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Newsletter Covid-19 (Affiliated Golfers)

With due consideration of the National Disaster pronounced by State President Cyril Ramaphosa on 15 March 2020, and in compliance with the correspondence received from GolfRSA, WGSA and SAGA yesterday afternoon the following changes have been implemented.

 Tournaments (Union Opens & League) All tournaments not run by Southern Cape Golf Union between 18 March 2020 and 30 April 2020 will be cancelled or postponed where possible.

New dates will be available on our website before the end of the week.

- Women's League
- Simola Senior Open
- Par 3 Championship
- Pinnacle Point Open
- Handicaps League
- Simola Junior Open
- Pezula Open

Tournaments beyond April 2020 will be reconsidered for continuation or cancellation on a rolling basis with due consideration of the prevailing situation around the Corona National Disaster at that time.

2) Team Events

All team events taking place under the Management of SAGA, WGSA or SCGU will be cancelled in this period. This includes: Katberg Junior Challenge Senior Quintagular Senior & Super Senior Inter Provincial Tournament 72 Holes Championship

Development Programs
All Development programs have been cancelled until 30 April 2020.

4) Union Office

SCGU and its employees will be fully operational during this period. Due to the size of the office we have asked all staff to work from home so please feel free to contact any staff member during office hours Monday to Friday 08:00 - 16:00.

We would like to ensure everyone that all affiliated clubs will take the necessary health and safety precautions to ensure that you can still enjoy a social round of golf. All clubs have received health and safety guidelines on how to handle the situation we are currently facing.

We apologize for any inconvenience caused and trust that this approach will have your full support and understanding.

Kind regards,

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