

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Your best FIVE scores out of eight to count, so you can miss three events

David Grainge is still well in the lead with 21pts average, but decent scores from several players could see him overtaken, because now is the time for those best five scores to take effect...

	Ash	BP	M	OF	SW	JoG	Tot
David Grainge	21	25	18	20	19	22	107
Steve Temple	1	11	20	25	23	23	102
Craig Caswell	21	21	15	8	13	25	95
Rich Fobbestor	23	11	0	20	11	22	87
Clive Ackerman	13	17	23	14	17	0	84
Stan Kelley	17	7	19	23	0	16	82
Brian West	1	24	15	20	11	11	81
Peter Waters	24	0	15	20	0	22	81
Kevin Johnston	15	22	6	16	18	0	78
Gwyn Ellis	23	21	0	10	0	24	78
Dan Todd	0	21	0	16	16	22	75
Robert Clayton	15	2	5	11	24	16	71
Terry Fuller	21	24	17	0	1	1	64
Damien Turley	2	11	0	22	25	2	62
Steve Langridge	21	0	5	10	4	22	62
Dave O'Brien	8	12	23	-	16	0	59
Charles Wallis	4	5	24	6	11	7	53
Tim Dent	0	2	25	22	0	5	53
Harry Collins	0	0	15	0	21	16	52
Graham Beetles	7	15	15	0	11	2	50

CONCORDE PAIRS

John McNaughton & Brian West Steve Langridge & Ken Gordon	Steve Langridge & Ken Gordon	
Steve Temple & Craig Caswell Kevin Johnstone & Clive Ackerman	Kevin Johnstone & Clive Ackerman	
Phil Greenwold & Andy Alexander Stan Kelley & David Morris	Phil Greenwold & Andy Alexander	Phil Greenwold & Andy Alexander
Gwyn Ellis & Robert Clayton David Grainge & Peter Waters	David Grainge & Peter Waters	

McMULLENS SINGLES

Clive Ackerman Phil Greenwold Steve Langridge John Richardson	Phil Greenwold John Richardson	P Greenwold
Steve Temple Craig Caswell Gary Sando Bye	Steve Temple Gary Sando	S. Temple
Colin Andrews Stan Kelley Damien Turley Bye	Stan Kelley Damien Turley	S Kelley
Andy Alexander Peter Waters David Grainge Bye	Peter Waters David Grainge	D Grainge

Remember, check on the website for who the 'home' player is: www.bengeogolfsociety.org.uk

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there is no such thing as a free meal, he's lining up several areas where contributions to the Captain's Charity cannot be avoided.

On the plus side, Paul

Jezard (he sponsored last year's ball sweep and Player of the Year) is putting up several bottles of champagne to help the charity.

ECLECTIC

Charles Wallis is leading the

Eclectic by three points, but that's only up until Saffron Walden, because the John O'Gaunt results have still to be computed. Leaders:

Charles Wallis 51 points, Tim Dent 48, then we have four on 46 points: Craig Caswell, Clive Ackerman, David Grainge and Steve Temple.

It's CAPTAIN'S DAY at ASPLEY GUISE & WOBURN SANDS

ENTRIES seven days in advance of the event please. Email your entry via the website or ring Stan Kelley on 01992 586280, Mobile 07702 36 36 11)

Cancellation rule: Minimum £20 penalty (full cost at some courses) for cancelling less than 3 days of event.

COMPETITIONS.

Morning: 9 holes of crescendo. It's teams-of-four. First three holes you record the best two stableford scores; next three holes it's best three scores; then the last three it's all four scores to count.

Afternoon: 18 holes Stableford playing for the **CAPTAIN'S CUP** (holder: Steve Langridge).

MEET 8.15am for coffee. Tee reserved from 9.00am and 11.45pm. Play from the yellow markers as usual.

COST: £65 inclusive of prizes, plus coffee on arrival, lunch and three-course dinner.

DRESS: Be warned, only white sport socks or full knee-length length socks are allowed here. Tennis length shorts are not acceptable. Jacket 'n' BGS tie are a must for dinner as usual, otherwise expect a Captain's fine.

MOBILE phones not permitted beyond car park. Phone messages accepted at pro shop (01908 582974).

BUGGIES. Check with Stan Kelley for availability because they only have two.

HOW TO GET THERE: The course is situated just two miles from the M1 junction 13. Aspley Guise (A607) is well signposted, but carry straight on, do not branch left for Woburn. Look out for the course on the right, towards the end of Aspley Guise village – you can easily go past it, so slow right down.

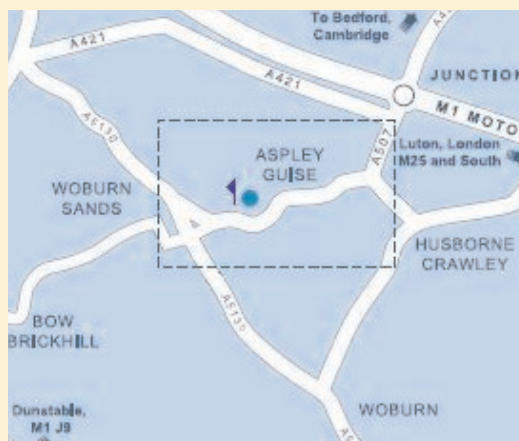


FEARSOME 10th... one of FIVE prize nearest pins.

Wednesday Sept 1

WEST HILL, ASPLEY GUISE, MILTON KEYNES MK17 8DX

Pro: Richard Lally 01908 582974



WE'LL DRINK TO THAT... Bob Pegg (left) and Andy Alexander won the nearest pins bottles at John O'Gaunt.

McMULLEN SINGLES

GREAT Hadham club-mates David Grainge and Peter Waters clashed in the McMullen Singles quarter-finals. The lead changed hands several times before David put in a strong finish to go through 3&2.

Meanwhile I (Stan Kelley) managed to beat Damien Turley 4&3, which was all down to the putting.

Reigning champion John Richardson has bowed out to Phil Greenwold 3&2 – the first time that John has been beaten at Abbotsley Golf Club.

Phil now meets Steve Temple (see above).

BACK-TO-BACK BIRDS

TWO long birdie putts late in the match gave victory to Phil Greenwold and Andy Alexander in their Pairs clash with Peter Water and David Grainge.

Phil's birdies came at the 13th and 14th holes which led to a 4&3 verdict.

Stan



Captain:
BRIAN WEST

Next meeting:
Captain's Day
ASPLEY
GUISE &
WOBNURN
SANDS
Wed Sept 1st

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FIXTURES 2010

Friday June 4
OLD FOLD MANOR

Thursday July 1
SAFFRON WALDEN

Thursday August 5
JOHN O'GAUNT

Wed September 1
ASPLEY GUISE and
WOBNURN SANDS

3/4 October
DeVere Dunston Hall
Hotel, Norwich

Monday November 1
GOG MAYGOG

Friday December 3
CHESFIELD DOWNS

It's
on!



WHAT A 'FINE' TIME TO FINISH... Captain Brian's 4-ball were issued verbal time penalties at John O' Gaunt for losing two holes at the end of the field. They also had to contribute to the Captain's charity at dinner.



TAXI driver Craig Caswell drove so well at John O'Gaunt that he pocketed a bonus fare – in the form of both the Anniversary and Bogey Cups.

Craig obviously knows all the short-cuts, for no one got anywhere near to catching him in the **Bogey Cup** – winning it with +5, which means that he effectively beat his 15 handi-

cap by a massive 10 shots.

Nearest to Craig on +2 were John Tass and Robert Clayton (separated on count-back); then Harry Collins +1 and David Grainge +0 (level).

The afternoon saw Craig also drive off with the **Anniversary Cup** on the very tough main course. This time he recorded

35 points, but that was still two shots clear of the field.

In addition to the trophy, Craig collected the winning cash prize for Group 2. Gwyn Ellis won Group 1 with 33pts, while Richard Fobbester won Group 3 with 31pts.

Mentioned in dispatches was Steve Temple who was actually third overall with 32 points.

Nearest pins: Andy Alexander and Bob Pegg who was making his first appearance after his new hip operation.

CAPTAIN'S DAY

BRIAN WEST is splashing out on a huge array of prizes for his Captain's Day, which kicks off with a 'crescendo'.

The crescendo will be used for our morning nine holes. You record your best two Stableford points scores for the first three holes; then best three scores for holes 4,5 and 6; but all four scores count for the last three holes.

The afternoon will be singles as usual, but Brian 'guarantees' that everyone will go home with something.

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NEW MEMBER
Huge welcome to Tom Grainge, son of David. Last 4 years he's studied forensic science at Bristol University. But he's now after a golf degree



DOUBLE TAKE... Craig Caswell, pictured with Captain Brian and the Bogey Cup. And he also took the Anniversary Cup (right). Richard Fobbester and Gwyn Ellis cashed in the other Group prizes.