



NOTTINGHAMSHIRE UNION OF GOLF CLUBS

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Nottinghamshire Seniors V Northamptonshire

Date 28th July 2026 Rufford Park

Nottinghamshire Captain: Clive Bentley (Hollinwell)

Game no.	Morning foursomes (Notts pairings)	Opponent's pairings	Result (Notts)	Points (Notts)
1	John Bragger Steve Fretwell	Brendan Moss Dominic Ralfs	W 2/1	1
2	Charles Banks Tim Clarke	Ian Donald Andy Limbert	L 1 Down	0
3	John Denman Rob Sallis	James Barker Richard Dalton	AS	½
4	Andy Cook Willie Colquhoun	Andy Billson Andy Castell	W 1 up	1
5	Clive Bentley James Vardy	John Sewell Tony Lord	W 1 up	1
6	Paul Rodgers Neil Sanderson	Greg Thomas Adrain Perkins	W 3/2	1
Morning foursomes result:				4 ½
Game no.	Afternoon 4BBB (Notts pairings)	Opponent's pairings	Result (Notts)	Points (Notts)
1	John Bragger Steve Fretwell	Brendan Moss Dominic Ralfs	L 4/3	0
2	Charles Banks Tim Clarke	Ian Donald Andy Limbert	W 4/3	2
3	John Denman Rob Sallis	James Barker Richard Dalton	W 3/2	2
4	Andy Cook Willie Colquhoun	Andy Billson Andy Castell	L 1 Down	0
5	Clive Bentley James Vardy	John Sewell Tony Lord	L 2/1	0
6	Paul Rodgers Neil Sanderson	Greg Thomas Adrain Perkins	W 1 up	2
Afternoon 4BBB result:				6
OVERALL MATCH RESULT:				10 ½ - 7 1/2

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Match summary

The usual tough and highly competitive match against Northamptonshire at a very welcoming Rufford Park.

Yet another day of golf on the toasted fairways we are now getting used to. The temperature still not quite normal for either team but it didn't stop everyone fighting for every hole. 8 of the 12 matches going at least to 17, 6 of which went to the last!

A very strong morning for Nottinghamshire leading to a $4\frac{1}{2} - 1\frac{1}{2}$ margin, winning matches 4,5 and 6 but much still to do to claim victory. Charles Banks and Tim Clarke recovered from a morning set back to get us on the way and President Rob Sallis and 2nd team Captain John Denman followed up with 2 more points. Matches 4 and 5 weren't able to hold on but thankfully Paul Rodgers and Neil Sanderson closed out on 18 being dormie up. Success in a $10\frac{1}{2} - 7\frac{1}{2}$ result but seemingly a whole lot tighter than the final scores suggests. A great team effort.

As ever Northamptonshire proved friendly but immensely competitive opposition and a very big thank you to Rufford Park who, I believe, on our first Seniors visit looked after us so well all day and despite the prolonged dry spell offered up a really good interesting and challenging golf course.

An interesting September awaits.

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