

WGSA 72 HOLE TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIP 2022



22 – 24 MAY 2022
MBOMBELA GOLF CLUB



The prestigious 72 Hole Teams Championship is one of our three major national inter-provincial championships and it gives us great pleasure to welcome all the Players, Managers, supporters and spectators.

The presence of South Africa's top amateur golfers, eager to compete for the Swiss Team Trophy and the Challenge Trophy and the opportunity to earn GolfRSA and World Amateur Golf Ranking points underlines the status of this event.

Mbombela Golf Club prides itself on being the "ultimate bushveld golfing experience" and you will see at the 18th green the statue of the legendary Jock of the Bushveld, a Staffordshire bull terrier cross who accompanied his owner Sir James Percy FitzPatrick on his pioneer travels though the Lowveld. Mbombela Golf Club (previously known as Nelspruit Golf Club) was founded in November 1928 and moved to its present location in 1939 where you will experience the Bob Grimsdell design of a true bushveld course.

Our sincere thanks to the members of Mbombela Golf Club for their hospitality and allowing us the use of their course this week. To Alida Schoeman and Mpumalanga Golf Union your assistance with all the preparations and trademark hospitality and welcome is quite amazing and we thank you.

As we continue to navigate the COVID-19 pandemic, we ask that everyone diligently observe the GolfRSA Tournament Risk Mitigation Plan which is in place so as to stage a safe and successful event, where golf is the winner.

We wish all the teams a memorable championship and look forward to seeing some exciting, competitive golf played in the true spirit of the game.

On behalf of the Mbombela Golf Club Ladies section, I extend a warm, Lowveld welcome to the executive of WGSA, and to all the Provincial Presidents, managers and players. It is an honour to share our beautiful Club and Course with you all. I hope you will have the time to take in the natural charm of both the Lowveld and our course. My thanks to our CEO, Darren Plumb and his staff at the Mbombela Golf Club for their hard work and dedication, along with Petri van der Walt, our green keeper, and the course staff. We are so fortunate to get to play golf on a course that we love and it is in such great condition right now. I sincerely hope all of you get to love the course as much as we do.

My thanks to Alida Schoeman and Andy Cason from the MGU for their advice, guidance and support in hosting this event together. Congratulations to all the players who have been selected to represent their Provinces. I wish you the best of golf days whilst you are with us. Good luck to the WGSA executive as you discuss and decide on the future for women's golf in South Africa.

We are so excited to welcome you, travel safely, and we look forward to welcoming you back again someday.



SARAH BRAUDE
PRESIDENT
WOMENS GOLF SOUTH AFRICA



BARBARA SCOTT
LADY CAPTAIN |
MBOMBELA GOLF CLUB



To the Executive Members of WGSA and GolfRSA, team managers and players, I bid you a hearty welcome.

On behalf of the Management Committee, members and staff of Mbombela Golf Club, I welcome you all to the friendly Lowveld region of Mpumalanga for your prestigious event. We as Mbombela Golf Club are honoured and privileged to once again be chosen to host a GolfRSA tournament and we welcome you to our beloved club.

We as the host club, trust you will have an enjoyable tournament with us, both on and off the course and enjoy our natural bushveld setting, small animals, prolific birdlife and majestic trees, of which I hope you do not find yourself behind too often. Our team has been extremely busy preparing the golf course and ensuring the golf experience is to a standard befitting such a grand event.

I wish all participants happy, good golfing for the days ahead, enjoying the time with your fellow team members. We look forward to welcoming you each day to the club and trust you will leave with fond memories of "the ultimate bushveld golfing experience" and hope to see you on the fairways in the not too distant future.

On behalf of Women's Golf Mpumalanga we are delighted to welcome all Provincial players and their managers to the 2022 72-Hole Championships at Mbombela GC - the Ultimate Bushveld Golfing Experience and home of "The Jock". Mbombela, formerly Nelspruit, is known for Jock of the Bushveld, which is a famous book by the South African author Sir Percy Fitzpatrick. It tells of a young man's adventures with his Staffordshire bull terrier named Jock. Jock became one of SA's most beloved dogs. Mbombela is the capital of Mpumalanga. It is a gateway to the Kruger National Park – home to elephants, zebras, rhino and other wildlife. The Lowveld National Botanical Garden features a man-made rainforest. North west of the city is the prehistoric Sudwala Caves, with unusual rock formations. It is an honour to host this event at Mbombela and I would like to take this opportunity to appreciate the assistance and effort made by our Mpumalanga executive, the Mbombela Ladies section and club management for this event.

We would like to thank GolfRSA and their committee for organising this amazing tournament. We thank Mbombela GC for giving up their beautiful course during the tournament. Congratulations to the players for representing their Unions and we wish you the very best of luck this week. Enjoy the golf course and the camaraderie and savour the chance to play tournament golf at a wonderful venue.



DARREN PLUMB
CEO
MBOMBELA GOLF CLUB



ALIDA SCHOEMAN
PRESIDENT
MPUMALANGA LADIES GU



Looking Back: 2021

Kaylah Williams, Isabella van Rooyen and Bobbi Brown ended an 18-year winning drought for Western Province, while Border's Demi Flanagan, Keshia Louw & Lisakhanya Payiya clinched the promotion battle in the 2021 WGSA 72-Hole Team Championship at Kingswood Golf Estate.

The Western Province trio was simply superior as they marched to victory in the Swiss Team Trophy, producing three of the lowest scores over the four rounds of the stroke play team tournament.

Van Rooyen set the pace with an opening three-under-par 69, Williams produced a five-under 67 in the

third round and Brown fired a blistering seven-under 65 on the final day. The team combined for rounds of 142, 146, 137 and 136 to triumph on a winning total of 561.

Border captain Flanagan said the trio stuck to a simple strategy to claim victory in the Challenge Trophy.

"I knew coming into the week that it would be tough," said Flanagan. "Kingswood is a very challenging course, especially when the wind is up, and it's a lot longer than the courses we play back home.

Rounds of 152, 162, 146 and 155 saw the team finish at the top of the standings, eight shots clear of KwaZulu-Natal.



2022 PROGRAMME

Sunday 22 May 2022

Official practice round

Monday 23 May 2022

**Swiss Team Trophy 1st round
Challenge Trophy 1st round**

Tuesday 24 May 2022

**Swiss Team Trophy 2nd round
Challenge Trophy 2nd Round**

**Swiss Team Trophy 3rd round
Challenge Trophy 3rd round**

Wednesday 25 May 2022

**Swiss Team Trophy final round
Challenge Trophy final round**

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Hole	Par	Length
1	4	383
2	5	409
3	3	163
4	5	380
5	3	99
6	4	338
7	4	337
8	4	298
9	4	285
10	4	330
11	4	269
12	4	300
13	3	112
14	5	457
15	4	290
16	4	311
17	3	110
18	4	324
Total	71	5 195



Live scoring will once again be available on the GolfRSA website www.golfrsa.com to enable friends and family at home to follow their favourite players.

2022 TEAMS

Swiss Team Trophy

Boland A	Border	Central Gauteng A	Central Gauteng B	Ekurhuleni
Ineke Brynard	Dondashi Millie	Marine Legentil (c)	Stephanie Barbaglia	Kaylan Boshoff
Renee Liebenberg (c)	Tanya Louw	Kaiyuree Moodley	Cara Ford (c)	Kiera Floyd (c)
Megan Streicher	Kesha Louw	Samantha Whateley	Cara Ford (c)	Kyra van Kan
Manager: Vanessa Smith	Manager: Issy Cocks	Manager: Yasmine Johnson	Manager: Yasmine Johnson	Manager: Lynda Smit

Gauteng North A	KwaZulu-Natal A	Mpumalanga	Western Province A	Western Province B
Bronwyn Doeg	Liezi Smit (c)	Bea Breedt	Bobbi Brown	Anita Chen (c)
Zane Kleynhans	Marlie Smit	Chante Boonstra	Jordan Rothman	Erica Chen
Holly Lau	Olivia Wood	Nicola Schoeman (c)	Vicki Traut (c)	Kaitlyn van der Vyver
Manager: Pat Roets	Manager: Sue Rohwer	Manager: Rose Powell	Manager: Yasmine Johnson	Manager: Hayley Davis

Challenge Trophy

Boland B	Central Gauteng C	Eastern Province	Ekurhuleni B	Free State
Kim Boshoff	Shannon Berry (c)	Heather Kruger (c)	Keira Howroyd	Chere Myburgh
Alessia Goussard	Gia Raad	Zahn Scholtz	Tayla Howroyd (c)	Ellandri van Heerden
Karin Watts (c)	Casey Twidale	Chante van Zyl	Nicole Strydom	Gabrielle Venter (c)
Manager: Vanessa Smith	Manager: Janine Meyburgh	Manager: Ilze Botha	Manager: Lynda Smit	Manager: Louise Hattingh

Gauteng North B	KwaZulu-Natal B	Limpopo	North West	Southern Cape
Lameez Kourie	Charlotte Millard	Luzaan Combrinck (c)	Kaitlin Fensham	Carey Doddy
Heidi van der Berg	Julia Saulez	Stephanie Robbertse	Megan Marais	Jasmine Furstenburg
Lea van der Merwe	Kayla Saunders	Janike van der Merwe	Marne van der Merwe	Sylken November
Manager: Ella Cole	Manager: Nicci Taylor	Manager: Rowena Kraidy	Manager: Anita Lamprecht	Manager: Rita Herholdt

PAST WINNERS

YEAR	VENUE	SWISS	CHALLENGE	INDIVIDUAL	SCORE
2021	Kingswood	Western Province	Border	Isabella van Rooyen	-4
2020	No tournament				
2019	Maccauvlei	Ekurhuleni A	Mpumalanga B	Caitlyn Macnab	+2
2018	Waterkloof	Gauteng North A	Ekurhuleni B	Caitlyn Macnab/ Danielle du Toit	+3
2017	Polokwane	KwaZulu-Natal A	Gauteng C	Michaela Fletcher	-3
2016	Middelburg	Gauteng A	Ekurhuleni A	Ivanna Samu	+2
2015	East London			Eleonora Galletti/ Ivanna Samu	-5
2014	Mossel Bay	KwaZulu-Natal A	Southern Cape A	Carrie Park	+10
2013	Maccauvlei	Gauteng North A		Nobuhle Dlamini	-3
2012	Polokwane	Gauteng North A		Kim Williams	+2
2011	Langebaan	Gauteng North A			
2010	Gracelands	Gauteng North A			
2009	East London	North West A			
2008	Wingate Park	Gauteng North A			
2007	Polokwane	Southern Cape A			
2006	Humewood	Southern Cape A			
2005	Rondebosch	Gauteng A			
2004	Mossel Bay	Southern Cape A			
2003	East London	Western Province A			
2002	Durban CC	KwaZulu-Natal A			
2001	Wanderers	Gauteng A			
2000	Silver Lakes	Gauteng A			
1999	Mt Edgecombe	Gauteng A			
1998	Randpark	Transvaal			
1997	Durban CC	Western Province			
1996	Roodepoort	Transvaal			
1995	Royal Durban	Transvaal			
1994	Houghton	Transvaal			
1993	Mt Edgecombe	Free State/N Cape			
1992	Killarney	Transvaal			
1991	Durban CC	Transvaal			
1990		Transvaal			
1989		Transvaal			
1988		Transvaal			
1988		Natal			
1987		Transvaal			
1986		Transvaal			



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