

Branxton Golf Club
Saturday, 8 March 2025
Stableford

Field: 25

A Grade	1st: David Kinch 36pts	2nd: Mark Moylan 35pts
B Grade	1st: Orry Lewin 32pts	2nd: Michael Carling 31pts
C Grade	1st: Dean Clack 36pts	2nd: Robert Miller 33pts

Nearest the Pins

2nd/11th: Dean Clack 346cm	4th: Robert Biles 350cm
9th/18th: Mark Moylan 685cm	13th: Mick Barrett 151cm

Balls: Robert Biles, Steve Ross, Mick Barrett, Barry McKay, Ben George, Joe Bereza, Richard Turnbull

Pro's NTP – David Kinch 627cm = \$44 Pro shop Voucher

Overnight rain scared off quite a few players for Saturday's stableford event. After an early shower that only impacted the first few groups out on the course, the rest of the round was played in dry conditions, with umbrellas not needed. The A grade field had the pick of the scores today, with David Kinch returning to form with a solid 36 points to take first place. One point back in second place was Mark Moylan on 35, who continues to play consistent golf and score well. In B grade Orry Lewin, a visitor from Wentworth Golf Club (in Orange we believe) found his way around Branxton quite well to take first place with a steady 32 points. Michael Carling is known as a bit of a mud runner and his 31 points was good enough for second place. Dean Clack was a convincing winner in C grade with a well made 36 points. He finished strongly after missing out on a few holes in the middle of his round. Robert Miller found the course to his liking today, and his 33 points secured him second place. With the fresh winds coming in off the coast, some of the par 3's were tougher to hit today as the NTP distances showed. Dean Clack hit a solid iron into the 2nd hole to take it with 346cm. Robert Biles was back on the NTP winners list on the 4th hole with 350cm. Mick Barrett took shot of the day on the long 13th hole, with a great shot to 151cm. The 9th green was hard to hit today, with Mark Moylan taking the NTP with 685cm, while A grade winner David Kinch also has a nice prop shop voucher to add to his prize pool after taking the Pro NTP with 627cm.

Round 1 of the Singles Knockout, sponsored by Mitchell Olsen at Urban Real Estate is underway, with Mick Barrett defeating Gary Walsh 4/3. Robert "Shirl" Miller and Joe Bereza got organised and played their Round 2 match early, with Shirl also winning 4/3.

Upcoming Events and Pennants Results

Senior Pennants had the bye. B grade had a 3.5 – 1.5 loss against Maitland at Scone and ends their chances of playing in the finals. The women's pennant team had a 5.5 – 0.5 loss in Round 2 against The Vintage at Hunter Valley GC. Next Saturday is the annual KCE Day, with the event being an American Foursomes pairs event. Both players tee off but then hit their partner's ball for the team's second shot. From there one ball is chosen and the hole is completed with alternate shots between the players. The Club Par 3 Championships for all competitions will be held from 26/3/25 – 29/3/25.