

Three Counties Report – Heacham Manor GC Tuesday 10th June 2025

The fabulous summer weather was much in evidence at Heacham Manor GC for the 2025 Three Counties match.

With bacon rolls duly dispatched and introductions all made, the battle commenced.

Playing in the usual three balls, the players found Heacham Manor a good test. Greens were great and the prevalent wind moderated throughout the day. Only 2 players from the assembled 48 broke their par. Demonstrating the Heacham Manor course is no push over.

After golf, a super two course meal helped replenish the energy levels and the rumours of which team had triumphed started to spread.

The results announced were Bedford 3rd with 406 points, Norfolk also with 406 points and the victors were Cambridgeshire with 418 points. The Grand shield was duly presented to Chas Vincent, the Cambridgeshire Captain who made a gracious acceptance speech. For the record, there was a mistake in the counting up discovered after the result was pronounced and in fact Norfolk had scored 416 points. Luckily the mistake did not affect the overall winner.

Also For the record, Peter Nightingale of Cambridge was nearest the pin on the 5th hole and Keith Whiting of Norfolk won the nearest the pin on the 17th hole.

We were all wished a safe journey home.

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Jack Norton presenting Chas Vincent with the Trophy



The Three Captains



Peter Nightingale NTP winner



Keith Whiting NTP winner