

Saturday, 23 September 2017

Stableford

Field:	41		
Grades	A -winner	David Hollis	36
Grades	A -runner up	Tom Foster	36
Grades	A -third	Chris Zawirski	36
Grades	B- winner	Gary Walsh	38
Grades	B – runner up	Joseph Bereza	37
Grades	B –third	Richard Crooks	37
Grades	C –winner	Lennard Porter	38
Grades	C –runner up	Ted Zawirski	38
Grades	C - third	Lester Bootes	34

NTP 2/11	2nd	Richard Crooks
NTP 4		Col Hughes
NTP 9/18	9th	Kevin Walton –hole in one
NTP 13	13th	Stephen Kearney

Balls12 Distributed down to score: 32

Saturday's very hot and windy weather ensured all players kept their head down with only 32 pts needed to win a ball. Dave Hollis won A Grade, on a countback from his playing partner, Tom Foster with 36 pts, just ahead of the ever consistent Chris Zawirski with the same score. Gary Walsh won B Grade with the day's equal best stableford score of 38 pts, with Joe Bereza and Richard Crooks filling in the minor placings only one shot less. Lennie Porter continues to play well, with him winning C Grade with 38 pts, just ahead of Ted Zawirski on the same score and Lester Bootes third with his 34 pts. Undoubtedly, the story of the day belongs to Kevin "Doc" Walton, who had a hole in one on the last. This incredible moment was brilliantly explained by our Club Professional, Marcus—it goes as follows—
“ A story for those of us that believe in special things happen for reasons hard to explain—two weeks ago one of the guys that used to play golf at Branxton in the same group every week for many years passed away...his mate, nicknamed DOC, a big chubby bearded bloke that everyone loves won the comp last week and in the paper dedicated it to his mate who passed away..ten minutes ago, right in front of the club house, he skulled, all the way along the ground, a 135 m shot that incredibly rolled into the hole for a hole in one....some people call it a coincidence, I told him it was your mate Mick saying thanks my friend...”. A great story—well done Doc, this is a memory that all golfers always treasure.