# **HURSTVILLE GOLF CLUB INC.**

ABN:32 583 203 209

# **16TH ANNUAL REPORT**

2020-2021



### **Presidents Report 2021**

Finally, after what seems to have been a never-ending round of varying Covid restrictions and lockdowns, we are now seeing a gradual return to normality. Or should we more correctly state; the return to a new normality.

As golfers we appear to have fared better than most, with an almost uninterrupted ability to participate in both social and competition games throughout the entirety of the Covid restrictions. It is amazing, golf was seen to be the only community sport considered safe enough to be permitted to be played by the public at large, I guess we should thank the golfing gods for that.

From a club perspective, there has been little or no impact on the club's finances over the past 2 years as a consequence of Covid. In fact, during that time the club has been able to retain its membership base and has now reached a point where it may be necessary to curb the number of 7-day membership applications, as the committee feels that until we understand the new normal, we want to maintain adequate tee slots so our long serving members are able to get their Saturday game in. However, there remains plenty of capacity for continued growth in midweek memberships. We will continue to monitor our 7-day capacity and already have a short list of new members wanting a 7-day membership. As our growth continues with the new layout and a new building, I can see that the club will continue to remain financially sound and well placed for the future.

As many of us can attest, the grounds staff with assistance from our course volunteers have done a great job in keeping the course looking as good as it does. Even more so, when one considers the extent of traffic passing through the course on a daily basis and the impact created by the ongoing course works.

With the first stage of the course redesign well underway it may now be an appropriate time to review the overall design of the course.

Reflecting on the redesigns of the  $1^{st}$  &  $10^{th}$  holes and the location and attributes of the new building, perhaps it may be an option to reverse the order of play, with the existing  $1^{st}$  hole becoming the  $10^{th}$  and the  $10^{th}$  becoming the  $1^{st}$ . It then follows, the existing  $9^{th}$  hole would become the 18th with the 18th becoming the  $9^{th}$ .

Just imagine, you have finished your round and are now sitting upstairs on the balcony looking out over the course as other players complete their rounds. What a great way to start and finish a round at Royal Hurstville!

With work now progressing on the new building it should not be too much longer before we are able to access the new facilities that will be available to us. What a fantastic asset it will prove to be once completed.

We have asked for your patience previously and will be asking the same again this year. The construction of the new building, the ongoing course developments, and the temporary relocation of the Proshop will unfortunately continue to cause further disruptions until all works have been completed. These disruptions will in the end be well worth the inconvenience.

In summary, my thanks go to the members of our Management Committee for the time and energy they have contributed over the past 2 years. It is difficult to imagine the extent of involvement required in normal times let alone during Covid when restrictions and regulations were changing not just on a daily basis but sometimes two or three times a day.

I would also like to thank Stewart and his team for the assistance they provide, not only as a group to the club but also to each of us as members. It obviously has been just as trying for them if not perhaps even more so.

On behalf of the committee, we thank you all for your ongoing support and look forward to returning to a much more normal existence along with excitement at being able to access greatly enhanced course facilities and significantly improved playing surfaces in the not-too-distant future.

David Moody

### TREASURER'S REPORT

For the 12 months to 30 June 2021

It is my pleasure to present the Financial Statements for the 12 months to 30 June 2021.

Whilst our membership numbers remain unchanged on the 30th June 2021 over the 30th June 2020 there has been considerable growth in membership receipts that will be reflected in the 2022 Annual report. Current membership as at the 30th September is 681 financial members. Looking forward we would expect membership to continue to climb with the current improvement to the course and building and will be well past 700 this year.

Our Membership numbers as of 30 June over the last 7 years has been:

Members	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Adult Males	679	661	656	598	570	553	557
Junior Males	18	14	7	7	4	5	4
Adult Females	76	78	67	66	68	57	58
Junior	5	3	2	1	1	0	0
Total	778	756	732	672	643	615	619

That is a reduction of 20.95% since our membership peak as at 30/6/2015. The comparison renewal rates are:

2015	79.0%
2016	83.0%
2017	80.0%
2018	83.5%
2019	85.7%
2020	90.73%
2021	93.89%

After a transfer of \$63,000 to our Course Improvement fund, operating activities resulted in a Net Profit of \$895.24 which, added to the Retained Profits carried forward from the previous years, leaves our club with total Equity of \$92,995.54 as of 30 June 2021.

All provisions (\$668,421) and Unclaimed Prizes (\$40,648.14) are fully funded by cash at the bank.

Our cash position as of 30 June 2021, after covering all liabilities (which includes provisions), is the Equity as mentioned above, approximately \$92,995.

#### **Donations**

We are pleased to support the following organisations and charities during the year:

Legacy	\$1,000.00
Members cash donation in Legacy Bucket	-\$188.00
Cancer Council - Longest Day	\$100.00
Lebanon Recovery Charity Golf Day	\$209.09
Lions Club of Oatley - Annual Golf Day	\$500.00
Lions Club of Lugarno – BBQ 1	\$500.00
Lions Club of Lugarno – BBQ 2	\$500.00
90.1 NBC FM	\$45.00

\$2,666.09

Attached are our management accounts for the period 1/7/2020 to 30/6/2021. The Financial statements prepared by our Auditor in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards are available on our website.

Our Auditor again this year is Mr Rod Thyer, Partner in the Hurstville Accounting Firm MMT Partners Pty Ltd. We are currently a "Tier 1" Association as defined by NSW Fair Trading and, to meet their requirements, it is necessary for our Auditor to be both independent and a Registered Company Auditor.

This financial year however, after contributing to the coarse works we will move to a "Tier 2" association based on income thresholds and therefore we will not require a registered audit on an annual basis. Tier 2 associations are those whose:

- total revenue as recorded in the income and expenditure statement (i.e., gross receipts) for a financial year is \$250,000 or less, and
- current assets are \$500,000 or less.

Current assets refers to assets (other than real property or assets that are capable of depreciation) held by the association as at the end of the association's last financial year. It includes amounts held in financial institutions, stocks and debentures.

Mick's Meats of Peakhurst will be our new Eagles Nest sponsor going forward. Mick has excellent meat and members should try to support him wherever possible. The Club thanks Mick for his contribution.

Also, a special thanks must go to Nick Weisz Investigations for the sponsorship of the Eagles Nest during the past year. Nick has now relocated to Queensland, and we wish him all the best. Thank you, Nick.

Jeff Etcell

Treasurer

30 September 2021

## **Profit and Loss**

Hurstville Golf Club Inc For the year ended 30 June 2020

Account	2020	2019
Trading Income		
Advertising Revenue	510.00	595.00
Bank Interest	10,767.44	17,735.94
Competition Fees (HGC)	50,589.10	52,676.37
Legacy - Revenue	0.00	2,000.00
Membership Fees	131,049.40	138,493.92
Sponsorship	0.00	618.00
Total Trading Income	192,915.94	212,119.23
Gross Profit	192,915.94	212,119.23
Onerating Evnences		
Operating Expenses Accounting/Bookkeeping	1,817.90	2,063.40
Advertising Expense	0.00	3,118.58
Affiliation Fees	31,044.69	31,287.64
AGM Expenses	1,128.87	971.18
Audit Fees	3,100.00	3,000.00
Bank Fees	653.12	971.28
BBQ's	633.18	1,461.33
Catering	100.73	412.55
Christmas Events	1,459.89	1,518.63
Christmas Recognition	429.02	385.09
Course Improvement Fund Provision	47,289.00	46,000.00
Course Items	0.00	117.38
Donations	4,077.12	5,972.00
Eagles Nest	132.00	666.00
Equipment Expensed	0.00	2,241.50
Equipment Hire	424.55	752.72
Fixtures Book	992.18	992.18
Golden Ball Events	0.00	222.73
Golf Link	2,194.50	1,736.79
Hardware - Computer	0.00	1,483.35
Internet Connection	872.76	945.45
Junior Programmes	290.91	204.54
Keno 4 Ball Mens & Ladies	115.00	72.73
Ladies: Weekend Pennants	711.62	0.00
Legacy	1,102.12	437.42
Major Pennants	431.14	736.09
Metro Mixed Pennants	1,872.64	1,625.82
Monthly Medals	1,764.00	176.00
NSW Vet. Golfers Assoc	364.10	430.00
Occupancy Fee	24,928.91	27,547.20
Office Equipment (2235)	125.46	240.91
Office Supplies	516.15	1,811.14
Printing, Postage & Stationery	2,593.73	2,155.44
Prizes (HGC)	49,915.00	51,755.00
Prizes (HGC) Unclaimable	(7,722.71)	0.00
Publications	430.00	506.23
Rounding	0.03	(0.01)
Shirts (Rep. & Committee)	3,679.09	2,101.82
Software - Computer	9,510.23	10,457.35
Statutory Costs	0.00	245.00
Super Senior Pennants	1,181.58	464.19
Travel	94.29	75.00
Trophies	2,180.82	2,017.64
Utilities (Phone calls, etc)	0.00	193.18
Warren & Gibson Shields	1,832.85	1,510.07
Web Hosting	132.23	413.71
Welfare	125.45	63.64
Total Operating Expenses	192,524.15	211,559.89
Net Profit	391.79	559.34

## **Profit and Loss**

## Hurstville Golf Club Inc For the year ended 30 June 2021

Account	2021	2020
Trading Income		
Advertising Revenue	595.00	510.00
Bank Interest	1,781.39	10,767.44
Competition Fees (HGC)	79,991.82	50,589.10
Membership Fees	142,052.39	131,049.40
Sponsorship	14.09	0.00
Total Trading Income	224,434.69	192,915.94
Gross Profit	224,434.69	192,915.94
Operating Expenses		
Accounting/Bookkeeping	3,627.86	1,817.90
Affiliation Fees	30,247.05	31,044.69
AGM Expenses	0.00	1,128.87
Audit Fees	3,295.00	3,100.00
Bank Fees	653.55	653.12
BBQ's	406.50	633.18
Catering	0.00	100.73
Christmas Events	1,832.51	1,459.89
Christmas Recognition	2,184.79	429.02
Course Improvement Fund Provision	63,101.36	47,289.00
Course Items	36.18	0.00
Donations	2,666.09	4,077.12
Eagles Nest	(640.00)	132.00
Equipment Hire	0.00	424.55
Fixtures Book	1,385.85	992.18
Golden Ball Events	81.82	0.00
Golf Link	0.00	2,194.50
Internet Connection	227.43	872.76
Junior Programmes	0.00	290.91
Keno 4 Ball Mens & Ladies	0.00	115.00
Ladies: Weekend Pennants	452.75	711.62
Legacy	(49.18)	1,102.12
Major Pennants	1,054.54	431.14
Member Drinks/Food for Volunteer work	126.09	0.00
Metro Mixed Pennants	90.00	1,872.64
Monthly Medals	64.00	1,764.00
NSW Vet. Golfers Assoc	375.00	364.10
Occupancy Fee	23,588.89	24,928.91
Office Equipment (2235)	0.00	125.46
Office Supplies	2,028.99	516.15
Presentation Day	74.09	0.00
Printing, Postage & Stationery	2,577.87	2,593.73
Prizes (HGC)	71,913.00	49,915.00
Prizes (HGC) Unclaimable	(4,041.84)	(7,722.71)
Publications	430.00	430.00
Rounding	0.00	0.03
Shirts (Rep. & Committee)	1,025.46	3,679.09
Software - Computer	9,424.64	9,510.23
Super Senior Pennants	393.41	1,181.58
Travel	58.54	94.29
Trophies	1,790.00	2,180.82
Warren & Gibson Shields	428.26	1,832.85
Web Hosting	2,406.22	132.23
Welfare	222.73	125.45
Total Operating Expenses	223,539.45	192,524.15
Net Profit	895.24	391.79

# **Balance Sheet**

## Hurstville Golf Club Inc As at 30 June 2021

	30 JUN 2021	30 JUN 2020
Assets		
Bank		
HGC Term Deposit 35-3322	-	612,136.08
HGC Term Deposit 35-5969	-	85,275.49
WBC Trading Account	96,549.00	20,472.83
WBC Cash Reserve	806,315.91	128,001.86
WBC Petty Cash Bank Account	501.00	500.84
Total Bank	903,365.91	846,387.10
Current Assets		
Accounts Receivable	572.00	-
Total Current Assets	572.00	-
Total Assets	903,937.91	846,387.10
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Current Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	7,029.92	4,532.41
Building Fund	400,000.00	400,000.00
Building, Equipment & Office Provision	18,239.94	18,239.94
Course Improvement Fund	250,181.38	184,848.78
Fees in Advance	113,259.48	96,026.94
GST	10,698.50	7,496.23
Paid via Pro-Shop EFTpos	(29,114.95)	-
Unclaimed Prizes	40,648.14	43,142.54
Total Current Liabilities	810,942.41	754,286.84
Total Liabilities	810,942.41	754,286.84
Net Assets	92,995.50	92,100.26
Equity		
Current Year Earnings	895.24	391.79
Retained Earnings	92,100.26	91,708.47
Total Equity	92,995.50	92,100.26

# HURSTVILLE GOLF CLUB INC ABN: 32 583 203 209 INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF HURSTVILLE GOLF CLUB INC

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial report of HURSTVILLE GOLF CLUB INC (the association), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2020, the statement of profit or loss, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the certification by members of the committee.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the association is in accordance with the Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (NSW), including:

- giving a true and fair view of the association's financial position as at 30 June 2020 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- that the financial records kept by the association are such as to enable financial statements to be prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the association in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110: Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Information Other than the Financial Report and Auditor's Report Thereon

The committee of the association is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the association's annual report for the year ended 30 June 2020, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Responsibilities of the Committee for the Financial Report

The committee of the association is responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (NSW) and for such internal control as the committee determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the committee is responsible for assessing the association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the committee either intends to liquidate the association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are
  appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the
  association's internal control.

## HURSTVILLE GOLF CLUB INC ABN: 32 583 203 209

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF HURSTVILLE GOLF CLUB INC

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the committee.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the committee's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the association's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the association to cease to continue as a going concern.

Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Auditor's	name	and

signature:

Roderick Thyer

Name of firm:

MMT Partners Ptv Lk

Address:

Railway Parade

Dated this

day of

2021

#### HURSTVILLE GOLF CLUB INC ABN: 32 583 203 209

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In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the association is in accordance with the Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (NSW), including:

- i. giving a true and fair view of the association's financial position as at 30 June 2021 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- ii. that the financial records kept by the association are such as to enable financial statements to be prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the association in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110: Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Information Other than the Financial Report and Auditor's Report Thereon

The committee of the association is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the association's annual report for the year ended 30 June 2021, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Responsibilities of the Committee for the Financial Report

The committee of the association is responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the Associations Incorporation Act 2009 (NSW) and for such internal control as the committee determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the committee is responsible for assessing the association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the committee either intends to liquidate the association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

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- Conclude on the appropriateness of the committee's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the association's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the association to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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Auditor's name and signature:	Roderick Thyer
Name of firm: Address: ≤೨	MMT Partners Pty Ltd / 1+e 5, 576-580 Roulway Parade Hurstville
Dated this	Two day of Novembel 2021

## **2021 Captains Report**

This year has been like no other, but we did continue to play and enjoy our golf. However, this meant that we have had to attempt to play around and comply with all the Covid 19 restrictions on a changing course with only 17 holes and three temporary greens.

Many of our members were unable to play at all for some period because of travel restrictions however this also meant we had a huge influx of visitors, many of whom became members. The Committee and the Match Committee in particular along with Blue fit were kept on their toes with the ever changing Covid rules during this period.

The condition of the course due to the upgrade has meant that this year's major singles club championship is being postponed until hopefully early in the new year. The latest information I have is that the course works should be completed by Christmas and then it will be a couple of months before it will be in good playing condition.

The results of the mid-week championship are as follows.

Division 1 Handicap winner was Enzo Corvino and the Division 1 Scratch winner was Nick Pantano. The Division 2 Handicap winner was Ron Milne and the Division 2 Scratch was won by Michael Andon. The Ladies Mid-Week Handicap winner was Dale Brickwood The ladies scratch winner was Pat Towns.

This year's Matchplay Championship was won by Kristian Kerrigan who defeated Joseph Lee on the 20th hole.

Congratulations to all the winners.

Our Metropolitan Major Pennants Team was managed by Todd Shaw and Kristian Kerrigan and captained by Todd Shaw. The matches are played over 18 holes of match play without the benefit of handicap. Our team of players, being regular members were again extremely competitive with this year's results coming down to the last round.

Peter Allam was involved with the organization of the mixed pennants however because of the condition of our course we were only able to play the away games, however they were still strongly supported.

The Super Senior Pennants is open to male golfers over 65 and sees teams of eight players from each club competing in single match play without handicap. This has again been organised by Barry Bray however unfortunately they had to be abandoned for this year, so we are looking forward to,2022.

The 2020 Warren and Gibson Shields were not played this year due to Covid19 and our course would not be of a standard required at this stage.

The ladies Pennants was organised by Fay Zajakovski. Hurstville Golf Club entered a team in the Bronze 1 grade in the Southern Districts Ladies Pennants commencing late February to April 2021. This grade was played with the benefit of a handicap and the ladies that participated thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

Fay will again be organising the 2022 Ladies Pennants which will commence in late February, and we would like to enter two teams – Silver for handicaps 11 plus (played on stroke) and Bronze 1 for handicaps 18 plus (played on handicap) so please contact Fay if you would like to participate or wish further information.

The Match Committee do a lot of work behind the scenes in the running of the competitions. My thanks go to Todd Shaw, Barry Bray, John Wallace, and Fay Zajakovski our current committee. On behalf of all members, I would like to thank them for their efforts. I also appreciate all the assistance from Jeff Fairbairn in taking the Friday bookings and assisting with closing competitions.

A big thank you must go to Stewart and his Pro Shop staff for the assistance they have provided to the committee and to the members.

Peter Burns and all his team have done a wonderful job in bringing our greens up to a high standard and maintaining the course throughout the disruption of the course upgrade.

I hope you have enjoyed your golf over the last 12 months and look forward to your continued patronage and support.

Peter Greig

Club Captain