

WILSTHORPE AMATEUR GOLF SOCIETY

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Dear WAGS Members,

NEXT MATCH : Sunday 2ND June 2013			
Venue :	Sinfin Golf Club, Derby		
Competition :	June Singles Cup		
Arrival Time :	8:30am	Cost :	£20.00
Members / Guests Playing: -			
Ash Hutchinson	Bron Dyjas	Chris Norris	Daniel Keen
Daniel O'Hanlon	Danny Fletcher	Darren Fretwell	Dave Johnstone
Ges Meehan	Glen Hundleby	Jordan Hughes	Mick Fullwood
Mick O'Hanlon	Paul Ormond	Pete Hallam	Russ McLaughlin
Shane Dellow	Steve Roulstone	Graham Hofmann	Charlie Shilton
Dave Clarke	Ian Patrick		

I will be confirming the numbers with Sinfin on Saturday 25th May, so if you are not down to play and wish to do so, please let me know by then!!

A full English breakfast is available at £5.00.

Also there is a package of full English breakfast before golf, then a pork cob & a pint after the golf for £10.00. Can you let me know by Saturday 25th May, which if any of these food options you would like.

I am sure many of you are quite familiar with our next venue, Sinfin. You do not need me to tell you that it is 5,943 yards from the yellow pots and has a par of 70.

However did you know, construction of the municipal golf course began on 27th April 1923 at a cost of £500. It took eighteen men just three months to complete the work and Alderman Hart drove the first ball down the fairway on the 25th July. The clubhouse, costing £850, was built the following year and Alderman Hart became the first captain of the new Derby Golf Club.

..... now you know ☺

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May Singles Cup – Thorpe Wood Golf Club : Sunday 19th May 2013

So to our long journey of the season at Thorpe Wood, just outside of Peterborough. We all know the condition of the course at Thorpe Wood is well worth the journey. With 19 members and one guest turning out at Thorpe Wood, which was the highest turn out for many years, it seems many of you must agree.



Judging by the speed of Paul's club, it looks like he is trying to 'smoke' that ball, just where he finished off at Rufford Park. So in true WAGS fashion, the lads have now given Paul a new nickname.... Paul 'Smoking' Bacon, or maybe that should be Smokey Bacon?

So the 20 players at Thorpe Wood set off on their days' escapades, a two ball first, followed by 6 three balls. The two ball was made up of our very own Chairman Mick O'Hanlon and our Vice Captain Ash Hutchinson. Both Mick and Ash scored a four on the first hole for a point each. After finishing the third hole Mick and Ash had only amassed a total of four points between them. Oh dear, were two of our esteemed committee members and low handicap players seeing their days golf come to a shuddering halt before even starting?

Daniel Keen, John Frearson, Mick Fullwood and our very own 'Smokey' Bacon all shot a three on the first hole to par the stroke index 12 opening hole. And with a shot for their handicap, they all scored 3 points. Danny Fletcher also shot a three on the first hole to par it, however Danny did not receive a shot for his handicap, so only scored 2 points for his efforts. Life is just not fair Danny!!

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It is amazing that Daniel Keen's game of golf has flourished so much over the last season or two, judging by his hand-to-eye co-ordination..... you just know he is going to miss his trolley handle and walk straight in to his trolley!!

During the round at Thorpe Wood the 20 players carded a total of 56 gross pars. Those carding multiple gross pars of note were Jordan Hughes, Daniel Keen and Mick Fullwood all of whom carded five gross pars. Carding one more, with six gross pars was Mick O'Hanlon. But top of the heap during the round at Thorpe Wood was Danny Fletcher, who carded an impressive eight gross pars. Gentlemen well played.



We even had three members who were daring enough to card gross birdies, these were: -

Jordan Hughes ~
Hole No.2, Par 4, 291 yards, SI 18
Ges Meehan ~
Hole No.15, Par 4, 342 yards, SI 13
Glen Hundleby ~
Hole No.15, Par 4, 342 yards, SI 13

Gentlemen very well played

What can you say about this collection of WAGS members?
Looks like some kind of 'mothers meeting' 😊

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Captains Log : golf date – 19.05.13.10:44

Unfortunately our captain Ian Patrick was **AWOL**....

Only joking, Ian was unable to make Thorpe Wood, but he will be at Sinfin, with yet another 'Captain's Log' to follow.

The results: -

WINNER ~	Ges Meehan	- 37 pts
2 nd ~	Jordan Hughes	- 36 pts
3 rd ~	Daniel Keen	- 32 pts

Nearest the Pin ~	John Frearson	- Hole No.1
	Steve Roulstone	- Hole No.11
	Jordan Hughes	- Hole No.14
	Jordan Hughes	- Hole No.16
Longest Drive ~	Danny Fletcher	- Hole No.17
Nearest the Pin in 3 ~	Mick O'Hanlon	- Hole No.18

Alphabetical Individual scores: -

Ash Hutchinson	24 pts	Glen Hundleby	23 pts	Pete Hallam	25 pts
Chris Norris	18 pts	John Frearson	29 pts	Russ McLaughlin	22 pts
Daniel O'Hanlon	28 pts	Mick Fullwood	29 pts	Shane Dellow	25 pts
Danny Fletcher	31 pts	Mick O'Hanlon	30 pts	Steve Roulstone	24 pts
Darren Fretwell	26 pts	Paul Bacon	22 pts	Stuart Prescott (G)	37 pts
Dave Johnstone	29 pts	Paul Ormond	22 pts		

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



What a fine bunch of WAGS members.....

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Jordan Hughes and Danny Fletcher collecting their nearest the pin and longest drive prizes.
As for the third picture on the right hand side, I just put that there to fill the space, why not?? 😊

Gentlemen I will see you all at Sinfin, but please do not forget to let me know if you want any food. Your options are: -

Option 'A' : Full English breakfast - £5.00

Option 'B' : Full English breakfast, with a pint and pork cob after the golf - £10.00

Please let me know about the food by Saturday 25th May.

Regards

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