

## **HARKER'S MAIDEN WIN**

Recent new member, Gareth Harker celebrated his maiden victory in The Mafia Group sponsored par event last Saturday. His score of +4 was the best in a field of 54 players. Runner up on +3 was the rangy David Broadbent who continues to play good golf. Also on +3 was Graham Williams, while on +2 were Ian Purse, Paul Woolstencroft and Alan Kent. On +1 were Chris Mead, Alan Banks, Jed Casserley and Geoff Lee with Joe Italiano, Phil Warburton, Ryan Dye and Greg Hales finishing on square. Mike Daley, Simon Purse, Denis Cocker, Alex Bayley, Peter Gray and Brad Swan each finished on -1 to round out the vouchers.

Nancy Lynn was the best player in the women's section, recording a fine score of +4, while Dot Lawrence was runner up on square.

Novelty winners were:

Nearest the pin – Dot Lawrence (No.4), Alan Kent (No.7) and Denis Cocker (No.14). Longest putt – Alan Kent (No.6) and Jed Casserley (No. 18). Longest drive – Simon Purse (No.15). The Mafia Group allocated another three longest putt novelties which were won by Gareth Harker (9), Chris Mead (13) and Michelle Tate (17).

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Alan Banks was the leading Scrounger last Thursday, scoring 21 points to take out first place. Michael Stocks was runner up on 20 points with Troy Sheppard also on that score taking out third place. Completing the vouchers, each with a score of 18 points, were Ian Shannon, Eric Annandale and Alf Sanford. Novelties were won by Des Hebb, Ian Annandale and Frank Battista while "Bomber" Stocks took out the gross honours.

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Frank Battista won the Veterans' competition last week with a good score of 32 points. George Davis, refreshed after some R&R down south, was runner up with 30 points. Harry Hadfield on 29 points, Fred Bronikis and Ernie Sullivan each on 28 points and Des Hebb with 26 points were next best. Novelties went to George Davis (4&9), Des Hebb (6) and Bryan Simpson (18).

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Clayton Flynn took out the Leisure Day competition with 37 points last Tuesday, closely followed by Rob Cavanaugh on 36 points and Greg Bell on 35 points.

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Sunday Scroungers was won by Joe Italiano on countback from Jim Larsen. Both players had 18 points.

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Thursday Scroungers will be on as usual today. Saturday is an 18 hole Stableford event sponsored by Golf Down Under. The guys from GDU will be conducting a coaching clinic at 10.30 am for those interested. Will all members please ensure that they have entered their golf link number into the computer before (or during) play. It makes processing the competition so much easier to do if this is done.

Saturday evening will see the Boyup Brook boys provide a tasty treat for members at the finish of play.