



# MEN'S CAPTAIN'S WEEKLY NEWS



16<sup>th</sup> September 2024

## Gentlemen

Firstly, many thanks to Joachim Friedl for taking charge of the two midweek competitions whilst I was away in Madrid on the Captain's Tour. There is a section on the events with a few photos but the old saying of "what goes on tour stays on tour" still applies.

## Men's Competition Tuesday September 10th

A competitive field of 28 players which by looking at the scores the course had its teeth out! Just the one player beating their handicap and only 11 players over 30. Well played to Stuart Agnew who obviously managed the conditions well with a highly respectable 37 points.

## Results

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Stuart Agnew - 37 pts
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Paul Cambridge - 36 pts
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Iqbal Dharamsi - 35 pts on Hcp
- 4<sup>th</sup> - Joachim Friedl - 34 pts on Hcp



Nearest the Pin – David Macgregor

Two's – David Macgregor, Frank Breuer, Andy Rogers & Joachim Friedl

Tissue – Simon Sutcliffe



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### MEN'S Competition Thursday September 12th

A similar field to Tuesday with 27 players participating in another round of the midweek competition. The course still seems to be the winner with nobody playing better than their handicap. The result was decided on playing handicap with Mike Cowburn just edging out Paul Charles having both scored 36 points. I understand the conditions were a little windy which probably accounts for the fact only 6 players managed 31 points or more.

### Results

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Mike Cowburn - 36 pts
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Paul Charles - 36 pts on Hcp
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Toon Van Berlo - 34 pts
- 4<sup>th</sup> - Paul Cambridge - 34 pts on Hcp
- 5<sup>th</sup> - Derek Rogers - 34 pts on Hcp

Nearest the Pin - Mike Cowburn  
2's – Sandy Casofsky, Mike Cowburn & Ian Jones  
Tissue – Simon Sutcliffe



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### September 10<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> Captains Tour - Madrid

Firstly if you decide to take a trip to Madrid we can all suggest using the IRYO train service. It is similar to the AVE, goes as fast and the service is excellent. Select the Infinita Bistro service and you have a very large seat, plenty of space to move around, a meal included and not expensive.

Enough advertising and on to the tour. We played four courses, Santander Golf Club, R.A.C.E. (similar to the RAC Club), La Dehesa (where our pro Gonzalo grew up) and La Herreria. All four courses had their unique challenges but straight driving was an absolute necessity. Some of us struggled at certain parts of the week to a greater or lesser degree. Our dining experiences in the evening were very good and I must thank our member Luis Fernandez de Caleyra for his guidance.

### Results

1<sup>st</sup> - Frank O'Hara - 86 pts

2<sup>nd</sup> - Noel Smith - 77 pts

3<sup>rd</sup> - Paul Holliday - 73.5 pts

4<sup>th</sup> - Ciaran Lally - 72 pts



Dining & Courses to follow.....

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### Captains Tour – Courses and Dining



Frank & the Mowers

The Mower's Brother

Santander Day 1



RACE Day 2



La Dehesa Day 3

Day 4 - La Herreria



Real Club La Herreria backdrop. Frank wanted to cut a few trees down to get a better view!



Almost a winning group just Noel was missing! Not unusual.



Yes this really is Jon Hale drinking tea on our last night.

Thanks to everybody that went on the Tour.

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### Admin points

Thursday will be a Mixed Competition in celebration of the time Ramon has spent at San Roque.

### Upcoming Fixtures

- 17 September Tuesday Men's Competition
- 19 September Mixed Competition celebrating Ramon's time at SR
- 22 September Monthly Medal
- 24 September Tuesday Men's Competition
- 26 September Thursday Men's Competition
- 26 September MEN'S ACL v Aloha (Away)
- 28 September Quadrangular Las Brisas
- 29 September Florida Scramble
- 01 October Tuesday Men's Competition (Ladies First)

Keep swinging it well

Your Captain

