



3-club Competition, Sunday 21 September 2025.

Twenty-four players took part in this tenth edition of the event which was played in good golfing conditions following a downpour just before tee-off. Players were allowed to play with only three clubs (the putter is a club). The format was Stableford and all played from the red tees.

Besides the individual competition there was a 3-player team competition each team representing a planet in the solar system. The teams had approximately equal average handicaps.

As usual we had nearies of some form on every hole, including closest to centrelines down the fairways on holes 7 and 8.

Nearies were won by Ton on 1 and 4, Beatrice on 2, Robert on 5, Ben on 6, Graeme on 7, Joe on 8 and Raffaele on 9. Disappointingly, no one hit the green in 2 strokes on hole 3.

In the individual event, third place was claimed by Ton with 35 points with a worse back nine than Joe in second place but they were eclipsed by Rob with a magnificent 40 points, the second highest score in the history of the competition. The overall average score was 28.4 points.

On the basis of the average points score (plus 0.5 points for each nearie) team Jupiter were the winners with 33.3 points, a mere 0.1 point ahead of team Uranus. Pretty close!

Our thanks to Kim behind the bar whose friendly efficiency kept us plied with food and drink afterwards.

Team	Hole		Pts		Pts		Pts	Total	Ave	#Near	Total
Jupiter	5	Joseph Pereira (2)	35	Pieter Hillebrand	22	Robert Jansen (1)	40	97	32.3	2	33.3
Uranus	7	Ton Remmen (3)	35	Beatrice Meile	29	Gijs Tan	31	95	31.7	3	33.2
Saturn	6	Erik van Ginkel	33	Jan van Haarlem	27	John Sorensen	32	92	30.7	0	30.7
Earth	3	Graeme Mason	31	Garry Gould	25	Ronny Boer	27	83	27.7	1	28.2
Pluto	9	Sander Borst	29	Hakan Svedhem	30	Marianne Johansson	25	84	28.0	0	28.0
Venus	2	Ben Smeltink	28	Geoffrey Beckwith	27	Reno Harboe Sorensen	27	82	27.3	1	27.8
Mercury	1	Brian Taylor	32	Carl Todd	22	Clare Bingham	24	78	26.0	0	26.0
Neptune	8	Raffaele Tosellini	25	Wil Spangenberg	26	Martin Johansson	19	70	23.3	1	23.8



Piet, Wil, Rob, Joe, Brian

Year	Players	Winner	Pts
2016	31	Emanuel Sabourin	38
2017	18	Brian Taylor	37
2018	31	Klaus Ludwig	36
2019	22	Ton Remmen	34
2020	25	Garry Gould	38
2021	26	Reno Harboe	43
2022	31	Sophia McNamara	39
2023	23	Joe Pereira	36
2024	27	Gijs Tan	36
2025	24	Robert Jansen	40
Average	26		37.7

Event History