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WINNERS of 6 Counties 2024

Stover Golf Club Thursday 30th May 2024



Following cancellation last year due to wet weather, the inaugural 6-Counties competition, organised by Devon Golf Captains and replacing the Saunton West of England competition, took place on the 30th May 2024 at Stover GC.

The competition is for 6 pairs from 6 Counties, better-ball Stableford, with each team discarding their worst score which would be used in the event of a tie. In the process of redevelopment, shortly to lose a few holes due to dual-carriageway construction, Stover is a tree-lined 5334 yards with quick greens, a course rating and slope that gives players less shots than feels comfortable. There were sunny periods this time with a gusty north wind that increased the challenge of the course.

Dorset's pairings of Captain Dave Picton and Hugh Lawes (40 points), Peter Brickell & Mark Dobbs (40 points), Peter Foster & David Woodroffe (38 points), Pat Crane and Alan Bates (37 points) and Simon Etherington and Frank Martin (40 points) produced a team score of 195 with the discard of Nigel Mobbs & John Skinner's 35 points was good enough to improve most of the opposition's scores. Grateful thanks to Devon Golf Captains for organising this replacement for the Saunton event, and for Saunton for donating the trophy used in the past. Next year Dorset hosts the competition and defends the trophy at The Dorset G&CC.



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