



THE WAY LIFE SHOULD BE LIVED

22-28 APRIL 2010



THE LODGE

Dereck Hirson has decided to return to his roots as a golf club manager and has sadly accepted the position as club manager for the Margate Golf Club. Dereck has made a significant impact on our Lodge, steering it through the difficult transitional period. As if taking on a new business is not enough, the economic recession posed additional

difficulties for him and his team.

We thank Dereck most sincerely for his time at Prince's Grant. He has made a lot of friends amongst homeowners and visitors. Our Lodge staff in particular, who have become very fond of Dereck, will miss him dearly – a testament to his pleasant demeanor.

We wish Dereck the very best for his future endeavors.

Anyone who hasn't played Margate for a while, now's the time.

COMMITTEES & GATHERINGS

The only committee meeting during past week was the BUILDING COMMITTEE who held their meeting on **21 APRIL 2010**.

2 NEW PLANS WERE SUBMITTED:

Lot335/2 – plan approved and building to commence in May 2010.

Lot 299 – plan not approved-to be brought back for 2nd submission.

SOLAR HEATING

It is pleasing to note an increase in applications by home owners for solar heating. The committee encourages this energy saving approach and hope that more home owners will also follow this route.

ESTATE PROJECTS

Visit our website at www.princesgrant.co.za to see schedule of projects.

Fishing on the Golf Course

It is great to see homeowners and their guests enjoy their fishing at the 2nd and 6th dams. Homeowners are reminded that fishing in these dams is only allowed during non-golfing hours i.e. before 06h00 and after 17h00 and is strictly "tag and release".





The Lodge at Prince's Grant

WHAT'S ON THE MENU?

Friday Night

Specials

*Kassler Kebabs
served on a bed of
couscous with mango
chutney*

Or

*Creamy Prawn
garlic penna pasta*

Or

*Butter Chicken with
Roti or rice*

*And Strawberry
Mousse*

R85.00 PP



NEWS

CONFERENCES AT THE LODGE ARE PICKING UP!

SSI ENGINEERS CONFERENCE: Wed 21 – Sat 24 April

The lodge will be hosting the SSI delegates in the conference centre from Wednesday 21 April, where 17 delegates will be meeting and the remaining 60 delegates will join them from Thursday. They will be using the restaurant and States room for their meals on the Thursday, Friday & Saturday and then depart after their morning conference.

EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, 28 APRIL

We will be introducing the new pub menu with some of the popular items remaining and some new items being offered. We will also have specials on offer which will be changed twice a week. In our fine dining restaurant, we will see some changes with a set menu providing for variety of tastes, replacing the current ala carte menu.

SATURDAY, 1 MAY: WORKERS DAY

Luyt Breweries will be sponsoring a fun evening in the pub from 18h00 to 20h00 with live entertainment, prizes to be won and food on sale. Join us in the Pub for the fun evening on the 1st of May.



FRIDAY 7, MAY: WINE TASTING

Des from DGB will be hosting a Chenin Blanc & Sauvignon wine tasting from 19h00 the evening which is an event not to be missed.

Reminders:

SUNDAY

9 MAY

13H00

MOTHERS
DAY LUNCH

R95.00 pp

WEDNESDAY

12 MAY

17H00

FUN
CHARITY
EVENT

TRAVELLING
FAIRWAY
FEAST



EVENTS

24 April - Monthly mug for members (Individual medal for members and Individual stableford for visitors)

27 April - Tuesday - Freedom day.

28 April - Meat Competition.

COMPETITIONS

MAY 2010

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| 01 Sat | Betterball Stableford |
| 02 Sun | Central League – Bluff |
| 04 Tue | Ladies Open Day (Shotgun Start @ 9:00) |
| 05 Wed | Individual Stableford |
| 08 Sat | Combined Stableford |
| 12 Wed | Individual Stableford |
| 13 Thurs | Senior League |
| 15 Sat | 4 Ball Alliance – 2 scores to count |
| 19 Wed | Individual Stableford |
| 22 Sat | North Coast League—Darnall Betterball Stableford |
| 26 Wed | Individual Stableford |
| 29 Sat | Monthly Mug (Individual Medal) |
| 30 Sun | Central League - Athlone |

RESULTS

**Saturday
April 18, 2010**

Format:

4 Ball Alliance – 2 scores to count

Yougan, Lowell, Anthony & Sagren
92 pts.

Colin, Monay, Kuvern & Deon
85 pts.

D.v.Bronkhorts, B.v.Bronkhorst,
C.Pieterse & I.Murray
84 pts.

NEWS

GOLF COURSE

To ensure our course remains in top form, requires constant intervention.

The reason for fairways currently being slightly brown is due to the “verti cut” procedure that Danie and his team follow prior to winter.

The 3rd and 7th greens are showing signs of *ground pearl activity* - an insect in shell form found about 10 cm below surface and sucking the nutrients from the grass roots.

It's a difficult “customer” to deal with but we're attending to the problem.

Ladies Open Day:

Tuesday 4 May: Ladies Open day. Shotgun starts at 9am followed by a light lunch and prize giving after the game.

As it is a shotgun start, the course will be closed to other players in the morning. There will be 9 hole times available in the afternoon once the Ladies Open has finished.

An optional skins competition has been added to the format on Wednesdays.

Please join in the fun.

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DANIE AT THE US MASTERS



We are very privileged to announce that our Greenkeeper, Danie Kok, attended the 2010 U.S Masters Golf Tournament in Augusta, Georgia from 5 – 11 April.

Danie was invited by Augusta as a member of the greenkeeping staff during the Masters. During the tournament he spent long hours on the course, working on the 17th green in particular.

(A detailed report on his experience and what his tasks involved will be available on our website- www.princesgrant.co.za)

Being part of this world-class operation is an educational experience for Danie which Prince's Grant will benefit from in future.



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