

## AVONDALE GOLF CLUB Timesheet Ballot System

A new “ballot” feature for the booking system will be implemented from May 1 and will apply to all timesheets from Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> of May onwards. All timesheets will now open at 6:30pm.

Members will now need to “Join Draw” within 30 minutes of timesheet opening to be allocated a ticket with a position number in a virtual queue when the countdown timer reaches zero. Check the images below. Please note the draw is random. It won’t matter if you “Join Draw” 30 minutes before 6:30pm or 30 seconds before 6:30pm. Please note you will **not** be able to join the draw after 10 seconds to 6:30pm. Should you enter the timesheet after the draw you will be allocated a ticket at the end of the queue.

### 1. Join the draw

10:56:38 AM

17/04/2019 Showing 30 Days

Results Open Ladies Mens Weekends Matchplays

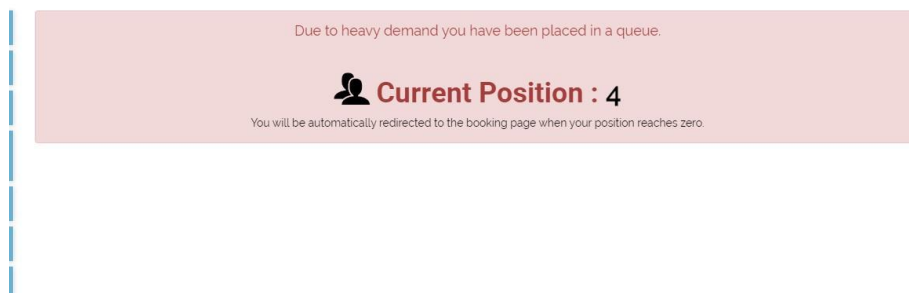
Wed 17 Apr	OPEN 420 Available	STABLEFORD	All All Day	
Thu 18 Apr	OPEN 420 Available	YARRA BEND GOLF BOOKINGS	All All Day	
Fri 19 Apr	00:03:26 Join Draw 416 Available	STABLEFORD Good Friday (PH)	All All Day	
Sat 20 Apr	OPEN 380 Available	YARRA BEND GOLF BOOKINGS Easter Saturday (PH)	All All Day	

### 2. Waiting for the timesheet to open

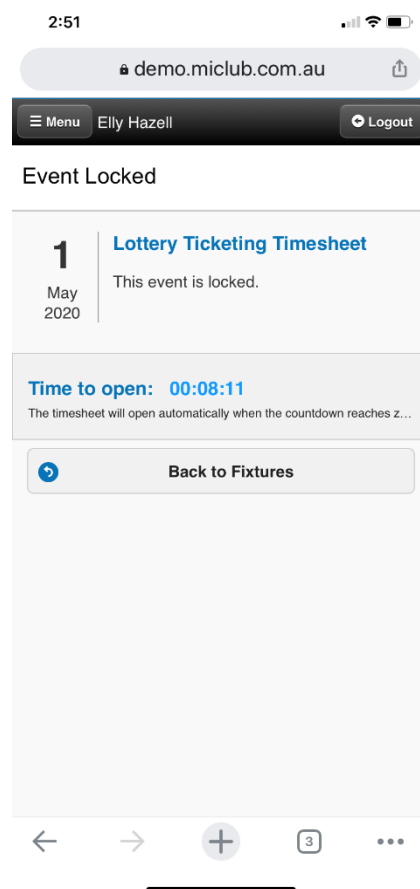
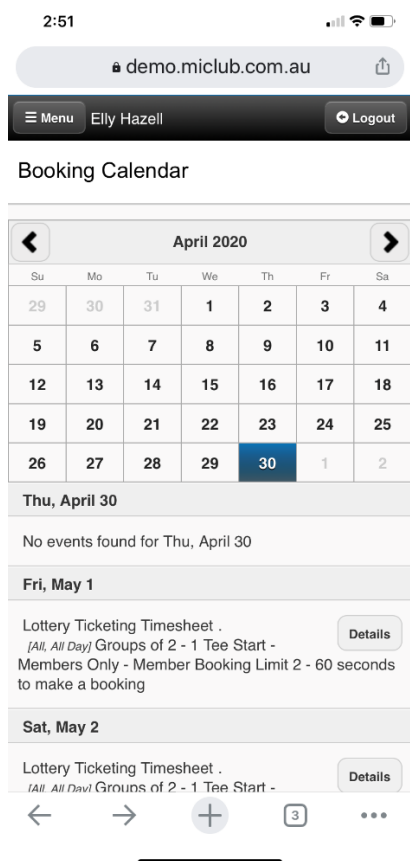
You are in the draw to access the timesheet.  
Please do not leave this page. If you open another browser window you may lose your position in the queue.

Opens in 00:03:09

- Upon opening of the tee sheet Members will be shown their position in the queue. Once they reach the end of the queue they will be redirected to the booking sheet to make their booking. Members may make a booking as per the tee sheet rules. At present Members may book for themselves and one other Member.



*Note for mobile users, when using the mobile minisite no need to “Join Draw” just select the **DETAILS** button to “Join Draw” (screen shots below).*



**MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE THE AVONDALE APP WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE TO BOOK ROUNDS OF GOLF WHILE WE ARE USING THE BALLOT SYSTEM. PLEASE USE THE MOBILE MINISITE AS YOUR MOBILE OPTION.**

The 'Ballot' will send the first 5 members into the timesheet to make a booking, all others will get a ticket in the queue to enter the timesheet when those ahead have completed their booking. ***Please do not leave the page or refresh the page during this process as you will lose your place in the queue.***

Other key points for members to note are:

- The introduction of the ballot system will stop multiple logins to the website, which has been contributing to the overwhelming of the website.
- Members will continue to be able to book themselves and a partner. If you are looking to book a partner it is recommended you preset your playing partner in the “Members Portal” section of the website before joining the draw. Then simply “Book Group” when you have selected the preferred time.
- The introduction of the ballot system does not guarantee everyone a place on the timesheet, but takes the current chaos out of the booking procedure due to the current oversubscription of tee times on various days. If you do not get a tee time members should book themselves on the waitlist for reasons outlined in the Captain’s Update, April 30<sup>th</sup>.
- Members will have 90 seconds to make their booking and leave the sheet.

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General Manager  
30<sup>th</sup> April 2020