

**Branxton Vets Thursday, 29th February 2024**

**9 Hole Stableford**

**Division 1:** *Winner: Craig Howe 19 pts **Runner Up:** Paul Johansen 19 pts **3<sup>rd</sup>:** Ian Howell 19 pts*  
**Ball Winners:** *Peter Conroy 18 pts; Gary Wilton 18 pts; George Anderson 18 pts; Paul Anderson 18 pts, Alan Jack 17 pts*

**Division 2:** *Winner: D.Finucane 21 pts SOD **Runner Up:** Barry Smith 19 pts **3<sup>rd</sup>:** Jeff Scott 17 pts*  
**Ball Winners:** *Barry Turner 16 pts; Dennis Wright 16 pts; Brett Trezise 16 pts; Martin Lipscombe 15 pts;*

**Ladies:** *Winner: Leeanne Daniels 17 pts **Runner Up:** Margaret Hunt 15 pts **3<sup>rd</sup>:** Alanna Howell 15 pts.*

**NTPins:** *9<sup>th</sup>: Ladies: Leeanne Daniels Men: Craig Howe 4<sup>th</sup>: None Ladies 2<sup>nd</sup> Shot: Alanna Howell*

*Thursday's very hot weather reduced the competition to a 9-hole stableford—very sensible with a 40-degree day forecast. 40 players battled away with only a few playing better than their handicap. Craig Howe won Division 1 with his 19 pts—his nearest the pin on the last may have been the difference as both runners up, Paul Johansen and Ian Howell, finished with the same score. 17 pts was needed to win a ball. D.Finucane won Division 2 with the day's best score of 21 pts. Barry Smith's 19 pts was good enough for 2<sup>nd</sup> with 15 pts needed to win a ball. Leeanne Daniels won the Ladies with her 17 pts, just ahead of Marg Hunt (15 pts) and Alanna Howell's 15 pts. Leeanne Daniels and Craig Howe hit the best shots to the last whilst Alanna Howell won the NTPin on the 4<sup>th</sup> whilst the Men didn't record one—I'm sure someone is now thinking they should have measured their shot which hit the green but finished a little distance away.*