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ARE YOU
**VICTORIA
APPROVED**

as yet?

IS YOUR GOLF CART REGISTERED AT
VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB?

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FAIRWAY EXCELLENCE

VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB HOSTS KZN'S ELITE SCHOOLBOY GOLFERS

On Monday, 27 July 2026, the pristine fairways of Victoria Country Club came alive as ten of KwaZulu-Natal's premier golfing schools descended on Pietermaritzburg for the annual KZN Schools' Golf Championships. As the proud host venue, our championship course provided a world-class, tactical test over 36 grueling holes, bringing together the province's finest junior talents to vie for regional ranking and glory.

A MASTERCLASS ON A DEMANDING COURSE

Hosting an event of this caliber is always a massive privilege for the team here at Victoria Country Club. Our course layout demanded absolute precision, testing the mental stamina and shot-making ability of every single player in the field.

While the morning mist gave way to competitive fire, the tournament leaderboard turned into a thrilling battle between traditional regional powerhouses. Giants like Kearsney College (fresh off strong individual form at the preceding Kearsney Strokeplay Championships) pushed hard to challenge the top spots, alongside fierce representation from schools like Maritzburg College and Durban High School.

THE STANDOUT PERFORMERS

Ultimately, the day belonged to the formidable lineup from Westville Boys' High School, who clinched the team title following an exceptionally dominant performance across both rounds.

Adding a brilliant individual accolade to their school's haul, Westville's Jamie Smith mastered our layout to capture the prestigious Individual Championship title.

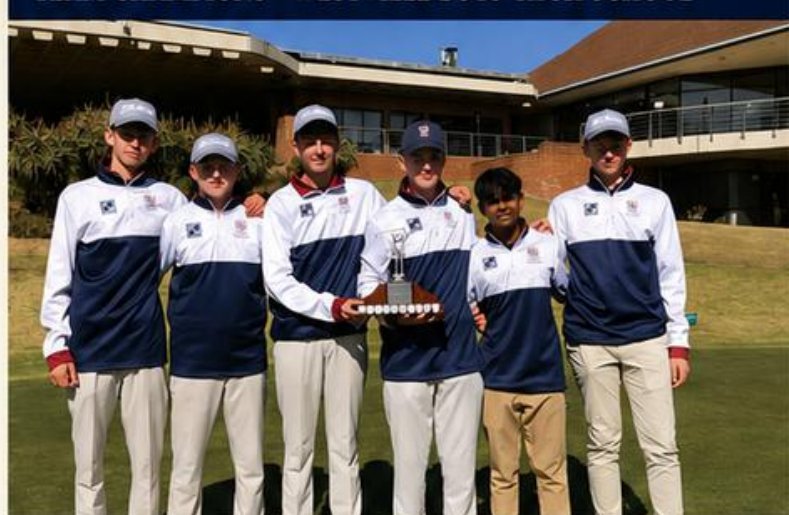
Though only the top winners walk away with the floating trophies, the depth of talent displayed by the top finishers across all ten schools proved that junior golf in KZN is in phenomenal health.

FINAL TEAM RESULTS

POS	SCHOOL	ROUND 1	ROUND 2	TOTAL
1	Westville Boys'	385	384	769
2	Kearsney	395	392	787
3	MHS	392	403	795
4	College	384	414	798
5	Ashton	400	420	820
6	Hilton	412	420	832
7	Northwood	444	446	890
8	Clifton	456	459	915
AVERAGE SCORE		408,5	417,25	



TEAM CHAMPIONS - WESTVILLE BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL



INDIVIDUAL CHAMPION JAMIE SMITH (WESTVILLE)



PROUD PARTNERS IN YOUTH SPORT

From the opening tee shots to the final putts on the 18th green, Victoria Country Club is incredibly proud to have been the home of the 2026 championships. We extend our warmest congratulations to Westville, the individual placings, and every young athlete who took on our course with such excellent camaraderie and skill. We look forward to welcoming these rising stars back to our fairways soon.



FROM THE FAIRWAYS

Beneath the Surface

INVESTING IN BETTER BUNKERS FOR EVERY ROUND

Great playing conditions don't happen by chance—they're built from the ground up.

Members may have noticed extensive work taking place in selected bunkers around the course. These improvement projects form part of Victoria Country Club's ongoing commitment to delivering consistently high-quality playing surfaces throughout the year.

While the bunkers may appear to be simply "under construction," a significant amount of engineering is taking place beneath the sand.

The current works involve the installation and upgrading of subsurface drainage systems, designed to improve the way water moves through the bunker after heavy rainfall.

Modern drainage pipes are being installed beneath the bunker floor before being covered with carefully graded drainage aggregate and fresh bunker sand.

This process allows water to drain away more efficiently, helping to reduce washouts, standing water and prolonged closures after wet weather.

Although the work may cause some short-term disruption, the long-term benefits will ensure firmer, more consistent bunker conditions and faster recovery after rain.



WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?



Faster recovery after rain
Better drainage means less standing water and quicker return to play.



Firmer, more consistent conditions
Well-drained bunkers play firmer and more consistently in all weather.



Reduced erosion and contamination
Improved systems help prevent washouts and keep sand clean and playable.



Less maintenance disruption
Well-built bunkers require less remedial work throughout the year.



Improved playability for all
Better bunkers enhance course fairness and the overall golf experience.



MEMBER NOTICE

BUNKERS UNDER RENOVATION

Selected bunkers are currently designated **Ground Under Repair (GUR)**.

Please follow all temporary course signage and Local Rules while work is in progress.



Thank you for your patience and support as we continue to invest in your course. We appreciate your understanding.

AUGUST 2026

— WOMEN'S MONTH —

PLAY PINK. CHANGE LIVES.



Victoria Country Club
ESTABLISHED IN 1859

PLAY PINK
DRIVE

PLAY WITH PURPOSE. DRIVE FOR CHANGE.

Every pink ball you purchase
helps rewrite a story.

Your R60 helps provide hope,
dignity and safety for abused
and trafficked women and
their children.

Play for the Game You
Love. Play for the Women
Who Need Us Most.



R60
EACH

IN SUPPORT OF



ABRINA
ESTHER
HOUSE

For Abused and Trafficked
Women and their Children.

IN CONJUNCTION WITH



COMMUNITY
CHEST

PIETERMARITZBURG & DISTRICT

SUPPORTED BY



THE NAIL GARDEN

Where NAILS become ART

PLAY WITH PURPOSE. ♥ DRIVE FOR CHANGE.

NOMINATE

VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB

Best of Pmb
& Midlands
READERS' CHOICE AWARDS 2026

for

BEST GOLF COURSE

BEST OF PMB & MIDLANDS 2026

YOUR NOMINATION MAKES A DIFFERENCE

HOW TO NOMINATE

<https://www.bestofsouthafrica.co.za/pmb-midlands/>

1

CLICK ON THE LINK

[www.bestofsouthafrica.co.za/
pmb-midlands](https://www.bestofsouthafrica.co.za/pmb-midlands/)

2

CLICK
NOMINATE

3

GO TO
ENTERTAINMENT
& HOSPITALITY

4

SELECT
BEST
GOLF COURSE

5

CHOOSE
VICTORIA
COUNTRY CLUB

6

SCROLL TO THE
BOTTOM &
CLICK SUBMIT

WHILE YOU'RE THERE,
please support our valued partner



ENTERTAINMENT & HOSPITALITY
BEST OUTDOOR ACTIVITY

Nominate Paddle PMB

Every nomination helps showcase Victoria Country Club as one of the Midlands' premier golfing destinations.

If you've enjoyed our course, facilities and hospitality, we'd be honoured to have your support.

**YOUR NOMINATION ONLY TAKES A MINUTE
BUT MAKES A LASTING DIFFERENCE.**



Victoria Country Club

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GOLF CART REGISTRATION

FOR MEMBERS & RESIDENTS



All golf carts used on the Victoria Country Club golf course **MUST** be registered and display the official VCC registration sticker.

This applies to **ALL** member carts and resident carts, whether you play golf or not.

These are **mandatory** club rules and non-compliance will result in restricted access.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Effective immediately, **fines will be issued** for golf carts not displaying an official Victoria Country Club registration sticker.

Register your golf cart at the Victoria Country Club **Pro Shop**.

Thank you for your cooperation.

LET'S KEEP VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB EXCEPTIONAL.



CUSTOM FITTING

IS COMING TO
Victoria Country Club

WEDNESDAY, 19TH AUGUST 2026

Callaway will be on course for a full custom fitting experience in support of the **Victoria Country Club Play Pink Drive**.

Experience equipment built around **your swing** – not the other way around.

WHAT IS CUSTOM FITTING?

A custom fitting is a professional assessment where Callaway experts analyse your swing using advanced launch monitor technology to recommend the ideal combination of clubs and shafts for your game.



CLUBHEAD
DESIGN



SHAFT TYPE
& FLEX



LOFT &
LIE ANGLE



CLUB
LENGTH



GRIP
SIZE

The goal is simple – to help every golfer play with equipment that performs **optimally for their swing**, not standard, off-the-shelf clubs.

WHY DOES IT MATTER?



MORE DISTANCE

Optimised launch and spin for maximum yards.



BETTER ACCURACY

Tighter dispersion and more fairways hit.



IMPROVED CONSISTENCY

More solid contact and repeatable performance.



INCREASED CONFIDENCE

Play your best knowing your clubs fit your game.



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PLAY PINK
DRIVE

PLAY WITH PURPOSE. DRIVE FOR CHANGE.

The Play Pink Drive raises vital funds and awareness for local charities that uplift and support our community.

TOGETHER, WE **DRIVE CHANGE**.

IN SUPPORT OF



ABRINA
ESTHER
HOUSE



**COMMUNITY
CHEST**
PIETERMARITZBURG & DISTRICT



CALLAWAY EXPERT FITTERS ON COURSE

Experience the latest Callaway technology and get fitted by the experts.



PLAY PINK. PLAY BETTER.

Support the drive. Feel the difference.

BETTER FIT. BETTER GAME. BETTER YOU.

JULY 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY VENNS ATTORNEYS	2	3	4 MONTHLY MUG  
5	6	7  LADIES GOLF	8  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY SMG LEXUS UMHLAMGA	9	10  VOLTA OPEN	11  
12	13	14  LADIES GOLF	15	16 INVEST PMB GOLF DAY	17  MIDLANDS HOSPICE GOLF DAY	18  
19 	20	21	22  DICK'S DAY SPONSORED BY PAM GOLDING PROPERTIES	23	24	25
26	27	28  LADIES GOLF	29  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY HILTON QUARRY SPAR	30	31  CORDWALLES PREP GOLF DAY	



MORE THAN GOLF

MEMBERSHIP

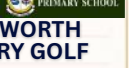
COMMUNITY

HERITAGE



AUGUST 2026

Plan. Play. Enjoy.
MAKE EVERY MOMENT COUNT.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1  MONTHLY MUG
2	3	4 LADIES GOLF	5  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY GAS & GENERAL	6	7  COWAN HOUSE GOLF DAY	8  
9 Happy Women's Day! Celebrating the strength, grace and contribution of women everywhere.	10 Public Holiday	11  LADIES GOLF	12  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY MOFFATT OPTICAL	13	14  HILTON PRE PRIMARY GOLF DAY	15
16 VRYDER CUP GOLF DAY	17	18  LADIES GOLF	19  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY THE NAIL GARDEN	20	21  ALL SAINTS CHURCH GOLF DAY	22  
23 	24	25  LADIES GOLF	26  WEDNESDAY SCHOOL BY SEEFF MIDLANDS	27	28  LADDSWORTH PRIMARY GOLF DAY	29 
30 Spring Treatment	31 Spring Treatment					

Here's to strong women. May we know them. May we be them. May we raise them.

OUR CLUB. OUR PEOPLE. OUR PASSION.

Wednesday

SCHOOL
Victoria Country Club

PROUDLY SPONSORED BY



GAS

& GENERAL

WEDNESDAY, 5 AUGUST 2026

RESULTS

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SATURDAY CLUB COMPETITION

25 JULY - 4 BALL ALLIANCE

1st : Kok Swanepoel, Kyle Coetzee, Luke Hayward, Anthony Grant - **93 Points**

2nd : Larry Brown, Graeme Palmer, Kriben Gounder, Mark Coetzee - **87 oco**

LADIES RESULTS

28 JULY - SPECSAVERS - 3 BALL ALLIANCE



1st : Judy Anderson, Paulette Truter, Jenny Hallowses - **80 Points**

2nd : Wendy Carruthers, Annette Balcomb, Annel Niebuhr - **77**

3rd : Bev Stewart, Mandy Leigh Bekker, Wendy Haynes - **75**

WEDNESDAY SCHOOL



29 JULY - HILTON QUARRY SUPERSPAR - 4 BALL ALLIANCE

1st : Kevin Perumal, Jason Perumal, Chuman Rajpaul, Peggie Govender - **93 Points**

2nd : Blake Mackenzie, Glen Usher, Alan Martin, Ian Morrow - **92**

3rd : Daniel de Ponte, Chris Hadley-Grave, Braam v Heerden, Ken Ladbroke - **90**





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PROUDLY PRESENTS

THE GRAHAM BROWN MIXED TROPHY

A FUNDRAISER FOR THE
MIDLANDS LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION

SATURDAY
15 AUGUST 2026
VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB

MIXED 4B BBS
TEE OFF FROM 11:00 AM

ENTRY FEE
R400 PER PERSON
INCLUDES COMPETITION FEE

**RAFFLE AVAILABLE ON
THE DAY**

BOOKINGS
BOOK YOUR ROUND AT THE
VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB PRO SHOP
GOLF CARTS AVAILABLE THROUGH THE PRO SHOP



**WOMEN'S
MONTH**
Initiative

SUPPORTING WOMEN'S GOLF IN THE MIDLANDS



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Victoria Country Club

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SUPPORT *Your Club*

INVEST IN OUR COURSE.
INVEST IN OUR FUTURE.

**T-BOX
SPONSORSHIP**

ONLY
R3 800
EXCL VAT

Runs Until
**DECEMBER
2027**

COVERING THE REST OF 2026
AND ALL OF 2027!

YOUR SUPPORT MAKES A **LASTING** IMPACT.

All funds raised through T-box sponsorships go directly towards maintaining our course and keeping it in the *pristine condition* we all enjoy.

Secure your T-box today and it will run until December 2027.

Your support today,
a better course for tomorrow.

Interested?

LET'S BRAND YOUR
T-BOX TODAY!



CONTACT US TO CHECK
AVAILABILITY AND RESERVE
YOUR T-BOX

marketing@victoria.co.za



OR VISIT THE PRO SHOP
to view available holes.



SUPPORT YOUR CLUB.



SUPPORT YOUR COURSE.



MAKE A DIFFERENCE.



Victoria Country Club

Available From
1 August

THE TOASTED TABLE

Signature Sandwich Collection



SANDWICH OPTIONS	WHITE / BROWN	RYE	SOURDOUGH
CHICKEN & HERB CLASSIC <i>Creamy chicken mayo with fresh basil.</i>	R59	R69	R74
CHEESY DELIGHT <i>Cheddar and mozzarella with fragrant herbs.</i>	R59	R69	R74
SPICY CHICK <i>Spicy chicken mayo with peppers and sweet peppadews.</i>	R69	R79	R84
DELI BEEF MELT <i>Rare roast beef, pickles and Dijon mustard.</i>	R75	R85	R90
THE ITALIAN STALLION <i>Salami, cheese, tomato and caramelised onions.</i>	R75	R85	R90
THE VEGGIE <i>Lettuce, cheese, butternut paste, tomato, red onion and cucumber.</i>	R79	R89	R94
THE CLUB SANDWICH <i>Cheddar, pickles, chicken mayo, bacon and fried egg.</i>	R95	R105	R110

-compliments or complaints scan here





Victoria Country Club



SEAFOOD COLLECTION

*Coming Soon to
Victoria Country Club*



*A Celebration of the
Finest Flavours from the Sea*

Fresh kingclip, succulent prawns,
handcrafted seafood pizza,
golden beer-battered hake and
indulgent pasta creations...
our new Seafood Collection
has been thoughtfully prepared
for every seafood lover.

Launching Soon



*Fresh from the sea.
Crafted with passion.
Served with Victoria hospitality.*



MENU

CLICK
HERE!



COMING UP IN AUGUST

AT VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB



Honouring the Spirit of Women

A month of golf, togetherness and giving back.

1-31

AUGUST
2026



**PLAY PINK
DRIVE**

PLAY PINK DRIVE

Callaway Super Soft Pink Balls
available at the Pro Shop for R60 each.
All profits go to Abrina Esther House for
abused and trafficked women and their children.

Let's make a difference. Together.



**ABRINA
ESTHER
HOUSE**

for abused and
trafficked women
and their children.

SUNDAY

9

AUGUST
2026



WOMEN'S DAY

Women play FREE golf
After 12:00

Celebrate Women's Day at VCC!

*Celebrate.
Empower.
Enjoy.*

MONDAY

10

AUGUST
2026



PUBLIC HOLIDAY GOLF SPECIAL

Green Fees

R250

Cart Sharing

R200

Bring friends. Enjoy the day.

*Golf.
Relax.
Unwind.*

THURSDAY

13

AUGUST
2026



LADIES GOLF CLINIC

Join our Golf Pro, Chris,
for a FREE Ladies Golf Clinic.

Improve. Learn. Have fun!



SATURDAY

15

AUGUST
2026



THE GRAHAM BROWN TROPHY

Mixed 4-Ball Betterball Stableford
Raising funds for the
Midlands Ladies Golf Association



WEDNESDAY

19

AUGUST
2026



WEDNESDAY SCHOOL – PLAY PINK DAY

- ♥ Wear Pink to show your support for the Play Pink Drive.
- ♥ The Nail Garden proudly sponsors this Wednesday School and will contribute to the Play Pink Drive.
- ♥ Callaway will be on course for Custom Fittings.

Together, we drive change.



**CUSTOM FITTINGS
ON COURSE**

STARTING

22

AUGUST
2026



RUGBY'S GREATEST RIVALRY

SA vs NEW ZEALAND

Matches screened LIVE at VCC.
Join us for every moment of the action!



A bumper month of golf, sport and community.
Thank you for your support – let's make August unforgettable!

EVERY FRIDAY IS GOLF DAY | GREAT GOLF | GREAT FOOD | GREAT COMPANY





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UPCOMING GOLF DAYS

OF OUR PREMIUM PARTNERS

Proudly supporting our premium partners.
We look forward to a great season of golf,
giving back and strengthening our
community together.



THURSDAY

16
JULY
2026



A NETWORK OF INVESTORS
BUILDING OUR CITY TOGETHER

INVEST PIETERMARITZBURG
GOLF DAY

INVEST PIETERMARITZBURG GOLF DAY



Date:
Thursday,
16 July 2026

DONE



Venue:
Victoria Country Club

R1350

PRICE PER 4 BALL
R5000

FRIDAY

31
JULY
2026

Cordwalles
PARENTS' ASSOCIATION
Golf and Padel Day

Victoria Country Club | 31 July 2026

ENTRIES NOW OPEN

CORDWALLS PARENTS' ASSOCIATION
GOLF AND



Date:
Friday,
31 July 2026

**1 DAY
TO GO**



Venue:
Victoria Country Club

Team Entry
R500 per team

FRIDAY

7
AUGUST
2026



COWAN HOUSE
FOUNDATION

*Golf & Padel
Day*

COWAN HOUSE FOUNDATION
GOLF & PADEL DAY



Date:
Friday,
7 August 2026



Venue:
Victoria Country Club



Registration: 09h00
Shot Gun Start: 10h30



Registration: 10h00
Time: 11h00 - 17h00



4 BALL - R3 000
R600 per team

FRIDAY

14
AUGUST
2026



HILTON PRE-PRIMARY
TRUST GOLF DAY

14 AUG 2026 | VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB
REG 9:00 AM | SHOTGUN START 10:00AM

HILTON PRE-PRIMARY
TRUST GOLF DAY



Date:
Friday,
14 August 2026



Venue:
Victoria Country Club



Reg: 9:00 AM
Shotgun Start: 10:00 AM



Format:
4-Ball Alliance
(2 scores to count)

FRIDAY

21
AUGUST
2026



All Saints
United Church
Transforming the World
Golf Day

ALL SAINTS UNITED CHURCH
GOLF DAY



Date:
Friday,
21 August 2026



Venue:
Victoria Country Club



Registration:
Shotgun Start:



Format:

FRIDAY

28
AUGUST
2026



LADDSWORTH
PRIMARY SCHOOL
TRUST FUND
GOLF DAY
FRIDAY, 28 AUGUST 2026
VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB
Save the Date

LADDSWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL
TRUST FUND GOLF DAY



Date:
Friday,
28 August 2026



Venue:
Victoria Country Club



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED PARTNERSHIP AND SUPPORT.

— Here's to many great days on the greens! —



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All the Updates.*



THE VICTORIAN MAGAZINE

Read the latest edition at your leisure.



COMPETITION RESULTS

Stay up to date with all the latest scores and results.



GOLF EVENTS

Information on upcoming golf days and tournaments.



PRO SHOP SPECIALS

Exclusive offers and new arrivals.



RESTAURANT PROMOTIONS

Specials, events and food & beverage updates.



IMPORTANT CLUB NOTICES

Course updates, maintenance, closures and more.

HOW OUR WHATSAPP CHANNEL WORKS



PRIVATE & SECURE

No one can see your phone number or any personal information.



NOT A CHAT GROUP

This is a broadcast channel. No chatting, no replies, no clutter.



JUST INFORMATION

Updates are shared by the Club for your information only.



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Access the magazine and updates anytime, anywhere.



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so you never miss an edition or important update again!

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easy and free!*

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