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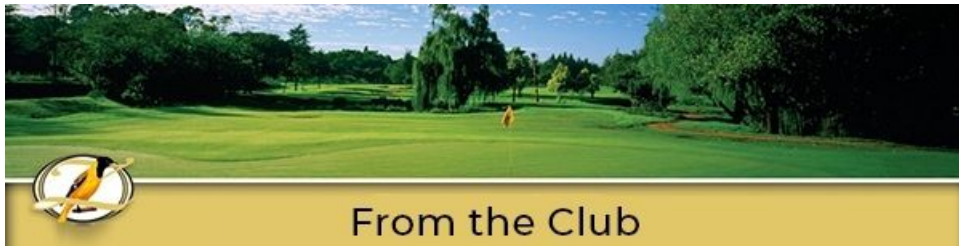


Thursday, September 15, 2022



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From the Club

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Fancy you know the rules?

Or maybe you have a pile of rules questions that you need answered. Well, we've got the answer for you. We have invited Golf RSA's **Neil Homann**, the Manager of Golf Ops, Rules and Training to join us for an informative Rules Session on **Thursday, 29 September**.

You can simply join us at 18:00 for 18:30, there is no need to book. Just show up and get your questions answered by someone who really does know the answers! We'll have some food and drinks specials available if you would like to snack on something.



*Remember this challenging shot for Chris Ungerer
during Club Champs a few years ago?*

We have something on the calendar that will suit you

Upcoming events

Don't you just love the effect of warmer weather on, not only the golf course, but your attitude towards playing golf? Luckily for you, we have a week of fun events planned for you at the end of this month. So you can play as much or as little as you like!

Family Feud

Sunday, 25 September

The most fun event on our calendar - 36 holes of foursomes - and we are looking for a few more people to join each of the teams.

Dale is defending; Brian won the previous one – can Adam's team get a win? Call Sharon and tell her which team you would like to join.

WE NEED YOU FOR THE FAMILY FEUD!
TEAM DALE IS DEFENDING THEIR TITLE ON
SUN, 25TH SEPTEMBER

**R420 INCL CART SHARING; AM HALFWAY; LUNCH; LIGHT
DINNER & PRIZES (ADD R260 IF NO PLAYERS CARD)
LIMITED SPOTS FOR MEMBERS WHO WOULD LIKE TO PLAY**



Zwartkop Pro-AM

Monday, 26th

Tee it up with the Pros in the Zwartkop Pro Am and receive a pair of HiTec Golf Shoes included in your entry fee. R1250 also includes your green fee, halfway house and dinner.

ZWARTKOP PRO AM





**MON, 26TH SEPT
12H00 SHOTGUN START
5-BALL INCLUDING A PRO**

**R5000 / FOUR AMIES INCL GREENFEES, HALFWAY, DINNER &
PRIZES, PLUS A PAIR OF HI-TEC VENTURE LITE SHOES EACH.
PRO'S ENTRY - R450 & PLAY FOR PRIZEMONEY**

ENTRIES - SHARON (012)654-1144 /SHARON@ZWARTKOPCC.CO.ZA

Zwartkop Senior Open Day

Tuesday, 27 September

Ladies Rosebowl – AM

Thursday, 28 September

"WILD FOR GOLF" LADIES ROSEBOWL

THURS, 29th SEPT - 07h30 SHOTGUN
BETTERBALL STABLEFORD



BOOKINGS
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**R450 PER PERSON INCL.
GOODIE BAG; GREENFEES,
CART SHARING; LUNCH
& FABULOUS PRIZES
INCL. BEST DRESSED
* PLAYERS WITH PLAYERS
CARD - R350**



Golf Management Campus Golf Day

Friday, 30 September



GOLF DAY

JOIN US ON FRIDAY 30 SEPTEMBER FOR THE
GMC GOLF DAY.



4 BALL ALLIANCE, 2 SCORES TO COUNT.
3 SCORES TO COUNT ON PAR 3'S.

R3500.00
PER 4 BALL

PUTTING COMPETITION
LONGEST DRIVE
NEAREST TO THE PIN.

PRICE INCLUDES:
ROUND WITH CARTS
HALFWAY HOUSE
PRIZE-GIVING DINNER

REGISTRATION STARTS AT 10:30
SHOTGUN START AT 12:00

FOR BOOKINGS CONTACT NISHALIN:
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Singles Club

Diarise that the next Singles Club will be played on Sunday, 9 October. It is open to Single Figure handicappers only!

Contact Francois Anderson on 082-577-6694.

Star of the week

Congratulations to Lea van der Merwe, who has been selected to the GNGU B Team for the Women's IPT. We wish you all the very best at Silver Lakes next month.



Let us help you play better golf

Adam Lowther continues to help you to break 90 this month!

This week he discusses your approach shots to the green.



Adam Lowther is an Assistant Teaching Professional at Zwartkop.

Junior Order of Merit

There's still time for your kids to start playing golf on a Saturday afternoon with Curtley's Saturday Junior Order of Merit group.

Contact Adam on 074-747-2030 or Curtley on 071-809-3754 for details and bookings.





Otway's Golf Shop



Srixon ZX Clubs

Irons ZX 4s, 5s or 7s – R 13 999,00

Driver – ZX 5s or 7s – R 3 999,00

ZX Fairway Wood – R 2 899,00

ZX Hybrids – R 2 299,00

ZX Utility Irons – R 1 999,00



Cleveland

Launcher XL Irons – R 13 999,00

Driver – R 5 499,00 (Bonded) & R 6 999,00 (Adjustable)

Fairway Wood – R 3 499,00

Hybrids – R 2 999,00



Wilson

D7 Irons – now only R6 999,00

D7 Driver – Was – R 4 299,00 – Now – R 3 999,00

D7 Fairway Wood – Was – R 3 299,00 – Now – R 2 499,00

D7 Hybrid – Was – R 2 499,00 – Now – R 1 999,00



Golf Bags

Wilson Golf Bags – Less 20%

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Calendar



Results



Bookings

Get the ball flying

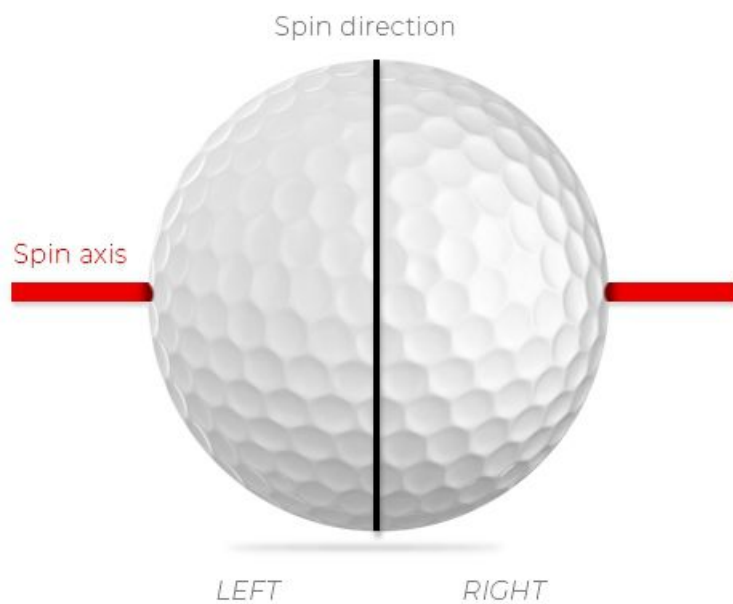
Back to basics

If the result of what you thought was a perfect ball strike, is a ball flight that's off track, then don't get angry or frustrated. Get back to basics.

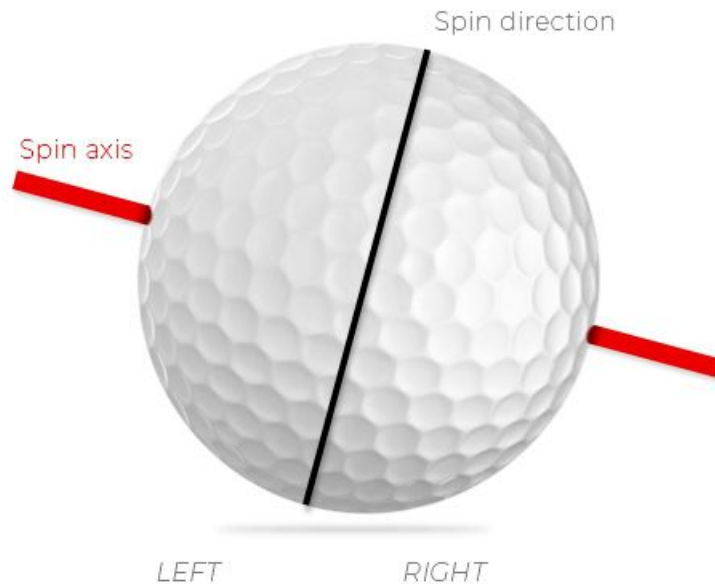


Remember the golf ball has a spin axis

If you want a straight ball flight after impact, the spin axis needs to stay horizontal.



If the club face is not square to the path of the club through impact, then the spin axis of the ball will be tilted. In this case (as shown below), the ball is going to move left to right.



You're in charge

Are you playing with a golf ball that assists with reduced spin? Is your lie angle fitted to your swing so that you're more easily able to square the face at impact? If you want straighter ball flight, your answer to both those questions should be 'yes'.

Lowry back in the winner's circle

Let's find your fit

After a string of top-10 finishes over the past year, Srixon staffer Shane Lowry is back in the winner's circle with a victory at the 2022 BMW PGA Championship. This is his first trophy since claiming the Claret Jug at the 2019 Open Championship.



WITB: The clubs that secured another win for Lowry

Srixon ZX5 9.5° Driver

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Srixon ZX 3i Utility

[Discover](#)

Srixon ZX5 4i, 5i / Srixon ZX7 6i-PW

[Discover](#)

Cleveland RTX ZipCore 50° MID, 58° FULL FACE

[Discover](#)

Srixon Z-STAR XV Pure White

Discover

Add Srixon to your bag

Make your journey from tee to green shorter and more fun with the Srixon ZX lineup of woods, irons and golf balls.

Get ZX

Breaking 90

Centre of the green

The flag is a mesmerising target. It draws our focus and becomes the target, often when it shouldn't. If you're aiming to break 90, unless you're greenside, ignore the flag and look for the centre or largest part of the green. The place with the most room for error.





"You've just got a short 30-metre pitch. But ignore the flag. It is there to tempt you to the bunker. Aim for the very centre of the green".

The 15 – 40-metre short pitch shot is the most common final shot into the green for most golfers.

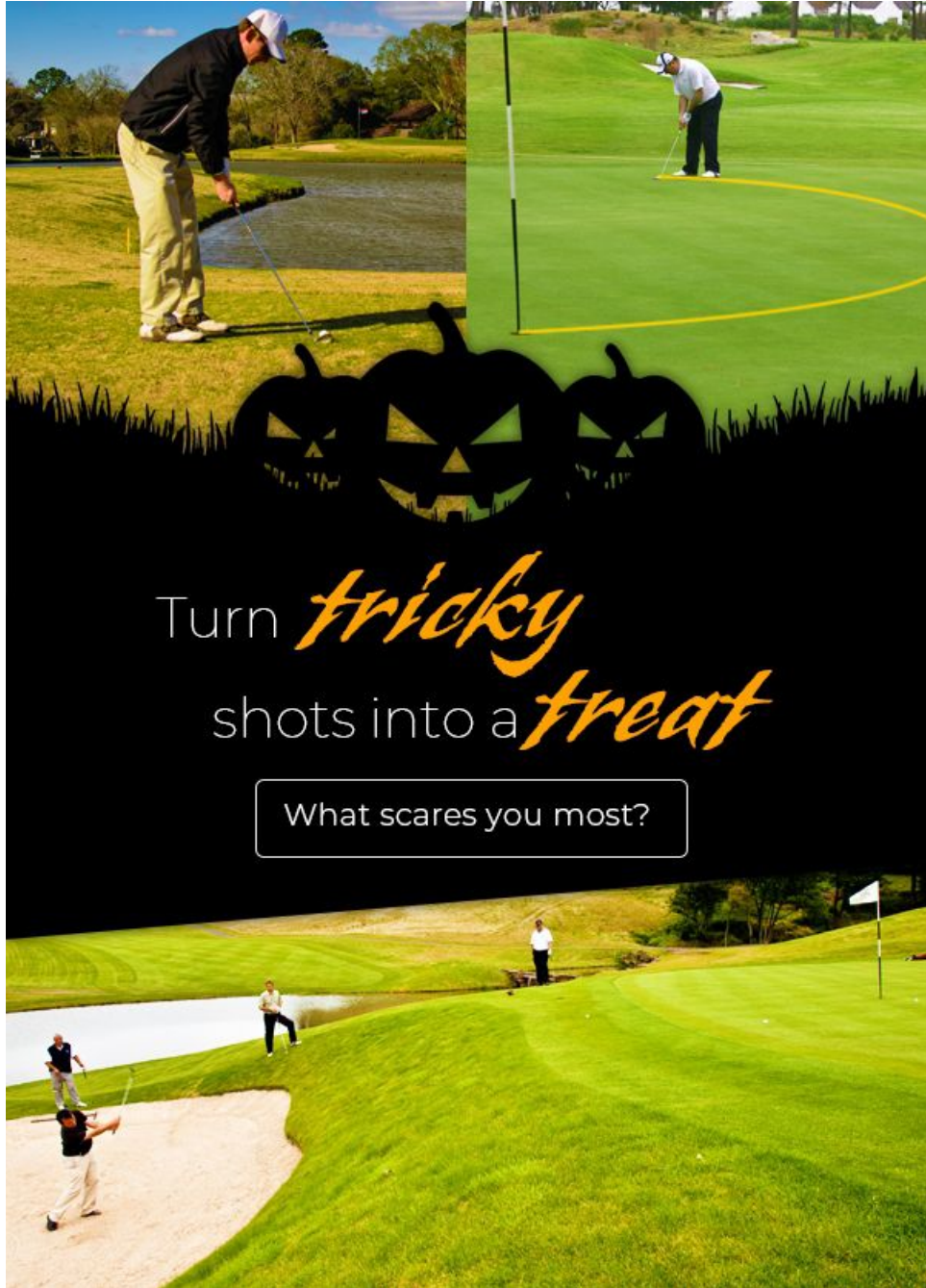


"The common mistakes we see on this shot are backswings that are too long and a deceleration of the clubhead at impact; and attempts to scoop the ball."

Get this technique right

Many of you have seen pictures of open stance and ball position and get set up quite well. But the use of the wrists on the backswing and the downswing betrays a lack of confidence or poor understanding of the required technique for this shot. Let's get you practising the right technique.







An approach over the water. A sharp-breaking downhill putt. A deep greenside bunker. Shots like this don't have to be scary. Tell us what shot scares you most, and let's turn that fear into fun.



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