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Performance Tip of the Week

Using Alignment Sticks to assist in ball positioning in your setup

Brought to you by Tyrone Gibb, BSI Golf Coach

The next tip in Tyrone's series:



Tyrone Gibb, BSI Golf Coach

Click on the link below to watch Tyrone demonstrate an alignment stick drill:

[Watch drill](#)

Tournaments Results

BSI Premier Cycle 3 72-Hole Medal Championship

Well done to **Jacques van der Merwe** on winning the BSI Golf Premier Cycle 3 72-hole Championship with scores of 69, 74, 72 & 74, a final tally of +1. The four-day tournament was played at Royal Johannesburg & Kensington GC – East, with players experiencing four seasons, as they encountered cold and wet conditions one day, followed by hot and dry the next day.

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, it seems Jacques did peak at the right time as he made his mark and took top honours in the end of Cycle competition. This win sees Jacques take three 1st place finishes in the last 5 BSI events. Well done Jacques and keep up the hard work on the practice range, as it is most definitely paying off on the course.

Personal Bests:

Owami Chimanyi - 74

Fred Njoroge - 76



Jacques van der Merwe

BSI Junior Academy Cycle 3 36-Hole Medal Championship

Congratulations to **Grant Labuschagne** on his win in the BSI C3 36-Hole Championship, by beating **Tawriq Abrahams** with a birdie on the first play-off hole. Grant led day 1 with a score of 68 and had a tough final round 78, which still managed to keep him tied top of the leaderboard with Tawriq, both finishing 2-over par. Grant was coming into Cycle 3's 36-hole tournament with a history of runner-up places, as he has come 2nd in four previous end of Cycle Championships and was hungry to take the win. Well done for having the patience, grinding it out and keeping positive to take your first 36-hole win.

Personal Bests:

Grant Labuschagne - 68

Stacey-Lee van Gent - 81

Josh Paisley - 84



Grant Labuschagne

Order of Merit

With the exciting Cycle 3 Championships closing out the term for our students in both our Premier and Junior Academies, we thought it would be good to have an update on our Order of Merit 2022.

With one cycle to go there are still lots of tournaments to come, and more so, lots of points up for grabs.



JUNIOR ACADEMY

ORDER OF MERIT

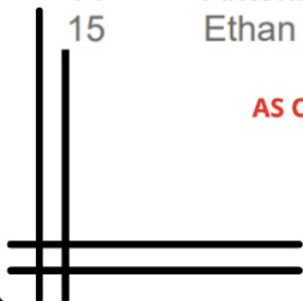


1st Vuyisani Makama

90 883

2	Grant Labuschagne	66433
3	Tawriq Abrahams	58895
4	Eric Ncube	51395
5	Pieter-Andre VD Merwe	48299
6	Lefa Maseng	40058
7	Pranay Kapur	26362
8	Justin Li	22957
9	Dowoo Kim	17762
10	Jonathan Henry	14175
11	Mogale Baas	12291
12	Connor Olfson	10840
13	Tylah James	9566
14	Antoni Theron	6182
15	Ethan Joseph	5075

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PREMIER ACADEMY

ORDER OF MERIT



1st Sean Paxton

91 361

2	David Harrold	72099
3	Bernard Meyer	54000
4	Mangezi Maswanganyi	53419
5	Jacques van der Merwe	53349
6	Jonathan Williams	48037
7	Alex Lane	47410
8	Titouan Tregouet	46057
9	Cobus Brits	23078
10	Noe Ansermet	22841
11	Sayegh van der Merwe	21028
12	Seamus Leech	18032
13	Hilton Bailey	15987
14	Mutahi Kibugu	13080
15	Keagan Rollinson	13064

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Upcoming Events

Ekurhuleni Open – Glendower GC

Good luck to the 21 players teeing it up this week in the Ekurhuleni Open.



Ekurhuleni Open - Glendower GC (30 September to 02 October 2022)

Tee time	Game	Tee		Game	Tee	
06h30	1	1	Tawriq Abrahams			
06h54				8	10	Jonathan Williams
07h02	9	1	Reece Mckain	10	10	Keagan Rollinson
07h10	11	1	Noe Ansermet			
07h18	13	1	Sayegh van der Merwe			
07h26	15	1	Sean Paxton	16	10	David Harrold
07h42				20	10	Seamus Leech Dowoo Kim
07h50	21	1	Vuyisani Makama			
08h06				26	10	Titouan Tregouet
11h23				30	10	Antoni Theron
11h31	31	1	Alexander Mornau Mangezi Maswanganyi	32	10	Jonathan Henry
11h47	35	1	Mojelefa Nale	36	10	Viljoen Reinecke
11h55				38	10	Fred Njoroge
12h19	43	1	Michael Coertzen			
12h35				48	10	Cobus Brits

Heritage Month

In the last of our Heritage month profiles, we briefly catch up with Victor Prybylsky, 3rd Year PGA Diploma student who comes from France and is feeling quite welcome here in South Africa. Let's hear a bit more from Victor and his golfing aspirations:

"I am from France and decided to pursue the BSI PGA Diploma because I thought it would be really useful to have the chance to train and get the finest possible preparation for a job in the golfing industry. I found out about BSI through my friend and former BSI student, Yann Ranaivoson, who introduced me to the Academy and showed me the opportunities that a PGA diploma can offer.

BSI has helped me to better orientate myself and prepare for my future career, with the help of the highly qualified coaches. When I graduate at the end of the year, I would like to follow a career in golf coaching or custom fitting, in the Middle East or the Asian markets.

As an international student, many of my peers at the Academy have been like a second family to me and we have formed close ties.

The school has a wonderful culture overall, allowing you to pursue your passion for golf, while receiving support from the coaching staff and being surrounded by peers."



Victor Prybylsky

Fun facts about France

- France is the most-visited country in the world.
- The French eat 25 000 tons of snails each year.
- France produces over 1 500 types of cheese.
- France had a king that reigned for only 20 minutes.
- French golfing history dates back to 1856, with the opening of Pau golf course. It was not only the first golf course in France, but the first golf course in mainland Europe.

Not just golf

South African Football Association Under 20 National Call Up

Shuaib Walters – named SA U/20 Goalkeeping Coach

Huge congratulations to BSI Football Coach **Shuaib Walters** for his call up to the coaching staff for the South African National U/20 Camp and being appointed as Goalkeeping Coach.



Shuaib Walter

Storm Jonas – SA U/20 Football team

Well done to past BSI Study Centre student, **Storm Jonas** for being chosen to represent the South African National U/20 squad. Storm has been playing in the Estoril Elite Programme in Europe and has come home to take his place in the Amajita (The Boys) training camp.



Storm Jonas

Open Day

Join us at our next Open Day on Saturday, 15th October 2022

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INTERNATIONAL STUDY CENTRE

Open Day
Saturday 15 October 2022, 8am Registration
Huddle Park, Linksfield, Johannesburg



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- Expert guidance & support
- International curriculum
- All sports welcome

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to secure your place.
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Is your child a sports-focused high school student or moving to high school in 2023? Do they want more time and flexibility to train and compete in their sport?

Join us for our Open Day on **Saturday, 15 October 2022** to learn about the BSI International Study Centre. It is specifically designed to support sports-focused student athletes and their parents. All sports welcome. RSVP to info@bsisports.com to book your seats.

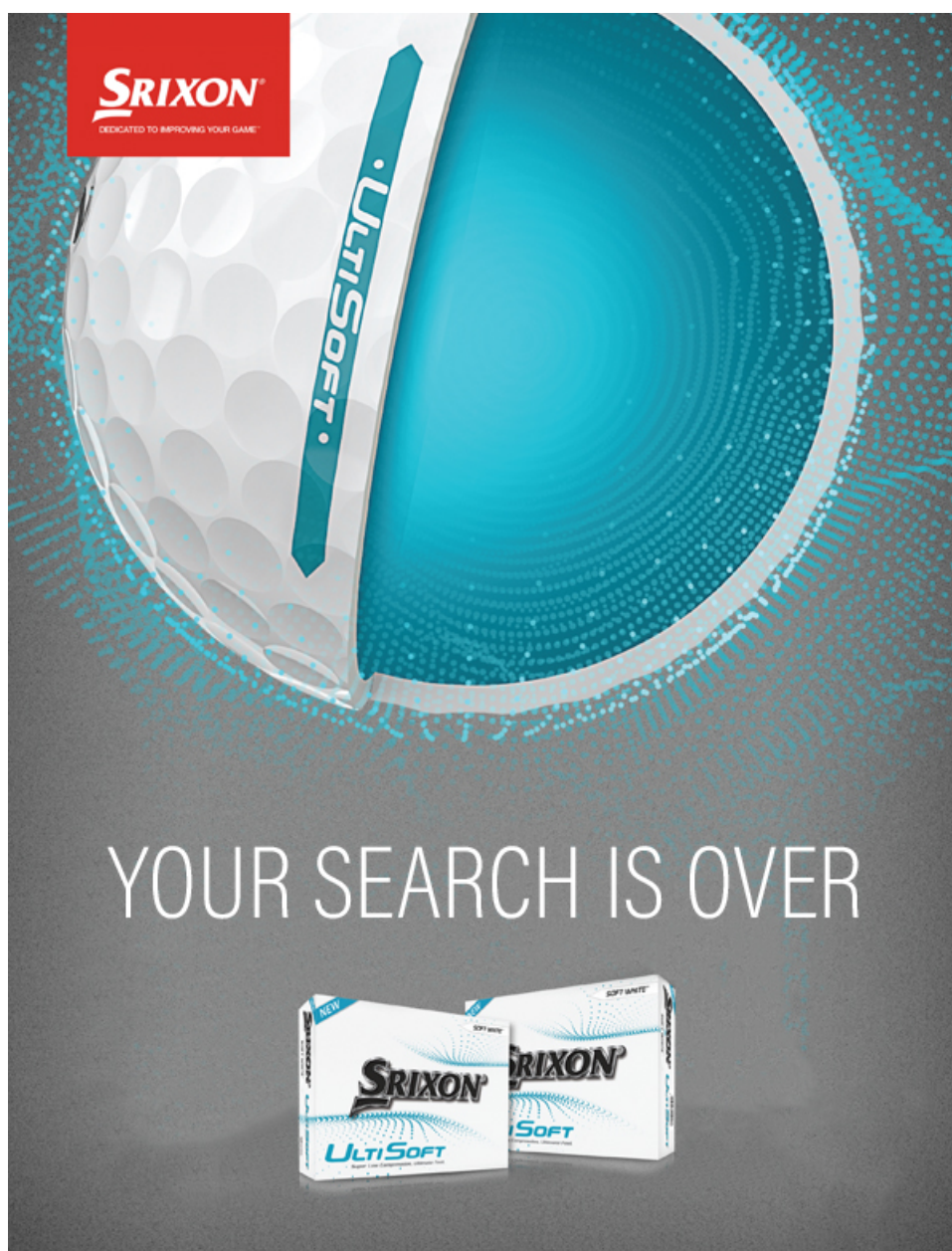
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