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April-June (Q3 Newsletter)





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Operating Hours

Reception:

Mon – Sun
(7.00am – 11.00pm)

Halfway Banda:

Mon Closed

Tue – Sun
(7am – 4pm)

Club house Terrace:

Mon – Sun
(6.30am – 10pm)

Royal Garden:

Mon – Sun
(9am – 10pm)

Club house Main bar:

Mon – Sun
(10am-11pm)

Pool:

Mon – Sun
(8am – 6pm)

Upper deck:

Closed for Renovation

Sauna:

Tue & Thur
(7am – 8pm)

Fine Dinning:

Mon & Sun - Closed
Tue – Fri
(6.30am – 9pm)

Sat (7am - 7pm)

Gym:

Mon - Sat
(6.00am – 8.30pm)

Tulia Spa:

Mon - Sat
(7.00am – 8.00pm)

Range:

Mon - Fri
(6.00am - 8.00pm)

Squash:

Open On Booking

Sat & Holidays
(8.00am - 1.00pm)

Chairmans Statement

Receive my best wishes as we share with you the third edition of our newsletter this year. On behalf of the Board, I would like to express our gratitude for the support you've given us since the beginning of the year. We've had a busy first half of 2022, with the second half looking busier and promising. The upper deck, in particular, is now receiving facelift- thanks to Kenya Breweries Limited's generous partnership. I applaud the Project team and the management for their tremendous efforts in bringing this project to fruition. Once completed, this facility will not only improve the Club ambiance as a high class facility, but will offer the membership a totally new experience.

During the Easter season, we hosted a very successful Tannahill Tournament, with one of the largest galleries ever seen. Every year, the level of competitiveness rises, and this year was no different, with our Royal team narrowly edged out by our arch-rivals, Muthaiga Golf Club. I'd like to congratulate the team for the good performance posted. I am confident that we will return stronger next year to regain the shield and restore it to its proper place.

On behalf of the board, I'd like to appeal to the members to continue supporting the Club, whether through sponsorship or patronage. The state of our course has greatly improved, thanks to the Captain and the Green keeper for the good Job. With the expected acquisition of the machineries, it can only get better. A good course will definitely see the Club being the preferred golf destination to corporates hence improved revenue collection.

As your Chairman, I remain committed together with the board in ensuring promotion of golf and golfing activities among the members and general repositioning of our Club as the home of Golf in the region.



Bernard Mwaura
Chairman Royal Nairobi Golf Club

Njogu '4alo' Kungu Heads Club Championship 2022



Captains Statement

Greetings, Members!

The Royal Nairobi Golf Club Newsletter is now in its third edition for the year 2022. So far, we've had a fantastic year, thanks in large part to the tremendous support we've received from you, the members of Royal Thank you so much.

The Royal Nairobi Golf Club is destined to be the best club in Kenya and East Africa; this is a goal that we must all work toward because it is ours to achieve. I appreciate the Board of Directors', Committees', and Management's efforts to guarantee that members receive exceptional service.

I'd like to express my gratitude to our Green Keeper and the course committee for their outstanding course care. I'm sure we'll have some great golfing days ahead of us as we work on finishing our dam. The start of the long rains has meant that our course has recovered well after a very dry season, and we will see a significant change with the continuous development and renewal of our irrigation infrastructure.

This is a brief of forthcoming events please note that the annual Mombasa Trip is scheduled from 25th to 28th of August 2022

SUNDAY

Sunday 17th - Oshwal Golfing Society
 Sunday 24th - Sikh Union Golfing Society
 Sunday 31st - Safaricom Junior Event

On behalf of the Match and Handicap Committee I take this opportunity to thank you once again for your patronage and look forward to being of service to you and Royal Nairobi Golf Club.

Happy Golfing,

Thank you, regards and God Bless

CLUBNITES

Thursday 7th July - Sponsored by ICEA LION
 Thursday 14th July - Sponsored by JW, WC Crisp
 Thursday 21st July - Sponsored by RNGC Qs/Architects
 Thursday 28th July - Sponsored by July Borns
 Thursday 4th August - Sponsored by CarMax

SATURDAYS

Saturdays 16th Aug - Aug Mug by Romika
 Saturdays 23rd - NCBA
 Saturdays 30th - Safaricom
 Saturdays 6th Aug - CSR Golf Day
 Saturdays 13th Aug - Iron Mongers



Stanley Kirui
 Captain Royal Nairobi Golf Club

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Changes @Royal

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April Birthdays

May Birthdays

June Birthdays

Dr. Wycliffe Owino

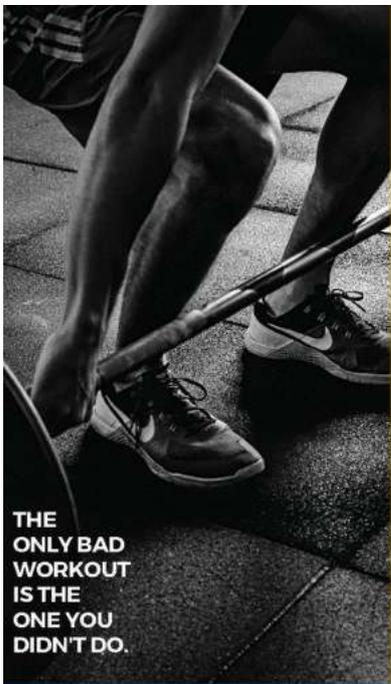




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Lady Captains Statement

Greetings, Members!

Welcome to the Quarter 3 newsletter, dear members. The year seems to be flying!

We have so far held 13 ladies competitions, all of which have been generously sponsored by both corporates and individuals. Our gratitude goes to each one of you for your sponsorship that has enabled us to hold successful competitions. Thanks to the ladies golf clinic, which has been going on for 7 weeks, the ladies' division has become highly competitive. I wish to express my gratitude to the club's professionals, led by Alfred Nandwa, for training lady golfers. The ladies have had lessons on their ball position, grip, chipping, putting, long game, and knowledge of the game's rules and etiquette. The ladies' game has greatly improved as a result, with ladies winning some, if not most, of the club competitions! Well done ladies!

My personal motivation is the satisfaction I get from serving this wonderful club and working with a group of remarkable ladies who share my interests. I take this opportunity to express my sincere gratitude to the Ladies Committee members for this year:

- Christine Mathenge - Vice Lady Captain
- Elizabeth Njau - Hon Secretary
- Norah Njeri - Hon Treasurer
- Cherotich Murgor - Committee Member
- Rachel Lofty - Committee Member
- Dr.Michelle Muhanda - Ex Officio

I'd like to extend a warm welcome to all the new lady members of our esteemed club and urge you to take up the wonderful game of golf. I'm grateful to all the ladies who have participated in all the tournaments we've had thus far.

Major forthcoming events on our calendar include the Royal Ladies Open, which Stanbic Bank has generously agreed to sponsor, the 36-hole Matchplay Championship, our mixed foursomes, and, to cap the year off, the Lady Captain's Prize. On behalf of the Ladies Committee, I'd like to thank all members for their continuous support and assure you of our enthusiasm for the remainder of the golf season. God bless you all. God bless Royal Nairobi Golf Club.



Nancy Karemi
Lady Captain RNGC,



Rebecca Likami - Wins Div A - Ladies Stableford No. 6



Keziah Korir Wins Jubilee Cup - Sponsored By Mck



Past Lady Cap- Zinat Miwa Donates Trophies To The Juniors



Anne Thoronjo Wins Division A (Stableford No. 3)



Dorcas Munge Wins Medal No 5 Sponsored By Peach Cars



Ladies Jubilee Cup - Sponsored By MCK

Club Nite



Brian Simbi Club Nite Winner 28.04.2022



Beatrice Kamau Club Nite Runner Up 28.04.2022



Joseah Kogo Club Nite Third 28.04.2022



Eric Nyongesa Club Nite Winner 21.04.2022



George Eshuchi Club Nite Runner Up 21.04.2022



Jones Ndombi Club Nite Third 21.04.2022



Diana Mbuba Club Nite Winner 12.05.2022



Stella Ondimu Club Nite Runner Up 12.05.2022



Rogers Mbithi Club Nite Third 12.05.2022



Dennis Kirui Overall Winner 02.06.2022



George Eshuchi Men Winner 02.06.2022



Penny Wambui Lady Winner 02.06.2022



Auma Obama Overall Winner 26.05.2022



Mohamed Abdullahi Men Winner 26.05.2022



Stanley Kirui Men Runner Up 26.05.2022

Club Nite



Keziah Korir Overall Winner 19.05.2022



Diana Mbuba Overall Runner Up 19.05.2022



Charles Kanugi Overall 3rd 19.05.2022



Lydia Mokaya Overall Winner 15.06.2022



Rodgers Mbithi Men Winner 15.06.2022



Auma Odhiambo Lady Winner 15.06.2022



Martin Kiruthu Overall Winner 23.06.2022



Anthony Maingi Men Winner 23.06.2022



Lawrence Atonga Men Runner Up 23.06.2022



Caroline Okeyo Overall Winner 9.06.2022



Nahashon Maina Men Winner 9.06.2022



Nancy Karimi Lady Winner 9.06.2022



Kevin Kogo Overall Winner 30.06.2022



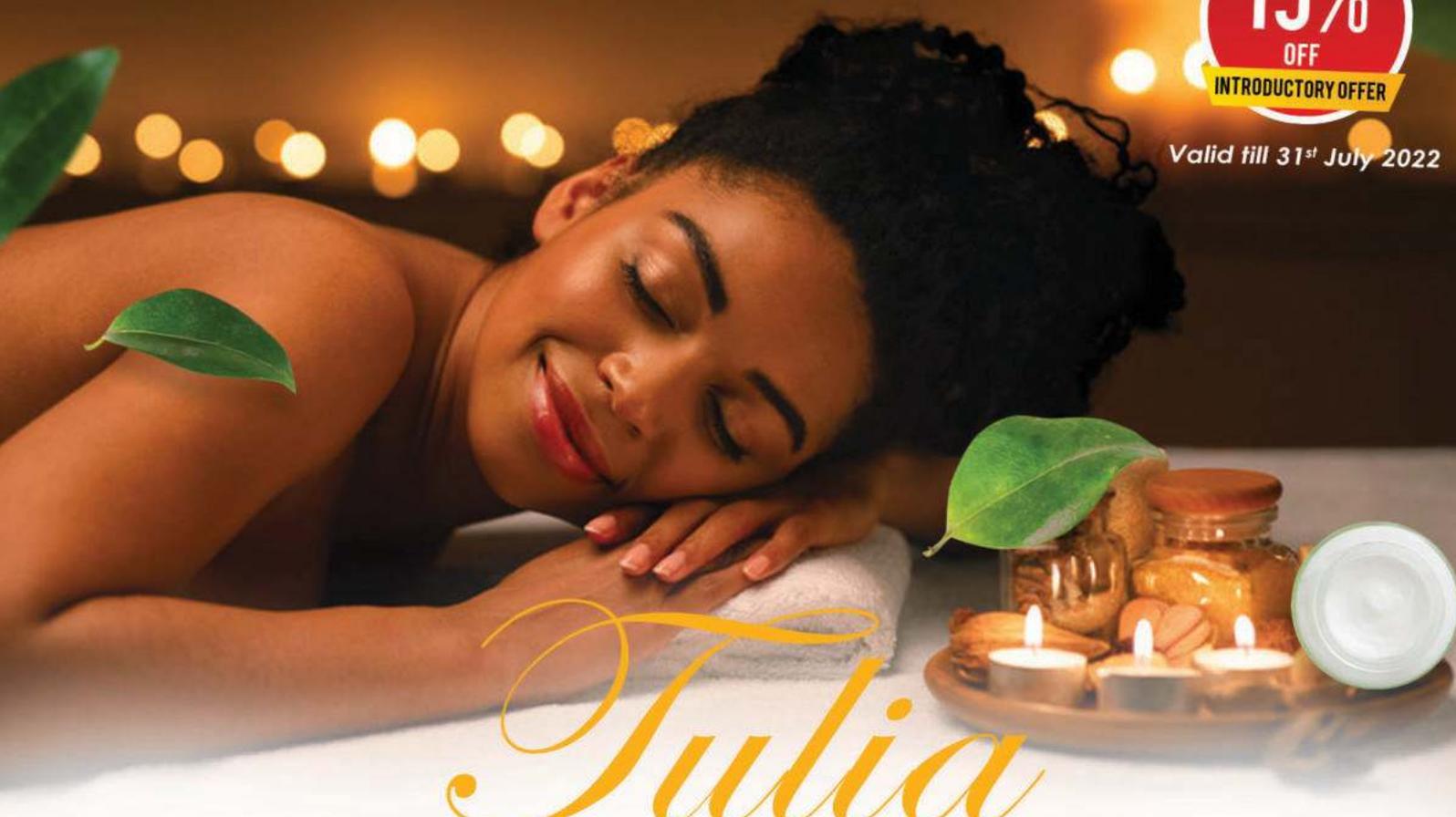
Chebii Kiplagat Men Winner 30.06.2022



Michelle Muhanda Lady Winner 30.06.2022

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Event Highlights



Kampc Champion 2022



Alliance Alumnae Charity Golf Day



Johnnie Walker Golf Series



Johnnie Walker Golf Series



Johnnie Walker Golf Series



Alliance Alumnae Charity Golf Day



Staff Training On Fire Hazards



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NOTE FROM THE **Honorary Secretary**

Dear Members,

Welcome to our third quarter newsletter publication.

As the Membership Committee, one of our mandate is to receive and process New membership applications. From April 2022 to date, we have vetted a total of 36 members (18 full members, 4 family upgrades, 1 fixed term, 5 full family, 7 juniors and 1 conversion). The total membership of the Club now stands at 1,730, which is 73% of the Club's optimum capacity. We therefore continue to urge Members to extend an invitation to family and friends to join our prestigious and exclusive golf Club.

Going through our database, we have noted that a number of junior members are not upgrading their membership as required by the By-Laws and Memarts upon attaining the requisite age. We take this opportunity to remind parents and guardians of junior members to ensure necessary compliance with notices issued by the membership office to avoid the inconvenience and costs arising upon being struck off the membership.

In regard to adherence to the Club By-Laws; we have noted with concern the blatant disregard of the rules, particularly on dress code and use of phones. There have also been cases of members demanding for f&b services and using gym and swimming pool without giving out their cards for requisite debiting and, or having enough credit in the cards, in open violation of the rules.

The rules of the Club bind and apply to all members equally. We shall continue to enforce the same against all members devoid of any fear or favour; for the benefit of all members.

On communication, the Management has developed and launched an SMS satisfaction survey platform for feedback and inquiries regarding member accounts. Let us make use of the platform for enhanced service delivery.

On 30th June 2022, the Club teamed up with Moja Expressway Company to conduct registration and installation of the ETC services for both individual and corporate customers on the Nairobi Expressway. We saw a big number of members taking advantage of the opportunity to register. Be assured that we shall continue to take advantage of such partnerships to avail relevant servant to our members.

The SPA facility is now officially open with very reasonable rates. The proprietor has extended a 15% discount for the month of July. Take advantage of the discount and get the experience.

On a sad note, last month, we lost one of our Member, Mr Richard Oyare. Our heartfelt condolences to the family and friends. May his soul continue to rest in peace. Thank you all.

Wauna Oluoch, LO
Honorary Secretary,



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NOTE FROM THE **General Manager**



Hon Members,

Welcome to the third edition of our Club Newsletter. It's worth noting that since the last edition, the Club has made some remarkable strides in various fronts. Our focus for the last few months has been on service delivery across the board. To achieve this, we realized that training of staff would be key. In liaison with the Human Capital Committee, we have undertaken various training on customer care, fire and safety among others.

This was crowned by management development programs at the Kenya Utalii College where three of the senior members of staff participated. With constant trainings and staff realignments, we expect to see more improvements in service deliver and ultimately members will have a reason to patronize their Club.

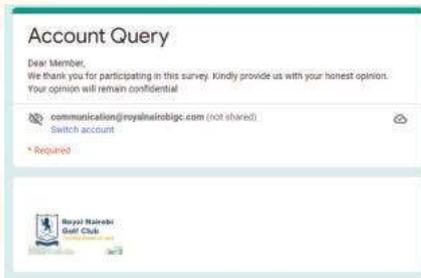


Staff training on fire and safety

The other focus was communication with the Members. While we have various social media platforms, the Club through the Communication committee noted the need to have an official Club WhatsApp platform which is a widely used application. We kindly urge those who have not joined the official WhatsApp group to do so for ease of communication. We have also enhanced the SMS communication with applications developed for instant feedback, comments or queries which gets to the relevant officer instantly. This is for both F&B service and membership accounts queries. In case of any difficulty in accessing these platforms kindly do not hesitate to liaise with the staff at the Main Club reception who will readily assist you.



Breakfast service at the terrace



In the recent past we have had a lot of queries on the membership accounts in regard to B&C bills posted in the accounts. To streamline this, the Club through the Finance committee has rolled out 'Account Query' feedback form. Let us make use of this form which will help in speedy resolution of the concerns. At the same time, we wish to remind members to ensure that subscriptions are paid on time for smooth operation of the Club and equally to avoid posting and eventual struck off from the membership register.

On sporting activities, we have just renovated the squash courts and they are ready for use. For the squash lovers, don't miss out-we shall be having an exhibition tournament within the month of July. Kindly contact the gym supervisor for more details and registration.

Thank you all for the support and looking forward to more engagement with the members on what is best for our Club.

Jacob Omondi
General Manager

New Staff-F&B Manager

We are glad to notify members that we now have a new F&B Manager Mr. Isaiah Opiase.

Mr. Opiase who holds Bachelor of Science degree in hospitality Management and Diploma in Hotel Management from Thomson Education institute-PENNSYLVANIA USA is a seasoned F&B professional spanning over 25 years. Having worked in high end star rated hotels within East Africa with a blend of stints in Clubs like Karen golf and country Club, Jockey Club among others, Isaiah brings to Royal a wealth of experience.

Welcome to Royal and we wish you all the best as you work towards giving members a new experience.



Projects

Upper deck renovations

There has been advancement in the EABL-sponsored upper deck's ongoing works of extension and alterations. There have been several requests by members to have washrooms at the upper deck to which the board responded. The extension would thus have 2 washrooms to and a urinal.

The projects committee was responsible with soliciting bids and selecting Prabhu Construction Company to carry out the works.



Ladies & Gents Toilets

The project is on track to either achieve or surpass its goal. The shell of the structure comprising the column bases, columns, slabs 1st and roof slab are complete. Also complete is walling and plaster.

The external will be stone cladded to match the existing columns and terrace walls, internal walls and floors will be tiled.

The slope wouldn't allow us to dispose the waste to the sewer line so we will have to make do with a septic tank adjacent to the big bamboo next to the eighteenth green. These works were financed by the club.



Roof.

Mombasa Canvas were contracted by EABL to replace the Canvas roof which was leaking and was an eye sore. The steel roof structure is complete and the canvas installed to about 80%. Remaining is the area above the washroom extensions Bar Counter

Timber World Limited are contracted by EABL to modify the current upper deck bar, counter and whisky shelves & cabinets.

We are looking end of July to host a soft launch of the upper deck as we await completion of the washroom areas.

Special thanks to

1. East African Breweries for the sponsoring the Bar & Roof Structure
2. Past Director Charles Kariuki & IPC Sunny Barbra for initiating and finalising the sponsorship by EABL.
3. Vice Chairman Architect Jatinder Thethy & Past Chair Zubin parikh for the design and supervision of the works pro bono.

Rehabilitation of the Caddy Facility.

This year, the CSR 2021 project made some progress. The project which involves construction of a Caddy Shed comprising a pool table area, a shop, storage, and renovating the washrooms which are currently dilapidated. The project's first phase, laying the foundation and installing the concrete slab, columns, and beams, is still in progress.

Mabati Rolling Mills had pledged to donate 1.87 million worth of roofing materials. They have been to the site assess the works, and we are now waiting for the essential materials to arrive.



We may ask all of our members to contribute to our wish list below in order to assist us reach our objective.

PROPOSED CADDIE REST AREA						
SCHEDULE OF MATERIALS						
WISH LIST						
PROPOSED BUDGET						STATUS
ITEM	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	Q	CP	Cost	PLEDGES
1.00	Schedule of Materials & Labour					
	Roof					
	Roof Structure					1,870,000.00
	Roofing materials, nails etc					
	Gutters	meters	42	300.00	12,600.00	
	Downpipes	meters	6	850.00	5,100.00	
	Swan neck (2 No.)	Item	1	3500.00	3,500.00	
	Shoe (2 No.)	Item	1	3500.00	3,500.00	
	Brackets	pes	34	100.00	3,400.00	
	Fascia boards (8x1)	ft	60	80.00	4,800.00	
	Walling					
	Machine cut stones	Pes	350	45.00	15,750.00	
	River sand (walling, plaster, screed, tiling)	tons	60	1950.00	117,000.00	
	Cement (pledged)				25,000.00	25,000.00
	Cement (walling and plaster/ keying and screed)	bags	39	650.00	25,350.00	

Finishes						
	Filler	bags	5	850.00	4,250.00	
	Paints (undercoat/ finishing coats) 20ltrs	ltrs	5	12,500.00		62,500.00
	Floor tiles	cartons	20	1,400.00	28,000.00	
	Tile adhesive	bars	10	850.00	8,500.00	
	Rollers	pes	2	300.00	600.00	
	Brushes (assorted)	pes	5	250.00	1,250.00	
	Gypsum boards	pes	45	1,250.00	56,250.00	
	Channels/ studs (10packs)	pes	12	1,200.00	14,400.00	
	Gypsum screws	pkts	10	150.00	1,500.00	
	Paving	pes	140	250.00		360,000.00
2.00	ELECTRICAL WORKS (lighting points, light fittings, conduiting)	ITEM	1	80,000.00	80,000.00	
3.00	Labor Estimates	SUM	1	150000	150000	
4.00	Machine hire, material/ concrete tests	SUM	1	30000	30000	

The Southern Dam

We entered into a mutual agreement with CHINA ROAD AND BRIDGE CORPORATION (CRBC), road contractors from to excavate the Dam for the club and in exchange they get to collect marram from there with the support of the Projects Committee Convener, Mr. George Masese. The current dam construction has a total depth of 3 meters and shaped sides. The club has internally constructed a channel that carries storm water from left of no 11 fairway to the Dam.

We anticipate to do additional channels which have been surveyed to enable storm water gets to the southern dam which will have a capacity of close to 40million litres.

Special thanks to

1. Dennis Wu, a new member at the Royal Nairobi Golf Club for brokering the mutual agreement with CRBC
2. Engineer James Kigutu a member of the Projects Committee who carried out the design and final inspection at no cost to the club.
3. Geo-Spatial Engineer Loise Makena a member of the Projects Committee who carried out all the survey and mapping works of Dam and channels at no cost to the club



Royal Junior Academy

On the Junior Circuit, there was a lot of activity in the third quarter. The Royal Doctors Sponsored Open on April 30th, which attracted a strong group of players, is among the major highlights. Calvin Opati won the overall Gross medal with 88, and Simaloi Mbeya won the overall Nett prize with 70. Lynette Zawadi, Kai Mukumbu, Shuhan Peng, Ben Trevor, Rayman Kimari, and Kokaiya Pasha are other category winners. On hole number 13, Windsor resident Amar Shah hit a Hole in One, which is quite astounding.

Additionally, RJA was present in the Railway Tropical Heat Open, where winners Cheron Murgor, Calvin Opati, and Joshua Kounah were crowned.

During this time, our very own Njogu Kungu defeated a strong field of seasoned golfers to win the Club Championship in May, defeating Kevin Juma in the championship match. Congratulations, Njogu. Keep improving. A sizable group of youngsters showed up to support Njogu, and they were not dissatisfied by the match's thrilling conclusion.

During this time, the pilot Junior League with three other teams—Vetlab, Karen, and Limuru—also got underway with the goal of creating a model for a league with a larger number of clubs that would help our juniors develop their match-playing skills. We want to encourage healthy friendships and competition among the young people by using the event to field as many handicapped players as possible against other clubs. Three boy pairs and one girl pair are used in each game as a test for the league. Although we did lose the battle at Limuru 3/1, we remain certain that we will improve for the upcoming game.

We would like to extend our sincere congratulations to Jessica Wangui, Wahora Gioko, and Randall Amunga for receiving their handicaps during this time. We look forward to seeing you on the course as you work to improve your game. We also want to thank the NDC management for allowing young athletes to compete on the circuit, such as Calvin Opati, who is currently in excellent shape, Andrew Gatherer, whose handicap has significantly decreased, and Mwathi Gicheru. As we establish the RJA's future, Bradley Malitt, Kevin Shi, and Simaloi Mbeya are slated to continue playing in the Junior League.

Without the help of the parents, the captain's office, and the incredible sponsors who give generously at every opportunity, none of this would be possible. We would like to thank Royal Doctors, Aprils Babies, June Babies, and Royal Left Handers for their assistance. Thanks to the club's generosity, we have enough of money set aside for the upcoming tournaments. Junior golf's future is in capable hands.

Eng. Gicheru Kimani
Junior Convener.



Simaloi Mbeya overall Nett winner with 70 points.



Calvin Opati overall Gross winner with 88 points



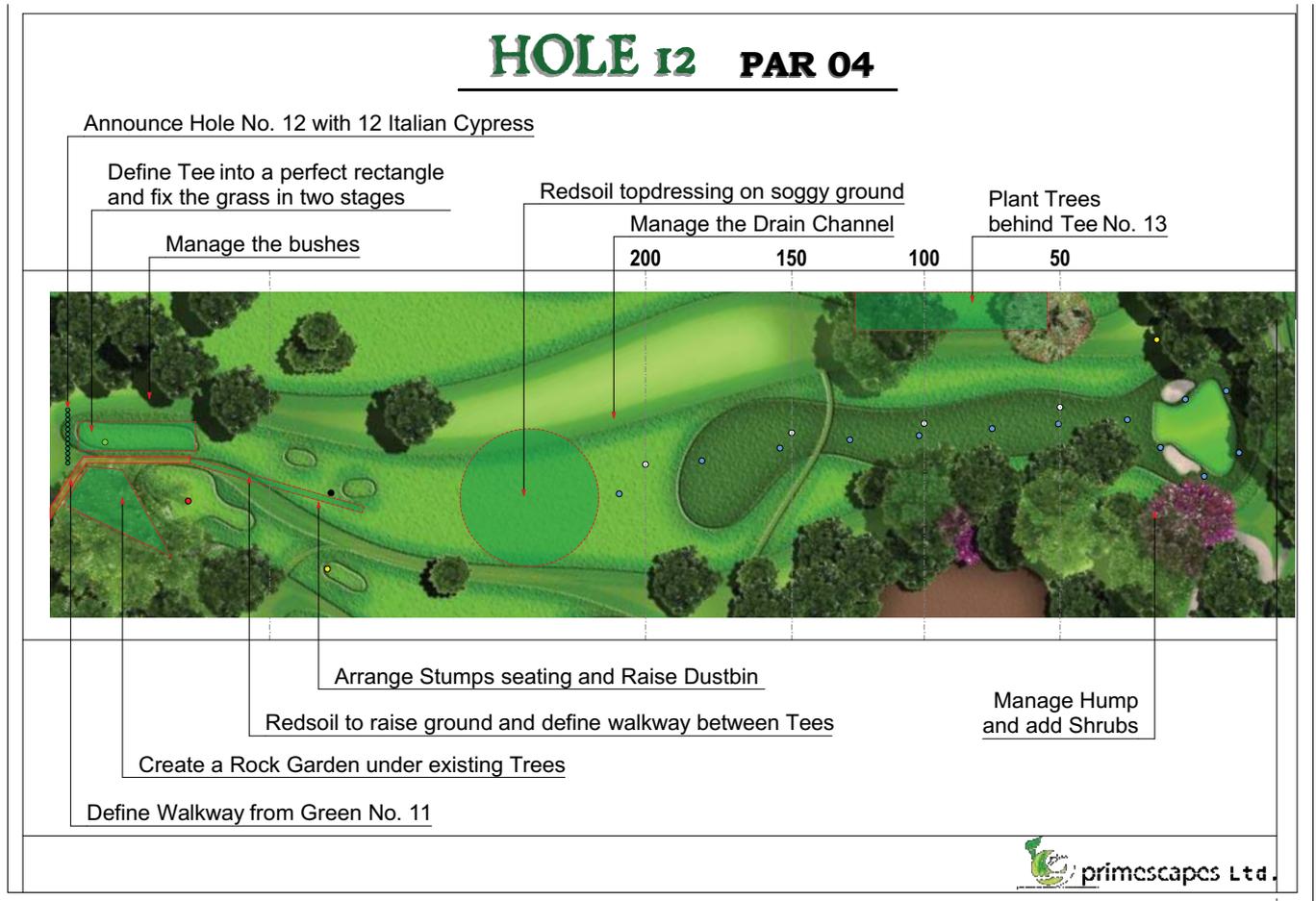
Junior Competition Sponsored By RINGC Doctors



Wahora Gioko receiving her handicap

Adopt A Hole

Thanks to Lawrence Kibet, Fawaz Bisher, and landscape architect Peter Kanyi, the modifications to hole number 12 were successfully finished. The improvements for the other adopted holes are going well.



RNGC OFFICIAL FACEBOOK PAGE

The Royal Nairobi Golf Club regrets to tell its distinguished followers that hackers have taken control of our official Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/RoyalNairobigolfclub>.

In this regard, RNGC wants to make it clear that any information updates should be viewed as having been released without the club's consent.

To remain updated on upcoming and ongoing golf events, weekly highlights, F&B promos, pro tips, and much more, please like and follow us on our NEW Official Facebook Page using the link

- <https://www.facebook.com/Royal-Nairobi-Golf-Club-111739444888344>.

Tricks and Tips of Golf



Conclusion of the 7 weeks Ladies Clinic



Swing rotation drills during the ladies clinic



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