



FEBRUARY 2019

NEWSLETTER

Dear Member

Our AGM is on Monday the 25th of March 2019 and this year it will be our 90th Annual General Meeting. (Imagine Chapman is this old) Let us make it a special day for the club and attend the meeting, however only members in good standing are eligible to be at the meeting.

To spice up our 90th Anniversary of excellent golfing experience we will be hosting a Fundraising Golf Day on the 30th of March and let us all come and support this once time event.

Our Corporate Membership is welcome to advertise and display its products, members invite your friends and come to support your club.



ANNUAL
FUNDRAISING

golf tournament

— 2019 —



Chapman Golf Club

90th Anniversary

*Celebrating 90 years of
excellent golfing experience*



**CHAPMAN
GOLF CLUB**



**30TH MARCH
2019**



**INDIVIDUAL
STABLEFORD**

ENTRY

- **INDIVIDUAL**
US\$10 / \$50 SWIPE
INCLUDES PRIZE GIVING DINNER

ADVERTISING

- **ADVERTISING + 4 BALL**
US\$100 / \$400 SWIPE
- **ADVERTISING ONLY**
US\$75 / \$300 SWIPE

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EXCITING RAFFLES TO BE WON!!

If you are interested in advertising in the newsletter, contact the Sales and Marketing marketing@chapmangolf.co.zw or visit us to discuss our advertising packages for the newsletter, billboards and tee boxes. The newsletter, billboards and tee boxes are a great platform to advertise as all the members and other clients can get a chance to see what your company has to offer. Book for your Corporate and Fundraising Golf Days for 2019 on a **Thursday or Friday**. Limited dates left, hurry now and book

Wednesday Club and Saturday Club Competitions.

| <u>WEDNESDAY CLUB COMPETITION</u> | | <u>SATURDAY CLUB COMPETITION</u> | |
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| <u>DATE</u> | <u>SPONSOR</u> | <u>DATE</u> | <u>SPONSOR</u> |
| 06 March | Please sponsor this day | 02 March | CBZ BANK |
| 13 March | Please sponsor this day | 09 March | Please sponsor this day |
| 20 March | Please sponsor this day | 16 March | Please sponsor this day |
| 27 March | Please sponsor this day | 23 March | Please sponsor this day |
| | | 30 March | Please sponsor this day |

We would like to thank our sponsors for their unwavering support and also advertising their products/services on our club competitions. For those who are interested in sponsoring our club competitions please contact Tabeth, Ranga and Douglas and secure your date for sponsoring the Wednesday and Saturday Club Competitions on all vacant dates. We are still the best platform to advertise your business.

New Members

The Club continues to attract new potential members each month and this is a positive sign of a bright future for Chapman (to achieve another 90 years)

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| Shou-Ta Huang | Peter John Dv Preez | Mugove Mercy Sibanda |
| Zhang Qian | Iain Gillett | Stephen Henry Annandale |
| Evelyn Gondo | Sindiso Ncube | Krishna Dullash |
| Blessmore Gandawa | Tafadzwa S Ndawana | Charles K Jacha |
| Stanley Ndawana | Patricia M Kenee | Lana Michele Scott |
| Sean Robert O Fee | Jason W Hankey | Anthony Frack de Kock |
| Clyde Edgar | Martin Neville Pause | Neil Henderson |
| Colim Ross | Kenneth William Douglas Chipps | Chikomborero Mukwenha |
| Gaylloyd Mukwenha | Craig Chauranga | Amos Amos |
| Robin Johns | Alan Clarke | Farai Daniel Chiweda |
| Lorna McCosh | Lameck Sibanda | Murairo Mukuvuri |
| Dudzai Madzima | Wega Clemence | |

WE WELCOME YOU ALL TO CHAPMAN!!!

From the Pro-Shop



[*Special Offer*](#)

Titleist Pro V1 and Pro V1x

Dozen:\$55.00

Sleeve:\$15.00

GTX Stand Bags; \$159.00

Quikfold Carts; \$279.00

NB: Prices in USD, but options for payment by POS Swipe and Eco-Cash are available.

From the desk of F2G....Fairways 2 Greens

Hello fellow members and golfers alike.

1: The greens

As you are all well informed we can look forward to some decent greens in the near future as and when the latest in a necessitated procedure to get our greens in the best possible condition, begins to recover. We anticipate about two weeks for the first indications of decent playable greens that we can all enjoy. That, together with the thick rough and narrowing fairways has led to some difficult golf rounds. We will continue to strive to work hard at getting the course in its most enjoyable form.

Next month The Annual .A.G.M. is upon us and we implore members to attend to air views, comments, make your membership heard and make meaningful contributions for the betterment of your Club. It is the ideal opportunity for aspiring Members who meet the Constitutional criteria to join the various committees to make a positive impact at and around the Club.

It is the right platform to "Voice your thoughts"

See you all there!!!

On and around the course, we gladly report that there has been a marked improvement in the members' consciousness in collecting litter and placing it in bins, for this we thank all the members. We still have a few who like to "TOSS" empty cans and water bottles into the bushes especially walking to and from the halfway house and water points.

The greens were top dress and hollow tined and this clearly shows up all the UNREPAIRED PITCH MARKS and shoes scruff marks. As seasoned golfers let's all be aware of this and do our bit to repair ours and that of forgetful players.

Thank you again.

We now have a total of 15 Impala which adds tremendous beauty and value to our course, (Royal have followed our lead and have 7)



We do however have a problem of Dogs and unwanted guests that are determined to reduce our herd so please be on the lookout and report or chase them. We have installed traps to hopefully capture these pests before we get the authorities to deal with the vermin more permanently.

Your awareness is really appreciated.

On the lighter side **OUR TRUE STORY**

It was a sunny Saturday morning, and Chabvamuperu was beginning his long pre-shot routine, visualizing his upcoming shot when Ranga's voice came over the clubhouse loudspeaker:

"Would the gentleman on the Ladies tee please back up to the men's tee, please!"

Chabva, was still deep in his routine, seemingly impervious to the interruption. Again Ranga announced: "Would the man on the women's tee kindly go back to the men's tee!"

Chabva had had enough. He shouted, "Would the announcer in the clubhouse kindly shut up and let me play my second shot!"

The Rules column.

One of the new rules is giving most golfers a torrid time... How to drop!!

DROPPING IS.....very difficult!

It should have been so very easy, but dropping from knee height apparently is quite difficult!

On that note we wish you all good golfing.

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. The following notes are a reminder to all Golfers to take pride of your club

- We should be appropriately dressed while visiting the club be it you are, on the course, golf range, in the clubhouse or visiting the pro shop kindly adhere to the required club dress code.
- We should have a sand bag before play as the rule says NO SAND BAG NO PLAY and use the sand bag to fill divots not fill cricket holes and pitch marks must be repaired immediately. If a pitch mark is left for a day it takes a month before it becomes invisible.
- We should avoid slow play as it spoils the game for all of us.
- Please we should not use cell phones on the golf course: we all know they annoy everyone.
- Please let's pay our caddies soon after playing to avoid them wondering around the club premises and also do not ask them to take your golf bag to the car park as you risk them being suspended from the club.
- Members are required to sign their visitors in the book provided at reception.
- Please if wearing golf shoes do not bring mud into the club house including in the changing rooms.
- All players must make sure you register and obtain a receipt before playing.
- Please let us not dump litter on the course – it is our course so let's keep it clean.

INTERNAL RESULTS

Monthly Medal (February) – Sponsored By CBZ Holdings

D Division 19-24 h/caps

Runner up HP Patel h/c 19 nett 75

Winner MN Dodo h/c 20 nett 75

C Division 13-18 h/caps

Runner Up K Horonga h/c 14 nett 70

Winner S Ngara h/c 13 nett 68

B Division 7-12 h/caps

Runner Up J Musuka h/c 9 nett 76

Winner L Costa h/c 10 nett 72

Championship Division 0-6 h/caps

Runner up M Masvimbo h/c 5 nett 79

Winner K Shutt h/c 5 nett 79

EXTERNAL RESULTS .

3 March 2019

A League – Won 4/2 to Royal @ Wingate

B League – Lost 6/0 to Royal @ Wingate

Upcoming Fixtures

14 April 2019

Chapman Bye @ Chapman Golf Club

Please Note; if you wish to represent the Club in the Leagues games contact, for “A” League contact G Mudanga our Vice-Captain & for “B” League get in touch with Chips De Oliveira.

IMPORTANT MESSAGES

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- Membership fees have been increased for the next quarter April to June 2019.
- Members Please Note!! Subscription fees are prepaid for your membership when due, not after the period due. No instalment payments of below \$100 rtgs are permitted for subscription fees above that.
- Members also note that only Full, Life, and Honorary Life in are entitled to vote at the AGM.
- Members are reminded to handle club property with care i.e. changing rooms' equipment, towels, showers, sauna and any other club property that you make use of.
- Players are urged to look after their valuables when they are at the Club,
 - They must not leave their car windows and doors open, please close and lock them.
 - They must lock away their valuables e.g. jewellery, cash, cell phones etc. and not to leave in their bags in the changing rooms.
 - They must check for all their Golf Clubs with their caddies after playing and before leaving the club.
- Please note lockers are Club property for rental at **\$40.00** per annum or \$2 per day.
- Let us keep our Club House and Golf Course environments clean by placing litter in the bins that are provided on the course and around the Club house.
- We have added a new landline number (Telone VOIP) 08688002550

Visit our website on www.chapmangolf.co.zw to view your handicaps, forthcoming events, recent results and much more information about your club

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