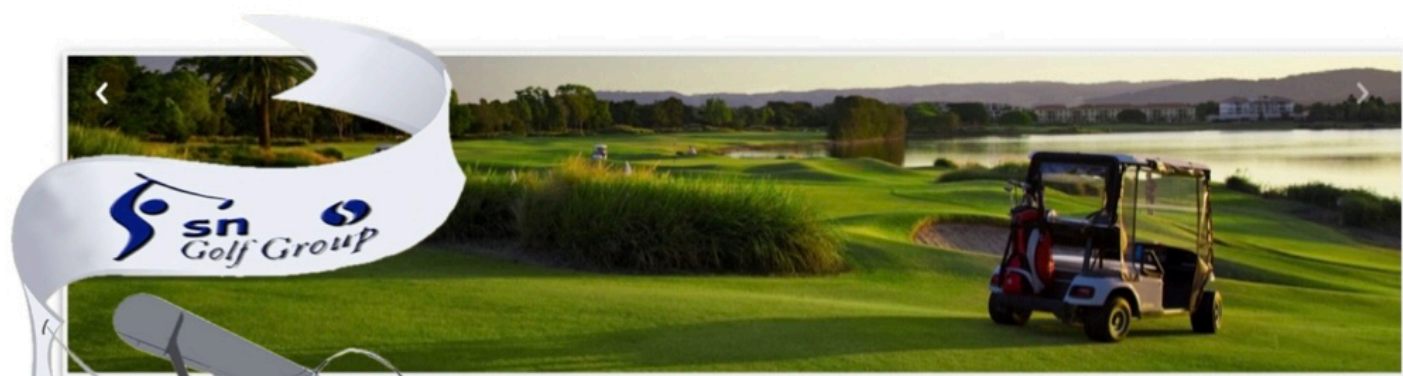
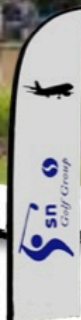
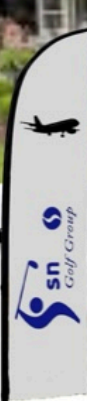




Newsletter

Royal Golf Club du Hainaut



Royal Hainaut

March 21st, 2025



The President's Pen...



A special moment today, Xavier Esch celebrated his anniversary this very day and on this occasion he offered a round of drinks to all presents. Many thanks Xavier, and congrats again.



Only 18 players on the field - 3 Ladies - 5 Men 1 (jokingly called the bulls) and 10 Men 2. A very low attendance on this great old course and we wonder why. All remarks, ideas or suggestions are welcome of course. Our treasurer Mark was still in Argentina, and Jean Jacques had a small surgery which prevented him from playing golf during that week.

Now sadly enough some parts of the course were not exceptionally good, even in poor condition. For instance the tee-off pads were very bad, no grass but only sand !!! The tee boxes seemed to have stayed in the same position during the whole winter. The greens were sanded the same morning, which handicapped a bit our putting ability but nevertheless stayed quite fast. Rough and fairways were good for the time in this season.

The weather was really great (thanks Buddha if ever JJ or Lieve were involved!!) , especially for the month of March and in the weather report on TV they mentioned that for once Belgium was the warmest place in Europe that day. Isn't that special !!!!

Sponsors were SNGG, that's to say the membres, and the wine was selected (with a little help from myself) by JL Bridoux. He had planned a nearest the pin Ladies and one for the Men but nobody managed to reach the green with their tee shot. So the 2 bottles were offered at the lottery together with 2 others. Prize giving was held on the terrace and in our golfing gear !!! exceptionnaly.

Many thanks to all present in an always good conviviality and friendship.

Next meeting is at Keerbergen on the 23th of April sponsored by the Simons couple Lieve & JJ . See you more numerous then, I hope.

Patrick Swaelens





DE SMET N. 34

FESTRAETS J. 30

PAQUOT N. 26



ESCH X. 34

PAELINCK Y. 34

LAHAYE C. 30



VISPOEL T. 44

RUEFF M. 37

BRIDOUX JL 30





All scores & pictures are available on our website

SNGG. *next meeting*
23 April



New Clubhouse team



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