

## **IAN STEWART WARMS UP FOR COUNTRY WEEK**

Ian Stewart picked the ideal time to find some form, with a resounding victory in the Lotex Filters Stableford event held at the Collie Golf Club last Saturday. Stewart relished the more pleasant conditions on his way to 42 points and a three stroke win. The winner is one of eighteen local golfers heading to Perth next week for the annual Country Week golf challenge.

Ron Annandale mirrored Saint Kilda, finishing in the runner up position with a tally of 39 points. Annandale edged out Dave Czerniawsky and Trevor McCormick, who both scored 38 points.

The AFL Grand Final kept numbers down to 37 players. Others to gain a result on the day were Jim Moyses with 36 points, Denis Cocker and Jan Van Vollenstee on 35 points along with Rod Simmonds and Ken Smallwood who each had 34 points.

Nearest the pins went to Eric Annandale, Ken Smallwood and Geoff Lee. Clive Pullan won one long putt while Ian Stewart took the long drive and putt double.

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Kalev Kutt had a victory in last week's Scroungers event. Kutt returned 21 points to win from Rob Cavanagh and Ed Riley on 20 points. Phil Warburton with 19 points along with Eric Annandale, Michael Stocks and Colin Naysmith on 18 points also got a mention.

After a number of inclement weeks a field of 52 men was an improvement and six ladies made a return, with June Pike on 17 points and Judy Italiano on 16 points the best.

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Jim Moyses took top spot in the Vets 14 hole competition last week. Moyses returned 29 points to win from Ross Brody and Brian Banks on 28 points. Ken Smallwood and Des Hebb were next on 27 points.

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Dean Rakich went back to back with 36 points enough to take out the Leisure Day competition last week. 'Captain Rak' made a clutch putt on the last hole to pip Clayton Flynn on 35 points.

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All members are reminded that the postponed mixed foursomes championship has been rescheduled for Sunday October 11. A nomination sheet is on the noticeboard.

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This Saturday will be a fourball Stableford for the Veterans trophies.

Scroungers is on today. Vets and Leisure Day will be held on Tuesday.