CVLGA Championships Report, 2024.

This year, Penrith Golf Club played host to the annual Championship for both Silver and Bronze, an event which saw 95 senior ladies competing for the honours on day one. After an horrendous few weeks of relentless rain, and much wringing of hands, the weather improved sufficiently for the Silver qualifier and Bronze championship to take place, in what proved to be a most successful and enjoyable event for all involved.

Although not ideal at the beginning of the week, playing conditions improved dramatically over the three days of competition and all credit must be given to the Greens staff for presenting the course to such a good standard given the challenges they had faced prior.

The Bronze Championship was played as a Stableford competition, converted to a Gross score, from which the team of twelve players will be selected to represent Cumbria in matches against Durham and Northumberland. Marian McFegan, Keswick won the Stableford with 40 points and Diane Law, Kirkby Lonsdale had the best converted gross score of 95.

The top 16 silver players who qualified on Monday went on to play in a knockout competition to decide the County Champion, which was once again Brenda Ewbank from Appleby Golf Club, having played some excellent golf. Congratulations Brenda. Anne Cousins, also from Appleby, won the second flight Cupboard Trophy, also many congratulations. (For the full Championship results, please see Silver and Bronze Championship 2024 Results.)

Many congratulations to all the winners in both divisions, with a special mention to everyone who took part in the Championships. CVLGA is a fantastically friendly association and it is thanks to everyone who supports us by playing in all our events which makes it so. And finally, many thanks to Penrith GC for proving to be such excellent hosts. See you all next year at Seascale.

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