Rabbits News

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NEW MEMBER WINS AUTUMN COMPETITION

In his first season with Doncaster Rabbits, Colin Cowan wins the Rabbits Autumn Competition with a score of thirty seven points in a fiercely contested fight for supremacy and Buck Rabbit points. The competition was played over a two week period between 14th and 26th July with some competitors enjoying the fine weather and others not so lucky and getting caught in sudden showers of heavy rain. Colin and his playing partner were lucky as the weather was kind to them. So hot was the competition that fourteen members all had scores of within four of the winner. Poor Barry Smith with thirty one points only managed to get one Buck Rabbit Point. Tony Craven came second, a point behind the winner and third, another point behind was Steve Makepeace who has put himself in contention for this season's Buck Rabbit. There was a good entry with thirty eight members competing, which is a lot higher than when competitions are played on a single day.

The water beside the twelfth green on a good day.

The full results are shown below.

Winner, Colin Cowan 37 points,
Second Tony Craven 36 points
Third Steve Makepeace 35 points.
Fourth, Ken Round 34 points
Fifth, Alan Day, Hashim Shibib, Nigel Clegg, Martyn Dixon, Alan . Gray, Ray Smith, Phil Brumfield, all on 33 points.
Twelfth, Tony Hobbs, Peter Hepworth and Mike Squire on thirty . . two points,
Fifteenth, Barry Smith thirty one points
Sixteenth, John Elvidge, Steve Martin, and Dinu Raithatha 30 points
Nineteenth, Paul Mathews , Martin Curran and Trevor Bean 29 points
Twentieth, Paul Leadbetter 28 points
Also played, Jim Waugh, John Bissett, Alan Townsley, Mike Fever, John . Langford, Dave Miller, Garry Burns, Peter Mann, Andy . Lowe, Colin Binns, Darell Grewcock, Paul Taylor and . Mick Greenham.

DRAW FOR BRIGGS BOWL NOW PUBLISHED

The draw for the Briggs Bowl pairs competition has been made and has been emailed to those Rabbits who have entered this year's competition. Again, like the other Rabbits Competitions held in the changed format, this competition has attracted a large entry, nearly double the number of recent years. Please make sure you play your matches within the timetable set out and email your result to Phil Leadbetter after playing.
Entrants will be charged £3.00 for playing in this year's competition and this amount will be added to their Rabbits Competitions Account to be paid at the end of the season. The Competitions Account is quite separate from any other account run by the Club or the Professional.

DAVID BATCHELOR

Just over a month ago David Batchelor suffered the misfortune of having a "Detached Retina" in the better one of his two eyes, leaving him with little vision to deal with his daily life. With his wife Beryl and the good work of the hospital, his vision has returned somewhat and he is hoping to get back the sight fully in the affected eye. At the present rate of progress he hopes to be back playing golf in the not too distant future. We all wish him well and a speedy recovery.

YORKSHIRE DAY

Don't forget that Saturday 1st August is "Yorkshire Day"

Celebrate with a round of golf and a glass of Yorkshie Gin in your Rabbits Trophy cut glass tumbler. No tumbler? Then enter the next Competition for the chance of winning one.