

## **AITKEN SCORES HALF CENTURY AND SHOULD BE SWABBED.**

By Dennis Fuller

I heard a rumour, the source I cannot divulge, that this same David Aitken, was seen loitering near a bike shop where substances that improve ones' performance can be acquired. I stress that this is just a rumour but I also heard a Four Corners reporter was sniffing around the reason for Aitken's astounding round.

Last Saturday at Emerald Golf Club the second round of the three round Winter Cup was played. All the ducks were in a line and they were quacking for David Aitken (29) because he mashed the rest of the field with a stunning round to finish with 50 stableford points. He scored an even 25 points on the front nine and had the bare-faced gall to back it up with another 25 points on the back nine. I did see him play one shot on the 6<sup>th</sup> fairway which was a shocker. That apparently was his only shit shot for the day!!! Maybe I should have peeled off and followed the old bugger.

This massive score sees him sitting firmly on top of the leaders' board with 88 points. He leads Steve Town (16) with 77 points followed by Peter Clowes (18) and Ian Scott (34) both on 76. Hank Adams (19) lead the field with 44 last week till this week when reality set in and he now sits on 73 points.

The winner should come from this group unless some other bushranger has a 50 pointer from left field next Saturday.

Aitken was the winner in C Grade, David MacKey with 43 won B Grade and Peter Stevens won A Grade on a count back from Dennis Fuller with 39 points.

Andrew Cutting and Steve Town had 38 points; Anthony Mifsud managed 37 while Ian Scott and David Jennings played to their handicaps for 36.

Ryan Aitken was nearest the pin on the 4<sup>th</sup>, Steve Town the 7<sup>th</sup>, Peter Stevens the 12<sup>th</sup>, Andrew Cutting the 13<sup>th</sup> and Ray Pund pocketed the pro pin bullion on the 18<sup>th</sup>.

Peta Jones continued her recent very solid form to easily win the ladies' event from an unlucky but ultra-consistent Nellie Bradshaw.

Wednesday's Ordinarily Faded Golf (OFG) using OFG handicaps was a stableford event and saw Ken Hill (19) take out the day with 45 points from an unlucky Leigh Morison (17) four back on 41.

## Observations...

\*\*\* I did hear that an ambulance had to be called for one of our most esteemed members. Someone who looks a lot like Ross Martin, could not carry on playing any more because a most serious and quite debilitating injury.

Yes folk, Roscoe had a paper cut!!!

Nudge, nudge, wink, wink!! Say no more!!!

OK ... the truth ( I know that comes a surprise that I should dabble with the truth but here goes) the bloody cut was infected and incredibly painful!

\*\*\* When I finished I asked Peter Jones how he went and he looked at me with mournful eyes and said quite succinctly .... It is spelt **P-E-T-A!**

\*\*\* I did have a glimpse at Mrs Marsh's favourite son and he seems to have the continued habit of having - - - - on his card all together, in a line.

\*\*\* have a look at the current leader board below the scores.

## SCORES:

### A Grade...

Peter Stevens ... 39

D Fuller ... 39 .. one day I will win a count back but it hasn't happened yet!!

M Starick ... 35

D Holland ... 31

K Hill ... 31

R Aitken ... 29 ...not a patch on the Head of the legal firm??

K Geeves ... 27

G Oldfield ... 27

R Martin ... Dudley Norris Fenwick

Dean Aitken ... 33...not a patch on the Head of the legal firm??

R Pund ... 31

B Balfour ... 30

L Morison ... 29 ... Leigh had to play later and was stressed by the thought!!!

S Courtney ... 29

H Adams ... 29

B Reynolds ... 27

P Jones ... 25

### B Grade ...

D Mackey ... 43

A Cutting ... 38

S Town ... 38

Anthony Mifsud ... 37

I Cranston ... 36

P Clowes ... 35

C Whitlock ... 34

A Ecclestone ... 34

D Shannon ... 34

### C Grade...

David Bloody Aitken ... 50

M Johnson ... 36

I Scott ... 36

D Jennings ... 36

J Marsh ... 32

K Sumsion ... 30

B McCoy ... 27

N Bradshaw ... 26

**LEADER BOARD**

Player	15/7	22/7	29/7	
<b>David Aitken</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>50</b>		<b>88</b>
S Town	39	38		77
P Clowes	41	35		76
I Scott	40	36		76
H Adams	44	29		73
M Starick	37	35		82
D Fuller	32	39		71
A Cutting	33	38		71
R Pund	39	31		70
D Shannon	34	34		68
S Courtney	38	29		67
A Ecclestone	32	34		66
Dean Aitken	32	33		65
G Oldfield	37	27		64
K Hill	33	31		64
D Jennings	28	36		64
C Whitlock	30	34		64
J Marsh	31	32		63
M Johnson	26	36		62
L Morison	23	29		62
K Sumsion	29	30		59
B Balfour	26	30		56
P Jones	31	25		56
D Holland	24	31		55
B McCoy	23	27		50
B Reynolds	22	27		49