

SA Public Courses Pennants

Semi Final Round Wrap

North Adelaide Golf Club Public Course Pennants – Semi-Finals

After a relaxing drive in the hills to the picturesque Echunga we were met with fresh conditions, a pleasant change from some of the extreme warm we have had for a lot of the competition this season.

A quick recap, and a fantastic effort from all at the North Adelaide Golf Club, all four teams that were nominated for this seasons competition made it to the Semi-Finals with high anticipation of competing in the last match for the trophies.

NAGC Division 1 team kicked off proceedings against the second place Sandy Creek group with the same line up from the previous week with Shaun Dawson, Chantha Kong, Steven Darch, Paul Haines, Alex Martinson, Barry Smith, Henry Park and Atila Koca. Unfortunately as hard as the group fought for the win they ended up going down to 3 and 5 missing out on the chance to go back to back.

The Division 2 NAGC team were next off the 1st as they took on API for a shot at the Grand Final. The team included John Filmalter, Chris Watson, Toby Maddern, Bob Henley, Brenton Jemson, Dudley Ah Chee, Frank Kong and Jasmin Kantic took an early lead in the match and ended up recording a 6 ½ to 1 ½ score line to ensure their place in the Grand Final.

NAGC Division 3 (Red) team with Ian George, Johnathan Gravenor, James Abierio, Di Cocks, Deirdre Bennett, Natt Potter, Frank Ballard and Peter Sarson were next off the 1st taking on the Penfield team. Whilst the team battled it out to the very end, 3 games lost on the last hole, went down 2 and 6 and unfortunately missed the chance of battling it out in the final match.

The last group in Division 3 featured the NAGC Blue team against the strong Sandy Creek group with Thomas Ryke, Luis Madriz, Brad Snape, Jason Yap, Luis Plaza, Kamal Haider, Merrilyn Middleton and Carolyn Coleman come through with the goods to record a resounding 6 ½ to 1 ½ win and secure their place in the Grand Final.

Congratulations go out to the Division 2 and Division 3 Blue teams and we wish them all the best as they prepare for the Grand Final to be held at Echunga Sunday March 17 starting at 9.00am.

For anyone who has played in these matches you will understand that any support is greatly appreciated so if you have some spare time and are up for a good walk then take some time out to support your club teammates.

For those that did not win on Sunday plus all those that competed during the preliminary rounds thank you very much for joining your buddies and having a crack for the North Adelaide Golf Club, we look forward to duelling again next season.

Regards,
Ian George.