

## **Christmas Message from the President**

As we approach Christmas Day, I hope that we can all remain COVID safe so that we can enjoy a blessed and joyful Christmas with those close to us. I also acknowledge with empathy those of us who have families spread far and wide. Now the borders are open to the Eastern States, I imagine there are many members that are going to be enjoying happier Christmas's than last year.



On behalf of the Management Committee I wish everyone a happy and safe Christmas and hope that the New Year – 2022 is good to all of us. Let us hope that we can stay safe and healthy, COVID free of course so that we can enjoy some great golf in the New Year.

It is not a happy time for some. We have members who have lost loved ones this year. Our thoughts are with you at Christmas especially. In the past few months we have lost two lovely people. Alex Gallacher and more recently, Anna Phillips. Two amazingly strong people with great spirits, passion for life (and their golf) who both lost their fight to cancer. Our thoughts are with their families at this time.

Christmas at North Adelaide gives us the opportunity to participate in some fun events which I think have been enjoyed by most. It's been colourful and entertaining. Thanks to Dan Cole for his selection of fun photos that you see here.



Behind the scenes the Management Committee continue to ensure that good golfing runs seamlessly for you. Congratulations to our Captains – Alan and Laifong for their enthusiastic and all-consuming golf program. We are never without a competition. Their commitment, motivation and enthusiasm is contagious and I applaud them for their efforts in ensuring that our golf can be as good as it can be.



Happy Christmas to you. Whatever this means for you, whether it's a small family gathering or larger, I hope the Christmas Season is a happy one. I wish you good health and that 2022 brings happiness to you at home and on the golf course. Remember what Gary Player said..."Enjoy the game – happy golf is good golf".

I look forward to seeing you on the fairways.



Christmas wishes and a Very Happy New year to you.

**Marlene Boundy** 

**Club President**