



Captain:
COLIN
ANDREWS

Next meeting:
LETCWORTH
GOLF CLUB
Wednesday
November 2

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BOOST FOR **CAPTAIN'S** **CHARITY**

CAPTAIN Colin's charity got a huge boost at Bishop's Stortford, for six donated 4-balls raised £680 at auction.

The Isabel Hospice fund already stood at more than £1,000 – and there will be at least two more 4-balls to auction before Colin's year is out.



Pictures: DAVE O'BRIEN

MAJOR WINNERS... Robert Clayton was delighted to have been cut five shots and still win the Captain's Cup. Sean Reilly (second left) and Suru Madhavani were only beaten on countback so also collected major prizes from captain Colin, who is pictured left with just some of the prizes.



ROBERT Clayton has been sulking all year saying: "I can't possibly play off 13". But he's proved himself wrong by winning Captain's Day.

Having picked up three prizes in the past 12 months, Robert was rightly cut from 18 to 13 – yet he still came in with a Cup winning 35 points at Bishop's Stortford.

But it was a close run thing, for Dave O'Brien, Suru Madhavani also came in with 35 points.

Captain Colin Andrews ensured that everyone went

home with at least one prize, which included wrist watches, umbrellas, three dozen bottles of wine, several dozen ball, and gloves etc.

Heading Group 1 (h/caps 0-13): Robert Clayton, Dave O'Brien 35, Nick MacDermott 33.

Group 2 (14-18 h/caps): Sean Reilly 34pts, Ted Patten 33, Sid Platten 33.

Group 3: Suru Madhavani 35pts, Mick Millen 33, Tom Grainge 32.

Nearest pins:

8th: Mick Millen

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MAJOR CRASH...

Last month we pictured Charles Wallis after being hit on the hand by a golf ball (inset). But that's nothing compared to Captain's Day when he suffered a major accident crashing his buggy into sleepers bordering the 1st tee.

Charles was badly hurt – he'd hit the accelerator instead of the brake. The buggy shot into the air and finished straddling the sleepers. Charles had been spun out and bounced on his right hip before landing as you see him, face down, unable to move.

Stortford staff came rushing out to comfort him (that's the secretary sitting talking to Charles) with towels to keep him warm, but he lay there an hour and half for an ambulance to take him to hospital.

Amazingly there were no broken bones, but Charles is still suffering severe bruising and won't be able to play golf for some while.

Good news: he got a prize in the Crescendo, plus Bishops Stortford gave Charles a total refund.



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15th Mick Millen
17th: Dave O'Brien
3rd: Nearest in three
h/caps 0-15: David
Grainge
14th: Nearest in two,
h/cps 16-28: Brian
Reid.

Morning Crescendo:
56pts Steve Nisbett,
David Nisbett, Kevin
Johnston, Solly
Khosravi

54pts: Sid Platten,
Charles Wallis, Brian
Reid, Sean Reilly

49pts (on count-
back) Nick
MacDermott, Steve
Foster, David Grainge,
Tom Grainge

Also 49pts: Damien
Turley, Peter Cordell,
Steve Hickey, Gary
Sando

CHAMPS ARE KO'd

DOUBLE reigning
champions Gwyn Ellis
and Robert Clayton's
great run in the
Concorde Pairs KO
has been halted by
new member Sean
Reilly and Dave
O'Brien.

Gwyn and Robert's
long run ended on a
short, unsung course
called Wyke Green
Golf Club.

Located at Isleworth,
near Twickenham,

Wyke is 'home' to Sean
Reilly who used his
local knowledge to full
advantage. This semi-
final challenge result-
ed 2&1 "but it was
really tight and could
have gone either way,"
said Dave O'Brien.

The other semi-final
was an all Mill Green
affair: Bhupi Patel and
Suru Madhavani ver-
sus Ken Gordon and
"hot" Steve Langridge.

Ken and Steve had a
comfortable lead of
three-up with three to
play. But Bhupi won
16 and 17 with nett
birdies, so Steve and
Ken were getting
rather shaky. But pars
on the 18th left it one-
up.



WELL DESERVED... Well I would say that
wouldn't I, for yes that's me with captain
Colin having just drawn the winning tickets
for a free day

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

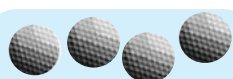
Your best FIVE scores
out of eight to count,
so you can miss three
events



**UNCATCHABLE,
Steve Langridge**

NINE points clear
of the field and
with only one game
remaining, Steve
cannot be caught.
Amazingly, he is
only two points
short of a maxi-
mum 125 points

	Gog	Ash	SB	OF	B&C	TH	BS	Tot
Steve Langridge	24	25	24	0	25	25	13	123
Steve Foster	22	21	13	24	24	1	7	104
Robert Clayton	4	21	11	24	21	11	25	102
John Silverosa	25	22	17	0	0	19	17	100
Sid Platten	24	9	17	11	0	19	22	93
Roger Butcher	15	8	21	20	21	8	0	85
Dave O'Brien	1	1	17	19	21	0	25	83
Colin Andrews	8	17	11	25	0	19	10	82
Nick MacDermott	10	14	21	13	8	8	22	80
Clive Ackerman	15	14	0	0	24	23	0	76
Suru Madhavani	0	14	4	11	21	0	25	75
David Grainge	8	5	0	11	21	21	10	71
Ted Platten	1	8	2	15	5	19	22	69
Tim Taylor	12	21	13	0	9	14	3	69
Michael Millen	0	5	11	4	21	2	22	63
Bhupi Patel	0	14	24	18	3	0	3	62
Stan Kelley	22	24	1	7	0	3	5	61
Gwyn Ellis	0	17	19	22	0	0	0	58
Solly Khosravi	0	24	0	16	0	0	17	57
Steve Temple	10	0	11	5	7	24	1	57
Charles Wallis	1	1	17	13	0	21	0	53
Tim Dent	15	0	0	0	21	0	12	48
Steve Nisbett	0	0	4	18	21	2	1	46
Gary Sando	6	5	11	11	7	8	7	44
Steve Hickey	4	0	25	0	0	0	12	41
Simon Purkiss	0	0	0	0	21	19	0	40
Harry Bracher	22	17	0	0	0	0	0	0



FOUR-BALLS
raised close on
£700 when auc-
tioned on Captain's
day at Bishop's
Stortford.

Toot Hill went for
£120, **South Beds**
£90, **Gog Magog**
£100, **Bishop's**
Stortford £100,
Ashridge £150, **Old**
Fold Manor £120.

All the money goes
to Isobel Hospice –
and there's two
more to come!

No surprise who tops Eclectic

HERE is the penulti-
mate table of players
heading the Eclectic.
But with Letchworth
still to be to be played
it is still wide open
who shares the £60
prizemoney.

Isabel Hospice will
also benefit by £60 of
course.

Leaders:

53pts Steve Langridge
52 Colin Andrews,
Bhupi Patel

51 Steve Foster,
Tim Taylor, Nick
MacDermott, Gary
Sando, Mick Millen

50 Sid Platten,
Ted Platten,
Steve Hickey,
Suru Madhavani

49 Stan Kelley,
Dave O'Brien

48 Steve Temple
Robert Clayton,
David Grainge

Stan

LETCHWORTH GARDEN CITY

Letchworth Lane, Letchworth
Garden City, Herts SG6 3NQ

Wednesday Nov 2

Pro shop: 01462 682713

ENTRIES at least seven
days in advance. Book to
play via the Bengeo web-
site (see Page 1) or
phone Stan Kelley 01992
586280 or 07702 363611

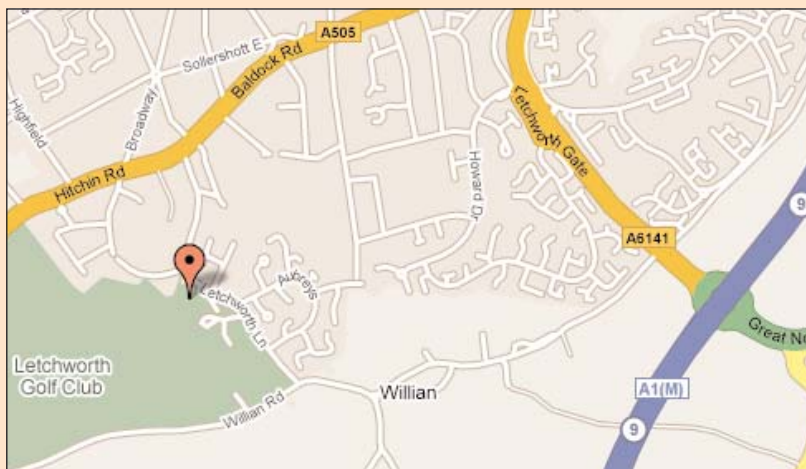
Cancellation rule:
Minimum £20 penalty
(full cost at some
courses) for cancella-
tions within 3 days of
the event.

COMPETITIONS: 18
holes Singles Stableford
playing for the
President's Cup com-
bined with three-ball
Team crescendo.

The Team Crescendo
comprises low, middle
and high handicaps.
Best score first six
holes; best two scores
for next six, then all
three scores for final six
holes.

TEE times: 8.30am
from the 1st tee.

**COST: SUBSIDISED BY
US TO £45** inclusive of
tea/coffee and bacon
roll on arrival, and two-
course luncheon. Price
includes cost of prizes,
gratuity, Eclectic and
Ball Sweep.



BUGGIES. Four avail-
able, cost £24. Check
with Stan if you need
someone to share.

HOW TO GET THERE:
A1 Junction 9. Don't go
to Letchworth, but turn

sharp left to Willan
Village for one mile.
Shortly past Guyfield
Care Home TURN
RIGHT into Letchworth
Lane. Entrance is on
left AFTER Letchworth

Hall Hotel.

MOBILE PHONES:
Total ban. Use only in
car park.

DRESS: Jacket and
your BGS tie for lunch.