

Branxton Vets Thursday, 7th March 2024

14 Hole Stableford

Division 1: *Winner: George Anderson 31 pts (20,11) SOD **Runner Up:** John Burgess 28 pts (19,9) **3rd:** Alan Jack 26 pts (16,10) **Ball Winners:** Craig Howe 26 pts; Lee Hunt 25 pts; Murray Kingston 25 pts; Geoff Geason 24 pts; Gary Wilton 24 pts*

Division 2: *Winner: Robert Brooks 28 pts (15,13) **Runner Up:** Jeff Jones 25 pts (14,11) **3rd:** Pip Lancaster 25 pts (16,9) **Ball Winners:** Jeff Scott 23 pts; Richard Chalmers 23 pts; Doug Finnucane 22 pts; Steve Condran 22 pts; Barry Smith 22 pts; Dennis Wright 22 pts; Graham Scobie 22 pts*

Ladies: *Winner: Marg Hunt 30 pts (19,11) **Runner Up:** Jane Johansen 27 pts (15,12) **3rd:** Alanna Howell 27 pts (17,10) **4th:** Robyn Friis 26 pts (18,8)*

NTPins: 9th: Ladies: Marg Hunt Men: Lee Hunt 5th: None Ladies 2nd Shot: Di Goodare

47 players enjoyed balmy, rather humid and hot conditions on Thursday with only a few scores better than their handicap. George Anderson had the score of the day in winning Division 1 with his excellent 31 pts, well clear of John Burgess's 28 pts with Alan Jack third on 26 pts. 24 pts was needed to win a ball in Division 1. Robert Brooks won Division 2 with a very pleasing 28 pts, with Jeff Jones and Pip Lancaster 3 points back. Pip will be away for the next couple of weeks as he will be enjoying a golf trip away with some competition darts as well. 22 pts was all that was needed in Division 2. Margaret Hunt is starting to make a name for herself as she once again won the Ladies Competition with her 30 pts, 3 pts clear of Jane Johansen and Alanna Howell. Marg and Lee Hunt hit the best shots to the last (I don't think a husband and wife pair have both had nearest the pins on the same hole on the same day before!) with Alanna Howell hitting the best 3rd shot to the long 5th. The Wombat scoreboard makes interesting reading with 15 players already winning 3 balls (with 5 of these players winning another one today). A point is awarded for every ball won each week in any singles event—Murray Kingston and Errol Munzenberger were the Wombat winners last year.