

## Roy wins on faultless back 9

Roy wins the Flag with a faultless back 9 to win the Eudunda Hotel Motel Trophy.

Roy Fiegert's golfing prowess was very evident by playing par golf in the back nine to win the Eudunda Hotel Motel Flag Trophy last Saturday.

At the halfway mark John Mosey was leading the day by 2 strokes but Roy seemed to have other plans and with precision golf handed in the perfect card to win the day on a count back from John. Next in line was Preston Eva playing his 'whatever' golf as only he can do was closely followed by Rob Rule making a pleasant return and hitting an amazing drive on the 2<sup>nd</sup> that any A Grader would be envious of.

The rewarding feature of Roy's assault was that he still found time to assist new comer Mick Christie during the round which is frowned upon in some circles, but at Eudunda to assist a new comer and try and make them feel more comfortable is the norm. Well done Roy it was a pleasure to watch you weave your magic once again. Tim Knight was heard to say that the golfing gods do not take Birthdays into consideration and proceeded to play his worst round for the year easily winning the NAGA.

### **Championship Round Results:**

The players that played yesterday now lead their respective grades, offering the challenge to the rest of the players:

A Grade: John Mosey is going out early giving the rest of the field the challenge to 'catch me if you can'. B Grade: Kip Laucke carded a tidy round to take the lead in this grade. C Grade: Rob Rule has taken the lead off Ted Bowden offering the same challenge in this grade. Well done guys and keep up the great golf.

Mike Christie handed in his 4<sup>th</sup> card showing that he is keen to get his official handicap with just one more round needed. Keep it up Mike and good luck with your golfing story.

Next week is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Round of the Match play that is now left to the dedicated golfers to take on the challenge of winning the illustrious Eudunda Hotel Cup which started back in 1965 and donated by Harold Smith who was the licensee back then. The inaugural winner was the Bank Manager Tom Sichler and great golfing names in the town who have since passed away such as Charlie Handke, JD Schulz, Eddy Hansen, Rex Werner, Mark Eckermann and Jack Knight, just to name a few. Jack used to say that this event was an event where the lesser player on his day could and does beat anyone which makes for a very open final where the true spirit of golf comes to the four.

This game is a game where you try and beat your opponent any way you can where the etiquette of the game may be bent a little but the spirit of the game is that it must be played within the rules.

Good luck to those playing enjoy the day and please remember those invited to play are still very welcome to be a part of it on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> 11.30 for a 12O'clock start. See you there.

**Golf tip of the Week:** Always putt aggressively as there are 4 end results to a putt, short, long, left or right and the one that is of no real use is the short putt because it will only add pressure to your game, so see past the hole and if you are lucky the longer putt may just happen to find its way into the hole on the way through.