



Team Championship 2013 **at Woldingham Golf Club, on 27th April**

A great day was had by all at the first SDGA event of 2013 on 27th April 2013 at Woldingham Golf Club organised by K2.

11 teams made up of 41 golfers came from all over the Southern Region to join us in the Team Championship competition, they were supported by 11 WAGS, and three visitors.

There could only be one winner, Eddie Howes (K2) made sure all the golfers had their score cards and shortly after the day was opened by our Chairman Gerald Franks as we went outside in the Sun and John Lange from K2 explained the order of the day, rules were explained by the rules officer on the day Rodney Oaten (Saxon Birdie) it was game on.

As each group tee's off Nick Murley (K2) was ready to take a group photo (See website) The teams battled it out on a beautiful golf course, despite the cloudy, cold, wet and windy weather conditions. while the WAGS sat inside the 19th Hole discussing all sorts of issues ☺

2 hours later the golfers were near the club house on the 9th/10th hole, Angela Tappin (K2) made sure all was ok asking if there was anything needed and taking a few photos too (See website).

After 4/5 hours the golfers started to come in, all cold and tired they made good use of the facilities having a shower and a good old pint of beer/cup of tea to help them chill out. The bar was busy with food orders too and dealt well under pressure with our demands.

As the results came in the bar area was buzzing with chit chat, the competition was on as the golfers were hovering around the result table looking to see if their team was the winner or to see how good/bad they played against each other. David Foot (K2) and Jason Gurney (Reading) were dealing with the results, they done well discussing, checking and double checking all the score cards making sure there were no hic ups/mistakes this time.

It was 6.15pm, the results were in.....Tony Starr (K2) was the first to speak making sure everybody enjoyed the day and this was meet with a round of applause. Eddie then got up and watched with tension as all eyes were open him wanting to know the results, as he read them out the room was lifted each time a team name was read out with boo's, laughter, clapping, hugs and handshakes....It was down to the final three, the room fell silent, results read out and the room become electrifying (See website for full results)

Tony Starr closed the event with a few words, thanking John Lange for a great day that ran smoothly, K2 for their support in the event, congratulating the winner team and wishing everybody a safe journey home. Peter Gray (Brighton & SDGA Sec) then spoke, thanking John Lange and the K2 team for a great event and a brilliant day on behalf of SDGA.

Happy Golfing
Angela Tappin

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Team Championship 2013 Report & Results

Team Championship 2013 Results

1st	Saxon "A"		6th	Reading	
	D Humphreys	32*		I Goodall	30*
	R Edwards	38*		J Gurney	33*
	D Upton	35*		I Appleby	25
	R Bastable	21		N Musslewhite	29*
	Total	105		Total	92
2nd	Brighton DGS			Kent 2 "B"	
	T Nickalls	34*		N Murley	17*
	P Gray	35*		E Howes	46*
	M Trimm	36*		M Woolston	29*
	W Clapham	29		J Jenner	10
	Total	105		Total	92
3rd	Kent 2 "A"		8th	West Country	
	D Foot	32*		P Ashford	26
	T Starr	34*		S DeGregerios	26
	A Ladd	24		N Humphries	33
	J Lange	31*		Total	85
	Total	97			
4th	Chiltern		9th	West Midlands	
	M Gaffney	29*		M Quinn	24
	R Siasor	34*		R Lodge	30
	C Clelland	27		G Featherstone	26
	G Franks	31*		Total	80
	Total	94			
5th	Saxon "B"		10th	South 27 "A"	
	P Johnson	34*		L Seccombe	24
	R Oaten	31*		T Roberts	34
	P Wooding	25		P Smith	20
	R Myers	28*		Total	78
	Total	93			
			10th	South 27 "B"	
				T Knight	22
				K Horsfield	27
				I Gray	24
				Total	73

Longest Drive Winner: Ian Gray (South 27)

Nearest to the Pin Winner: Kevin Horsfield (South 27)