

Kuilsrivier Golf Club

10 JANUARY 2025 - YOUR KUILSRIVIER GOLF CLUB TEAM...

BRINGING YOUR CLUB CLOSER...

Here's a heartwarming golf story to kick off the year:

The Story of the 2024 "Cinderella" Golfer: A Remarkable Comeback

In the heart of 2024, the golf world witnessed a true "Cinderella" story when an unranked, middle-aged golfer named Greg Thompson made a stunning comeback at the prestigious **Junius Park Invitational**. Greg, who had been sidelined from competitive golf for nearly 15 years due to a series of injuries and personal struggles, found himself in the final round of the tournament – against all odds.

Greg's journey was nothing short of inspiring. After several years of battling chronic back pain and facing a significant financial setback, he had resigned himself to playing only for fun. However, in 2023, a chance encounter with an old mentor reignited his passion for the game. The mentor, a retired golf pro, reminded Greg of the importance of resilience and focus – not just in golf, but in life.

Determined to make a comeback, Greg revamped his approach to both his game and his health. He worked tirelessly with his coach, and spent countless hours strengthening his back, while also honing his swing and short game. By the time 2024 rolled around, Greg was a new man. His dedication paid off when he earned an invite to the Junius Park Invitational, a tournament that draws some of the best golfers from around the world.

In the final round, Greg was down by five strokes, facing a field of young, talented professionals. But instead of succumbing to pressure, he remained calm, relying on years of experience and mental toughness. With each swing, Greg demonstrated the power of perseverance. In an unforgettable finish, he holed a 50-foot putt on the 18th hole to tie for the lead, eventually winning in a dramatic playoff.

This victory was more than just a championship; it was a triumph over adversity. Greg's story quickly became a symbol of hope for golfers everywhere, especially for those who had faced setbacks in life. His win was a reminder that it's never too late to chase your dreams and that resilience, hard work, and belief in yourself can lead to extraordinary results.

As he stood on the winner's podium, holding the trophy high, Greg said, "This is for anyone who's ever been told they're too old, too hurt, or too far gone to succeed. It's about showing up every day, no matter what, and trusting that you can still make a comeback."

Greg Thompson's inspiring story not only set the tone for the year but reminded everyone that in golf, and in life, there are always second chances.

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R 600 Payable 1 January 2025 and there-after 11 monthly instalments based on the category you qualify for

Type	Monthly Payment Option	Once-off Payment Option
Full Member	R 390.00	R 4 600.00
Limited Member	R 330.00	R 3 400.00
Intermediate Member <i>(under 36 years)</i>	R 275.00	R 2 850.00
Initial Member <i>(under 27 years)</i>	R 165.00	R 1 650.00
Scholar Member <i>(under 19 years)</i>		R 600.00



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Note: All Members received a complimentary four ball in their birthday month to use Monday to Friday...

Members who are over 65 with 10 years membership will pay R4300 for Full Membership.

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Green Fees 2025

	9 Holes	18 Holes
Full Member	R 182.00	R 264.00
Affiliated Senior Weekday AM	R 209.00	R 303.00
Member's Guest	R 255.00	R 385.00
Non Affiliated Visitor	R 462.00	R 682.00
Affiliated Visitors	R 292.00	R 435.00
Affiliated Visitor Wednesdays		R 363.00
Club 55 Tuesday		R 209.00
U/27 Members	R 88.00	R 165.00
U/27 Affiliated Visitors	R 198.00	R 292.00
U/27 Visitor	R 231.00	R 363.00
Scholar U/19 Member	R 33.00	R 55.00
Scholar U/19 Affiliated Visitors	R 88.00	R 143.00
Scholar U/19 Visitor	R 121.00	R 171.00
Sundays after 11:30		R 391.00
Members 9holes after 17:00 Summer/ 15:30 Winter	R 55.00	
Competition Fee	Wednesday	Saturday
All participants	R 20.00	R 20.00
Cart Rental	9 Holes	18 Holes
Member	R 190.00	R 285.00
Visitor	R 265.00	R 395.00

Forthcoming Club Events 2025 & Competitions



JANUARUY 2025:

- Saturday 11th January – 4 BBB Stableford
- Wednesday 15th January – Individual Stableford
- Saturday 18th January – 4 BBB Medal
- Sunday 19th January – Kuilsrivier Open 2025 – 36 Holes
- Wednesday 22nd January – 2 Ball Combined Stableford
- Saturday 25th January – Singles Monthly Medal
- Wednesday 29th January – 4 BBB Bogey Plus
- Saturday 15th February – Ladies Cabernet Classic
- Monday 17th February – WPG Town Vs Country
- Saturday 1st & 8th / Sunday 2nd & 9th March – Club Champs 2025
- Sunday 23rd March – WPG Junior Interclub Team Challenge
- Monday 7th April – Boland Senior Ladies
- Saturday 26th April – Junior Golf Development Golf Day
- Sunday 6th July – WPG Regional Champs
- Saturday 26th July – President Vs Captain Challenge
- Thursday 31st August – WPG Senior Series Open
- Sunday 10th August – WPG Mini Masters
- Saturday 20th September – Joos van Zyl Testimonial Golf Day
- Sunday 28th September – WPG Premier League 36 Holes
- Tuesday 4th November – Club 55 Classic
- Wednesday 5th November – Silver Classic
- Saturday 8th November – Wine Route Classic

Message from the Pro!

GIMMES - A gimme is a short putt conceded by an opponent because it is deemed unmissable. It is still counted as a shot but the player does not actually go through the motions of playing it.

A person may give their opponent a gimme in match play however, **they are not permitted in any other competitive format.** This includes medal (stroke) play, stableford competition or any other format in which a player's handicap is calculated.

So, moving forward please make sure you finish the hole, failure to do so will result in disqualification.

Thank you for understanding.



Saturday 4 January 2025

4 BBB Bonus

AM

1. G. Albertus / P. Kruger	46 C/I
2. W. Rooifontien / A. Links	46 C/O
3. A. Walbrugh / R. Jacobs	46 C/O
4. J. Steyn / P. Steyn	45
5. M. Geldenhuys / S. Geldenhuys	44

PM

1. G. Erasmus / S. Hendricks	46
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Nearest to the Pin

3rd Hole – T. Dyssel Jnr. & 13th Hole – S. Schuele

Wednesday 8 January 2025

4 BBB 6; 6; 6

2. D. Brandt / C. de Mink	64
2. R. Braaf / C. Smith	63

Nearest to the Pin

7th Hole – L. Ogle & 17th Hole – M. Sinclair

PLEASE NOTE: DUE TO THE LOSS OF GLASSES ON THE COURSE & SAFETY...

WE HAVE TAKEN THE DECISION TO ISSUE ALL DRINKS GOING OUT ON THE COURSE WITH PLASTIC DISPOSABLE GLASSES.

NOTE: MINORS UNDER THE AGE OF 16 ARE NOT ALLOWED TO DRIVE GOLF CARTS.

NO-SHOWS ON WEEKENDS WILL BE CHARGED TO MEMBERS ACCOUNTS...

AND THE MEMBERSHIP WILL BE BLOCKED UNTIL PAID.

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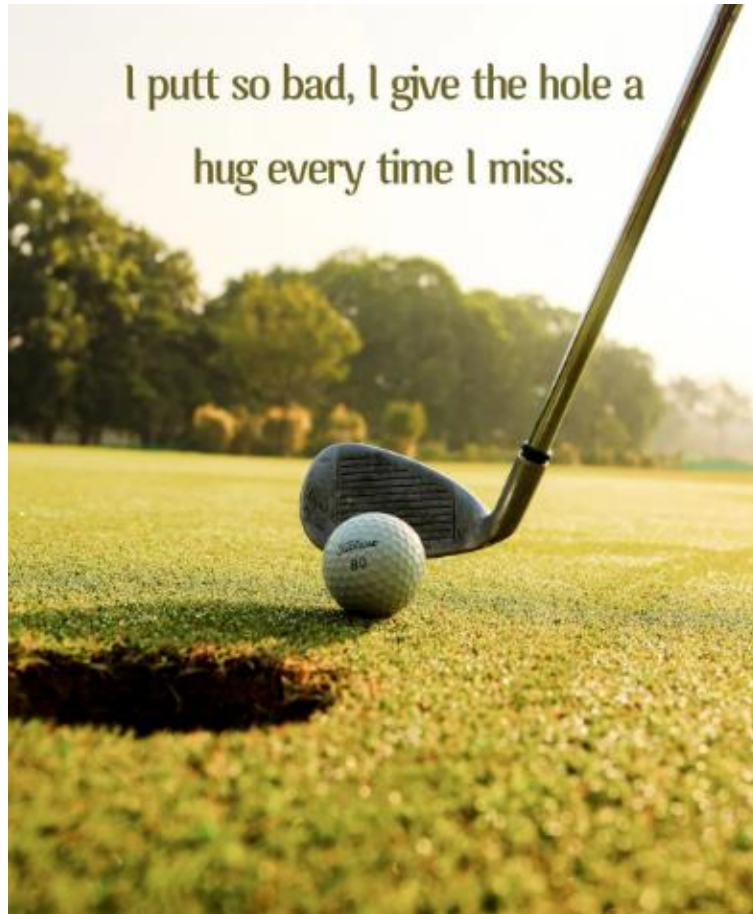
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GOLF DAYS & EVENTS 021-903 0222

Just joking...

"Focus on your next shot, not your last miss."

And finally...



**Please Remember to Fill YOUR Divots
& Repair YOUR Pitch Marks!**

ALWAYS CARRY A SANDBAG / BOTTLE & MAKE SURE IT IS REGULARLY FILLED UP.

Yours in Golf!

The KRGC Team



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