

Top senior seed Ronnie Clark advances to last 16 at Drumpellier

Top seed Ronnie Clark (Erskine) advance to the last 16 of the Scottish Seniors Golfing Society Match-Play Championships at Drumpellier Golf Club, Coatbridge. Ronnie didn't have to play a shot, with a w/o over Joe McManus (Uphall).

2nd Seed Alastair Belford (Prestwick St Nicholas) however was the shock exit losing to Ricky Gray (Rowallan Castle)

Defending Champion, Nick Robson (Meldrum House) also departed early, losing by 2 holes to ex-pat Jimmy Johnston from Northumberland Golf Club.

One of the highlights of the day was an eagle 2 by George Barrie (Callander) at the 464 yard 1st, holing his 2nd shot with an 8 iron!!

The second round and quarter-finals will be played on Thursday, with the semi-finals and finals on Friday.

RESULTS FIRST ROUND

Ronnie Clark (Erskine) w/o v Joe McManus (Uphall)
Gordon MacDonald (Glenbervie) 1 up v Ken Thomson (Bramhall Park)
Ian Brotherston (Dumfries & County) 2&1 v Stewart Millar (Cochrane Castle)
Tom McLevy (Blairgowrie) won at 19th v David Hart (Downfield)
Graham Bell (Downfield) 1 up v Cliff Barrowman (Glasgow)
Calum Wilson (Ladybank) 2 up v John Johnston (Lanark)
John Fraser (Royal Burgess) 3&2 v Stewart Finnie (Caledonian)
Malcolm Reid (Sonning) 1 up v Richard Johnston (Glenbervie)
Richard Gray (Rowallan) 2&1 v Alastair Belford (Prestwick St Nicholas)
Phil Dempsey (Tulliallan) 1 up v Lindsay Gordon (Turnhouse)
Lindsay Blair (Grangemouth) 3&2 v Norman Dyce (Strathmore)
Jim Johnston (Northumberland) 2 up v Nick Robson (Meldrum House)
Kenneth Gallacher (East Kilbride) 3&2 v Roy Lumsden (Edzell)
David Shields (Glenearn) 2&1 v Stuart Graham (Drumpellier)
Tony Patterson (Sunningdale) 5&4 v David Logie (Craigie Hill)
George Barrie (Callander) 3&2 v Robert Smith (Nairn)

The results from the Super Seniors event were:

In the Super Seniors knockouts Top Seed George Rodaks (Pitreavie) had a comfortable 4&3 win over Steve Ellis (Inellan) to move into the semi-finals. Defending Champion Peter Kinloch (Cardross) however lost at the first extra hole against David Nelson (Aboyne).

George Rodaks (Pitreavie) 4&3 v Steve Ellis (Inellan)
Jim Kinloch (Cardross) 3&1 v Alan Ferguson (Drumpellier)
David Nelson (Aboyne) 19th hole v Peter Kinloch (Cardross)
Ian Dickson (Lundin) 5&4 v Colin Halcrow (Largs).