

AUSTRALIAN AIRLINES GOLF CLUB

RIF-RAF's Monthly Newsletter

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I have a note in my book, simply states: 'Stinking Hot Day'. Yep...sums it up. And look who was wearing a nice tight jacket for the first hole. Well done Steve, looking Good.



(If anyone wants higher resolution photos of these, let me, or Tony Sawyer know, and we'll send them)

28 Players partook, which included 6 guests

Guests

Ian Hazelwood [guest of Mick Conroy]

Gary Kelly [guest of Joe dos Santos]

Mark Ostler [guest of Sir Alf]

Scott Walker [son of Laurie Walker]

Denis Argoon [guest of Brendan Drew]

Denis Hallinan [guest of Brendan Drew]

Promotions:

The following Rookies have been promoted to the Seniors List (and when I say promoted, I mean they paid their way into the list, let me assure you that nothing is done on ability in this club)

Ian Hazelwood and Mark Ostler.

Welcome to the club. In the fabulous tradition of this great club, all new members receive an AAGC Shirt which is to be worn on all official occasions. You'll be able to put your order into the Pres for sizes. We have four sizes, (2 large and 2 small). Take your pick.

ROUND 1/2011 RESULTS:

First: Mark Jordan (40 Points)

Mark's AAGC Career History*:

Well what a surprise, the bro of the newly appointed pres wins the day. This is obviously all above board and it's typical for these oddities to occur once a month in this club.

Mark's Trophy Cabinet:

2 x 1st, 6 x 2nd, 3 x 3rd; 4 x NAGA; 3 x NTP's; 0 x D'n'C's; and 1 x Longest Drives;

Mark's career prize money total: \$358.00.

Mark's claims to fame:

2005 – Joined as a member of the AAGC (Mark Let me know if this is not correct please)

2005 – Club Champion

2006 – Highest Winning Margin (by 7 Pts at Kilmore)

2008 – NAGA of the Year

2010 – Assistant Raffle Master

** Historical records since 2001*

Second: Tony Sawyer (36 Points);

Third: Ian Hazelwood (33 Points);

NAGA: Graham "Hitman" Harding (16 Points).

Nearest to Pin: (5th) Steve Waite (\$23.00)

(15th) Mark Osler (\$23.00)

Drive 'n' Chip: (3rd) Denis Argoon

Longest Drive (13th) Rob Uwland

Eagles Nest Tally for Round 2/2011: 1 (*Eagle nest went off in Round 1/2011*),
Congratulations to Mark Ostler for winning the Eagle's Nest of 18 Golf Balls with a Hole in One. A good way to start your career with the AAGC.

Raffle: Round 1/2011 Raffle conducted by Brent Proctor. Raised \$??, and I didn't win a prize...Obvioulsy Rigged. I think Mark Ostler won this as well.

Fines: Round 1/2011 Fines raised: \$126.00 Fines Master: Peter Deveraux.

Special 'WHAT THE' for the following:

- Steve Waite, 2010 GOTY had 22 points, while Shaun Cassianiga, the 2010 NAGA scored 27 points.
- Mark Ostler, (*new member*) won 18 golf balls, raffle, Hole-in-One and NTP (\$23.00) and Ian Hazelwood, (*new member*), won 3rd prize and raffle. OK...They're paid up...we can stop the enticements now.
- The Jordan Dynasty has started off in great shape for round 1. Supplying Iced Water and running a Golf Accessory Shop from his car. Where will it stop?
- Allan McLean and John Leenaerts had matching Golf Bags and Drivers. Allan, in another attempt to make life easier for himself, put his club in Johns Bag...Hoping that John wouldn't notice and would carry it around for him.
- Robbie Griek hits his ball onto the green of the 15th, to within a couple of feet from the hole. A pretty good shot. This is the NTP hole that Mark Ostler has already got a hole-in-one on. Robbie Scrubs out Marks Name and writes his own. He's closer than a Hole-in-One. (PS Never let the facts get in the way of a good yarn)
- Tension in the Club – Alf and Robbie Griek. Robbie refused to put his hand in his pocket for a certain fine (See dot point above). Apparently Robbie wrote an IOU for 15 Guilders.

ROUND 1/2011 MATCHPLAY RESULTS

Rob Uwland, current Match-Play champion couldn't do better than a draw to open his title defence, whilst Graham committed golfing suicide to help me. I wonder if I can award the 2011 title after this round only.

Steve Waite	8	Def	John Leenaerts	6
Andrew Jordan	6	Def	Allan McLean	5
Mark Jordan	10	Def	Shaun Caccianiga	6
Rob Uwland	7	Drew	Adam Russell	7
Alf Hodges	8	Def	Peter Deveraux	4
John Uwland	8	Def	Brent Proctor	5
Joe dos Santos	7	Def	Mick Conroy	4
Paul Vanschaik	9	Def	Graham Harding	2
Tony Sawyer	8	Def	Rob Griek	5
Laurie Walker	8	Def	Fred Hodges	5
Steve Williams	7	Def	Brendan Drew	3

2011 MATCHPLAY TABLE

Name	P	W	D	For	Ag	%	Pts
Paul Vanschaik	1	1		9	2	450.0%	8
Steve Williams	1	1		7	3	233.3%	8
Alf Hodges (Sir)	1	1		8	4	200.0%	8
Joe dos Santos	1	1		7	4	175.0%	8
Mark Jordan	1	1		10	6	166.7%	8
John Uwland	1	1		8	5	160.0%	8
Laurie Walker	1	1		8	5	160.0%	8
Tony Sawyer	1	1		8	5	160.0%	8
Steve Waite	1	1		8	6	133.3%	8
Andrew Jordan	1	1		6	5	120.0%	8
Rob Uwland	1		1	7	7	100.0%	5
Adam Russell	1		1	7	7	100.0%	5
Allan McLean	1			5	6	83.3%	2
John Leenarts (Sir)	1			6	8	75.0%	2
Fred Hodges	1			5	8	62.5%	2
Rob Griek	1			5	8	62.5%	2
Brent Proctor	1			5	8	62.5%	2
Shaun Caccianiga	1			6	10	60.0%	2
Mick Conroy	1			4	7	57.1%	2
Peter Deveraux	1			4	8	50.0%	2
Brendan Drew	1			3	7	42.9%	2
Graham Harding	1			2	9	22.2%	2

NEXT ROUND

Round 2 – CENTENARY PARK

27 FEB 11

Tee Off: 0915hrs

Cost: \$30.00

Current Champion:

New Course

Previous Winners:

N/A

Cheers

Paul Vanschaik

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