

WILSTHORPE AMATEUR GOLF SOCIETY

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Dear WAGS Members,

The next match is on Sunday 24th May 2015 at Rufford Park Golf Club (NG22 9DG).

Arrival time is 11:15am for tea/coffee & bacon, before the golf.

The cost for Rufford Park is £30.00.

For a list of who is playing at Rufford, please see the WAGS website, www.thewagsgolf.co.uk

April Singles Cup – Sinfin Golf Club : Sunday 10th May 2015



Three.....

Two.....

One.....

So here we go, the start of the new 2015 WAGS Championship season and it seems we were to be blessed with a great days weather for the match at Sinfin golf club. 22 WAGS members and 1 guest attended the match at Sinfin, where all but one met early for a little light breakfast in the Sinfin clubhouse. This light breakfast consisted of just a couple of items....

2 sausages, 2 bacon rashers, 2 fried eggs, 2 black puddings, 2 hash browns, 2 slices of toast..... oh and some tomatoes and baked beans ☺.



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And for those of you just wondering who were the WAGS Members making a 'starring' appearance to the latest WAGS newsletter were? Well it was Dave Johnstone, Shane Dellow and Ges Meehan. It certainly seems that the 'stars' have created quite a talking point. Or maybe I should say, those with 'stars' are taking the piss out of those members without 'stars' ☺.



Here we see our very own Ferret, who seems in very good spirits, waving to the camera as he enjoys his round of golf (left picture). What a difference a year makes, as you can see from the picture of the right from last year, the weather was quite different!!



Anyway back to the golf, how did the 23 players at Sinfin score, who out scored everyone else on the gross par total? Well, Daniel Keen, Russ McLaughlin, Glen Hundleby and Steve Roulstone all carded a fair total of 4 gross pars. Danny Fletcher went one better with a creditable 5 gross pars. But top of the heap at Sinfin with 6 gross pars were Shane Dellow and Mick O'Hanlon. Gentlemen well played to you both.

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In total there were 47 gross pars scored and 3 gross birdies. The gross birdies were carded by: -

Mick O'Hanlon	Hole 7	Par 4	341 yards	Stroke Index 13
Charlie Shilton	Hole 7	Par 4	341 yards	Stroke Index 13
Dave Johnstone	Hole 14	Par 3	141 yards	Stroke Index 14

Gentlemen very well played.



The results: -

WINNER ~	Mick O'Hanlon	- 33 pts
2 nd ~	Danny Fletcher	- 30 pts
3 rd ~	Daniel Keen	- 28 pts

Nearest the Pin ~	Michael Riley	- Hole No.2
	Pete Hallam	- Hole No.4
	Dan Smith	- Hole No.11
	Pete Hallam	- Hole No.12
	Dave Johnstone	- Hole No.14

Longest Drive ~	John Frearson	- Hole No.13
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Nearest the Pin in 2 ~	n/a	- Hole No.18
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Alphabetical Individual scores: -

Andrew Shilton	22 pts	Glen Hundleby	22 pts	Paul Ormond	16 pts
Ash Hutchinson	21 pts	Jason Dellow	22 pts	Pete Hallam	27 pts
Charlie Shilton	24 pts	John Frearson	21 pts	Russ McLaughlin	26 pts
Dan Smith	16 pts	Martin Sheppard	25 pts	Shane Dellow	27 pts
Dave Clarke	16 pts	Michael Riley	16 pts	Steve Roulstone	17 pts
Dave Johnstone	23 pts	Mick Fullwood	25 pts	Stuart Prescott (G)	25 pts
Ges Meehan	24 pts	Paul Bacon	23 pts		

Congratulations to all the winners of the prizes on the day.

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Now for the more eagle-eyed of you, you might have noticed that the total number of points against your name and the previous page, was not the amount that you thought you had scored at Sinfin. Well just in case you didn't hear about the wasp's nest at Sinfin, let me explain. A wasp's nest was found half way down the 18th hole and while the first few groups managed to play the 18th hole at Sinfin, the course officials closed the 18th hole and directed everyone else to play the practice hole to complete their round of golf. Therefore, I had a brief conversation with our Chairman Mick O'Hanlon after everyone had finished their golf at Sinfin and we decided the fairest way to proceed, was to scrub the 18th hole off everyone's card. Hence, there may be a difference in the points that will be entered on to the WAGS records and the points that you thought you had scored. The problem with the wasp's nest is also the reason for not awarding a 'nearest the pin in 2' on the 18th hole.



Nice to see the lads enjoying yet another favourite pastime, a beer in the hand ☺. What a day, a light breakfast to start with, some good golf in very pleasant weather and company and then to top it all a beer to finish the day with. I guess anyone could get to like a WAGS match day ☺.

However, I am seriously worried about the structural integrity of the 'wooden' bench bearing the full weight of only 4 WAGS members!!

Regards

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