

Saturday, 8 February 2020
SUMMER CUP RD 3 - STABLEFORD

Field: 23

Grades	A	Peter Conroy	35
Grades	A	Edward Barrett	34
Grades	B	Luke Simmons	36
Grades	B	Robert Hale	34
Grades	C	Darren Mathers	35
Grades	C	Steven Primmer	30
NTP 2/11	A	2nd Darren Maskell	190cm
NTP 4	A	4th David Hollis	456cm
NTP 9/18	A	9th Darren Maskell	309cm
NTP 13	A	13th Peter Wilton	280cm
Balls	7	Distributed down to score: 29	

A small but resilient 23 golfers braved the wet conditions to play on Saturday. The rain is most welcome with Sunday's Pennants at Branxton cancelled due to the course being underwater. Peter Conroy won A Grade with an excellent 35 pts, on a day where no player broke their handicap. Local legend and one of the most consistent golfers in the club, Eddie Barrett finished runner up with 34 pts. Luke Simmons was the only player all day to play to his handicap in winning B Grade with 36 pts, just ahead of Bobby Hale's well compiled 34 pts. One thing about Robert, nothing will stop him from playing golf on a Saturday! Darren Mathers won C Grade with 35 pts, well clear of runner up Steve Primmer. The shot of the day belonged to Darren Mather's shot to the 2nd, just under two metres away. Only 29 pts was needed to win a ball. Members are asked to check the club's website as Captain and adventurer Murray Johanson was out and about on Sunday (he also played on Saturday) taking photos and videos of the flooded course—well worth a look. Another piece of historical news is that one of the trees in front of the 9th/18th has fallen down, much to the cheers of many who have consistently hit that tree over the years. As one member stated, *"All those golf balls that have hit this tree over time have weakened it to the point it was vulnerable and all the nasty things that have been said about it may have had an effect as well."* Well said Rob McMillan. All Pennants games were cancelled on Sunday due to the rain—all local courses are cheering this scenario as we look forward to some wonderfully green courses in the next few weeks.