

## PRESIDENT'S NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2021

Hello Members,

Welcome to Spring and hopefully a summer of golf with minimal restrictions....fingers crossed.

Some good news to pass on is that Fred's assistant David, has now been employed at the club on a permanent part time basis. Giving us an extra pair of hands alongside our fantastic volunteers that assist.

Water wise we have just recently had the overflow running on the big dam, with rainfall this year exceeding 390 mm. With plenty of water and some upgrades on our ground equipment we should see the course in great condition in months to come. Keep an eye out for the new Toro spray unit and fairway mower that the club has recently invested in. A new (for us) type of renovation has been trialled on the greens a few weeks back. A machine that injects compressed air under the playing surface was used, this helps with compaction/drainage and has had good results in a short period of time.

If you get a chance to hit the practice fairway you will notice a couple of new target greens in the early stages. The plan is to grass these over summer and bring them into play... Shouldn't hurt anyone's game!

The new shed site has been levelled this week and the shed arrived today. This will allow us to increase cart storage by around 24 units.

Belvoir Park has seen some new and existing sponsors get behind our club this year. A Big Thankyou to all!!! Signage on the course is getting a impressive make over to reflect this. Please support our Sponsors anyway you can, as they support us.

Time-wise the calendar is getting shorter for the year; the Match Committee will try their best to finalize what they can regarding knockouts and gold letter events.

Jan Gunn the Club Secretary has been doing an awesome job for the past 8 years. Jan will complete her roll as Secretary this year. All members can say they have had some form of interaction with Jan - nothing too much trouble and 'service with a smile'. Enjoy your time on-course instead of in-office, Jan. Anyone interested in this role, please contact Jan or myself.

AGM wise the date currently set is Wednesday 20/10/21. Venue to be confirmed, re density numbers allowed. Please go to our club website, <https://www.belvoirparkgc.com/layout.php?p=60> where an AGM page has been set up. Log in for all available information including nomination forms for upcoming election of new Committee.

Thank you to everyone that has helped the Club in anyway this year. What a different year it has turned into!

All the best - Mark Perry.