

**Branxton Golf Club**  
**Saturday, 19 April 2025**  
**Stableford**

Field: 43

A Grade	1st: Mark Moylan 40pts	2nd: Peter Conroy 36pts (c/b)	3rd: Nick Wheeler 36pts
B Grade	1st: Robert Miller 36pts	2nd: Reece Caldwell 33pts	3rd: Ian Howell 32pts (c/b)
C Grade	1st: Katelyn Keogh 35pts	2nd: Dean Clack 34pts	3rd: Gary Walsh 33pts

**Nearest the Pins**

2nd/11th: Mark Moylan 477cm	4th: Robert Miller 133cm
9th/18th: Tim Lane 109cm	13th: Greg Tearle 355cm

Balls: Greg Tearle, Ben Porter, Ed Garland, Kel Mather, Jon Klaile, Andrew Keogh, Robert Biles, David Kinch, Martin Clayton, Tim Lane, Neil Jordan, Joe Bereza, Mick Martin

**Pro's NTP – Steven Primmer 229cm = \$60 Pro shop Voucher**

The first red tee event for 2025 was held today and the red course showed that it is a good test of golf, with only 9% of the field playing to their handicap or better. In A grade, Mark Moylan had a strong front nine and then a brilliant back nine hitting 3 over off the stick to win handsomely with 40 points. He also took the NTP on the 11th hole with a fine shot from a tricky tee location. Peter Conroy returned to form with a solid 36 points to take second place on a countback from Nick Wheeler in third on the same score. Robert “Shirl” Miller was best in B grade with a score of 36 points. Last week Shirl commented that he wasn’t the biggest fan with the club going back to preferred lies only on the closely mown sections, but he must have got over that before today’s good round. Reece Caldwell returned to the podium for the first time in a while with a steady 33 points to place second, with Ian Howell picking up third with his 32 points. In C grade, it was just a normal golf event for Katelyn Keogh, and perhaps a greater understanding of the red course helped her as she won the grade with 35 points. Dean Clack was very happy to take second place with 34 points. His round included 4 wipes on the first 6 holes before finishing with a flourish. Perhaps there was something in the presents that the Easter Bunny kept delivering to him after the 6th hole; a stewards’ inquiry could be called for! Gary Walsh had a good day out to score 33 points and take third prize. Shirl got his name on the NTP on the 4th with 133cm, while Greg Tearle, who was consistent off the tee all day, had the best shot on the 13th to 355cm. Tim Lane had shot of the day on the 9th hole with an NTP of 109cm, while Steve Primmer was back to his best on the last hole to win the Pro NTP with a shot to 229cm. In Round 2 of the Singles Knockout, Nick Wheeler, Geoff Jones and Andrew George have progressed into Round 3.

**Upcoming Events and Pennants Results**

The women’s pennant team finished their season with a pleasing 3 – 3 draw with Scone at Muswellbrook last Monday. The remaining round 2 Singles Knockout matches are to be played by 10/5/25. Entries for the Pairs Knockout close on 10/5/25. The knockouts are sponsored by Mitchell Olsen at Urban Real Estate. There is a 9 hole medley stableford event on ANZAC Day (25/4/25) with an 8:30am shotgun start. Next Saturday 26/4/25 the event is a 2 Ball Stableford Multiplier with singles in conjunction.

Don’t forget the silent auction – rounds of golf for 4 people at premium golf courses in the Hunter Valley, Newcastle and Sydney. More information is available on the noticeboard in the clubhouse. The auction ends at 3pm on 3/5/25.