

Westward Ho Golf Club Case Study





Case Study:
Westward Ho Golf Club Buggy Shed
Location:
Parks Golf Park, Military Rd, West Beach SA 5024
Electrical Contractor:
Sutton Electrical
Trader Electrical Products used:
Hippo Outdoor Sockets,
Owl Outdoor Sensor,
Scorpion Floodlight

Charging up the fairway

Established in 1957, the Westward Ho Golf Course, located just West of the Adelaide Airport and CBD is a popular destination for golfers. With the addition of a new Golf Buggy shed, equipped with Trader Hippo power outlets, Club Members now have another reason to enjoy the club facilities.

More than 600 Members enjoy the two Patawalonga and Executive courses. With a modern clubhouse and change room facilities, the club is known for its social atmosphere, home away from home appeal and variety of programmes offered.

The Buggy Shed concept came from the desire to provide a convenient storage facility for members on site.

A practical new addition, members can now store their buggies in a secure location, without the need to bring their buggies and equipment to and from home. This is particularly ideal for older members, who found it cumbersome to transport their larger electric powered buggies.

"It was very important to create a safe and secure storage facility, for golf equipment, and away from the elements," said General Manager, Steven Freeling.

Each of the 80 bays within the shed is powered, enabling members to charge their battery operated buggies, carts and other devices.



Hippo power points offer outstanding durability in a matt black finish that matches well with timber.



Each bay is powered to recharge battery powered buggies and carts.

When it came to the electrical specification, the management were keen to engage with local suppliers and contractors, a great advantage for Trader being Adelaide based and 100% Australian owned and operated.

Finding a robust and durable solution while matching the aesthetic of the build was critical. The buggy shed makes extensive use of timber shelving, installed throughout. Trader's Hippo range of matt black outdoor power points was the ideal choice as the matt black finish is perfectly suited to timber surfaces. The sockets are also IP54 rated, offering a high level of protection against dust and water ingress.

In addition to the power outlets, the buggy facility also uses Trader's Owl Outdoor Sensor, Scorpion floodlights and Hyena surface sockets. All were installed by Neil Sutton, Sutton Electrical.

"We are extremely happy with the results," says Steven. "Members enjoy using the facility and use the Hippo outlets regularly. Demand for the facility has subsequently increased since the opening."



Electrical installation fitted off by Sutton Electrical.



Slim Scorpion floodlight, coupled with Owl outdoor sensor specified for security and convenience.



Electrical contractor, Neil Sutton and Westward Ho General Manager, Steven Freeling



Buggy shed accommodates a combined total of 80 carts and buggies.

Hippo Outdoor Sockets & Switches



Owl Outdoor Sensors



Scorpion Floodlights





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