

Raby Tavern Social Golf Club

Minutes - Committee Meeting on Thursday 16th January 2025



In attendance: Ben Anders (President), Pat Ryan (Treasurer), Jamie Tilt (Secretary), Steve Rugless (Handicapper), Mick Nicola (Vice Captain),

Apologies: Gavin Howe

Previous minutes:

The trip away for 2025 was a great success. The club was very well looked after by OzGolf, will definitely use them again for future bookings.

Captain: We are still looking into new shirts, at this stage it will be for the 2026 season as we are still awaiting the funding from the Raby Rose. Winter attire will also be looked into at an additional price to members in the event that they would like to purchase.

Treasurer:

The club is in a good position financially. After many years of wonderful service, the treasurer would like to take a step back in the near future and let another member take over the position. This will be discussed further at the AGM.

Handicapper:

Handicaps for Matchplay will be finalised after Sunday's game (3/8/25)

Origin Doubles 2025

Congratulations to Gary Billingham for the winning doubles of both origin 1 and 2. Origin 3 has still yet to be collected.

2026 Trip away

Locations for the 2026 have been put forward to the committee – Localised ones include the Blue Mountains, Newcastle and Mudgee. Adelaide has also been forward as an interstate option.

General business:

The results for the 2025 Championships have been finalized. Congratulations to Nathan Russell (A Grade) and Drew Dalton (B Grade) who won the stroke championships. Congratulations to Donny Mears (A Grade) and Mick Nicola (B Grade) who won the nett championships.

Matchplay – Players will be ranked according to their net results from the Championships. Your grade for Matchplay will be determined by the grade you are in at the end of the championships. You will play off the handicap you hold on your first round of Matchplay. Players who finish outside of the top 8 in each grade will enter the 'Plate' Matchplay bracket, with seeding based off final Championship rankings. If a player withdraws from the A or B Grade Bracket, the next highest ranked player in that grade will take their place.

Next meeting: TBC