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MAY'S MONTHLY WINNERS



C-DIV: SEAN MCQUAIDE, A-DIV: JOHN NELL, B-DIV:MIKE MCKELVEY ABSENT



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Meet your new captain: Howard Lipman

On behalf of the Eastern Cape Nomads, I would like to congratulate and welcome Howard Lipman to the Captains chair for the 2022/23 Nomads season.

Howard also has the privilege of being the coordinator and host of the Eastern Cape Nomads 50th Anniversary. This very special event will be held at the PEGC in October 2022.

Howard was Captain in 2004 and we hope he remembers how to steer the good ship Nomads again in 2022.

Howard is a 238 game veteran and there is no better example of what being a Nomad is all about.

We wish you all the best for your year and look forward to successful away tours and of course the biggie, our 50th celebrations.



The stern face of the new
Guvnor

The New Eastern Cape Nomads—Socially speaking

From a PR perspective we want to try a few new things. The Aubergine Chronicle is the 1st of the social media items to get a refresh. We will update the web site as well as having more interactive and video content on our Facebook page.

We are also going to ask each and every one of you to help with sponsorships and fundraising. It is our Nomadic purpose after all. The idea is to get a monthly game sponsor (12 in all). This will be the target for the next 12 months. Your help in identifying and doing the introductions will be gratefully accepted.

Our brand has taken a bit of a pounding over the last few years and with everyone's help and commitment, we can restore the gravitas that comes with wearing the Nomads jacket and tie.

The newsletter will also feature a new section where you can ask questions, whinge or offer suggestions. The most meaningful item will be published with the committee's response.

Lastly, the web site is the central repository for all information. This pertains to all monthly games, tee off times and related information. All our communications will drive traffic to our web site. This is where the sponsors will get the most value for their investment in us.

Regards, Rob Falkner—your new PRO



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THE CAPTAINS CORNER

Greetings fellow Nomads,

Firstly it is an honour for me to once again serve you all and this fine club as captain for the current year. It's something I treasured previously in 2004 when I was captain. My committee and I will make sure we do our best to make sure this club runs smoothly going forward and we get our membership growth and retain members as best possible.

Our May game was at the Old Course St. Francis Bay. Once again the course was in incredible condition. Weather was perfect. Those that never entered, sorry but it was your loss. Thanks to the management and staff for looking after us so well.

I had the pleasure of playing with Viv Jones, the club captain as well as Past National Chairman, Alan Orchard and 1998 Captain Tim Mason. I had the honour of presenting Alan with his 30 year tie nearly 24 years after he inducted me into Nomads. Well done Archie.

Our thanks to the Aubergine Machine Ladies on duty, Christell, Joanne and Kelsea. You ladies do an incredible job. Well done.

Congrats also to Sean McQuaide on his first 40 pointer in 34 years of being a nomad. Well done to all the winners on the day.

Our next game is on Sunday 12th June at Walmer Golf Club. It will be a shotgun start at 12h15. Looking forward to seeing a lot more members at the game. Entries will come out soon, so be on the lookout and enter ASAP.



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VIV JONES



ALAN ORCHARD



SEAN MCQUAIDE



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THE CAPTAINS CORNER - Nationals Selection Criteria

Below is the criteria for selection for the next National Tournament in Bloemfontein.

	Criteria based on 2021/2022 performance	Possible Events	Points	Maximum
	Possession of official SAGA handicap		n/a	Go/No Go
	Payment or any identified deposit has been received in full by the stipulated date		n/a	Go/No Go
1	From 7 th game and subsequent Monthly Game participation from October 2021 to September 2022	12	2 points	24 points
2	Attendance of Annual General Meeting in April 2022	1	1 point	1 point
3	Participation in 2022 Gary Player Knock-Out Competition	1	1 point	1 point
4	Involvement in Club Committee	1	1 point	1 point
			Maximum	27 points

	Count-out procedure: points earned from 1 through 8 taken in sequence			
1	Participation in previous 3 National Tournaments (2020-2022)	3	1 point	3 points
2	Entered last three Nationals and was not selected but did not withdraw entry. As above	3	1 point	3 points
3	Performed Golorama duties in 2021 and 2022	3	1 point	3 points
			Maximum	9 points

In the possibility of a tie, captains pick will be deciding factor

Pre Qualified

- Captain
- Vice Captain
- Junior Vice Captain
- Immediate Past National Chairman
- National Secretary



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THE VICE CAPTAIN—CUSTODIAN OF AMT FUND

Fellow Nomads

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that the following Eastern Cape Nomads have graciously accepted to serve on the AMT Committee for the ensuing year:

Robert Falkner

David Gooden

Karl Rohroff

Rob Rusteburg

Christell van Biljon

Andre Weitz

Although I have the privilege as the incumbent Vice Captain of being able to select the beneficiary, I would like to see this as an Eastern Cape Nomads achievement and not mine or the committees. The committee is there to steer, guide and manage the process but it is up to each and everyone of us as an Eastern Cape Nomad to ensure the success of this fundraising effort and to be able to bring some cheer and relief to those in need during these very trying times. Thus, I will be asking each and everyone of you to please get involved in any which way you can.

We will be having a primary beneficiary but I would also like to believe that we can run a successful enough campaign to generate sufficient funds to meet the primary beneficiary's need and also include Snapper's chosen beneficiary being Cheshire Homes that due to all the COVID challenges could not get off the ground timeously. The primary beneficiary and secondary beneficiaries will be named in due course.

The main fund-raising efforts will be concentrated around the AMT Golf Day and the Horse Races. I would like to see the event taking place in July. The golf day will hopefully take place in February. Additional to that, I would like to re-introduce the Joker-draw at the monthly game and hopefully we can put together a few other events such as the trivia evening that was held last year. Thus, all ideas and suggestions will be welcome and please feel free to contact me or any of the committee members with these or to just get involved.

I thank you all in advance for your commitment and let us as Eastern Cape Nomads bring some joy to those so desperately in need.

Yours in Nomads

Brendon



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THE RESULTS PAGE—GOLFING GODS AND TEDDYS

DIVISIONAL WINNERS			
DIV	Winner	Score	Sponsor
A	John Nell	34	St Francis Links
B	Michael McKelvey	37	G
C	Sean McQuaide	41	Calzone Ristorante

DIVISIONAL RUNNERS UP			
DIV	Winner	Score	Sponsor
A	Dennis Jones	33	Yonke Installations
B	Pops Govender	34	Filtertech
C	Steve Pritchard	36	Barclays Insurance

BEST PLAYING FOURBALL			
Winner	Score	Sponsor	
Benjamin Zang Sean McQuaide Andre Weitz Kobus Rademeyer	139	Stevie Nix	

WORST PLAYING FOURBALL - Altar Bunnies			
Winner	Score	Sponsor	
Pops Govender Brian Barendse Patrick Phillips Marcel Van Jaarsveld	113	EC Nomads	

BEST PLAYING PAIR			
Winner	Score	Sponsor	
Sean McQuaide Andre Weitz	71	Delport Tax	

WORST PLAYING PAIR			
Winner	Score	Sponsor	
Brian Barendse Marcel Van Jaarsveld	52	Walmer Woods Driving range	

OVER 55's			
Winner	Score	Sponsor	
Sean McQuaide	41	Ian Macaulay	

PAST CAPTAINS WINNER			
Winner	Score	Sponsor	
John Nell	34	Howard Lipman	

MOST GOLF - TEDDY BEAR			
Winner	Score	Sponsor	
Marcel Van Jaarsveld	22	Protocol Protection Services	

OVERALL WINNER - BEST GOLFER			
Winner	Score	Sponsor	
Sean McQuaide	41	Home Away From Home	

Benji and Rusty—Lucky Fishes





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KNOW YOUR NOMAD

In this month's issue, I thought it fitting for us to find out what makes our new Captain tick. Howard has shown us in his short time at the helm that he is a man of purpose. We caught up with Howard and found out a little more.

Tell me three pet peeves.

Liverpool supporters, Liverpool supporters and Liverpool supporters! – In that order

If we went to happy hour, what would you order?

Quarts of Hansa!

How do you want people to remember you?

That I was honest.

Name three words that you describe you.

Enjoyable to be around – 4 words but we will let it go.

What do you want to make sure you do before you die?

That the children are provided for and okay.

What are you happiest doing, when you're not captaining the Nomads?

Relaxing and watching sport.

What do you do with friends in your spare time?

Pub crawl – the exact pubs will be revealed in next month's exciting episode!

What do you think are the best skills that you bring to being captain?

Doing the right things to ensure the longevity of Nomads.

What publications do you regularly read?

I was never accused of being a literary genius.

What would be your personal motto?

Add value everyday(Facere Rectum Cotidie)! – We translated this to give it a Latin twist.



Thank you Howard, we are all committed to helping you make your captain's year a great one.





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DADDY WAUGHBUCKS—OUR LOCAL SPONSOR'S PAGE

Every month we will provide a full page spread on our featured sponsor. Without their generosity we cannot perform our charitable duties. Please support our sponsors and importantly, tell your friends to support them too. This month we will list all the sponsors for you. In the coming months we will do a feature article for all of them so that we can spread the word. To our generous sponsors, thank you very much for your continued support.

SPONSOR	YOUR NOMAD	SPONSOR	YOUR NOMAD
Yonke Installations	Andre Weitz	Protocol Protection Services	Brendon McNeill
Filtertech	Gary Sampson	Home Away From Home	Dewald Strydom
Barclays Insurance	Larry Kozak	PDP Maintenance	Dennis Jones
Jurgens van Onselen	Jurgens van Onselen	David Gooden	David Gooden
St Francis Links	Jeff Clause	Christell van Biljon	Christell van Biljon
Calzoni Pizzeria	Wayne Pretorius	Amazing Hair Design	Annetje le Roux
StevieNix Pub	Steve Pritchard	EC Nomads	EC Nomads - LOOKING FOR SPONSOR
The Duck Pub	Bryan Mc Arthur	Bev Saffy	Bev Saffy
EC Nomads	EC Nomads - LOOKING FOR SPONSOR	Amazing Hair Design	Annetje le Roux
Delpport Tax Help	Kobus Delpport	Glenbrynth Scotch Whisky	Chris King
Walmer Woods Driving Range	Gavin Rowe	Travis Venter	SAB
Ian Macauly	Ian Macauly	Craig Scott	Gridvolt - Energy and Solar Solutions
Howard Lipman	Howard Lipman	Mike Duff	Mike Duff Steam Controls





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TUNE ME GRIEF—YOUR TURN TO ASK, WHINGE OR COMMENT

This is your turn to get published. There have been many complaints, comments and suggestions over the last year or 2. Consider this your opportunity to vent.

Please address your pontifications to the PRO at pro@easterncapenomads.co.za. You will receive a response in writing and the best letter will be published in the next edition of the Aubergine Chronicle.

As this is the first edition, I will take the opportunity to ask every Eastern Cape Nomad for a few things during this season:

1. Support your captain.
2. Don't make a complaint to a committee member before a monthly game. Wait until after the round. The committee also wants to enjoy the golf.
3. Use the web site. It is the central repository for all of the information you need, including where, when and how.
4. Use the Samson app on your mobile phone. This has great information and complements the web page.
5. If you leave before prize giving, do the Nomadic thing and pay your early leaving fine.
6. Make sure you are up to date with the scoring rules. Your score on the day and the score you enter for your handicap must be the same. (Triple bogey on a stroke hole, Double bogey on a non-stroke hole.)

Lastly, please email me any suggestions you have for content to the magazine and also if you wish to be a sponsor.

Yours in Nomads,

**Greg Clack, Ex-Nash—
dishing out the fines and
taking no prisoners**





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THE BIG GUNS — OUR NATIONAL SPONSOR'S PAGE



Marcel "Handlebars" Van Jaarsveld—2 Teddies in a row



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THE BACK PAGE— ALL THE SEXY WINNERS





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Our Next monthly game is at Walmer Golf club on Sunday 12 June. It will be a shotgun start, so be on time. Cart bookings to be done via the entry form and you pay on the day.

As Luke Skywalker said: May the Course be with you.

Till next month.....



No Man is an island, entire of itself; every man is a piece of the continent, a part of the main; Any man's death diminishes me, because I am involved in mankind; and therefore, never send to know for the whom the bell tolls, It tolls for thee



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