

Holden scramble. Ambrose [3 person]

The team of Sandro Basile, Tony Failla and Con Kapetanakis won the Royal Park Section of the Scramble and now progress to the next round to be played at Eagle Ridge on 5<sup>th</sup> October. David McCoid also won a trophy, something to do with The NAGA award.

That champion team did it again the next week. Sandro and Con won the Father/son/nephew aggregate stableford Shield for 2004 and “ The Godfather “ Tony Failla won the single stableford event.

Olive Sweeney and Dean Mortlock won the Couples aggregate stableford competition. Jack Breen had the best single stableford score 20 points.

Olive has been waiting for a mention, I was going to talk about the snow trip but her golf clubs have earned her a write up.

We get two workers/golfers back from Darwin but lose one to Sydney, Denise and Jon have proved they will travel anywhere to see the Bulldogs play. Jon summed up the trip “great beer drinking country”.

Robin will be back this Sunday and Jonathan missed him but we found another cook [sorry Chef]; after a slow start, probably nerves, Chris Maragos produced some of the best non-floating hot-dogs ever boiled at Royal Park according to our official taster GRAHAM Bryant, who would like to thank all concerned with the Newsletter for the correct spelling of his Christian name.

Chris is part of the double that is claiming victory over THE EASY BEATS, Billy and Socks; the hair styles in that game were amazing, David with his new colouring and Billy with the short, short cut. We reminded Billy that Sampson lost all his strength and golf skills when Delilah trimmed him, he ignored our advice, which just goes to prove you cannot put brains into a Magpie supporter.

The Olympic games are over; sadly Royal Park did not do too well. Mick Kealty swam thousands of laps of the Brunswick pool waiting for a call up, which did not happen. Our golf club throwers failed the Urine test because VB is a performance Enhancing drug so they were disqualified.

Please do not get carried away with the Aussie and American elections because Royal Park are holding their own elections. The Annual General Meeting and election of Office Bearers will be held on the 7<sup>th</sup> November.

Welcome to a new member Aaron Gordon, who comes to the club with a great pedigree.

Alpha –Bet leaders are -: Andrew [socks] Dovey and Chris Jovanovic with Bernie Sheridan almost a certainty to claim the \$20 last prize.

Just a word of advice from a very experienced golfer-: Jack Breen now realises you always putt out, none of this picking up nonsense.