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Beal wins 33rd Hills Wiltshire Professionals Golf Championship for fourth time

Andy Beal of Salisbury and South Wiltshire Golf Club ended on 3 over par to win the 33rd Hills Wiltshire Professionals Golf Championship held at Marlborough Golf club yesterday for the fourth time over the last 22 years.



The 36 hole event saw 17 professionals teeing off in misty damp conditions with a fairly strong wind.

After the first round, Bowood's Nick Brennan was heading the field after carding a one under par 71 with Paul Morse of Cumberwell Park GC in second place on par with 72. At this stage Andy was in fifth position tied with Iain Ferrie of West Wilts GC with 4 over par at 76.

The second round proved more challenging for some with the temperature hotting up and the wind getting stronger. There were a number of casualties retiring during the afternoon, but the veteran from Salisbury faced up to the conditions to finish the second round with a fantastic two under par at 70, giving him an overall score of 3 over par for the day.

Second place was tied between Nick Brennan of Bowood GC, Ben Lloyd of Cumberwell Park GC and Tim Meischer of Bowood GC, who made his debut at this year's tournament, all finishing on seven over par for the championship. Fifth place went to John Jacobs of Cumberwell Park GC on 10 over par. Sixth place was another tied result at 11 over par for Mark Searle of High Post GC, Graham Laing of North Wilts GC and Craig Bell of Ogbourne Down GC. **ENDS**



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