



## Men's Weekly Golf Report –



Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> Oct

### **STUNNING WIN BY WILLIAMS IN KEN STANFORD MEMORIAL**

Last Saturday was the Ken Stanford Memorial Stroke comp day at the MBGC and it was taken out in brilliant style by Eric Williams who shot a blistering nett 60.

Ken was a much loved member of the club who passed away suddenly two years ago. A truckie and local businessman who had a fun loving no nonsense approach to golf and the people he associated with his mates have sponsored this annual comp in recognition of his time at the club.

Williams couldn't do a thing wrong on Saturday dropping putts from all over the place and stunning his regular playing partners.

With glorious spring sunshine and idyllic conditions for golf Kenny would surely have been looking down on the club willing his mates on to get into the winners list.

In the "A" grade it was Steven Thiele who reeled off a stunning nett 63 to win this division by an incredible seven strokes from Mason Merritt who shot a serviceable nett 70 to be the runner up. Great stuff from this rock solid ex Mannum GC member who is sure to drop down onto a single figure handicap very shortly.

The moody Randall Cocks finally put a round together to win "B" grade with a nett 65 from "Super" Sid Robbins who has finally returned from holidays up north and who showed he still has what it takes with a good nett 68.

In "C" grade reigning Club Veterans Champion "Nifty" Neville Briggs was triumphant with his fabulous nett 64 a couple of shots ahead of the workmanlike Rob Magor with a nett 66.

Others to fare well on the day were Gary Pearson and Captain Secker with superb nett 66's, "Dog" Rothe with a 68 and Mumfy, Barry Richardson, Pottsy and David Lockwood (Echunga GC) with solid nett 69's.

Steve Thiele won the Pro comp for the best back nine and old stager Dean Wright played a blinder on the 4th to win the Yabbie with old sparring partner Kenny Stanford no doubt abusing him from above for not using one more club to get the ball to the hole!

That's it for another week. It has to rain soon so players should enjoy the extra run on the fairways and the preferred lies while they last.