

Suffolk Match Report – Dereham GC

Friday 3rd July 2026

We were very pleased to visit Dereham GC for our annual match V Suffolk Captains.

The course was well presented despite the recent absence of any meaningful rainfall and proved hard and bouncy. With the nearby presence of a lot of trees this proved a difficult combination for some as the results will testify!

Despite the Golf Club losing their caterers in the week prior, a meal of fish and chips was sourced from a local emporium and was well received by all. Jackets were the order of the day; however, the Norfolk Captain Nigel Elmer graciously allowed them to be removed for dinner due to the prevailing weather conditions. A move that was much appreciated by both teams.

We were joined by Dave Allen the 2026 Club Captain at Dereham. Recently elected Suffolk President Charlie Wilderspin spoke on behalf of the visitors. Nigel Elmar was on hand for Norfolk.

The result was a win for Norfolk 5-3.

