



FINANCIAL REPORT – 30th OCTOBER 2009

The following Income and Expenditure report is for the period;
31st October 2008 to 30th October 2009.

The Masters Pennant currently have assets of the value \$5,626.44 with no current liabilities. Last Year assets were \$6,203.85.

These assets are represented in two forms:

a) Working Account	\$ 641.93
b) Max-I Investment	<u>\$ 4,984.51</u>
TOTAL	\$ 5,626.44

Comments:

1. Income less expenses; (\$25,114.50 - \$25,691.91)	\$ (577.41)
2. The 29 th Pennant Final expense:	\$ 5,475.85
3. Pennant Flags / Trophies / Plaques:	\$ 2,076.20
4. The Championships profit (In – Out):	
Singles/Team: In \$6,345.00, Out \$6,552.10	\$ (207.10)
4BBB: In \$2,800.00, Out \$2,818.00	\$ (18.00)
5. Equipment:	\$ 408.73
6. Administration	\$ 4,006.73
7. Regional Meetings	\$ 1,162.51
8. NSW Golf Association Sponsorship	\$ 4,000.00
9. Gladesville Sporties Club Sponsorship	\$ 800.00

Dennis Roy
Treasurer

The Masters Pennant
30th October 2009

PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2009



Thank you all for your attendance and interest in The Masters Pennant.

I would like to congratulate Penrith on winning The Pennant this year, and to all the other Clubs who had better success in 2009. This has been another successful year, with new Clubs coming to the fore, which can only be good for The Competition, and we hope it will be even better in 2010.

The Masters Pennant Committee greatly appreciate the support received from The NSWGA, The Sporties Club, and A J Safety, who all provide assistance and support in various ways, to promote, and improve our Competition, for the benefit of those who take part in it.

The Masters Pennant has developed over the years to become a very well respected, and highly thought of Competition, and it is our intention to continue to earn that respect, with the benefit of the effort, ideas, and input, from those who wish to contribute, to further improve on that development. We still believe it is the largest competition of its kind in the golfing world.

It is intended, from time to time, that we will conduct meetings in Regional areas when considered necessary, something which has proved quite beneficial in the past. Recently, Dennis Roy, and I, convened a regional meeting in The Hunter District, which was disappointing, considering the time and effort involved, with only six Clubs being represented, and that could be interpreted a number of ways, but we still feel it is important to be able to communicate with as many Clubs as possible whenever the opportunity arises.

We were invited to attend The Lower North Coast District Golf Association meeting on the 20th October, as they have expressed an interest in joining The Masters Pennant. There are thirteen clubs in the area, although not all would be expected to be able to field a team. Four to six would be the best expectation. They played a similar local competition earlier in the year, and call it The Masters Pennant. (a bit cheeky) Dennis and I made a presentation at that Meeting, and we were very well received, with the indication being that we could possibly expect a new division from that area joining The Masters Pennant in 2010.

The last two years have shown more Clubs are becoming very competitive, which makes it all the more interesting heading into 2010, and for what might be in store, once the Pennant starts. The introduction of playing "two-balls" during The Finals Series was well received, with most Clubs opting for that format, and being pleased with the overall results. We hope that more Clubs, who host Final Series games next year, will consider the benefits of that format when programming those games. If they have any concerns in this regard, they can contact the Clubs who adopted the format, for further consideration.

I would like to thank all the Committee members for their time and efforts throughout the year. It could not be done without your input. Bruce Nairn has made an invaluable contribution as The Liaison Officer representing The NSWGA, with his wealth of knowledge and experience being utilised extensively when called upon. The efficiency of this Competition would not be what it is, without the dedication of time, expertise, and organisational work of your Captain Dennis Roy, and The Masters Pennant would not be what it is without his commitment, which is greatly appreciated.

Ray Calnan Your President

Once again, thank you all for your interest in The Masters Pennant - Another good year

Captain's Report 2009

1. 99 teams (Eastlake, Georges River & Tanilba Bay dropped out after the draw) 96 played.

2. 23 Divisions

a.	16	Metropolitan	62 teams
b.	3	Hunter	17 teams
c.	2	Brisbane Waters	9 teams
d.	2	Illawarra	8 teams



3. Divisional Winners

a. Clear Games win:

i.	Div 2	Asquith	5	Northbridge	4
ii.	Div 3	Roseville	4½	North Ryde	3½
iii.	Div 6	Kogarah	6	Massey Park	3½
iv.	Div 7	Bardwell V	5	The Coast	4
v.	Div 8	Kareela	4	Bexley	1
vi.	Div 9	Cabramatta	6	Camden Valley	3
vii.	Div 11	Leonay	6	Twin Creeks	3
viii.	Div 12	Cumberland	6	Bankstown	4
ix.	Div 13	Muirfield	6	Richmond	3
x.	Div 16	Penrith	6	Carnarvon	4
xi.	Div 17	The Oaks	5	Nelson Bay	3
xii.	Div 20	Tugg Lakes	5	Wyong	3½
xiii.	Div 21	Morisset	7	Magenta Shores	5

b. Equal games win in:

i.	Div 1	Manly – Long Reef	8 matches
ii.	Div 4	Oatlands – Monash	2¾ matches
iii.	Div 5	Cronulla – St Michael's	0¾ match
iv.	Div 10	Castle Hill – Ashlar	5½ matches
v.	Div 14	Campbelltown – Camden	1½ matches
vi.	Div 15	Liverpool – Ryde Parramatta	4½ matches
vii.	Div 18	Waratah – Charlestown	5¾ matches
viii.	Div 19	Toronto – Kurri	1½ matches
ix.	Div 22	Port Kembla – Wollongong	0½ match
x.	Div 23	Moss Vale – Nowra	1¼ matches

4. Finals Series

- Great difficulty in obtaining courses for the playoffs
- Each Divisional Winner was awarded a recognition trophy
- We developed rules for cancelled or unfinished games

5. Final

- Played at Carnarvon – in pairs
- Penrith (1) 4½ defeated Manly (23) 2½
- Presentation dinner attended by NSWGA Pres + 81 others

6. Match Meetings

- 5 meetings of full Committee
- GPS devices now allowed irrespective of local rules

7. My Appreciation to the following:

- My Committee: Ray Calnan, John Lock, Bob Blakemore, Bill Carpenter & Don Lockyer
- NSWGA Liaison: Bruce Nairn
- Web Manager: Tom Winter

Dennis Roy
Masters Pennant Captain