



## PANNAL GOLF CLUB

### HARROGATE ADVERTISER REPORT

Whilst Saturday's extremely wet weather did deter a number of golfers, there was still a surprisingly good turnout of hardy individuals who competed in the Harewood Cup Qualifier Medal. The rain did have a significant impact on the scoring with two thirds of the field scoring net 80 or worse, and only three gross scores below 80. Jason Taylor (plus 2) had the day's best gross 75, very creditable in the circumstances. Phil Stott (11) took full advantage of his afternoon start, when conditions were marginally improved, to top the leaderboard with net 73, followed by four players on net 74. Christopher Blanter (3) was awarded second place on countback, thanks to a superb level par back nine, ahead of David Everingham (7) in third, Lawrie McWilliams (22) in fourth, and Nick Wyatt (13) in fifth place. There were only three twos scored all day, so a bumper Twos Club dividend this week. The top sixteen players have qualified for a matchplay knockout, to take place over the summer, with the eventual winner being awarded the Harewood Cup.

Pannal ladies played in the Mary Lee Qualifier Medal this week, either on Tuesday or the preceding Sunday. Dawn Fabbroni (14) and Vicky Eyre (15) topped the leaderboard with net 76, a couple of shots ahead of Gerry Callander (14) on net 78. Susie Stuart-Brown (19) and Sophie Jacob (10) were fourth and fifth respectively on net 80. Ladies' Captain Janet Jones, Maire Tiernan and Helen Mountford also finished in the top eight, who now go forward to a matchplay knockout during the summer for the Mary Lee Trophy. Tuesday's nine hole green course stableford competition was won by Kate Jesper (35) with 18 points, 4 points ahead of Rae Long (30).

Matt Thompson (14) won Thursday's Mixed Open Medal with net 70, a shot ahead of Michael Armstrong (6) who did at least have the consolation of the day's best gross. John Tiernan (18) was awarded third place on countback from Tom Boyle (13), both players on net 73.