 2026

Sat 4 Jul – Stroke Medal & Spoon, *Kinnear & Cartwright Electrical*

Sat 11 Jul – 4BBB Stableford, *Tony Hardge Day – Roy Rudner & Brian King*

Sat 18 Jul – Single Stableford, *Wishbone Ceremonies*

Sat 25 Jul – Single Stableford (Mystery 4Ball Aggregate), *Paul Habgood – Nambucca Pro Shop*

Saturday 20 June 2026

Sponsor: Nambucca River Co-op

Event: Foursomes Championship



Gross Winners

- Allan Clarke & Beau Lavender

Net Winners

- Peter Lambert & Neil Cunneen

Net Runners-Up

- Michael Ziebell & Mick O'Brien

Nearest to the Pin

- 8th/17th: M. Simpson
- 3rd/12th: M. Simpson

Ball Winners

1. Jordan Welsh & Cohen Welsh
2. Jim Wilkes & Tim Wilkes
3. Ross Donnelly & Karl Cooper
4. Gary Clarke & Brian McPherson
5. Mick Simpson & Steve Hosking



Mixed Foursomes Championship 2026

Cheryl and Brad Fortescue

Gross Winners – Desma Hughes and Matt Baker

Gross Runners Up – Nikki Laird and Gary Clark

Net Winners – Rhonda and Alan Clarke

Net Runners Up – Jo Anne Montegue and Graham Everett

Midweek Competition 268

Winner

- Neil Cunneen

Ball Winners

- Jim Wilkes
- Phil Bambury
- Brian McPherson
- Steve Hunt
- Mick O'Brien

Ladies Stableford (18 June 2026)

Winner

- **Cathy Cresswell**

Runner-Up

- **Carmel Freudenstein**

Nearest to the Pins

- **3rd:** Carmel Freudenstein
- **17th:** Jo Montague

Chook Run (Ending 30 April 2026)

Winner

- **P. O'Neill**

Runner-Up

- **J. Gore**

Weekly Pin Winners

- **Week 1:** D. Pike
- **Week 2:** J. Gore

Golf Committee 2026/27

President: Matt Baker

Vice President: Neil Cunneen

Captain: Jordan Welsh

Vice Captain: Phil Bambury

Secretary: Nikki Laird

Handicapper: Dave Poole / Noel Austin



FAIRWAYS BISTRO

SCHNITZEL NIGHT

FROM \$19.90*

BOOKINGS 6568 1400

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STARTERS

NM / M

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

UNDER THE SEA

NM / M

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

PIZZAS

NM / M

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

FOR KIDS OPTIONS PLEASE SEE KIDS MENU

BARNYARD

NM / M

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

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

VEGGIE PATCH

NM / M

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

*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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(02) 65 68 1400



KIDS
EAT

free

THURSDAYS

Bookings on 6568 1400

• Fairways Bistro open from 5.30pm *Conditions apply





GOLF DRIVING RANGE

OPEN EVERYDAY
FROM 8AM



SMALL BUCKET - \$12

GOLF MEMBERS - \$10

LARGE BUCKET - \$18

GOLF MEMBERS - \$15

Subject to availability

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PUNTERS CLUB

**EXPRESSION OF
INTEREST
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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\$6.00 & \$7.50 TAP BEER
SCHOONERS



HAPPY

Hour

MON TO THURS
4.00PM TO 5.30PM

FRIDAYS
3.00PM TO 6.00PM

SATURDAYS
3.00PM TO 7.00PM



206 WALLACE STREET, MACKSVILLE

PH: 6568 1400



MEGGA FRIDAY RAFFLES

& MEMBERS DRAW
OVER \$10000 IN PRIZES
FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH FROM 6PM

**MEMBERS
DRAW**

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to be

WON!

Jackpots \$50
weekly!



**MEAT TRAYS &
VOUCHERS
TO BE WON**





FOOTY TIPPING



MACKSVILLE
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STARTS SUNDAY
1ST MARCH



WINNERS TAKE CASH PRIZES

\$70 ENTRY FEE

NAMES & BUY-INS IN BY 23RD
FEBEUARY

CALL THE CLUB TO JOIN -
6568 1400

T&C's apply



Jack
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**BE IN THE DRAW EACH THURSDAY
PUTT A HOLE IN ONE OR
ROLL A JACK TO WIN***



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

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MEMBERS DRAW

WEDNESDAY RAFFLE

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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***



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SCHNITZEL NIGHT

ALL SERVED WITH CHIPS & SALAD

Plain Chicken Schnitzel

with a choice of sauce
mushroom, dienne, 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

Hospitality Staff



WANTED!

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

**Front of House
Kitchen Hands**

