

## **Spring Meeting at Nuneaton 10<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

The forecast was not good and after heavy rain over the previous days the course was wet before we started.

29 pairs of doughty Warwickshire Captains set out in the hope that the rain would hold off for the afternoon. Sadly the hopes were in vain. After playing 9 or 10 holes the rain started, followed almost immediately by the sound of thunder not very far away. The rain was heavy from the outset and the greens began to flood very quickly.

Unsurprisingly the hooter sounded to call the players back to the safety of the clubhouse.

The rain and thunder did not relent so the decision was taken to abandon the competition.

It was agreed that the winners would be decided by scores for the first 9 holes for each pair although, being a shotgun start, that meant the players would be judged over different sets of holes – but there was no other way.

The winning pair were Barry Pegler and Simon Daysh from Rugby Golf Club with a commendable 22 points under difficult conditions.

