

Italian Golf Club Sydney MARCH 2025 Newsletter

Message from the President

Good day to All Members,

Bankstown Golf Course was a popular choice and many Members asked for us to add it to the annual Calendar. From what I hear, the pizza after the game was a highlight. Unfortunately, I missed the game and may miss a few more due to an ACL knee injury!

Our next event is at Concord Golf Club on Monday 10th March. Please book early. We have 40 spots booked with carts. After 40 players, we will attempt to include extra players but they may need to walk. We are unable to offer booking for Visitors at this stage.

As Concord will allow its regular Members to book spots 7 days prior to the 10th March, the sooner we request extra spots, the more likely we will be able to accommodate. The earlier you book, the better! The cost for the day at Concord is \$250, which includes game, cart and dinner. We will also be playing for the Nick Scali Cup. During dinner, there will be a short presentation by Mr Russell Mann, the Principal of 24K Wealth, the major sponsor of the Italian Golf Challenge Cup. www.24kwealth.com.au



Saluti,

Muzio Cantarella

President IGC Sydney

Captain's Report

The golfing God's have surely been kind to us enjoying two great days at golf so far this year at Oak point and Bankstown. Its fair to say Bankstown was a great course and in amazing condition considering the rain earlier that week.

Unfortunately, we had to limit the numbers due to our original booking of 40 could not be increased due member access. This is one of the main reasons we ask you book earlier so we can gauge our numbers and arrange with the club additional holes where possible. This also works against us in the event we don't get the numbers we are still required to pay, so please assist by booking early. Its worth noting also that most clubs now are not dependant on social groups so our bookings are as a result of loyalty and our network.

The 2025 calendar share last newsletter has been updated!

- Concord 10th March SGS now 12 noon followed by BBQ dinner (note carts capped at 20).
- Castle Hill new date 22nd April 11am SGS.
- 1st Round Club Championships @ Castle Hill
- 2nd Round Club Championships @ Oatlands

GAME 2 - BANKSTOWN GC

BANKSTOWN

<u>A – Grade</u> 1st - Romeo Youkhana 39 2nd - Anthony Pellegrino 35 <u>B – Grade</u> 1st - Sam Panucci 45 2nd – Lou Panucci 40 <u>C – Grade</u> 1st – Tony Pace 37 c/b 2nd – Nathan Chanesman 37

2B (Multiplier) Winners - Sam Monteforte & Tony Fioravanti



<u>Our next game</u> is at Concord Golf Club on 10th March, 12 noon shotgun followed by BBQ Dinner. We will be playing for the Nick Scali Cup and is always a favourite on the annual calendar so please book earlier to avoid disappointment. Bookings are now open on the website <u>www.italiangolfsydney.com.au.</u>

Good Health and good golfing to all, Sam Q

| 2025 Club Calendar | |
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| GAME DATE & TIME | COURSE |
| Tuesday Jan 21ª (11am SG) | Oak Point Golf Club |
| Tuesday Feb 11th (12pm SG) | Bankstown Golf Club |
| Monday Mar 10 th (12 noon SG) | Concord Golf Club |
| Tuesday Apr 22 nd (11am SG) (First round Club Chempionshipe) | Castle Hill Golf & Country Club |
| Tuesday May 13 th (11am SG) (Becond round Club Championships, Top 8 qualify for Matchplay Championship) | Oatlands Golf Club + Dinner & AGN |
| Thursday Jun 19 th (11am SG) (First round Matchpley Chempionships) | Campbelltown Golf Club |
| Tuesday Jul 15th (11am SG) (Becond round Matchplay Championships) | Cabramatta Golf Club |
| CHRISTMAS IN J | FULY - Sun 6th July |
| Thursday Aug 14 th (11am SG) (FINAL Metchpley Chempionships) | St Michaels Golf Club |
| Friday Sept 19th (11am SG) | Stonecutters Ridge Golf Club |
| Sunday Oct 12th | Nudgee |
| Monday Oct 13th | Royal Queensland |
| Thursday Oct 23rd (11am SG) | Monash Country Club |
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| Tuesday Nov 25th (11am SG) | Terrey Hills Golf & Country Club |

Golfing Etiquette

Please remember that as members of the IGC you are representing our Club and our Community when visiting our Host Golf Clubs. Our behaviour, dress, etiquette, language, and observance of all the rules of golf should always be in tune with our surroundings. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Speed of Play:

Speed of play is a major issue as well as being selfish and irritating to everyone. What should YOU do: -

- If you think it's a lost ball hit a provisional immediately
- The rules are you have 3 minutes to look for a ball
- Don't wait to the others have hit to prepare for your shot! Ready Golf play if safe to do so
- If you can score on the hole pick up
- Don't park buggies in front of greens blocking following groups
- Score at the next tee not on the green

Course Care:

Replace/repair divots, rake bunkers, fix pitch marks, watch your pace of play, keep up with the group in front – not ahead of the group behind.

Scorecards:

Are to be agreed & signed on completion of the round NOT in the clubhouse. No adjustments will be made by committee members on MiScore App.

Attire:

Players to wear Club Shirts & Cap at all IGC Sydney Games, tailored pants/shorts with shirts tucked in plus the Club's dress codes, course etiquette and mobile phone policies of the day.

Hole in One Competition

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MGI Zip Navigator Motorised All Terrain Golf Buggy - Black valued at over \$2,400.

Definition of a "Hole-in-One".

"A hole-in-one occurs when a ball hit from a tee to start a hole, finishes in the nominated cup. A ball hit from a tee following a lost ball, out of bounds, or water hazard is not a hole in one".

<u>RULES</u>

- 1. Player must be a current financial member of the Italian Golf Club Sydney Limited.
- 2. First attempt at the hole, by each individual player, is valid only.
- 3. Only on a Par 3 hole of a minimum 150 meters to be nominated by the committee prior to the start of the game.
- 4. Compulsory, "CALL UP" by previous group, on the nominated hole were possible.
- 5. An IGC member/Playing group must attest and witness the shot.
- 6. In the event of a dispute the final decision is at the absolute discretion of the IGC committee.
- 7. Any foul play will result in the instant termination of the member from the IGC Sydney Limited club.
- 8.

Game reminders will be sent by SMS 10 Days Prior to each Game.

Please Book & Pay online via Website www.italiangolfsydney.com.au or call Sam Panucci on 0411855045 if you are having difficulty logging on to the website.

Booking Window will close 2 Days prior to Games as per Golf Club's Request!!

All Visitors are welcomed subject to member player numbers and course availability.

Member Birthdays this month

5th Tony Falcone 6th Steve Zappia 8th Emilio Rosati 15th Lou Polito 14th Giuseppe Cece 22nd Angelo Lo Surdo 22nd Luciano Liberale 25th Joe Calabrese 28th Leof Kingsford Smith 27th Ken Mangraviti





It was more fun being 20 in the 70s than being 70 in the 20s!



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