



Men's Weekly Golf Report –



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WALTERS PUTTS HIS WAY TO VICTORY

Rob Walters steamrolled his way to a comfortable win in last Saturday's THOMAS FOODS Stableford competition with a massive 42 points.

With his putter absolutely on fire he saw off his only serious challenger, fellow "A" grader Craig Hogben, by a couple of points. Making light of the windy conditions, Walters continued his recent hot streak of form in the 72 strong field. Every putt inside 5 metres seemed to be dropping for the former single figure handicapper in his heyday and he certainly cashed in on this.

As mentioned Craig Hogben had a great day too securing a dominant "A" grade win with his super 40 point effort. Controlling his right to left fade to perfection the former Mannum star had a whopping five strokes in hand with runner up Greg Schmidt coming in with 35 points. Schmidt too has been on fire lately winning a midweek comp not long ago with 43 points.

Michael Vella and Malcolm Blight had to be separated on a countback in "B" grade with their 36 points apiece requiring the back nine tiebreaker system to be enacted. Vella narrowly snared top place here.

In the "C" grade it was hard work for all players. "The Fabulous One" Phil O'Malley was the winner with just the 33 points would you believe? Clearly the wind must have blown most players' shots off course because this just does not happen. Super veteran Rob Magor was stunned to learn that he was the runner up with 32 points but commented later that "it was thoroughly deserved" nonetheless!

The voucher winners were led in by Shaun Williams who shot 35 points and "A" graders Gary Hodge, Paul Harding and Captain Morgan with 34 apiece.

Then came Graeme Munt, Lloyd Norrish, Graeme Southern and Shane Aldridge with 33 and "Beefy" France, Damo Moloney, "Fiery" Freddy Carter, Snow Rothe, Andrew Meddle and Dog Rothe all with 32 point rounds.

Rob Walters made it a very profitable day for himself by easily winning the Pro comp for the best back nine when he scored a sizzling 22 points.