



19 MARCH 2017

Woolooware Golf Club

ROUND 5

Cancelled due to Weather Conditions

LA FHEILE PADRAIG SONA DHAOIBH ! (Happy St. Patrick's Day to you !)

Was it the Luck of the Irish, or did we kill a Chinaman or two !!!!

For the third year a row, our game planned for Woolooware G.C. has been washed out after three weeks of March rain or was it the Ides of March with Julius Caesar, taking the daggers out of his back?

Did we call it too early, calling the day off because about an hour after we called it off, the sun came out but then it started to pour down again all night. A call to the course revealed the course was open but we would of had to tee up through the green, that is on the rough and fairways, bunkers out of play and no carts. So there were no rainbows of pot of gold to be found in the puddles out there.

We would of lost at least 10 to 12 members if we went ahead, so we consider we took the right decision. Peter Deady had a family function at the Scarborough Hotel. I did warn people in my End of Year Report last year if planning an event, it would be advisable to check when Woolooware was scheduled. George Liu took the opportunity to complete painting a few walls and Mal Tyler is taking care of Brendan after her stint in hospital and we know what Fair-weather Craig would of done

Not having to get up early, with no golf on Sunday, Joanne and myself went to the CHP RSL to celebrate at the St Patrick's Day Dance Night . Even the big St Patrick's Day Parade and The Greening Gathering in Prince Alfred Park had to be cancelled because of the wet conditions

We meet up with our ex-member and resident Leprechaun, Kerian Nulty, previously from County Kerry to catchup. He had recently had both hips replaced, so hasn't been playing golf but he still enjoys his beer

The entertainment was Mark Oats (fiddle) wearing a green suit with shamrocks all over it and Cara Kavanagh (playing fiddle, mandolin) with Ciaran Gribbin, the Grammy award winning songwriter and guitarist. She has worked with Madonna, U2, Paul McCarthy and INXS. The Irish Dancing was performed by The Cross Rhythm Dance Company with a mixture of contemporary and River Dancing. If we had played golf, we possibly would of been doing our own version of the CHP RSL Golf River & Puddle Dance, At least we would all be wearing green

The night was a real foot tapping evening for the grand cost on absolutely zero. The CHP RSL put on some great shows, some free and others at a reasonable cost, so check out the "Chevron" for details. Even a few of us are going to see Doug Parkinson next week

As the next game is the last game before the ANZAC Cabaret, 22ND April, because of an early Easter this year, so please give it some thought for \$25 per golf member & partner and if you want to invite a guest the normal cost of \$35. We have reserved 30 tickets

Good Golfing next round at Georges River G.C 2nd April,2017 at 7.30am Rd3 Matchplay
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