



Chesapeake Run G. C. Recap: July 24, 2017

The MSGA's sixth tournament of the 2017 season was held at Chesapeake Run G. C. in North Judson, IN on July 24th.

The turnout was excellent for a late July date with 99 players.

The day's weather was perfect with temperatures in the low to mid 70's, gentle breezes and fluffy clouds that provided a beautiful day for golf. As for the golf course, it was in excellent condition even though the course received significant rain the prior few days. The fairways were in perfect condition providing plenty of nice lies. The rough was thick in places, but players were still able to hit good shots. Several of the large greens provided for interesting downhill putts. Overall, the course played very easy for the players as demonstrated by the excellent scores.

Overall with handicaps, 46 players bested par of 72 while five others matched par. In Flight A, 17 of 21 players bested or matched par. For the 99 players, the average Gross score was 90.8 with 72.4 as the average Net score, only 0.4 shots over par of 72.

In the Individual Medal competition, Tom Knoll lead the field with a par 72 (round included three birdies and 3 bogeys) followed closely by Stu Holaway with 73 and Tom Smith with 75. Six other players shot scores in the 70's.

In the Net competition, Ray Ginsburg was the winner with an eleven under par net 61 for the overall low-net for Flights A-D. Next in line was Bruce Neulieb with a net 63 followed by Paul Martindale and Brian Gensel with net 64's and Greg Dupont and Terry Jones with net 65's. Eighteen others shot net 69 or better.

The low-net winner in Flight E (played from the forward tees) was Bill Hehemann with a net 63 followed by Roland Pereira with 64. Four others shot net 66's. Sixteen players played in Flight E (players whose age plus handicap equals 95).

In the Skins competition, there were five multiple winners with Paul Martindale, Ed O'Connor, Norm Drenten, Bill Hehemann and Roland Pereira each recording two skins. In total, there were 26 skins in the five flights.

In the Closest-to-the-Pin contest, the best of the day was Ray Ginsburg's shot that stopped one foot eight inches away on the 135-yard Hole #2.

Congratulations to award winners in all the flights. The complete list of winners can be found on the Tournament Results tab.

In the season long Brady Cup competition, Gil Vayhinger continues to lead with 880 points followed by Abe Ismail and Roy Shepard with 795 each. Dave Dunn (785) and Stu Holaway (780) fill out the top five places. The Top-25 standings are shown on the Brady Cup tab.