

QLD Golf Industry Awards

The following nominations were entered for the 2025 Queensland Golf Industry Awards.

Kingaroy Golf Club- Most Outstanding Club, Facility or Place to Play (Regional)

Grant Green – Golf Club Staff Member of the Year

John Dalton – Volunteer of the Year

Chris Sarquis - Golf Club Board Member of the Year

Kingaroy Golf Club- Women and Girls in Golf

Kingaroy Junior Golf – Junior Golf Program

Every single one of these nominations was shortlisted. This highlights the hard work that is occurring in our club across so many areas and is an extraordinary achievement.

Kingaroy Golf Club did not take out the honours in any category this year, but we are proud to promote our wonderful golf club to the wider golfing community.

Shopping Centre Promotion



Thanks Allyson Sanewski, Yvonne Toohey and Ally Sarquis for promoting Kingaroy Golf Club at Kingaroy Shoppingworld last week. A great initiaive to bring new golfers to the sport, and new business to Kingaroy Golf Club. Big thanks, ladies.









The Longest Day

Introducing Aaron, a regular participant at Kingaroy Junior Golf.



My name is Aaron Cullen. I am in Year 10 and 16 years old. This is my first year participating in the Cancer Council's Longest Day, where money is raised for vital cancer research. I will be completing the Longest Day (72 holes) on Monday 1st December 2025 with my uncle who has previously participated.

I would really appreciate your donation to this great cause as my grandfather is a cancer patient who has beaten testicular cancer and is having chemotherapy for prostate cancer currently.

From me and my family, thank you very much for your support!

Aaron

If club members would like to donate online, visit https://www.longestday.org.au/fundraisers/aaroncullen/qld

There will also be a collection box in the clubhouse for members who would prefer to donate with some loose change. Kingaroy Junior Golf will be supporting Aaron on behalf of Kingaroy Golf Club.

SBG Golf versus the ADF

Kingaroy Golf Club hosted the annual match play competition between the Australian Defence Force and SBG Golf on 15th and 16th September. The golf

course was closed each day to enable 36 holes of golf to be played. As Monday is the club's quiet day, member and social golf was not significantly impacted. Regarding the Tuesday, some weeks before the event, the SB Veterans organisation kindly facilitated a direct swap with Nanango for their vets competition.

A number of Kingaroy Players made the SBG Golf team, which was selected by SBG Golf. This side was victorious in the event, and Kingaroy was such a popular venue that the event will return in 2027.

SBG Golf Junior Championship

This junior championship was held at Kingaroy on Sunday 19 October, with close to 60 participating juniors. Best boy's gross score for the day was a 66, and best gross score for the girls was a 71. Truly outstanding junior golf.



Warm-up time for the Junior Championship.

Kingaroy Golf Club AGM

The Kingaroy Golf Club Annual General Meeting will be held on Friday 5 December at 5pm in the clubhouse. We cordially invite all members to attend.

Dates to Note:

7 November – An email will be sent to members with information about the AGM, containing

- Official call for nominations for management committee positions
- Official call for non-committee positions (such as club delegates to zone and district, junior coordinator).
- Official call for Special Resolutions for the AGM Please note:
- Nominations are to be received by the Secretary by **21 November**. Paper nomination forms will be on the club notice-board, electronic nomination forms available from the Secretary by request.
- ♣ Special Resolutions for the AGM must also be received by the Secretary by 21 November for inclusion on the agenda.
- Position Descriptions, the Constitution, By-Laws and other relevant documents will be available from the secretary for prospective nominees.

- 21 November Official calling of the AGM by email to members and on the club notice board.
- 28 November Candidates for management committee and non-committee positions will be placed on display on the club notice board.
- 4 December Reminder email to members of the date, time and venue of AGM
- 5 December 5pm Kingaroy Golf Club AGM

Works in Progress

What a busy time for the club.

- The clubhouse roof restoration progresses well, though a number of problems have arisen, such as rats' nests and bare wires in the roof cavity, and an unsupported ceiling over the bar area. But isn't it wonderful coming into summer to enjoy air-conditioned comfort in the clubhouse.
- A safety screen has been erected to protect the practice area.
- The launch date for the fabulous new KGC website is 1 November.
- The document storage project is well underway, and members will soon have access to the club's documents through our new website.

Thanks to club member Sharon Lofthouse whose work on the website has been very thorough. Sharon has also created and enacted the document storage policy, which has been a wonderful help to the club secretary. It means that the work of the management committee is protected, and the club has the necessary policies in safe keeping and for easy access.

For your information: The Management Committee has adopted a number of new policies, one of which is the Kingaroy Golf Club Communication Policy. Copies of this policy have been placed around the clubhouse for members to read.



Centenary News

Thanks to those members who dressed up for the reenactment of the opening of the Kingaroy Golf Club. A very memorable Thursday's golf. Looking good, Col!