

BERKSHIRE GOLF CAPTAINS
Match at Donnington Valley Golf Club Tuesday 10th July 2018
Meet at 11.30 for Lunch at 12.00, Tee off from 13.00

Match	Berkshire	H'cap	Wiltshire	H'cap
No.1	Nick Wood Vice-Capt. Donnington Valley	13	Andy Hatter -WGC Captain (Ogbourne Downs GC)	11
	Christine Palmer Club Capt. Donnington Valley	15	John Charles-Match Secretary (Hamptworth GC)	20
	Result W 2/1		Result	
No.2	Phil Hadfield President Calcot Park	13	Mike Venables (Erlestoke)	16
	Steve Baxter Frilford Heath	9	Ian Armstrong (The Wiltshire GC)	8
	Result W 4/2		Result	
No.3	Bob Ellis Maidenhead	14	Don Donaldson (High Post GC)	13
	Roger Wing Royal Ascot	11	Steve Powers (Wrag Barn GC)	15
	Result W 1up		Result	
No.4	Tony Payne Match Sec Frilford Heath	6	Robin Szymura (Wrag Barn GC)	9
	David Wylie Donnington Valley	17	Ian Vincent (Upavon GC)	16
	Result		Result W 2/1	
No.5	Derry Lewis Sonning	5	Mel Stewart (The Wiltshire GC)	12
	Paul Bence Frilford Heath	14	Alistair Ross (Salisbury & South Wilts GC)	12
	Result		Result W 5/3	
No.6	Stephen Myers Newbury and Crookham	15	John Hawley (Hamptworth GC)	19
	Colin Tushingam Winter Hill	17	Martin Hudson (Erlestoke GC)	17
	Result W 1up		Result	
No.7	John Schofield East Berkshire	9	Brian Howse (Erlestoke GC)	17
	John Beardmore Reading	19	Wally Bryson (Wrag Barn GC)	17
	Result W 1up		Result	
No.8	Peter Honey Calcot Park	15	Alan Kerr (Chippenham GC)	15
	Keith Chantrey Donnington Valley	23	Gerry Stake (Chippenham GC)	24
	Result W 4/2		Result	

Match Result

Berkshire 6 Wiltshire 2

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Match Report – WGC v Berkshire GC – Donnington Valley 10th July 2018

This being my first match as rep for Hamptworth I was disappointed with the initial response for the selected players to respond to my request for confirmation that they were all still available to play before Team selection could take place. Of the 16 selected 5 were unavailable, of the reserves 3 were unable to play. That said we managed to get a final 16 selected with the pairings made. Match result sheet attached.

WGC were made very welcome by are host Berkshire GC & Donnington Valley GC, the normal light lunch was served following which Tony Payne Berkshire Match Sec & Myself announced the pairing.

The first Pairing for Berkshire were Donnington Valley Club Captain Christine Palmer & President & Vice Captain Nick Wood, this formidable pair gave Andy & myself a very close game just pipping us 2/1.

In conversation after the match all team members were made welcome by their Berkshire pairing with most matches ending up in tight finishes, congratulations go to the WGC of Robin Szymura & Ian Vincent as well as Mel Stewart & Alistair Ross both winning for WGC. The Result, which was not reflected in the close matches, was Berkshire GC 6 – Wiltshire GC 2.

This just left Andy to present to Christine the Ball Marker Board for them to keep until the re-match next year.

The hospitality & food following the match was excellent, the course was in very good condition with some very interesting holes. The greens being particularly quick the club having held their Club Championships the previous week.

In closing Berkshire GC are Looking forward to the return match next year which is scheduled to be held at Hamptworth GC

John Charles

Match Secretary

