

Warwickshire vs Worcestershire at Coventry Hearsall Golf Club

It was a pleasant day with sunny periods and gentle breezes – ideal golfing weather. Sadly the home team was not able to take advantage of the conditions and came a close second with the score at 5-3 to Worcestershire.

Despite the loss of our first match of the season the Warwickshire team enjoyed the company, the course and the cuisine. The visitors commented very favourably on the quality of the course, both the design and the presentation having impressed them.

Game 1 : Worcestershire Captain Marty Wilde, Warwickshire Captain Keith Guild, Worcestershire's Andy Simmonds and Coventry Hearsall Captain Stuart Bloxham



Game 2 : Rob Stokes and Coventry Hearsall President Paul Wilkinson played against Kim Smith and Worcestershire President Kevin Woodham



Game 3 : JJ Pritchard and Ian Phipps flanked by Chris Vanes and Gary Roberson



Game 4 : David Williams and Nigel Metcalfe vs Peter Cooper and Alex Bishop



Game 5 : Chris Hobbs and Richard Hardy from Worcestershire with Martin Wyatt and Graham Barker for Warwickshire



Game 6 : Stef Kotlarzewski and Brian Morris with Mike Gregory and Allan Moore



Game 7 : Ivor Ford and Dennis Pick mingled with Paul Walker and Barry Clark



Game 8 : John Bardsley, Geoff Tibbetts, John Palmer and Tony Ranger



Following the delicious and sumptuous meal of Beef Bourguignon followed by Sticky Toffee Pudding the Captains gave short talks at the end of which Warwickshire Captain Keith Guild reluctantly presented the trophy to the Worcestershire Captain Marty Wilde but was able to smile as he did it.

