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SOUTHERN CAPE JUNIOR GOLF REPORT – 2015

In addition to the 12 Order of Merit tournaments that are held by Southern Cape Junior golf an additional 4 “Kenako series” tournaments and a further 2 Sanlam Glacier Junior Series events within the Southern Cape (Fancourt and George) results in a total of 18 possible tournaments for juniors to enter, outside of National order of Merit events and Open events within the Southern Cape. The juniors now make up a substantial component in the Southern Cape men’s Order of Merits events – almost 40% on average.

The abovementioned events exclude those of the high schools and primary golf schools league. We embarked on an initiative for the primary schools events this year to include this event as part of the Union’s Order of Merit events. In addition thereto we aimed a 9-hole competition at the junior players who are not yet participating in the Union’s Order of Merit events (generally players aged $\pm 7 - 11$) on the same day as the Union’s Order of Merit events behind the field. The idea was to create an aspirational environment for these younger players so that they could “get the feel” of a golf tournament where there is live scoring and to also utilize such as an opportunity to inform parents of the Union’s Order of Merit events for when they are older. These 9-hole events were run by Roelof Roeloffze. We would like to thank him and the clubs for embracing this initiative. It is hoped that we can foster a long term relationship with the juniors and get them hooked on golf. They are after all the potential future members of all of the golf clubs within the Southern Cape.

We are extremely grateful to Nomads who have kindly donated i-pads to Southern Cape Junior Golf for the purposes of live scoring at our events. The Albatross system allows us to ensure that players’ scores are captured for handicap purposes accurately. We believe this has been a success and are often complimented thereon.

In addition we are further grateful to Nomads and Auto Imperial and MFC for contributions to the Heptangular event, which was increased from R75,000 last year to R80 000 this year. Heptangular event is taking place in October.

In closing we would like to extend our gratitude to all junior golf coaches, SAGDB, the junior golf academies and importantly the golf clubs in the Southern Cape who support the juniors – the future members of the clubs.

From a results perspective the winners of the Southern Cape Junior Order of Merit and Kenako series tournaments is supplied below for completeness as well as results of team events and national tournaments. In addition our individual prizes for the year are noted in addition to the competition winners. Lastly a graphical representation of the tournaments is indicated at the end of the document.

Medals for SCJOOM winners

Southern Cape Junior Order of Merit winners (Kenako series in red) (gross winning scores in brackets – U13 appear first followed by U19)

25 January 2015 – George	Jordan Duminy (72)	Julien Sale (68) play off
1 February 2015 – Oubaai	Jordan Duminy (69)	Cameron Moralee (69)
8 February 2015 – Mossel Bay	Jordan Duminy (71)	Alan Lones (69, 69) play off
9 March 2015 – Kingswood	Jordan Duminy (75)	Christo Lamprecht (73) play off
12 April 2015 – Simola	Jordan Duminy (64)	Reece Els (70)
26 April 2015 – Kingswood	Jan Human (83)	Cameron Moralee (69)
24 May 2015 – Still Bay	CJ van Wyk (79)	Franklin Manchest (69)
		Henry Anderson (69)
31 May 2015 – Fancourt	Cancelled	
14 June 2015 – Kingswood	Jordan Duminy (71)	Cameron Moralee (71)

26 July 2015 – Oubaai	Ulrich Steinhobel (72)	Henry Anderson (72) play off
2 August – Pinnacle Point	Jordan Hart (78)	Reece Els (74) play off
9 August 2015 -	Cancelled	
23 August 2015 – Plettenberg Bay	Jordan Duminy (74)	Julien Sale (65)
13 September 2015 – Goose Valley	Jordan Duminy (71)	Martin Vorster (70) play off
18 October 2015 – Knysna	Jordan Duminy (73)	Bradley de Beer (71)
1 November 2015 – George	Cancelled	

The Glacier events for the year were as follows:

28 June 2015 – Glacier event at George (best Southern Cape Player – JP van der Watt 5th (77))

19 July 2015 – Glacier event at Fancourt (best Southern Cape Player – Caylum Boon 1st (69))

The best Southern Cape Boys' performances at NOOM events were as follows:

- Johannesburg Open 11-12 December 2014 – Tied 6th Julien Sale and Cameron Moralee
- Dr. Bam 4-5 January – 3rd Cameron Moralee
- KZN Coastal NOOM 9-10 January – Tied 11th Franklin Manchest
- North vs South 1-2 April – 3rd Franklin Manchest
- St Francis Coastal 28 – 29 June – 3rd Martin Vorster
- Dimension Data Open 1-3 July – 4th Martin Vorster
- Inland Gauteng 13 – 14 July – Tied 13th Alex van Wyk
- Tshwana Open 16-17 July – Tied 3rd Alex van Wyk
- African Open 9-10 August – Tied 2nd Alan Lones
- Lion of Africa 11 October – 8th Jordan Duminy
- U15 Rustenberg 7-9 January – 2nd Martin Vorster
- U17 Bushwillow 7-9 July – Tied 15th Martin Vorster and Alex van Wyk
- U19 Limpopo 6-11 April – Tied 8th Jovan Rebula
- U13 Royal Durban 5-7 October – 2nd Jordan Duminy

The performances of Southern Cape Boys at team events were as follows (the highest placed individual position is supplied where applicable):

U13 Fish River Invitational (March)

Team came 1st and individually Jordan Duminy placed 1st

The team was represented by:

- Jordan Duminy
- Jan Human
- CJ van Wyk
- Christian Jacobs
- Jaco Pienaar
- Franco Gericke

U15 Fish River Invitational (March)

Team came 1st and individually Martin Vorster finished 2nd

The team was represented by:

- Martin Vorster
- Norman Seton
- Ben van Wyk
- Reece Els
- JP van der Watt
- Calvin Maia

The Riversdale Triangular between Southern Cape, Western Province and Boland (May)

U19 team came 2nd

The team was represented by:

- Hans-Jurie Human
- Aidan Boon
- Jabulane Mabilane
- Riaan Grootboom
- Marcus Smal
- Mentz Germishuis
- Alex van Wyk
- Norman Seton

U17 team came 2nd

The team was represented by:

- Christo Lamprecht
- Carlo Heunis
- Tristan Malan
- Martin Vorster
- Bradley de Beer
- Reece Els
- Ben van Wyk
- Jordan Duminy

U14 Worcester Invitational (July)

The team came 1st and Barend Botha finished 1st

The team was represented by:

- Barend Botha
- Antoine Sale
- James Murray
- Jan Human
- CJ van Wyk
- Janco Vogel

SA Boys U13 at Durban (October)

The team came 2nd and Jordan Duminy finished 2nd

The team was represented by:

- Jordan Duminy
- Jan Human
- CJ van Wyk
- Franco Gericke
- Jaco Pienaar
- Jordan Hart

Heptangular event at Kingswood (October)

U19 team came 3rd

The team was represented by:

- Martin Vorster
- Alex van Wyk
- Riaan Grootboom
- Carlo Heunis
- Tristan Malan
- Reece Els
- Marcus Smal
- Kevin Gibson

U17 team came 1st

The team was represented by:

- Jethro Newton
- Tor Grundtvig
- Barend Botha
- Pieter Zietsman
- Antoine Sale
- Calvin Maia
- Ben van Wyk
- JP van der Watt

SAGA U19 IPT at Worcester Golf Club (December)

The team is represented by:

- Jovan Rebula (Captain)
- Cameron Moralee
- Franklin Manchest
- Julien Sale
- Alan Lones
- Caylum Boon
- Martin Vorster
- Alex van Wyk

High Schools Championship (August)

- Bradley de Beer tied 9th in the individual event
- Rundle College came 4th in the team event.

Ernie Els Primary Schools Championship

- James Murray came 6th in the individual event
- Glenwood House came 6th in the team event.

Trophies and certificates were given to the following players at our annual prize giving session as follows:

Certificates:

Boys representing SWD

SA Boys U13

Jordan Duminy
CJ van Wyk
Jan Human
Franco Gericke
Jaco Pienaar
Jordan Hart

SA Boys U15 – Rustenberg

Martin Vorster
Norman Seton
Christo Lamprecht
Ben van Wyk
Jordan Duminy

SA Boys U17 – Bushwillow

Martin Vorster
Alex van Wyk
Carlo Heunis
Tristan Malan
Norman Seton

SA Boys U19 – Limpopo

Cameron Moralee
Jovan Rebula
Caylum Boon
Alan Lones
Julien Sale
Aidan Boon
Franklin Manchest

IPT U19 2015

Jovan Rebula (Captain)
Cameron Moralee
Franklin Manchest

Julien Sale
Alan Lones
Caylum Boon
Martin Vorster
Alex van Wyk

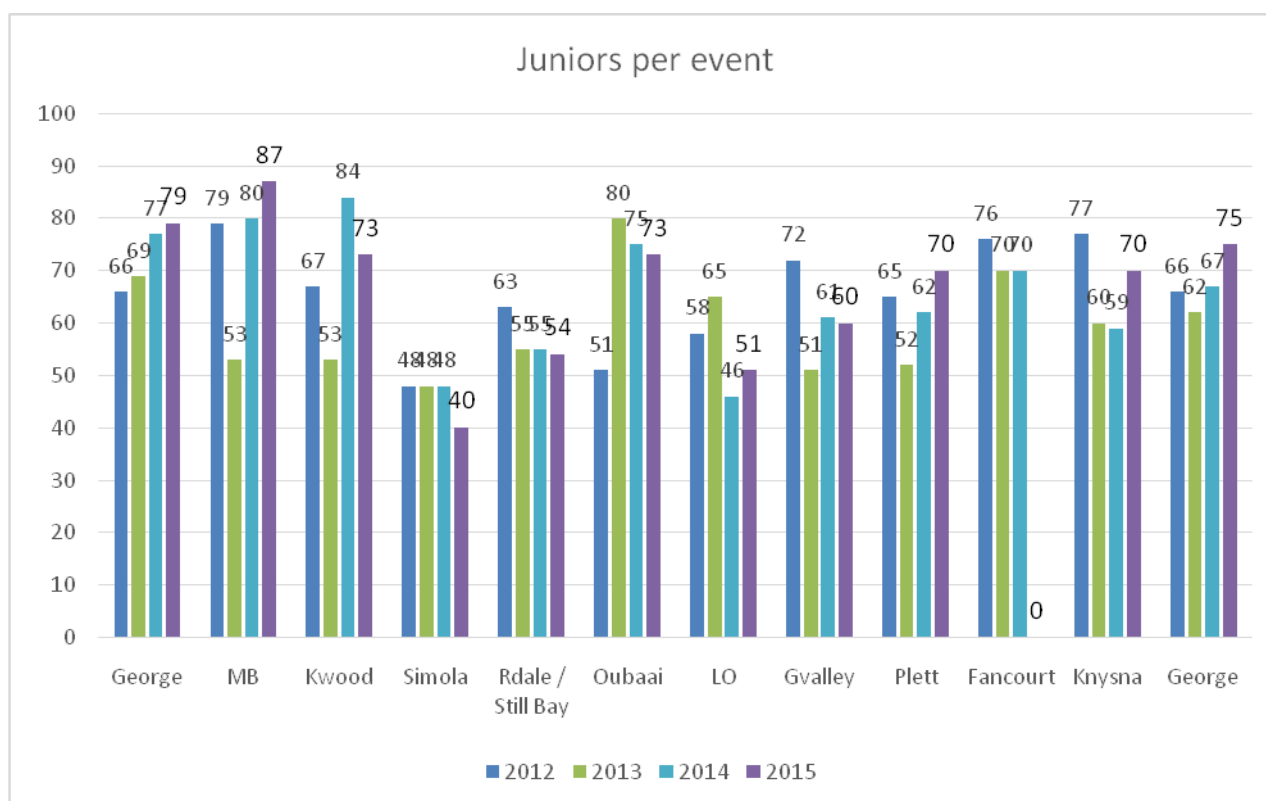
Manager: Roger Wessels

Trophies:

U13 stokeplay	–	Jordan Duminy
C division strokeplay	–	Simeon de Bruyn
B division strokeplay	–	Hugh Seton
Girl's strokeplay	–	Azelia Meichtry
A division strokeplay	–	Alan Lones
Matchplay champ	–	Caylum Boon
1 st SC player NOOM	–	Cameron Moralee 18 th
U13 achievement award	–	Jan Human
U15 achievement award	–	Christo Lamprecht
U17 achievement award	–	Alex van Wyk
U19 achievement award	–	Franklin Manchest
U13 player of the year	–	Jordan Duminy
U15 player of the year	–	Martin Vorster
U17 player of the year	–	Martin Vorster

Southern Cape player of the year – Jovan Rebula

What is encouraging is that if we consider that our Fancourt event was cancelled due to weather conditions and if we assume that we would have at least received 70 entries we would have breached the total number of 800 entrants for the year for the first time in the last 4 years. The initiative of the aspirational 9-hole competition at our events resulted in a further “pipeline” of juniors that numbered 233 entrants over 7 events ($\pm 29\%$ of our total number of entrants). In total over 1 000 entrants at these days!



It must be noted that the numbers at the Simola event and the Louis Oosthuizen event ("LO") that moved to Pinnacle Point this year are limited to the number of carts available as well as a 2 tee start. The above is an indication of the number of junior players at the Sothern Cape Junior OOMs only.