

HINE TAKES DOWNUNDER EVENT

Jim Hine notched up another one for the Veterans in the club with a victory in the Golf Downunder Stableford event at the Collie Golf Club last Saturday. Hine, who would have assumed more was needed, going on the last few weeks' results, survived a count back to win from Clive Pullan, after both players finished on the modest score of 39 points. The left handed Pullan was content to accept second as the colour of the major trophy would have caused a conflict with his AFL team allegiance.

Kalev Kutt was one of a few golfers who had one good scoring side on the card, failing to sustain it over the 18 holes. He took third place on his own on 38 points. Ashley Stewart continues to tune up well for the upcoming Riverside tournament, being one of a trio of players on 37 points. The other two were Dave Czerniawsky and Ron Annandale.

With an excellent field of 76 players taking part, the last awards were given to those who played to the CCR. This group on 36 points included Rob Sherwood, Ian Tweedie, Chris Mead, Chris Stewart and John Brown.

Nearest the pins went to Alex Tweedie, Mick Dowling and Nancy Lynn. Long putts were claimed by Ross Davidson and John Michalak and the long drive was won by Jan Van Vollenstee.

Betty White made it back to back wins in the ladies section, topping the list of 11 players with 37 points. Bev Moyses (36) along with Nancy Lynn and Pat Booth on 35 also got a mention.

Barry McGill enjoyed his trip up the hill to play in Scroungers last Thursday. McGill carded a par round for the 9 holes, totalling 20 points to win nett and gross honours. Jim Lee, Steve Farquhar, Ed Riley and Brian Banks also got a reward for their 18 points apiece. Shelley Barker-May topped the ladies list with 16 points.

Dean Rakich and Denis Cocker both had pleasing rounds to tally 38 points each in the Leisure Day competition last week. 'Captain Rak' got the nod in the count back. Warren Harrison-Brown played well for 37 points and a reward for third place.

Phil Warburton edged out Jim Larsen to take the Sweepstakes competition played on the Monday of the long weekend. They both had 38 points and were followed by Trevor Lawrence and Trevor Johns, who both returned 36 points and will be looking forward to the upcoming major event.

The annual Riverside weekend is now only a week away. Members should ensure they get their nominations in before the Friday deadline.

Scroungers will be on as normal today. Saturday is an 18 Hole Stableford event for the Mafia Cup. An Italian theme will add flavour to the day. A 9 Hole competition will be played on Sunday. Leisure Day and Veterans golf will be on as usual on Tuesday.