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From the Founder's desk

We hosted our spring Open Day last Saturday and were delighted to receive the biggest turnout of families for many years. The resurgence in golf in the last 18 months has definitely boosted interest in our full-time programmes. Strong recruitment for our 2022 PGA Diploma programme reflects this, as more youngsters are seeing the potential for an international career in the business of golf. We are also starting to see an increase in applications from international students again, now that worldwide travel restrictions are being lifted. If you are keen to join us, be sure to get your application in soon before the limited spaces fill up.

MJ BALDERSTONE

Premier Academy Weekly Medal

BSI Tournament results

Well done to Titouan Tregouet on winning the BSI Golf Premier catch-up medal on Wednesday 06 October 2021 with a score of 70 on Royal Johannesburg & Kensington West Course.

Congratulations for personal bests on the day goes to Keagan Rollinson (71), George Mawere (71) and Myles Harel (74).



Titouan Tregouet

Congratulations to Heinrich Prinsloo on his first place finish on Friday 08 October 2021 Premier Academy weekly medal with a 68 on Royal Johannesburg & Kensington West Course. The win takes Heinrich to the top of the Order of Merit leaderboard and a lead of only 3 572 points ahead of Reece Mckain.



Heinrich Prinsloo

External Tournaments

SA Kids Golf – Centurion

Well done to Joshua Clark for winning last week's 13 to 14 years-old SA Kids Golf Junior Tournament held at Centurion Golf Course. Joshua's win was his first at a SA Kids Golf event as he beat 21 other boys for the title. Excellent achievement Josh and we wish many more winning events ahead for you.



Joshua Clark

Gauteng North Silver Salver Tournament

Well done to BSI students who participated in the Gauteng North Silver Salver Tournament held from 08 October till 10 October 2021.

Results:

T16: Jordan van Niekerk

T46: Jonathan Williams & Jules Helary

71st: Sean Paxton

Magalies Park Open

Lefa Maseng has done it again! Congratulations to Lefa Maseng for taking another provincial golf title by winning the Magalies Park Open U15 division at the weekend with rounds of 74 and 78. Keep it going Champ!



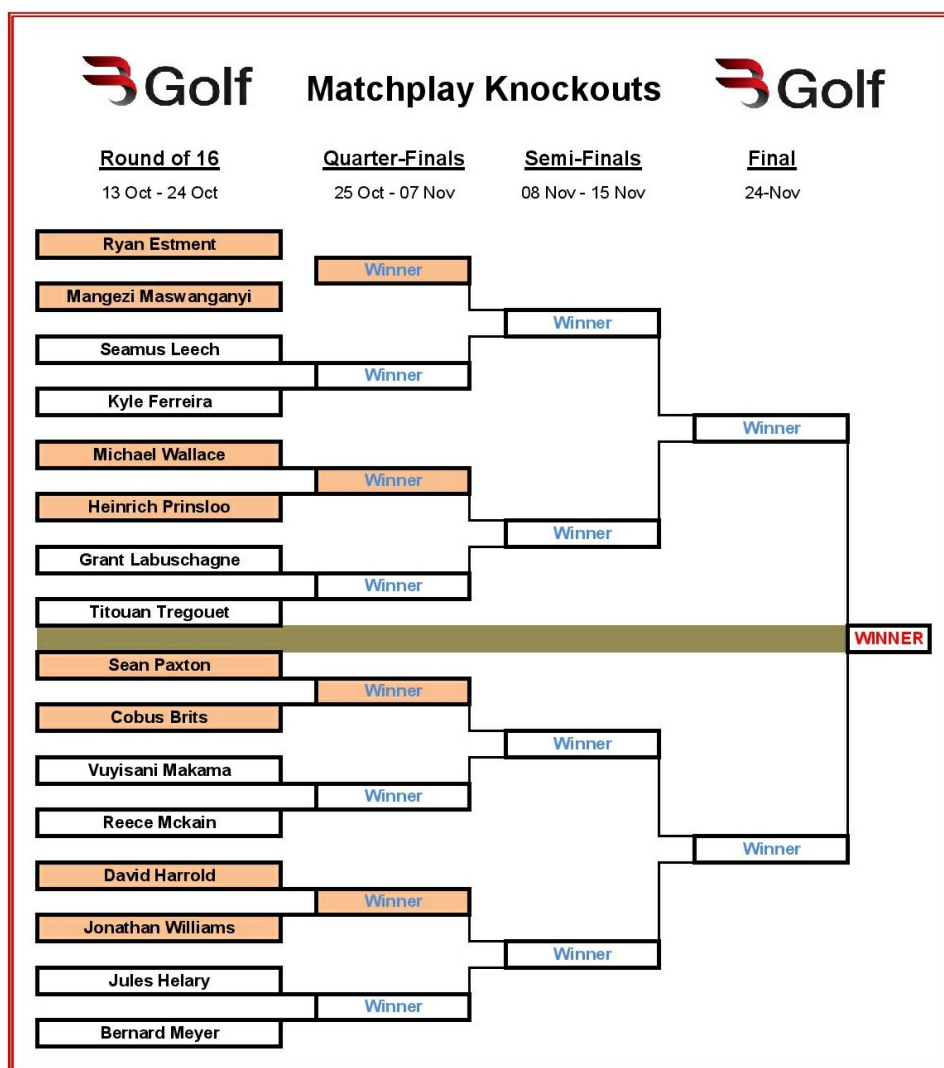
Lefa Maseng

Matchplay Last 16

As we enter Cycle 4 for all our students, we enter the business end for some of our golfers, as they have qualified for the BSI Matchplay Knockout Round of last 16.

These players qualified by playing round-robin matches in their relevant divisions and then finishing in the top 4. They will now compete in the elimination section against their fellow golfers from the other divisions, to see who will be the newly crowned BSI Matchplay Champion 2021 on 24 November. Good luck to the final 16 and we wait in anticipation to see who the Elite 8 will be!

Here's a look at the Matchplay Knockouts Round of 16 fixtures:



More about Armand and Keegan

Student Spotlight

A few of our students will shortly be finishing their current programmes with us. BSI has been an integral part of their lives over the past few years and in the next few newsletters we will be interviewing these upcoming graduates about their time here at BSI. We start this week with two gentlemen who are completing their PGA Diploma in December. Meet Armand Muller and Keegan Dix.

“These three years at BSI taught me strength, flexibility, confidence and to stay focused. I've learned a lot of discipline and to try again with lots of practice. The environment was positive, and BSI taught me never to quit. My confidence has definitely grown stronger.

With my coaches' help I have kept on trying, practising and improving my game. It was nice to be part of the Academy. I built a strong bond with a few students and get along with them all. The teachers, golf coaches and my mental coach have always been helpful and supportive.

I will find a job after my course and do the necessary requirements for me to qualify as a PGA Accredited Professional. I would recommend this Academy to anyone who wants to do the course.”

- Armand Muller



Armand Muller

We interview Keegan Dix and he briefly reminisces about his last three years at the BSI PGA Academy. Watch our YouTube video [here](#) to hear his thoughts.



Keegan Dix

Improve your ball position in the swing

Performance Tip

The Performance Tip of the Week is brought to you by Christopher Wright – BSI Coach.



Christopher Wright

[Click here](#) to watch Chris' tip on ball position in the swing.

As much as we enjoy putting together these performance tips, there is no better way to improve your game but by having one of our coaches assess your swing and assist you in putting in place the correct techniques to develop your game and lower your scores.

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Not just golf

Bienvenu Henry! BSI Football would like to welcome Henry Nzuzi.

Henry Nzuzi joins the Elite Development programme with the desire to take his development to a new level. He comes to BSI with a lot of experience as he previously has been called up to the Congolese U20 squad and has also had a stint at Besiktas J.K. in Turkey. As much as Henry will grow his individual game and skills with us, he will also add value to the EDP programme and we look forward to being a part of his journey.





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