Capers for 22 October 2026

Please note that capers can be viewed on our website at www.forestvillersl.com.au.
Go to the sub clubs page underneath the Membership heading and click on capers button

Please send all future capers emails to michelle@forestvillersl.com.au

Last Capers will be Thursday 29 October

BRIDGE SECTION - www.forestvillebridgeclub.org/
Bridge Players are welcome to play at our Club. We meet in The View Room, Monday and Friday at 9.45am. We will find a partner for you. Morning Tea provided.



Friday 30th October, all players with less than 300 masterpoints are invited to participate in an Australia Wide Restricted Pairs competition. The event will be held in The View Room and Bridge club will cover entry fees.

RESULTS
Friday 16 October
North South pairs
1. Diane Ford & Bev Christopher
2. Ian Milne & Carolyn Abercrombie
3. Brian Gowenlock & Deborah Gowenlock

East West pairs
1. Andrew Chen & John COUGHLAN
2. Danuta Barista & Jennifer Irvine
3. John Heike & Marion Stewart

Monday 19 October
North South pairs
1. Judy Atkin & Kathy Satterthwaite
2. Dave McLeod & Jim Toth
3. Jacqueline FORDREE & Marguerite Moyes

East West pairs
1. John Heike & Marion Stewart
2. Jan Donnelly & John Donnelly
3. Fu Chi Liu & Theresa Liu

♠ ♥ **FORESTVILLE BRIDGE CLUB** ♦ ♣

Interested in Playing or Learning the Fascinating Game of Bridge?

Whether you're an experienced player or completely new to the game, we'd love to welcome you to our friendly and social club.

Weekly Sessions @ Forestville RSL Club
Monday – 10:00am **Friday – 10:00am**

Why Play Bridge?

♠ Keep your mind active
♥ Meet new friends
♠ Enjoy a fun and challenging game
♦ Be part of a welcoming community

Players of all skill levels are welcome.

For More Information:

Judy Atkin – Sec. 0413 999 483
Jan van den Broek – Pres. 0408 114 819



MONDAY - FRIDAY FROM 11AM

$18 Seniors Lunch Special

Take advantage of our $18 Seniors Lunch Special at Pickets Brasserie

- Roast of Day (GFO)
- Battered Fish and Chips (I)
- Steak with Chips
- Salt and Pepper Calamari (I)
- Stir Fried Chicken Cashew Nut
- Satay Prawns and Vegetables (I)
- Black Bean Beef and Vegetables
- Pesto Spaghetti and Sundried Tomato (V)

LADIES GOLF

Captain's Report – Monday 19 October 2026

It was a beautiful morning at Warringah Golf Course on Monday 19 October, with sunshine from the first tee and a cheerful field of 21 ladies ready to enjoy their round.

We even had a couple of light-hearted moments worth sharing. One golfer, having set out in sandals, realised her golf shoes were still at home and had to make a quick dash back home. Later, at lunch, another golfer turned up still wearing her golf shoes — her casual pair was safely packed in her bag, but unfortunately they turned out to be two right-footed leather sneakers. Golf may test our patience, but sometimes our shoes do too.

A quick reminder regarding scorecard procedures, as we had an issue this week. It is best practice for a player and marker to confirm strokes after each hole, not at the end of the round. The ideal time is off the green, on the next tee, while waiting to hit off. This simple habit helps avoid confusion and ensures accuracy for everyone.

If players are unable to agree on any scoring or rules matter, the dispute must be reported to the Captain before results are finalised. And please remember: unsigned cards incur a penalty of disqualification.



Despite the small hiccups, it was a wonderful day of golf, sunshine, and good company — exactly what Monday golf is all about.



Congratulations to our golfers this week.

Results: Warringah Stableford 9 Holes
A Grade: 1st Ann Schiller 16 pts, 2nd Noreen Aitken 13 pts, 3rd Joy Hayden 12 pts.
B Grade: 1st Janet Brouwers 16 pts, 2nd Helen Muscat 15 pts ocb, 3rd Claire Bryant 15 pts.
C Grade: 1st Sue Gocking 11 pts. 2nd Kay Tink 10 pts ocb. 3rd Joanne Hibburt 10 pts.
Nearest the Pin 7th Hole:
A Grade: Joy Hayden.
B Grade: Helen Muscat.
C Grade: Sue Gocking.
Longest Drive 2nd Hole:
A Grade: Carol Prior.
B Grade: Janet Brouwers.
C Grade: Joanne Hibburt.

Keep swinging
and keep smiling!
Golf Captain Suellen



MONDAY - THURSDAY NIGHTS

$18 Dinner Specials

Drop by Forestville RSL Club and take advantage of our weekly food specials at the Pickets Brasserie

- Monday Nights: $18 Steak & Chips
- Tuesday Nights: $18 Burger & Beer
- Wednesday Nights: $18 Asian Specials – Your choice of sweet & sour pork, black bean beef, king prawn and chicken laksa or stir fried chicken and vegetables
- Thursday Nights: $18 Classic Chicken schnitzel, chips and house salad

MENS GOLF

Last Sunday marked the end of the season's major events, with Wakehurst playing host to both the Cock of the Walk (COTW) Final and the final round of the Club Championships. With silverware on the line and bragging rights up for grabs, the pressure was on across both competitions
As usual a big thanks to our starters on the day John Matthews & Tim Ong

Results for the day:

Stuart Armstrong	66 Net
Daniel McKeowen	69 Net
Tom Griffiths	72 Net (on a countback)
Tim Ong	72 Net
John Matthews	72 Net

Nearest the Pin: Clay Forbes 5th & Dom O'Donnell 13th
Eagles Nest: Stuart Armstrong 1st & Tim Looi 7th
Long Drive: Stuart Armstrong 3rd & Daniel McKeowen 18th

Cock of the Walk Final:
John Matthews def Neil Benjamin 2 & 1

Club Championships Final Round *(please note this is how it came through):*

NAME	Grade	Starting Daily Handicap	Scratch (4 round total)					Handicap (Best 3 Rounds) (Net Scores per course are all Adjusted to Par 70)				
			R1	R2	R3	R4	Total	R1	R2	R3	R4	Total
McKeowen, Daniel	A	13	77	89	82	83	331	69	~~74~~	68	68	205
Armstrong, Stuart	A	16	91	90	91	84	356	~~80~~	72	73	65	210

Next Games:

2026	Nov 5th - 8th				November 15th		November 29th		December 13th	
Tee Time	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	6:30 am		6:00 am		7:00 am	
Location & Green Fees	Blue Mountains *Leura - Wentworth Falls - Blackheath - Blackheath*				Asquith - $70		North Ryde - $70		Bayview - $90	
Numbers Booked Players / Players in Carts					28	16	20	16	28	16
Event	Mixed Events (all Carts)				Cock-of-the-Walk (Final) + Stableford		Stableford *Note - Limited to 20 Players Only*		Captains vs President Day (Stableford)	
Starters					Campbell, Jim		Benjamin, Callan		Urquhart, Rob	
					Benjamin, Neil		Benjamin, Neil		Morrison, Peter	

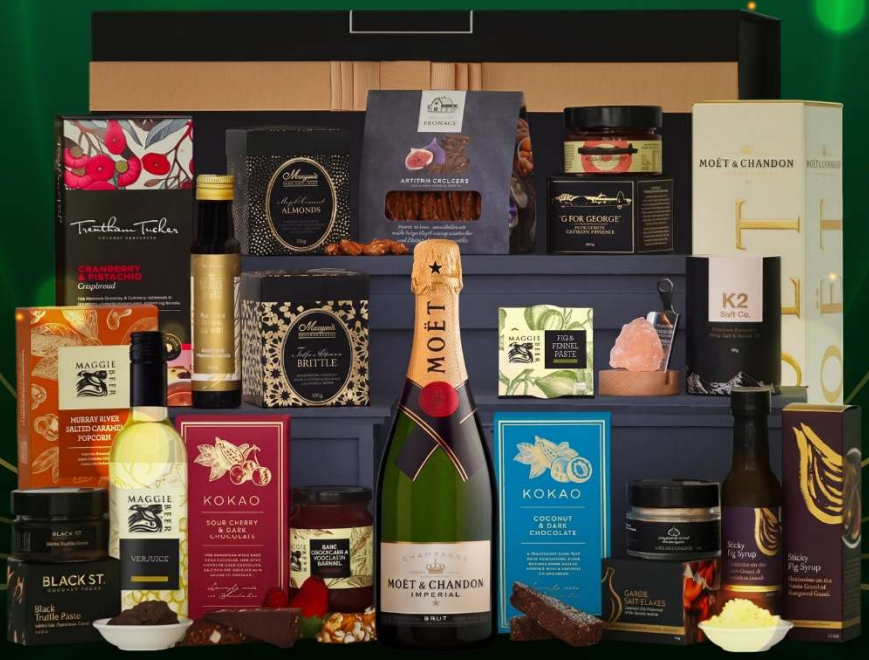
"Thumbs up" *from Phil*



- ✓ Neil was gutted to not go back-to-back in the COTW final against John. Not only did he lose the title, but he'd clearly backed himself for a 'Tim Ong/Looi'-style dynasty, with the next three plaques already engraved with his name. So much for bulk-order discounts Mr Treasurer!
- ✓ Club Championships delivered a complete role reversal, with Dan McKeowen guiding hybrids safely around Wakehurst while Tom Griffiths sprayed drivers into the wilderness. Some may argue Dan's win will forever have an asterisk for this uncharacteristic display of golf and character.
- ✓ Stu Armstrong romped home by several shots on the weekend, proving once again that Wakehurst members enjoy a suspicious home-course advantage. Even more remarkable was Stu's uncanny silence on the dartboard handicap system, sources report he appeared to be 'entertained' with his daily handicap

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2. Pay by credit card or membership points
3. Automatically receive an eTicket once your online renewal is successfully completed
4. **DRAWN** Tuesday, 1 December 2026 at 12pm

SCAN TO RENEW ONLINE

T&Cs apply.

VETERANS GOLF

Rain last week reduced the field last Friday with only 17 members competing in a pairs ambose event. Carts were not allowed on the front nine and the threat of rain meant others decided to stay home. So there were only 8 teams (7 pairs and 1 trio) in the event. There wasn't much run and it was damp under foot, although the showers stayed away. Well done to those who played.

The winning team comprised John Mongan and John Donnelly who shot a very good gross 79. With a handicap (hcp) of 17.5 their net score was 61.5, well ahead of the rest of the teams. John was first in A-grade on 9 October so his good form continues. Second was the trio of Robert Chung-Gon, Tony Marando and David Rigby with an excellent gross 76, net 67.4. Being a trio their handicap was cut down. David won on 9 October so also is in good form. Third was the pair of Jim Campbell and Kevin Doherty with a gross 83, net 69.

Results on the day were:

1st: John Mongan and John Donnelly gross 79 (hcp 17.5), net 61.5.

2nd: Robert Chung-Gon, Tony Marando and David Rigby gross 76 (8.6), net 67.4.

3rd: Jim Campbell and Kevin Doherty gross 83 (14), net 69

Longest Drives (LDs): Bruce Stump, Mark Bennett, George Paul, Bruce Miller, Tony Marando, skinner

Nearest the Pins (NTP): 3 skinners on the 5th, Rick Garey, Les Bassett, George Paul on the 14th.

Tony Marando and George Paul have now had 7 LDs. Les Bassett has now had 7 NTPs.

Tomorrow is a stableford round and we hope carts will be allowed on the front nine and we get a good roll-up. Please be mindful of slow play and keep just behind the group in front. Circle any birdies on your score card and record your net score. In the coming weeks there will be news about our annual presentation dinner in December, voting for 2026 clubman of the year, membership fees in 2027 and our AGM in January 2027. Also the last round of our club championships is on 6 November. You need to complete 3 of the 4 rounds to be eligible so next week we'll list those who need to play on 6 November to be eligible.

Hit it straight. **Percy**







Join us on Fridays for your chance to win a share of meat trays!

$5 for 50 Numbers with tickets on sale from 5.30pm.

Friday 23 October
Forest Netball

Your Upcoming Raffle Hosts

Friday 23 Oct – Forest Netball

Friday 30 Oct – Forestville Ferrets

Friday 6 Nov – FK Football Club

Friday 13 Nov – Manly Hospital Aux

Friday 20 Nov – Club run raffle

Friday 27 Nov – Club run raffle

Friday 4 Dec – Club run raffle

Friday 11 Dec – Club run raffle

Friday 18 Dec – Club run raffle