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AGFR MAROOCHYDORE

With our Maroochydore event now behind us it is important to reflect on just what a great time we all had.

The fellowship was excellent and it was great to see that over 100 of our members and partners made the effort (in what are trying circumstances re Covid-19) to attend to not only support our event but also the Rotary Club of Maroochydore our host club.

The Maroochy River Golf Course although challenging was a magnificent place to hold our tournament and I know the golfers have plenty of stories to tell (good and bad)!!!.

Congratulations to all the winners both daily and overall.

Thank you to Tournament Director Jeanne Motteram and her small committee for providing us all with a memorable week of golf/tours/fun and fellowship.

Also, many thanks for the assistance provided by the Rotary Club of Alexandra Headlands.

VALE BRETT McMUTRIE

It is with much sadness I advise of the passing of our member Brett Mc Mutrie aged 81.

Although Brett had not attended a lot of AGFR events, the last one being Alice Springs, he had been keen to attend Maroochydore however illness prevailed. Brett had been a Rotarian since 1988 and was a Past President of the Rotary Club of Adelaide.

Our condolences go to his wife Joy and their family.

AGFR 2023.

I am pleased to announce that our Executive and Delegates have approved the nomination from the Rotary Club of Merimbula in conjunction with the Tura Beach Country Club to hold the above event in late March 2023.

Thank you to Noel Trevaskis for approaching his Rotary Club to be our hosts.

I'm sure they will provide us with an excellent presentation in Hobart inviting us all to the "Sapphire Coast".

JHMS RECIPIENT LEIGHTON KNOWLES.

Just to report that Leighton had some issues after arriving in the US early May as he required a Social Security Card before he could start work. Firestone CC is a corporation and holding an SSC is a necessary requirement

The Course Superintendent from Firestone and Mike O'Keeffe (Ohio State University) were able to finally pull some strings and Leighton now has the appropriate card and will commence his scholarship.

Mike has sent some photos (below) which you may find of interest. Leighton at Muirfield Village (left and right) and with Mike and staff (middle).



AGFR HOBART 2022.

All of us who attended this year's event would have picked up our "information pack and registration forms" for Hobart next year so why not register early. Just pay your \$100 deposit and you are in!!!.

Also, a reminder that all State/Territory delegates have been provided with a video of the Hobart presentation (at Maroochydore) so members please make contact with your local delegate to come to your Club as a guest speaker to promote next year's event.

Remember any new participants will receive a \$100 discount off their fees.

WE NEED NEW MEMBERS.

So, until our next Pin High News, good golfing, stay healthy and let's hope all our State borders open sooner rather than later.

Best wishes, Leigh AGFR President.