Famous Wanstead Veterans

No. 5 Tim Kirkwood

or Don't leave him with the matches

Our 2014/15 Vets Captain proves that golf can still be played by gentlemen. A remarkably laid back attitude on the course has been seen to evaporate at the mere mention of the time honoured phrase 'pick it up', Tim preferring to see every putt drop, which, when witnessing most Vets putting seems eminently sensible! A great man to have as a partner or opponent under any circumstances.

Tim has developed his very own trailer garden at the back of the 15th green, brightening up the aspect for members and guests alike although he has been heard muttering to himself as he plants up "I'll just see that one in....." Decided to go with a metal container on the course after fire regulators prevented him going near wooden garden structures subsequent to the great fire of Wanstead.

Has been known to accompany Mr. Rouse in the odd red wine tasting session which led to evaluating Laithwaite's entire stock in one evening. Tim was convinced this led to a loss of short term memory but no one could tell the difference.

When not at the club Tim likes nothing more than giving the good people of Suffolk the benefit of his wisdom and can frequently be seem ploughing a furrow up the A12.