



# THE MODDER NEWS

Your weekly news updates from the fairways

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## CLUB NEWS

The golf swing is like a suitcase into which we are trying to pack one too many things. ~John Updike

Patrick Cantlay moves to 3rd position in the FedExCup standings with his first career victory. It is his fifth top-15 finish in his last six starts on TOUR. Cantlay's performance on the back nine at TPC Summerlin was phenomenal. He played the back nine holes in 8-under par, hit 23 of 28 fairways and outperformed the field by +3.70 in SG: Off-the-Tee. He equaled his career best consecutive birdies streak of four birdies twice on route to victory (Rd 1 & Rd 4). Since 1995, there have now been 11 winners of the Shriners Hospitals for Children Open in their 20s, tying the record for most winners in their 20s with the BMW Championship.

The PGA Tour this week moves to the El Camaleon Golf Club at Playa del Carmen in Mexico for the OHL Classic at Mayakoba.

We will also be treated to some great golf on our doorstep this weekend with The Nedbank Golf Challenge at the Gary Player Country Club at Sun City. It is one of the highlights of the South African sporting calendar. In a 36 year history, the event has featured the biggest names in world golf. With 72 players, playing over 4 days, for a purse of \$7.5 million. The tournament forms part of the Rolex Series on the European Tour and the penultimate event on the Race to Dubai.

Happy Golfing.  
The Modder Team

## RESULTS

	SATURDAY AM/PM	Nearest the Pin	LADIES
	Ind Stableford	9th Hole	Ind Stableford
Winner	H Visagie 40 pts	JP Pretorius	P Swarts 36 pts
Runner-up	J Berrie 39 pts	14th Hole	B Brock 33 pts
3rd	V Meier 36 pts c/o	M Luis	A Darling 31 pts
4th	S Pillay 36 pts c/o		
5th	G Palmer 36 pts c/o		
6th	P Clough 36 pts c/o		
7th	M Luis 36 pts c/o		

PLEASE NOTE: PRIZES ARE VALID FOR 60 DAYS FROM DATE OF ISSUE

## UPCOMING GOLF COMPS

SATURDAY, 11<sup>th</sup>  
NOVEMBER  
Betterball Stableford

SUNDAY, 12<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER  
Individual Stableford

WEDNESDAY, 15<sup>th</sup>  
NOVEMBER  
Mike's Day

## UPCOMING EVENTS

SATURDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> November  
Joker Draw – R11 500

**SATURDAY NIGHTS**

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11<sup>th</sup> November 2017  
R11 500

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WEDNESDAY, 15<sup>th</sup>  
NOVEMBER  
Green Bar – Quiz Night



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## FROM THE CAPTAIN

Please don't forget the Betterball Handicap League meeting on Wednesday the 15th of November 2017 to discuss the 2018 league season. Please ensure that you fill in your name and contact details on the lists provided on the notice board at the club.

Please take note of the following changes to the Stroke ratings:- Club Tees (White) now 72 & Champ Tees (Yellow) now 73. Red Marker users need to subtract 5 shots from white and 6 from yellow when playing in competitions.

Regards  
Scott



*"Our Dutch friends Peter and Gisela van Reenen from Wormer (a village just outside Amsterdam) admiring their sponsorship board on the 14<sup>th</sup> hole."*

## LADIES SECTION

Congratulations to Ilze-Mari and Elzet for winning the 2018 Betterball Knockout and thank you to all the ladies who participated. The Mixed Knockout has commenced and all first round matches must be completed by 19 November 2017.

Look out for all the pink and white, purple and black ladies on Saturday when we have our annual Captain vs Vice-Captain challenge. We have Medal Championships on 25 November followed by the Open Mixed on the 26th November. If you would like to take part in the Open Mixed, but do not have a 4 ball, please let a lady committee member know and we will try and sort something out for you. This is our last one for 2017 and the theme is Christmas.

The Ladies Christmas Pinehurst is on 3 December 2017. Invitations will go out this week so please organise a partner for our annual Christmas match and lunch. We would love to see all of our ladies out there.

Best wishes to Lesley Pohl who celebrates her birthday this week.

Happy golfing this weekend.  
Allison Darling

## BIRTHDAYS

### THURSDAY, 9<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

G Baker  
K Pieterse

### FRIDAY, 10<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

R Ayer  
L Kruger

### SATURDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

D La Vita  
A Wallis

### SUNDAY, 12<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

C Cleeve  
A Gibson

### MONDAY, 13<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

R Gay  
G Myburgh

### TUESDAY, 14<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

W Gunning  
L Pohl  
N Simonsen

### WEDNESDAY, 15<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

Apologies to Gary Wright for omitting his name in the birthday list for the 6<sup>th</sup> November



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## DRIVING RANGE

### DRIVING RANGE – PROCEDURES AND RULES

Please note the use of the Driving Range is for members and playing guests only. It is **NOT** open to the Public.

#### **RANGE FEES**

1. R 30.00 - A Bucket of 30 balls
2. R 240.00 - 10 Buckets of 30 Balls (Coupon)
3. R 265.00 - 12 Buckets of 30 Balls (Coupon)

#### **RULES**

1. Golf dress code applies
2. No player is allowed without a receipt unless he/she is using own practice balls and making use of a caddie.
3. Range balls are all marked and are not to be used on the chipping and putting greens.
4. Please do not use range balls for any golf

#### **RANGE HOURS**

TUESDAY TO SUNDAY - 06:30 TO 18:00

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TrailAdventure Night Run Series  
**DYNAMITE** Run/Walk

Date: 14 November 2017 Time: 19h00  
 Distance: 5km and 10km  
 Venue: Modderfontein Golf Club  
 Address: 1 Centenary Road, Chr Antwerp Road Modderfontein  
 Entries: www.entrytime.co.za @ R75.00  
 Late entries @ R100.00 Children under 13 FREE  
 Registration: From 17:30

Headlamps/Torches are compulsory

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