



# FGA Members News

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## **From the Management Committee**

It's been a long time since the last newsletter and there's plenty of action underway in the next couple of months, starting with the club championships over the next 2 weeks.

This will be followed by the start of the Summer Sixes Team Challenge, which is open for entries right now, and then the Forbes Classic on November 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> (entry forms and information sheet attached). So there's loads of golf on and with the course in good condition despite the drought members can look forward to some enjoyable days on the green.

In the middle of all this is the FGA AGM, being held at the Golfie on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October at 6.30pm. Everyone should have received their formal meeting notice by now, so we look forward to seeing a good turn out of members for the meeting.

## **Course Update**

After an extended process, the river and dam pumps have now both been replaced with modern, cast iron submersible pumps, and an efficient watering schedule has been implemented. Forbes is very fortunate to have water available during these extreme dry conditions to help maintain the standard of the fairways and greens, and the Forbes Shire Council has been a great support in providing access to general security water.

The Committee would also like to thank the members who give their time to help keep the course in such good condition, in particular, Ethel Coombs and the ladies who cleaned up the water hazard on the 4<sup>th</sup>, Stuart French for the contribution of materials and Tim Smith for voluntarily painting the bridge at the 9<sup>th</sup>, and Jeff Haley for his major input to the completion of the cart shed. Also to Bev Gerdes and all members who assisted her in the fundraising for the defibrillators.



## **Forbes Golfers Association 2019 AGM**

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October  
at the Golfie  
6pm for a 6.30pm start.**

Elections for FGA Management Committee will be held at the AGM – nominations must be made in writing, signed by the nominee and 2 members of the Association, and must be returned to the secretary at least 7 days prior to the AGM. Nomination forms are included with this newsletter and are also available at the Pro Shop.

**All members are invited to attend.**

## **Summer Sixes Team Challenge**



The Pro Shop is currently accepting entries for the Summer Sixes – the handicap week commences on 14<sup>th</sup> October and then the competition itself starts on 21<sup>st</sup> October.

Ben and Adrian will be running the Sixes this year, but the general outline of rules and how the comp will operate is similar to past years. Entry forms are available at the Pro Shop and also included with this newsletter, so we encourage you to get your team organised and entered.



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Attached:  
Forbes Classic Information Sheet and entry form  
Summer Sixes Information sheet and entry form  
FGA committee nomination forms