

Branxton Golf Report

Saturday, 27th January, 2024

A Grade Winner: Ben Porter 38 pts **Runner Up:** Bob Biles 34 pts

B Grade Winner: Lee Jackson 35 pts **Runner Up:** Robert Hale 35 pts

C Grade Winner: Dean Clack 38 pts **Runner Up:** Mick Carling 38 pts

NTPIns: 2/11: Dave Kinch 91 cm **4th:** Neil Jordan 139 cm **13th:** Neil Bridge 273 cm
9th/18th: Neil Jordan 288 cm including Pro Pin

Ball Winners: Richie Turnbull 37 pts; Raymond Moeser 35 pts; Steve Primmer 34 pts; Neil Jordan 34 pts; Neil Bridge 33 pts; Murray Johanson 32 pts; Peter Conroy 32 pts; Pip Lancaster 32 pts; Gary Walsh 31 pts; Matthew Schnell 31 pts; Luke Schubert 30 pts; Terry Partridge 30 pts

Summer Cup Leaders: Dean Clack 107 (34,35,38); Garry Taylor 106 (41,38,27);

Richie Turnbull 103 (32,34,37); Mick Carling 100 (32,30,38); Neil Bridge 100 (39,28,33)

Despite the much cooler conditions, all payers found scoring a little tough, with only 4 players playing better than their handicap. The Summer Cup continued with Round 3 played—Round 4 will not be played until the 17th February and as Captain Steve has stated, “ ..since it is best 3 out of 4 rounds there is still plenty to play for as there are some players who have only played two rounds so far, and they could take the lead with a good final round. In particular Benny Porter, who won the A Grade Stableford once again today with an excellent 38 pts. Bob Biles played well once again, finishing runner up with his 34 pts. Lee Jackson won B Grade, just ahead of Bobby Hale with 35 pts, whilst Dean Clack took the lead in the Summer Cup after winning C Grade with 38 pts. Mick Carling was unlucky to finish runner up on a countback. The sharp shooter for the day was undoubtedly Neil Jordan, winning two NTPins, including the Pro Pin on the last. Next week’s event is the Monthly Medal followed by the Par 3 Championships on the 10th February.

The Pennants were played on Sunday with A Grade defeating Scone 3.5-1.5 at Hunter Valley (Cameron Johanson, Josh Tracey and Sam Edmonds all won, whilst Ricky Bush halved his game.) B Grade lost 4-1 against Muswellbrook at Singleton, with Bill Davies winning on his Pennants debut, whilst the Vets defeated Denman 3-0 at Muswellbrook.