

# Euroa Golf Course Planned Works and Improvements Programme 2020 - 2021

## Hole 1

Men's Tee Box – Trim and clean up Hedges – **Completed 10 Dec 20.**

Trim lower limbs on gum tree behind green to allow Mower access, light to get in allowing couch to grow. – **Completed 17 Dec 20.**

Trim lower branches on Melaleucas and Cyprus on LHS green. – **Completed 17 Dec 20.**

Remove large broken limb at large Iron bark near mounds LHS – **Completed 31 Dec 20.**

Remove large broken limb from Ghost gum at LHS at start of fairway. – **Completed 12 Jan 21.**

Trim dead limbs out of tree near sand bucket stand.

Cut down dead trees at Ladies Tee Box, if tree still alive trim out dead limbs.

Replant trees to replace these qty two trees.

Trim lower limbs on Pine trees LHS between 150 and 100 markers deep in to improve course looks and remove dead pine trees

## Hole 2

Remove fallen Limb from Melaleuca at rear RHS near gully – **Completed 8 Dec 20.**

Fill holes with top soil at end of Maluleka's LHS at start of fairway – **Completed 9 Dec 20.**

Remove dead wattle from gully LHS green.

Trim all low branches on poplar trees RHS.

Trim all low branches from all Pine Trees RHS at Corner back towards the green.

Trim all low branches from Pine trees RHS near track.

Trim all low branches from Pine trees RHS between Men's and Ladies Tee Boxes.

Trim all low branches from Pine Trees LHS near new Dam to clean up area.

## Hole 3

Rear of Men's Tee Box fill bare patches with top soil and sand to encourage couch grass to grow - **Completed 13 Dec 20.**

Clean up fallen limbs and branches from large gum RHS behind large wattle RHS – **Partly Completed 29 Dec 20.** Cleaned head up await larger chainsaw to clean up branches.

Trim lower branches and broken branches from large Pine tree behind above tree – **Completed 29 Dec 20.**

Cut out dead limbs from large wattle RHS near green before big tree.

Cut out dead limbs and lower limbs on wattle behind big Pine tree at 100 m marker RHS.

Remove dead pine LHS of green near track to Men's 4<sup>th</sup> Tee Box.

Trim lower limbs on pine trees LHS around track to Ladies 4th Tee.

Look at track from Men's Tee to Ladies Tee to fairway, before putting down new gravel. Maybe use existing high camber area. This will need to be graded to smooth out as pretty rough.

Look at draining or filling low areas from high camber area towards LHS- water lays there.

Extend existing hump back towards start of fairway at LHS corner area near sprinkler boxes to assist with water draining away from fairway. (drain over flows at moment)

Raise existing hump to assist the drain at rear of the hump. Plant grass on this area.

Clean drain behind hump for full length of fairway on LHS with channel spinner.

## Hole 4

**Cut Broken Limb laying on ground at Melaleuca near Green – Completed 8 Dec 20.**

Trim low growing branches on all Melaleuca's on LHS of green to reduce weight on main limbs to prevent splitting at bases.

Clean drain down RHS with Channel Spinner.

Trim all Pine trees RHS to assist and keep drain clear as well as allowing access to drain.

Remove all dead Pine trees and replace with a different species.

Remove lower limbs and branches on Pine trees on RHS at corner.

Continue to lay old cores at bare patch on LHS at corner or look at creating hump there to direct water away from fairway.

Look at LHS of green towards the back of green in the flat area, maybe extend green out to sprinkler head, outcome will be interesting pin placement.

Need to address area around the back step of the green on RHS to gain meaningful pin placement on step area.

## Hole 5

**Trim dead limbs from Gum Tree on LHS at green. – Completed 7 Jan 21.**

**Trim trees on track from 5<sup>th</sup> green to 6th Men's Tee Box – Completed 7 Jan 21.**

Trim lower limbs on Pine trees on RHS from Tee Boxes to green.

Trim lower limbs at side of RHS of green all the way to the boundary fence to allow access to drains and keep drains clear.

Clean drains with channel spinner in front of pine trees and including drain on boundary fence.

Trim dead limbs from trees at RHS and behind green.

## Hole 6

**Clean up fallen Limb at spotted gum RHS and trim up lower limbs- Completed 12 Dec 20.**

**Fill in temporary drains across 6th fairway at gully with sand and fill low area with sand. – Completed 12 Dec 20.**

Clean drain between the 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> fairway with channel spinner.

Remove lower limbs from all Pine trees RHS right down the fence line to allow access to drain.

Clean drain with either 4 in 1 bucket on our tractor or hire excavator to clean drain full length of boundary fence back to 5<sup>th</sup> Tee box. In some areas there are two drains.

Need to practice in area behind rubbish heap to see if 4 in 1 bucket is successful before attempting down side of 6<sup>th</sup>.

Fill in area around the 150m to 100m marker in low spot where water lies between markers and Pine trees.

Trim lower limbs from scraggy gum at the big spotted gum tree.

Look at existing grate near spotted gum RHS for drainage. Drain appears to run up hill back to boundary fence, what is under grate, pipe to dam on LHS? Maybe build up bank in front of grate to hold back water from low lying area on fairway.

Option maybe to create gentle slope drain that can allow fairway mower to travel through. This could be achieved by lifting existing turf, excavate gentle slope drain, replace turf.

Remove lower limbs from Pine Trees at LHS near dam, and clean up lower limbs in forest.

Remove lower limbs from gums at dam hole.

Remove lower limbs from pine forest before dam on LHS.

Repair bank of dam and allow access for drain at Dam hole.

Remove lower limbs from gums at gully to 8<sup>th</sup> near lady's 6<sup>th</sup> Tee Box.

Fit small culvert/ drain pipe at edge to allow for cart crossing at side near Pine forest.

Remove dead trees in line RHS behind 5<sup>th</sup> green near fallen log.

## Hole 7

Trim lower branches on Melaleuca's at rear of green to allow better mower access. – **Completed 15 Dec 20.**

Trim lower limbs on Spotted gums at 100m to 150m marker LHS between 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> fairway.

Burn small heap of rubbish at old stump LHS at 100m marker.

Clean drain with channel spinner between 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> fairway.

Fill with top soil area at start of fairway in the rough, lots of holes and low patches.

## Hole 8

Trim up fallen and lower branches on Melaleuca's near Men's Tee box and back to 7<sup>th</sup> Green on LHS. –

**Completed 15 Dec 20.**

Trim low hanging dead limb over track at first culvert at start of track just in front of 8<sup>th</sup> Tee Box. – **Completed 8 Dec 20.**

Trim up Lower branches on Melaleuca's and Gum trees near Men's Tee box and back to 7<sup>th</sup> Green on RHS. – **Completed 7 Jan 21.**

Fill in rough areas and holes with top soil / sand at new grate on LHS of green. – Completed 15 Jan 21.

Trim up lower branches on Gum Trees on LHS near the gully.

## Hole 9

Trim lower limbs on spotted gums on LHS fairway and 1<sup>st</sup> fairway at 150m marker. – **Completed 12 Jan 21.**

Trim dead branches out of trees at 150m marker LHS.

Trim lower limbs on all Pine trees in forest area on between RHS fairway and 7<sup>th</sup> green

## Hole 10

Remove fallen limb from Iron Bark tree at RHS rear of green – **Completed 31 Dec 20.**

Remove low hanging limb at grey box gum LHS near boundary fence where majority of drives land is a tractor mowing hazard. – **Completed 12 Jan 21.**

The iron bark at the rear LHS of the green where there has been a broken limb gone leaving a half limb is a hazard and must remove this remainder.

Trim all lower limbs and dead wood down LHS of fairway,

Clean drains both sides of fairway with the Channel Spinner.

RHS at front of green at Iron Bark tree, the bare patches, rip up, make a mound similar to mounds on LHS opposite, grow grass. Also consider behind the tree at side of 16<sup>th</sup> green behind 17<sup>th</sup> Tee Box.

Look at hole at LHS near the fence in the gully, may require filling.

## Hole 11

Remove fallen limb on Wattle on LHS at creek. – **Completed 8 Dec 20.**

Burn all grass in rocky area of creek either side of bridge in Autumn to clean up creek.

Need to address easier access to creek at bridge to allow for ball retrieval or to play shot from sand bank.

Trim low limbs on ALL Pine Trees all boundary fence from creek back to Men's Tee Box.

Construct a new Larger Drain and Larger Culvert Pipe to replace existing drain at Men's tee box to boundary and construct drains on both sides of track from 10<sup>th</sup> green.

Need to build up this area prior to track gravel going down.

Could utilize excessive leftover pavers to create hard standing at Tee Box and construct surround around culvert pipe entrance.

## Hole 12

Clean up large fallen branch at red gum near Men's Tee box – Completed 14 Dec 20.

Remove small trees from creek bed in front of ladies Tee Box, maybe dig out and pot for future placement out.

Large leaning Red Gum limb at the Tee box Area is an issue for low handicap players when playing from the rear of the Men's Tee Box.

Overhanging limb from group of trees on the left at the Ladies Tee Box end.

Remove low hanging limb at green side of end of the bridge.

Look at under bridge in front of Ladies Tee box to rectify under cutting of bridge foundations.

Extend Ladies Tee Box forward right up to the creek bank.

Look at the large Red Gum on Left just short of the green – remove back large limb first, then look at second back limb for removal to open hole up.

Large limb on the Iron Bark Gum on the RHS needs to be removed to open hole up.

## Hole 13

Remove dead limbs on Gum Trees at the corner at LHS, maybe remove lower limb. – Completed 5 Jan 21.

Trim Lower limbs on spotted gums at RHS near pump shed.

Top dress fairway with sand using spreader to break clay and assist with drainage just before large rain event in autumn.

## Hole 14

Trim low limbs from existing old Pine Trees at 150marker LHS. – started 13 Jan 21

Trim lower limbs on Spotted gums near LHS of green.

Trim Lower limbs on the Melaleuca's behind the 14<sup>th</sup> Green.

## Hole 15

Trim up Melaleuca at Men's Tee box to let light into Tee box ground and to allow sponsor sign to be seen. – Completed 7 Dec 20.

Trim up high limb over hanging Men's Tee box at front – Completed 7 Dec 20.

Trim Lower limbs on Pine Tree on LHS of fairway.

Remove dead tree from behind men's Tee Box and plant new trees.

Ladies do we need a seat at the ladies Tee Box?

## Hole 16

Trim or Remove low Cyprus tree at RHS of green serves no purpose as it is under 2 club lengths in height and you get a free drop.

Look at the lower limb on the Flowering Gum at RHS of green that over hangs green for trimming as causes shadows in winter and drops nuts on the green.

Trim lower limbs on the old Pine tree at the RHS 150m marker.

Remove the dead recently planted tree and replace with new ones.

Plant more trees LHS to narrow the fairway where new recently planted trees and towards 17th Tee Box.

Top dress fairway with sand using spreader to assist with drainage and clay breakdown in autumn before big rain event.

Remove damaged treated pine from side of Men's Tee Box and create gentle easy to mow slope.

Maybe consider moving Tee Box towards 15<sup>th</sup> green to create more of dog leg to fairway.  
Remove existing grass on Tee Box and raise RHS of Tee Box to level surface and replace turf.

## Hole 17

**Build up hole around sprinkler head in middle of Tee Box. - Started**

Remove dead Pine Trees LHS at 150m marker area between 17 & 14. There are a number of small gum trees already coming up in this area, once old pines removed these little gums need to be encouraged to grow.

Trim low hanging limbs RHS at gully just before Melaleuca.

Remove dead Gum Tree on LHS between 150 m marker and the 18<sup>th</sup> Tee Box.

Trim lower limbs on Spotted Gums on LHS at start of fairway.

Clean drains on both side of fairways with the channel spinner.

## Hole 18

**Trim Lower branches and clean up Cypress Tree at seat and Sand tub. – Completed 14 Dec 20.**

**Trim lower branches and remove dead wood from bush behind Men's Tee box. – Completed 15 Dec 20.**

Trim Hedge/Vine on LHS of Tee Box,

Remove damaged/ rotten treated pine edging on RHS of Tee Box and create gentle slope to ground.

## Miscellaneous Fairway and Greens Works

**Whipper snip all RED and BLUE Tee marker squares on all Tee Boxes. – Completed 5 Jan 21.**

Repaint all RED and BLUE Tee Marker Squares on all Tee Boxes.

**Whipper Snip under and around all Hole Markers and Sponsor Signs on All Tee Boxes. – Completed 5 Jan 21.**

**Repair Divots on ALL Tee Boxes by re sanding and levelling any dips in the Tee Boxes – Started and On Going.**

**Fill In / build up area behind the Practice net concrete slab to level up and make a suitable grass area to hit off into net. – Started 20 Dec 20.**

Repair / Secure Practice Net with cable ties, and look at a more suitable method of securing the bottom of the net to ground.

Spray out Paspalum from all Fairways, Tee Boxes and 1st cut around greens.

**Spray out Paspalum from all Fairways outside the area of the first Cut through out the course, - started by Charlie Walker on the 15 Jan 21.**

Replace broken gate post at gate behind the 1<sup>st</sup> Men's Tee Box.

Double Scarify All greens on the week commencing Mon 16 Mar 21.

Core Greens and Tee Boxes on the week commencing 6 Sep 21, which is approx. 4 weeks before the Annual Tournament. Need to book green core man and request additional costs to do Tee Boxes.

Replace metal white and red Tee Markers with alternative material, save hitting with the mower. Do we need an alternative colour for green fee players.

Replace Tee Box Hole signs with Alternative material, maybe metal and wrap signs.

Get water and sprinklers to area between the rock at 10<sup>th</sup> Tee Box and path and green fee box area, Level up with top soil and plant grass.