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Friday 15th July saw 39 players hit off in fine conditions at the testing North Ryde layout. There were a number of regulars but it was good to see some old faces who have not played with us for a while, particularly past President Allan Coles. Apart from his golf exploits Allan was always quick to remind us of notable left-handers throughout the world. On that note I received a call from a journalist recently who was doing a story on left-handers and reminded me that it was World Left-Handers Day on August 13th. I hope you all celebrate by raising a glass in your left hand.

Results from North Ryde:

Individual Left-hander	Blake Aroney	36 points
Individual visitor	Steen Winther	34 points
Individual Lady	Barbara Reynolds	29 points
2 Ball Better Ball	Glen McGowan Bruce Richardson	43 points
Runners Up	John Spargo Tony Smith	42 points c/b
NTP 3 rd Hole	David Sandford	
NTP 18 th Hole	Steen Winter	

Tony Barr Trophy progressive point score;

Dennis Allen	27 points
Peter Aroney	26
Peter Sheridan	23
Warwick Stanwell	22
Rex Langthorne	20
John Spargo	19

Next Event

Our next event is at Twin Creeks on Thursday September 1st. This will be our State Championships. A 10.00 am shot-gun hit off is planned with buffet lunch provided in the cost. Please click here for entry forms or go to the website; www.nalg-nsw.org.au

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John Mesley Memorial Orange Trip

The annual John Mesley Memorial mid-week excursion is planned for November 2nd & 3rd to Orange where it is intended we play both Duntryleague and Wentworth courses.

Would you please let Bruce Richardson know ASAP if you intend travelling to Orange to play in this event so that relevant bookings can be secured. Bruce can be contacted via email at; bruce@esolutions.com.au

Sponsorship:

Just a reminder that if you are considering a golf trip to Asia particularly Vietnam or China please consider AYM Golf Tours.

They have very attractive tour to Mission Hills Haikou and Shenzhou Peninsular from 19th to 27th November 2016. These are great courses in the top 10 in Asia. They have spots still available on this tour. For bookings made by a member of our association a small amount is returned to us to assist with our expansion and development. Details are set out on website www.aymgolf.com or contact Sheri Yu on 0438 866 850

Promotion of Lefties Opportunities to Club Members:

Don't forget the opportunity to promote our organisation to lefties within your club membership. We are prepared to offer clubs an annual trophy for a lefties event to be run in conjunction with a normal club competition. In return we would seek access to all lefties that participate so that they can receive information about our association including the calendar of events etc. We will offer both a physical trophy plus a voucher aligned to the club's normal events.

Long Reef Golf Club held its inaugural Lefties Cup in conjunction with a club monthly medal on. I am pleased to report that your President was the victor on this occasion with a net score of 67, one shot ahead of former state cricketer Greg Bush.

Managed Handicaps:

A reminder that we can now offer all non-club golfers the ability to gain and maintain a Golf Australia handicap. This will allow them to play in both our events plus club open events where a GA handicap is required. The purpose behind this is to increase membership and event participation.

There has been a number of players take up this opportunity and we encourage members promote the service where possible. Likely targets could be;

- Social Golf Club whose members may wish to play in our events or club open events during the week,
- Time poor young people who can only play a certain number of games throughout the year and not willing to incur the expense of joining a club
- Golfers who have been absent from the game wanting to again secure a handicap

The fee for providing this service has been set at \$100 p.a. The committee would welcome any contacts to whom we might promote this opportunity.

Good golfing.

Rex Langthorne AM - President