



Royal Montrose Mercantile

The Interclub Foursome Championship (Carnoustie Cup)

The RMMGC were victorious last weekend in their quest to win the Angus County 6 man foursomes (the Carnoustie Cup) with a pulsating 2–1 victory over Downfield.

The No.1 match out was Sean Logue and Kev Gall v Campbell Donaldson and Ross Bell who secured a fantastic 3/1 victory after being 2 down early doors.

The No.2 match out was Ross Coull/Corry Marshall v Dinger Bell & Craig Storrey and a closely contested match was closed out with an excellent 4i into 2ft @ 17 by Downfield's Storrey The pivotal match was game No.3 with Marc Simmants/Gav Hemsley v Kieran Urquhart/David Grant. Simmants and Hemsley were 2 down with 2 to play and a couple of solid pars up 17/18 was enough to take this to extra holes.

Into a stiff breeze up the 1st extra, Hemsley produced the perfect drive into the heart of the fairway whilst Downfield found a fairway bunker down the right. Simmants then hit as good as a 7i he hit all day over the top of the flag to 20ft. The bunkered tee shot cost Downfield a bogey and a brilliant 2 putt was enough to make history for the RMMGC.

This is the 1st team from Montrose to win this trophy since it started in 1986.

Thanks to all the players involved this year: Sean Logue, Kev Gall, Marc Simmants, Gav Hemsley, Corry Marshall, James Collier & Ross Coull.