

## DLCGA First Team vs Knighton Heath Men 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2018

It was a glorious summer's day with a light breeze – perfect conditions for golf. The match consisted of eight singles matches. Some were incredibly close and some were not so close!

Jo Terry went out first, playing a nip and tuck match against Michael Fitzgerald, The Club Champion. Jo beat Michael on the 18<sup>th</sup> 2Up, though she had to pull out several birdies to achieve this. Jane Southcombe had a very enjoyable game with Pat Piero. Though Jane lost 3/2, she played some excellent golf. Megan Thompson played the whole match with a smile on her face thanks to her partner's good humour. Megan played to a high standard winning 5/4. It was the Club Chairman and organiser next – Jim Airth. He also lost 5/4 to a confident Lilli Horn who was definitely on form.

Scarlett Williams was out next and again showed what an excellent golfer she is. She beat Simon Coleman 6/5. Simon was quite relieved when he found out that Scarlett is County Champion. Amanda Walker had a tough match against Cameron Laid and only lost on the 18<sup>th</sup> with Cameron winning 1U.

Chloe Haesler was the only of our ladies who had to give shots. She lost to Andy Su who had literally been drafted in at the last minute when one of the men did not appear. Chloe played exceptionally well, but lost 3/2. Sienna Birch made her debut for the first team against Mike Bessant. She fought hard, but was beaten 2/1 – though she was still smiling at the end.

The course was in very good condition and the match was played in an extremely friendly atmosphere. I'd like to thank Jim Airth for organising the match, Reuneurt Bauser (Knighton Heath's Manager) for allowing us to use the course and to Grace our President for setting it up and for supporting us on the day. The result was a very friendly 4-4. I can't wait for the rematch!