

## BRONICKIS GETS HIS REWARD

Fred Bronickis was rewarded for his recent consistency with an accomplished 40 points to claim victory in the Cottesloe Golf Club sponsored Stableford event last Saturday. 'Bronk' is high up in the Trevor Lawrence consistency award with a few weeks remaining. Mike Daley claimed second place with 39 points, one point clear of a host of players on 38 points including Dean Rakich, Clayton Flynn, Bruce Miller and Jan Van Vollenstee. Ed Riley and Ian Stewart with 37 points will also pick up valuable consistency points and remain in the mix. Chris Stewart, Mick Finlay, Hugh and Eric Annandale, Greg Bell and Jim Larsen all had 36 points to round out the vouchers.

18 visiting golfers from Perth clubs swelled the field to a very healthy 82, the largest field for some time. Ray Cooper was so impressed he did a couple of cartwheels and a backward role while lining up his putt on the 11<sup>th</sup> green.

Nearest the pins went to Clayton Flynn, Ian Stewart and Ron Crabbe. Long putts were won by Frank Battista and Ron Annandale and the long drive was won by Chris Stewart.

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Vicki Graham and Dean Rakich retained their mixed foursomes crown on Sunday. The annual event drew 12 couples prepared to take on the demanding event where the word 'sorry' gets a work out. Graham and Rakich had a tense battle within their own group with Ron Crabbe and Bev Moyses, with little separating the pairs all day. A monster putt on the last green from the ladies captain proved the difference, with a 27 hole score of 125 getting the nod by two strokes from Crabbe and Moyses on 127.

Wayne Waywood and Betty White, along with Steve and Kaye Farquhar went into the afternoon play tied for the lead. Waywood and White took out the Nett section trophy with a score of 107.75, while the Farquhars' finished third in the Gross on 137. Dot Lawrence and Bruce Miller had 111.75 for runner up in the Nett.

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Alan Banks enjoyed the return to full handicaps, with his 22 points the best score in Scroungers last week. Alex Bayley, Frank Battista and Ed Riley tallied 21 points to be in the top four followed by Clive Pullan, Graham Williams, Rob Cavanagh, Neil Motion and Eric Annandale with 20 points apiece.

Betty White with 22 points took out the Associates prize from Rhonda McGill on 21 points. A good field of 59 players made it a great start to the new Scroungers season.

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Ron Annandale finished with 32 points, claiming top honours in the Vets competition last week. Eric Annandale finished next on 28 points, followed by Ray Alp, Ernie Sullivan, Jim Moyses, Steve Farquhar and Dick Earl on 27 points in the field of 21 players.

Novelties went to Dick Earl, Ernie Sullivan, Ron Annandale and Jim Tyler.

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Leisure Day drew a field of eight players with Denis Cocker taking the top spot with an accomplished 38 points. Rob Cavanagh and Leigh Bernardi had 35 points for a mention.

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This Saturday is an 18 hole Stableford for trophies sponsored by Peter Slater and Brett Duffield.

Scroungers is on today, Leisure Day and Veterans to be played as usual.