Romsey Golf Club

2016 Pennant Report

Sunday April 3rd - Pennant Rd 3 - Romsey

With Mt Macedon coring their greens round one was replaced by round three. A really tough day, conditions were good and the course was in top condition. The Trentham boys got away to good starts and it was up to RGC to claw back as best they could. It was a real challenge but we were able to pull out a great 4/3 win. Good wins to Les Gaunt; 1 up, Dave Muller; 2 up, Rob Rea; 2/1 up and Ron Walker; 7/6 up.

Mt Macedon Vs Woodend All square - 3.5/3.5 Romsey Vs Trentham Romsey - 4/3

Sunday April 10th - Pennant Rd 2 - Woodend

Another spanking day for golf, only a slight breeze, clear, sunny skies and the Woodend course in top condition. Still, it was always going to be a tough challenge playing Woodend at Woodend. Good wins to Dave Muller 1 up and Steve Wilkins 2/1.

Mt Macedon - 4.5/2.5 Romsey Vs Woodend Woodend - 5/2

Sunday April 16th - Pennant Rd 1 - Mt Macedon

The 2nd successive week where we played the home team, another tough assignment. The day was warm but a wind blew up by mid round causing more than a few problems for all players and the hard fairways saw many players through the corner facing a difficult approach shot to get "up and down" in regulation. Good wins to Dave Muller 2/1, Mick Nicholls (Jnr) 1 up and Ron Walker 5/3

Trentham Vs Woodend Woodend - 4.5/2.5 Romsey Vs Mt Macedon Mt Macedon - 4/3

Sunday April 24th - Pennant Rd 4 - Trentham

What a stunning day for golf; temperature in the low 20s, clear, blue skies, virtually no wind and Trentham in 1st class condition. We were up against Mt Macedon while top team Woodend took on bottom team Trentham, however Trentham at home are always tough. A win would put us back in contention for the final. Sadly another close one but not our way. Good wins to Dave Muller - 4/2, Rob Rea - 2/1 and Mick Nicholls Snr - 6/5.

Romsey Vs Mt Macedon 4/3 Mt Macedon Woodend Vs Trentham 4.5/2.5 Trentham

Saturday April 30th - Pennant Rd 5 - Trentham

With just four teams in this section there looked to be six rounds needed however the 5th could decide the eventual finalists. Mt Macedon (16 wins) were just about in with the other spot being between Woodend (15.5 wins) and Romsey (12 wins). Trentham G. C. was again in top nick, their greens were especially good. Woodend showed us just why they are really pushing favourites Mt Macedon. Good win to Michael McCarten with John Freestone, Steve Wilkins and Mal Mottram halving their matches.

Romsey Vs Woodend Woodend 4.5/2.5

Sunday May 1st - Pennant Rd 5 - Romsey

The day began with a violent storm that took out the power and brought trees down across the town and the park. A spot of cleaning up, thanks Wilco, recognition that 25mm+ of rain meant "relief to a club length through the green" and all branches etc brought down by the wind were to be treated a "Green Keeper's Waste" and the competition was away. Soon enough a westerly wind blew up then heavy drizzle fell. The wind and drizzle kept up for about 40 minutes then all cleared up and the afternoon improved markedly. The Mount boys seemed quite used to these conditions and made the best of them to record a clean sweep.

Mt Macedon Vs Trentham - Mt Macedon 7/0

Mt Macedon will now play Woodend in the final on Sun May 11th