

RNUC – Golf Society

Aboyne Outing – May 30, 2023.



The Aboyne golf outing was a combined RNUC outing, and seniors open. This was the first time that we have tried such a format. The weather conditions were nothing short of ideal, with clear blue skies and a temperature in the low twenties.

Aboyne golf course was in perfect condition, with hard fast fairways rewarding straight shots. For the less accurate, an errant shot was punished by lush, thick grass, so the golf was a fair contest for all players.



The 1st hole at Aboyne getting the full treatment from our Captain.

Rob Buchan won the RNUC event with a very credible 36 points. Rob was out in 16 points, but a stellar back nine of 20 points saw him win by two points over the runner-up Gregor Dalrymple. Rob's kept his focus in the Deeside heat, and the highlight of his round came with a birdie three at the tricky 17th hole. Gregor let it slip by recording three double bogeys due to mistakes in his short game. Rob finished 7th in the Open event, and Gregor finished 12th in their respective sections.

Alistair Sinclair had to stop after seven holes due to severe cramps in his right leg. Up to that point, he played good golf, bagging 17 points. Alistair was on a roll after winning money at a senior event in Edzell last week. Gregor played with the winner of the actual open, Dave Nelson, who posted a 78 gross, two under his age!



Winner: - Rob Buchan beside the 18th green at Aboyne.

Our next outing is to Newburgh on Thursday, June 15, 2023. There is still space for this event.

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