

Pennant Report for 2021

The 2021 pennant season once again, went very well, with 24 teams from 12 Clubs being represented. It did, however, present a few minor hiccups. There was some early confusion over the handicaps being used, (Daily not GA) and the course match play indexes presented some difficulties for the Pros at a few of the courses we used, as they did not know what we wanted. After everything was sorted, the season got under way, and everyone really enjoyed the friendships, the camaraderie, and the keen competitive nature that all games were played in.

It was great to discover quite a few ladies playing pennants for the first time, and really enjoying it. Let's hope this continues, and even more ladies are happy to play next year. Well done to Hamersley Club who fielded 4 teams this year. That was quite an organizational feat! Point Walter, Links and Yaringa all fielded three teams, so well done to all involved there. It is just great to have your Club represented in some way, even if you only have one team. Congratulations!

As mentioned, we had 24 teams from 12 different Clubs, in 4 Divisions, all playing at neutral courses. This worked very well, and hopefully travel was kept to a minimum.

Captains did a great job getting the results to me by Monday evening, and these would be recorded and emailed out by Tuesday afternoon. Technology hasn't quite beaten us yet!

Some Divisions were very closely contended, with the winners being decided on that exciting last Monday fixture! It came down to only 1 point difference in each division between winner and runner up. Congratulations to all the winners, and to each and every player who gave up their Mondays, often in very unpleasant conditions, to represent their Club. Please encourage your ladies to play pennants, as it is one of the biggest events of our golfing calendar.

WINNERS

DIVISION 1: Point Walter 1 (16), RUNNERS UP: Yaringa 1 (15)

DIVISION 2: Links 2 (12), RUNNERS UP Pt Walter 2 and Scarborough (11 ½)

DIVISION 3: Point Walter 3 (13) RUNNERS UP Hawk Valley (12)

DIVISION 4: Hamersley 4 (12), RUNNERS UP Jandalakes (11)

Until next year, happy golfing everyone, and I look forward to catching up with many more familiar faces on and off the courses.

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