

SCONE GOLF REPORT for January 21, 2016

Last Saturday at Scone Golf Course the men played the annual NAGA Cup and Mug and a very good field turned out in cooler weather than normal. It was a 2 Man Ambrose for the Red Palmer and Neil Clydsdale Trophy. The winners of the NAGA Cup were Charlie Manning and Mick Alsleben who had 63 nett. The Mug winners were John Murray and John Kevans. The conditions were quite heavy after the rain, and a strong wind for the later players also made the going tough.

The NTP on the 2nd / 11th was won by Phil McGuirk 1.05 metres and on the 8th / 17th by Charlie Manning 3.58 metres. Balls were won by Charlie Manning & Mick Alsleben 63, Adam Russell & Adam Moore 63 1/4; Bud Vero & Jake Teague 65 1/4; Glen Tarrant & Luke Eather 65 3/4; Derek Field & Simon Hodge 65 3/4; Brenan Reeves & Brad Hockley 66 1/2; Graham Brown & Scott Shann 66 1/2; Scott Reid & Matt Bailey 66 1/4; George Davidson & Ross Banks 67.

A reminder that round 2 of the Summer Knockout must be played by Saturday January 23, and entries for the Snyman Fourball Knockout close on Saturday February 13. On Saturday the event is an 18 Hole Stableford for the Rod Spratt and Kerry Benning Trophy and it is also round 1 of the Summer Shield.

In the ladies 18 Hole Stableford last Saturday, four players went out in the morning. Kerry McLennan had her best ever score and this enabled her to have 43 points which was a terrific round in the conditions. Lyn Banks won a ball with 31 points.

Last Thursday five ladies headed out early for play on the back nine. The winner was Jo Brown who had 18 points with Kathy Robinson and Marie Murray winning balls. Today the ladies play the front nine for a prize from the The Nook. Next week Fridge and the Frying Pan café will be the sponsor.

The Wednesday 9 hole comp from the red tees is being well supported and there were some great scores last week. Waid Crockett won with 30 points, 2nd was Dave O' Brien on 27 whilst 3rd was Kevin Bailey on 24.

A social four person ambrose will be held on Australia Day and an enjoyable time is ensured. It is open to all, golfers and non-golfers, and the cost is \$10 per player. Turn up at 2pm for a 2.30pm shot gun start or preferably put your names on the timesheet at the club.

In welcome news the Scone Golf Course Re-design preferred concept plan has been released. There will be a public information session with the architects on Wednesday January 27 at 6pm at Scone Sporties. A copy is displayed at the club and copies are available there. The information is also available via the Scone Golf Club website.

Now is the time to join Scone Golf Club as new members will receive 14 months membership for the annual fee. Any ladies contemplating the game can give Captain Lyn Banks a call for any assistance in getting going on 6545 2051.