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**San Lameer**  
*Country Club*

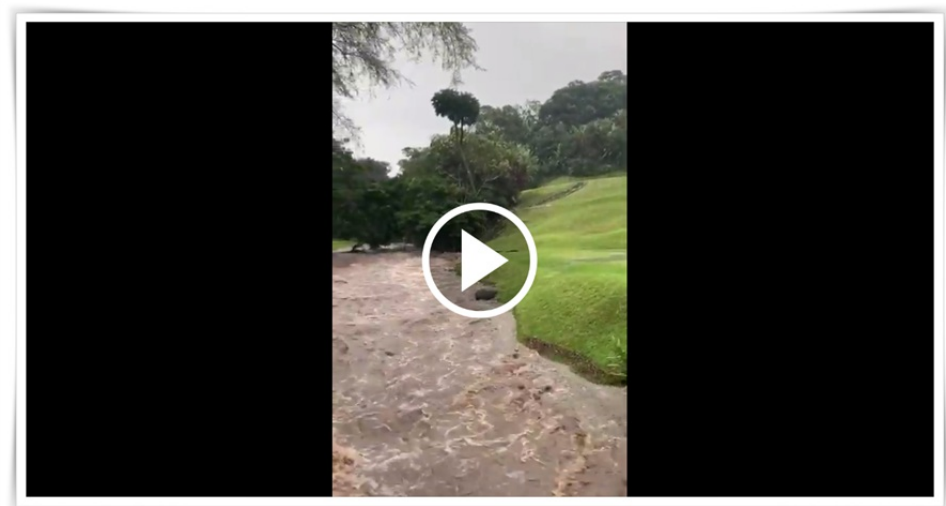


## A word from Meyer





We measured a total of **470 mm of rain** from Sunday (afternoon), **21 April** – **Wednesday (morning), 24 April** which caused some damage to our course which will take a bit of time to repair.



Here are 3 more videos of the floods if you are interested:

[Video 1](#)

[Video 2](#)

[Video 3](#)

The greenkeeping staff did a phenomenal job in the last week to get the course playable, the players are in awe of the progress we've made.



We started with the over-seeding of the greens just before the floods and we were delighted to see the seeds germinating despite the heavy rains.

We will do a couple of follow-up seedings to make sure all areas are covered.

Thanks for all the support and understanding received from everyone, we appreciate all the offers from homeowners to assist in the clean-up, you guys are great. We would also like to thank Southbroom golf club for offering our members a members green fee while our course was closed.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to families who have lost loved ones during the devastating floods.

## Caddies

San Lameer hosted a very successful league match, it was very disappointing that Scottburgh's two teams were not able to play this time but I look forward to seeing them out here next time. San Lameer won on 3 for 2.

Well done guys we are super proud of you and thank you for representing our club so well on the day. View the results here. View the results [here](#).



## Golf for a good cause

## Thanks to the 4 x 4 Men's Team Challenge we could give back to some great causes

San Lameer Country Club proudly donated a total amount of R50 000 to the following beneficiaries. **CHOC Childhood Cancer Foundation SA, CANSA The Cancer Association of South Africa** and **Hospice**.

Every year San Lameer Country Club hosts the popular Men's 4 x 4 Team Challenge and additional funds are raised at this tournament for this great cause.



## Reciprocity



We are very happy to inform you that we have joined hands with **Pezula Championship Course** in a reciprocal agreement. Any of our members can play at Pezula from **1 May 2019 – 30 September 2019** and qualify for a

special green fee of R460 pp. including cart sharing. Their members in return get the same deal playing at San Lameer.

Should you decide to make use of this great deal please send me a mail at [meyer@sanlameer.co.za](mailto:meyer@sanlameer.co.za) to make the booking.

## Handicap news

In January 2020 South Africa and the SADC countries, along with the rest of the world, will be going live with the World Handicap System.

The only significant changes to our current system will be that your Handicap Index will be calculated using the best 8 score differentials out of the last 20, with no reduction percentage, and the maximum score allowed on a hole when calculating your Adjusted Gross Score for Handicapping purposes will be Net Double Bogey ( i.e. net 2 over par or zero Stableford points).

[Read more here.](#)

## Country Club monthly activation

We decided to have a fun activation every month for our local and visiting members. The aim of these activations is to build camaraderie and friendship between our homeowners and members and the charges for each event will be kept to a minimum to cover our costs. We would appreciate if you can diarise these dates accordingly. A poster for each activation will be distributed closer to each event.



## Competition results

10 April 2019 - [View results.](#)

17 April 2019 - [View results.](#)

## Upcoming events





**An Intimate evening with**



**San Lameer**

**ARD**

**matthews**

**LIVE AT**

**DATE: FRIDAY, 28 JUNE 2019**

**VENUE: SAN LAMEER COUNTRY CLUB (Lounge area)**

**TICKETS: R260 PER PERSON**  
(limited seats available - 120 pax)

Including 3-Course Meal - Cash Bar available

**Doors open 18:30 - Show starts 19:00**

**BOOK YOUR TICKETS NOW!!**

Jolanda Cloete - Marketing - [marketing@sanlameer.co.za](mailto:marketing@sanlameer.co.za) - 039 313 0111

## Why don't you join the Southbroom Ladies Classic?

The 2019 Southbroom Ladies Classic now in its 16th year! The Ladies Amateur Classic is held annually in early May. It is a highlight on the Southbroom Golf Club calendar and attracts a full field of over 128 ladies annually. The ladies come from all over South Africa to enjoy three days of Golf and the great camaraderie that Southbroom is renowned for.

**This year it is from the 12th -14th May.**

Thank you & yours sincerely,  
**Sheena James, Derek James & The Ladies Classic Committee**

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## Matkovich Challenge

Keen to join Peter Matkovich on one of his tour in Mauritius? Please [let me know](#) should you be interested.



*Hi Team*

The course is waiting, The hotel is warned, The boat is stocked, The team is ready, All we need is YOU!

The current dates are Departure on Monday, 03 June 2019 and Return Monday, 10 June 2019  
We are waiting for final confirmation from Air Mauritius

It's time to prepare for the endurance and the revelry and fun, to renew and bond with old friends.  
Remember to get some practice on and off the course

We are booked into the Cannonier Hotel which are ready and willing to welcome us with open arms.  
Jane and I are hoping you will join us and make that much more special.

Wives / partners / families are definitely included and will be very spoilt. If you have family and friends that you would like us to include, please let us know soonest as numbers are limited. Send us their details so we can look after them.

The itinerary and functions will be forwarded in good time. Please confirm your attendance as flights and accommodation are limited

As always we must include the business side of things:-  
The package costs R39 500.00 per person sharing and R45 000.00 for a single. If you are a non-golfer, the per person sharing package will be R32 500.00. Note, we have limited family rooms which would accommodate children.

**This includes:-**  
Flights from Durban with Air Mauritius and transfers  
(in order to secure flights at today's current fare, we will require a R5000, per person as soon as possible)  
People travelling from outside of Durban and/or people wanting to travel on different dates must please arrange their own flights and their package will reduce to R32 000 per person sharing.  
Note: Accommodation is ALL inclusive.

Optional 5 Rounds of golf with golf cart  
Golf Shirts and give-aways  
Daily prizes

People who wish to book their own flights, you are welcome to do so. If any assistance is needed, you may contact our travel agent, Sandra Raw at Flight Centre on 072 103 2506 to assist

*Peter Matkovich*

## Beer for a year!

Thanks to **Heineken** who got on board with a great initiative for our members. The first member to make a hole-in-one on our beautiful hole 9, will win Sol beer for a year (12 cases).





**Not for Sale to Persons Under the Age of 18.  
Enjoy Responsibly.**

## 2019 golf calendar

### **May**

18 May – Pro Deo Golf Day

22 –25 May – Tee for Two

### **June**

5 – 8 June – The Invitational

11 June – Engen Golf Day

### **July**

10 July – Mercedes Benz Ladies Golf Day

22 July – Senior Women's Golf

27 – 29 July – PGA Fundraiser

### **August**

1 – 3 August – 4 x 4 Men's Challenge

26 – 30 August – SA Kids Golf – Junior Africa Challenge

### **September**

8-12 September – National PGA Pro Am

17 September – ARC Golf Day

### **October**

25-27 October – Compleat Golfer 5 star Experience

### **November**

3 November – KZN Open

5 – 8 November – Hollowtining

18 November – Senior Women's Golf

### **December**

14 December - Els for Autism

17 December – Club Championships

21 December – Presidents Cup

23 December – San Lameer Open

### **2020 Calendar**

1 January – Greenkeeper's Revenge

31 May – 3 June - Senior Women's Nationals

**Treat yourself**



# May Special

CELEBRATE AUTUMN

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- 15min Foot Massage

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**Motivational quote of the  
week**

YOU ARE  
**NEVER TOO OLD**  
TO  
**SET ANOTHER GOAL**  
OR TO  
**DREAM A NEW DREAM**

- C.S. LEWIS  
TRAIN SMART - TRAIN HARD - CUSTOM FITNESS JOURNALS  
JOURNAL MENU

Stop waiting  
for things  
to happen,  
go out  
and make  
them happen

## Golf quote of the week

**KEEP YOUR  
SENSE OF  
HUMOR. THERE'S  
ENOUGH STRESS  
IN THE REST OF  
YOUR LIFE NOT  
TO LET BAD  
SHOTS RUIN A  
GAME YOU'RE  
SUPPOSED TO  
ENJOY**

AMY ALCOTT

Golfers Authority

A GOOD GOLFER  
HAS THE  
DETERMINATION  
TO WIN  
AND THE  
PATIENCE TO  
WAIT FOR  
THE BREAKS

  
*Gary Player*



## Everyone wants forgiveness

### The very best ball strikers too

The lower your handicap, the less space you have for error. So wouldn't it be nice to have a little forgiveness built into your game? But, first we know you don't want to compromise some key features:



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**Smaller profile**

You want control over ball flight, so the profile of the club is smaller. The CoG is higher and closer to the face.

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**Forged**

It's likely you want to "feel" the ball off the face and enjoy a great response through your hands. Incidentally, these clubs also provide a really nice sound on contact.

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**No offset**

You have no trouble squaring the face so the shaft and clubface line up.

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The great news is that the hitting zone has been extended on many better 2018 and 2019 Players Iron models to accommodate slight miss-hits towards the heel or toe. Ball speed is protected, and the distance the ball will travel is unchanged. That's a critical part of the accuracy a low handicap golfer must have.



*Small change; Big improvement*

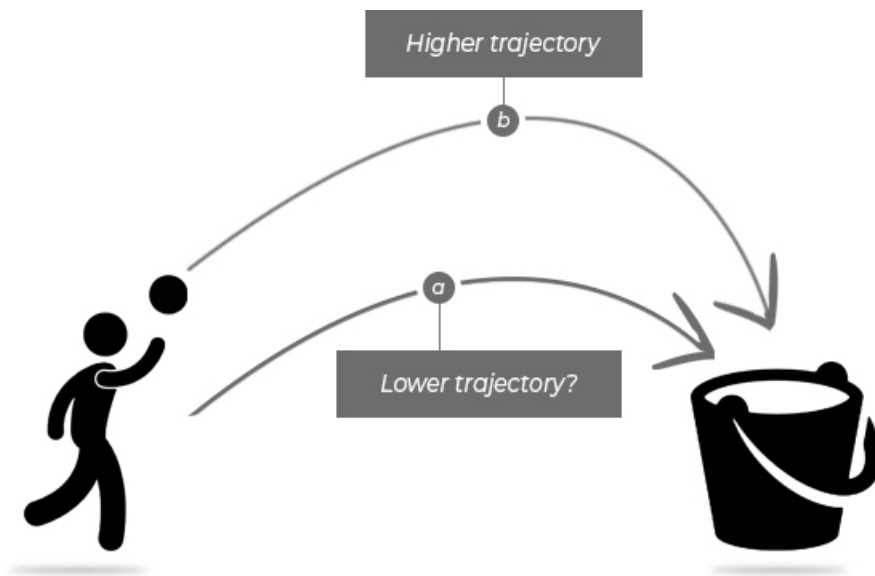
### **Play the perfect partnership**

Exploit the advantages technology is giving you, especially if you have little room for error in your round. But, don't neglect the biggest advantage: Get fitted for a setup that makes it easier to hit the perfect golf shot.

**Knock it down. Knock it close.**



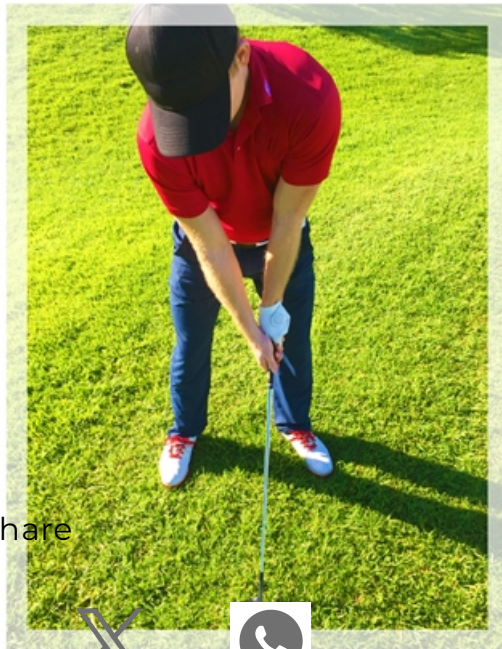
If we asked you to stand 20 metres from this bucket and use an under-arm throw to get a golf ball in the bucket, would you use a lower trajectory (a) or a higher trajectory (b)?



Almost everyone correctly tackles this challenge by using a lower trajectory.

*So why do most amateur golfers  
try and hit wedge shots as  
high as possible?*

Share



## Knock it close with your wedge

Watch the golf on TV and you'll see Professionals hitting wedge shots mostly with a lower trajectory of spin. It makes it much easier for them to control distance and direction. It's easier to be accurate. Time to



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