

It is with pleasure to submit my first Captains report . It has been a learning year for me and with the help of my match committee Shannon Murnane, Darren Van Egdome and Steve Huggins we have managed to get through the year without any big problems. Thanks to Julie Connell the ladies captain who gives up her Saturday mornings to attend our match meetings.

A lot of work goes on behind the scenes to run nine hole competitions and Veterans tournaments so thanks to all involved.

We started 2019 with the introduction of the new rules and our members have accepted the changes without any real issues arising. Some of the local rules, which we are now allowed to implement needed some trial and error before we decided not to make any changes.

The pennant season had its controversy with the NRDGA deciding to make the division 1 pennant a handicap event so the div 1 players decided not play this year and the match committee supported that decision. We still managed to bring the division 2 pennant home to the MGC well done fellas a great win.

The club championships for 2019 are over with bigger fields than we have had in many years with a big turnout for the last day. It was great to see a good crowd stay around for the presentations. Congratulations to all the winners.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Adam and his golf shop staff for all their help throughout the year.

Thanks to Brian and his staff the course continues to get better each year.

Graham Nelson

Captain