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President's Message



Summer has arrived. I hope your golf game is as hot as the weather!

Everyone is busy with scheduled mixers. The best deal in golf.

We had a great time at the Spring Fling in Williamsburg in May and looking forward to the Summer Frolic Sep 15-16 at Carroll Valley PA, Fall Frolic I Oct 24-29 at Fripp Island SC, Fall Frolic II Oct 31- Nov 5 at Amelia Island FL. The flyers and entry forms can be downloaded from the MISGA web site at:

http://www.misga.org/Events_menu.htm. Signup now before all slots are gone.

Slow Play is still number one on my list. I want to share a Pace of Play discussion from the Division 1 Training Seminar developed by Joe Bailey, Division 1 Associate Chairman.

PACE OF PLAY

1. Establish A player as the captain and the player responsible for monitoring the pace of play and enforcing the rules for each team.
2. Establish a procedure so the order of play on the first tee is predetermined so play can start promptly. Such as "DCBA" or "ABCD."
3. The captain writes down on the scorecard the time the team arrives at their designated first tee and uses this time for determining the team's pace of play. Time starts when arriving at the tee not after teeing off. If there is a B group on the same hole, their time starts when the fairway is clear for play.
4. Play "ready golf" as the preferred team procedure for the round.
5. Establish "continuous putting" as the preferred method of play.
6. Hit a provisional ball if first ball could be lost or close to a boundary.
7. All players should watch the ball flight of team members to expedite finding balls in the rough and elsewhere.
8. A player MUST pickup when he has taken sufficient strokes if it is reasonable to assume his score will not count in the team score. Player uses equitable strokes for handicap posting.
9. Bag clubs and fill out scorecards at the next tee. Moving away from the green expeditiously allows following group to play to the green.
10. Establish a four and half hour rule were all players must complete the round* and scorecards turned in by a designated time.
* "B Groups" are afforded additional time.
11. Host club at each mixer has a "course marshal" to monitor pace of play with authority to penalize and or require a group to skip a hole if they have fallen behind and not adhered to a first warning.
12. Play by the "Rules of Golf", which means no conceded putts. With continuous putting this will not increase time on the green.

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March

June

September

December

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10 March (March)

10 June (June)

20 Sept. (September)

20 Dec. (December)

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Byron W. Keadle
MISGAGRAM Editor

CORRECTING SLOW PLAY ---- By saving one minute per hole we can shave 18 minutes off a round of golf, a big step in the right direction.

Just finished a mixer where my threesome finished in 3.5 hours. It was rumored one of the threesome is the slowest player in the club.

Howard Taylor, President

Editor's Note

Publication Dates

We are setting the MISGAGRAM publication months to more closely align with major events in the MISGA yearly cycle.

MARCH – Winter Fling report/pictures; Spring Fling reminder announcement; Board actions.

JUNE – Annual Meeting news/awards; Spring Fling report/pictures; Summer Frolic reminder announcement.

SEPTEMBER - State Tournament Finals report/results/pictures; Summer Frolics report/pictures; Fall Frolics reminder; Board Actions.

DECEMBER – Fall Frolics report/pictures; Presidential transition/ Board Actions; Manor Christmas Party; New board members for next year.

Printing the MISGAGRAM

For those who wish to print a copy of the MISGAGRAM, the following suggestions are offered.

1. Use 96 Bright paper of 24 lb Weight.
 2. If your printer supports 2-sided printing, then set binding option to long side, left (this causes the print to be upright on both sides; the 24 lb paper greatly reduces ink jet bleed-thru).
 3. Use a three-hole punch to prepare the MISGAGRAM for inserting in a three-ring binder, or staple sheets together in upper left corner.
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FALL FROLICS

Fripp Island is scheduled for October 24, 2010 & Amelia Island on October 31, 2010. Please see the detailed information and forms that are online on the MISGA website, or that have been posted by your club representatives on your club's bulletin board. Please join us for great golf, food & friendship at these venues.

Peter Sorge

MISGA AWARDS



Under the MISGA Awards Program, a pewter tray is presented to each board member upon leaving office after at least one year of service. Each tray is engraved with name of individual, office held, ending year of service, and the MISGA logo. The current 2010 President, Howard Taylor, presented the awards.

MISGA Award Recipients

The award recipients pictured above include (l. to r.): Herb Hanson, MISGAGRAM Editor; Byron Keadle, MISGA President; John Kennedy, Division I Director; Tom Tarpley, MISGA Tournament Chairman; Howard Taylor, MISGA Audit Chairman; and Tom Taylor, MISGA Membership Chairman. Not present for the awards ceremony or picture were: Charlie Fieldhouse, MISGA History Chairman; Gary Sorrell, MISGA Treasurer; and Dave Cook, Division III Director.

NECROLOGY

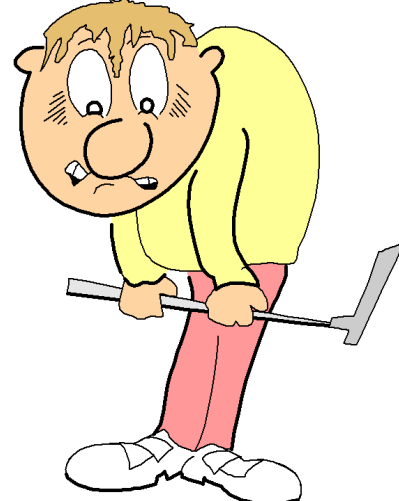
ALLEN R. MALCOLM

A dear friend, MISGA associate and member of Chester River Yacht and Country Club, passed away on June 4, 2010. He will be sorely missed by his family and many friends. --Jim Sood

Golf Quotes

“Play the ball where it lies, count every stroke, and knock every ball into the hole. Otherwise, don't bother keeping score.” --John J. Kafalas

AHHHHHHHHHHHHH!!!!



Isn't That a Gimme?

Jinx's Office

by A. W. Tillinghast

The 'phone bells are a-ringing; everybody's on the jump,
As the clacking of the ticker tells the story of the slump;
The clerks are dazed and frightened as the market lower
sinks,

For they don't know where the boss is --- they have lost all
trace of Jinx.

The manager's exhausted and the office boy's all in,
The stenographer has fainted in the turmoil and the din;
For the market keeps on sagging, as poor lambs are shorn
of wool,

And though at golf Jinx is a bear, on 'Change he is a bull.
At last they have him spotted and he's dragged in from the
links,

And then his frantic manager unfolds the news to Jinx
Over the 'phone as best he can, in choking voice and sad;
And Jinx replies: "Why, goodness me, now isn't that too
bad!"

The boss continues speaking: "Say, just have Miss Blossom
call

Up Lombard Eight-0-Seven-Two and ask for Jimmie Ball,
And tell him that the brassey which he made me doesn't
suit,

But the driver is a corker and the putter is a beaut."

A special thanks to Ron Wiles of Montgomery Village for supplying the golf poetry.

MISGA Spring Fling – April 11-13, 2010

The Spring Fling at Williamsburg, VA was attended by 76 golfers, including spouses. There were also several non-golfers. The weather was generally good - cold and windy on Tuesday, hot on Wednesday, and cool on Thursday.



River #17 Tee view



Kingsmill logo



River #17 Green view

Winning Teams (ZOOM 200-420% max for better detail)

Tuesday - Kingsmill – Plantation Course

Ladies – 2 Better Balls of Four



1st - Chris Smith, Aretta Keadle, Brenda O'Donovan, Joan Smith



2nd – Judy Taylor, Carol Boardman, Darlene Peters, Carol Meers



3rd – Carolyn Lyman, Ruby Wallgren, Sally Stafford, Wanda Tiedemann (Blind)

Men – 2 Better Balls of Four



1st - Gonzalo Del Fierro, Rich Boardman, Aarne Tiikkala, Howard Taylor



2nd – Bill Smith, Ralph Starkey, Don Schaffer, Dave Schwartz



3rd - Joe Peters (Blind), Ed Sebring, Dick Dale, Dick Young



4th – Nick Smith, Tom Zgorski, Cross O'Donovan, Steve Neal



5th – George Paulson, Don Tiedemann, Harry Bowie, Dave Woodward



River Course - #13

Ladies - Clears



Ginny Grossnickle, Judy Taylor (2),
Carol Meers, Mary Ellen Maar

Men - Clears



Herman Holt, Joe Peters, Ed Boxwell, Larry Bathgate,
Gene Lyman, Dave Woodward, Ralph Starkey

Wednesday - Kingsmill – River Course

*2 BB Mixed Teams with Circle Bonus for Ladies' Balls if used in scoring and played own drive



1st – Ruth Crovo, Mary Zgorski, Joe Peters
(Blind), Gene Sines, Cross O'Donovan



2nd – Ed White, Darlene Peters,
Gene Horan, Carolyn Lyman



3rd - Tom Zgorski, Wanda Tiedemann,
Gonzalo Del Fierro, Bev Hogate



4th – Aretta Keadle, Mary Ellen Maar, Ralph
Starkey, Richard Henseler



5th – Felix Marucha, Ann Turner,
Aarne Tiikkala, Carolyn Neal



6th – Ron Wiles, John Crovo,
Eleanor Soltner, Dave Woodward



7th – Dave Schwartz, Chris Smith,
Jerry Shearer

* Post analysis shows that had the teams been flighted based on having only one lady instead of two, then the following teams would have been winners in that Single Lady Flight.

106 Eleanor Soltner, Dave Woodward, John Crovo, Ron Wiles

110 Chris Smith, Jerry Shearer, Dave Schwartz, (Blind)

113 Claudia Young, Jack Sleith, Will Hall, Larry Bathgate

114 Carol Boardman, Burr Short, Bill Smith, Ed Boxwell

In addition, the scorecard of the real winning team was miscalculated. The corrected score of 89 would make them the overall winning team:

89 Judy Taylor, Brenda O'Donovan, Ed Sebring, Don Schaffer

Dick Dale indicates that financial adjustments will be made!

Thursday – Kiskiack Golf Course



Kiskiack #18



Kiskiack #10

Ladies – 2 Better Balls of Four – Hastings Hybrid – C & D choose any drive, play own ball in



1st - Wanda Tiedemann, Ginny Grossnickle, Carolyn Lyman, Ann Turner



2nd – Carol Boardman, Mary Zgorski, Sally Stafford, Mary Ellen Maar



3rd - Wanda Tiedemann (Blind), Chris Smith, Judy Taylor, Bootsie Bowie

Flight 2 – Men – Florida Scramble – All Four: Choose any drive, then play own ball in



1st – Ron Wiles, Gene Lyman, Don Schaffer, Larry Bathgate



2nd – Frank Hogate, Ed White, Dick Young, Jim Maar

Flight 1 – Men – 2 Better Balls of Four – Play own ball.



1st – Jerry Shearer, Harry Bowie, Ralph Starkey, Dick Dale



2nd – Byron Keadle, Burr Short, Byron Grossnickle, Ed Sebring



3rd – Fred Meers, Nick Smith, Aarne Tiikkala, Ken Wallgren

The Closest to the Pin contest winner was Aarne Tiikkala, who won the Callaway golf bag generously donated by Virginia Golf Vacations.

Summer Frolic

NOW IS THE TIME to mark September 15th and 16th on your calendar to join 80-90 other MISGA golfers and friends at beautiful Carroll Valley Resort to celebrate our Summer Frolic.

This is two days of good golf (we can all dream can't we?) with prizes for the winners and great food and memories for all of us.

The first day consists of golf (assigned tee times) and a great banquet consisting of Hors D'oeuvres and some of the best beef and trimmings you can find anywhere. This is followed with the awards and prizes to the lucky winners.

After a buffet breakfast the next morning (all part of the package) we again hit the links at 8:30 for more golf followed again by lunch and awards.

To enjoy this time with your friends, go to MISGA.org, Documents, Entry Forms/Flyers, where you will find all of the necessary information and entry forms for this Summer Frolic. What a great way to wind down a good season with MISGA! For a direct link to Information Flyer and Entry Forms use: http://www.misga.org/Entry_Forms/summer2010.pdf

Remember, August 7th is the deadline, so get your entry in early while there are still openings.



The Scenic Par 4 10th at Carroll Valley
Strategy for Playing #10

Macho - If your drive ends up in the fairway, go for it in two. But, since your ball probably won't float or skip onto dry land, drop on three, lay up to 100 yards on four, and then hit your favorite wedge across in five. From there, it should be a simple matter to get down in two for a tidy seven. It could be worse.



Chicken – If you lack confidence in your skill or strength, then lay up to 100 yards in two, go across in three, and two-putt for a bogey.

But really! What fun is it to get a bogey when you have a chance for a par? Therefore, we recommend that you follow the Macho plan. You didn't drive 100 miles just to lay up, did you?

Conquering Slow Play

Slow play is a continual problem for the senior MISGA golfers. Some feel that placing two groups on par 3 holes causes slower play. They suggest that par 3s should have only one group, while par 4s should have two groups. However, that guarantees that the par 3 group will arrive at the following par 4 tee before the second par 4 group has teed off. Further, the par 3 tee is empty because the par 4 group behind has yet to reach the green. So we have a one group delay at the following par 4 and a one group gap at the par 3.

Now, consider putting two groups on the par 3s, but only one group on the following par 4. Since the par 3 plays faster, that group will finish putting while the group ahead is hitting second shots. Thus, the par 4 tee is open when the par3 group arrives. Meanwhile, the second group on the par three is hitting their tee shots, while the par 4 group behind is hitting second shots to the green. Then, the trailing par 4 group is putting at the same time that the second par 3 group is hitting second shots on the following par 4. The result is no waiting and no gaps, at least to get started.

However, rather than just theorizing, we need to put both methods to the test to see whether there is any significant difference between the two.

TOURNAMENT INTERRUPTIONS

Tournament interruption at either the MISGA 2-Man Team or the Past Presidents (ABCD) Championship Tournaments can create chaos if either tournament is suspended because of unforeseen circumstances and resumption of play is impossible that day (*rain, lightening, high winds, earthquake, fires, flooding, air raids, etc.*). If it is impractical to reschedule the tournament on the “rain date” (*i.e., additional fees may be required*), how does the Tournament Committee, in a fair and equitable manner, determine the Gross and Net Champions and other winners of the tournament?

Current Procedure

Currently, if a Championship Tournament is suspended and play cannot be continued, MISGA guidelines stipulate application of the “nine common holes” (9CH) procedure for determining winners and awarding prizes.

The matrices below illustrate application of the 9CH procedure for a shotgun start, 4-flighted, full field (128 players – 32 foursomes) ABCD tournament. There will be two foursomes (*an “A” and a “B”*) starting on 12 of the 18 holes. Although starting from the same hole, the “B” foursomes will always be one hole behind the “A” foursomes. In the example below, play has been suspended after the “A” foursomes have completed 14 holes. Thus, the “B” foursomes will have completed 13 holes. The yellow highlighted blocks indicate application of the 9CH procedure for each of the four flights.

S = starting hole; E = ending hole; Yellow = 9CH

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
A1					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E
A2				S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E	
A3				S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E		
A4			S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E		
A5		S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E			
A6		S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E				
A7	S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E				
A8	S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
B1	X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
B2	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
B3	X	E						S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
B4	X	E					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
B5	E						S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
B6	E					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
B7						S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E
B8					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
C1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X
C2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X	X
C3	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X	X	X
C4	X	X	X	X	X	E						S	X	X	X	X	X	X
C5	X	X	X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
C6	X	X	X	X	E						S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
C7	X	X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
C8	X	X	X	E						S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
D1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					S
D2	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E						S
D3	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					S	X
D4	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					S	X	X
D5	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E						S	X	X
D6	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X
D7	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E						S	X	X	X
D8	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X

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9CH Procedure Problems

Although the 9CH method is workable in the example above, there are a number of problems that could occur when applying the 9CH procedure for determining winners and awarding prizes.

1. The four yellow highlighted 9CH areas have created 4 autonomous mini-tournaments. Each flight utilizes a different set of 9 common holes for determining flight winners. This is no problem within a flight as all players have played the same 9 holes.
2. However, there is no clear-cut procedure for determining the Gross and Net Champions when using the four different "nine common holes." The four autonomous flights provide no commonality of holes completed by all players. This situation will result in dissatisfaction and elicit numerous complaints of unfairness from players who consider their "nine common holes" to be more difficult than the designated Gross and Net Champion's "nine common holes."
3. Crediting only 9 of 13 or 14 completed holes to determine winners could deprive a player of a birdie he may have scored on a completed but non-credited hole. A more valid and equitable scoring method would credit all completed holes.
4. The 9CH scoring procedure is slow, time consuming, cumbersome and complicated. Determining which nine holes to use (*4 times*) takes too much time. Participants become "edgy" when they must wait an inordinate amount of time for scoring results to be posted.
5. The most significant problem is that the 9CH procedure is totally inoperable for the *2-Man Team* tournament. Refer to the following example.

The matrix below illustrates a shotgun start, full field (*128 players – 32 foursomes*), non-flighted, *2-Man Team* tournament. The double Ss, indicate two foursomes (*an "A" and a "B"*) starting at the same hole (*12 of the 18*). Although starting from the same hole, the "B" foursomes will always be one hole behind the "A" foursomes. In this example, play has been suspended after the "A" foursomes have completed 14 holes. Thus, the "B" foursomes will have completed 13 holes.

S = starting hole; E = ending hole

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
SS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E	E				
	SS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E	E			
		S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E		
			SS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E	E	
				S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E
E					SS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E
E	E					SS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	E	E					SS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	E					S	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	E	E					SS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	E	E					SS	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E							S	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E	E					SS	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E	E					S
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	E	E				SS
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18

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It is impossible to identify “nine common holes” for all foursomes. Thus, the 9CH procedure is inoperable. Hence, an alternative procedure for determining winners and awarding prizes must be developed and applied.

USGA Guidance

The three citations below are USGA’s response to two questions I submitted to USGA regarding the “interrupted tournament” situation.

1. The *Definitions* section of the *USGA Rules of Golf* states - “The ‘stipulated round’ consists of playing the holes of the course in their correct sequence, unless otherwise authorized by the Committee. The number of holes stipulated in a round is 18 unless a smaller number is authorized by the Committee.” (*i.e., in MISGA, the Tournament Committee*)
2. Decision 33-1/2 of the *USGA FAQ* section states - “The Committee does not have the authority to reduce the number of holes of a ‘stipulated round’ once play has been commenced in that round.”
3. Section 5-2 b of *The USGA Handicap System* manual states - “If 13 or more holes are played, the player must post an 18-hole score. Scores for unplayed holes must be recorded as *par* plus any handicap strokes the player is entitled to receive on the unplayed holes.” (*13PP procedure*)

Summarization

1. Both procedures require a minimum of 13 holes to be completed by all players.
2. The USGA based 13PP procedure is applicable to both the *2-Man Team* and *ABCD* tournaments while the 9CH procedure is operable only with the flighted *ABCD* tournament.
3. The 13PP credits all completed holes by all golfers, whereas the 9CH permits the crediting of only 9 holes regardless of the number of holes completed (*possibly depriving a player of a birdie he scored on a completed but non-credited hole*).
4. By crediting all completed holes, the 13PP is the more valid and equitable method of determining the Gross and Net Champions in the *ABCD* tournament. The 9CH, which credits only 9 holes, uses four autonomous flights with no commonality of scoring holes among the flights.
5. The 13PP is based on application of a stipulated USGA guideline, whereas the 9CH has no such authoritative USGA reference.
6. The 13PP is a more expeditious method of scoring than the 9CH.

Conclusion

Therefore, beginning in 2010, the USGA citations above will be applied and complied with for determining tournament winners and awarding prizes in the *2-Man Team* and *Past Presidents (ABCD)* tournaments when they have, because of unforeseen circumstances, been suspended with no possibility of resumption of play. The revised MISGA “tournament interruption” guideline will now state:

“If the Championship Tournament is interrupted and resumption of play is impossible, the Tournament Committee will declare the Tournament official for determining winners and awarding prizes if all players have completed a minimum of 13 holes. Scores for unplayed holes will be recorded as *par* plus any handicap strokes the player is entitled to receive on the unplayed holes (*this neutralizes all the unplayed holes for all players*). However, if there are any players who have not completed a minimum of 13 holes, a new ‘stipulated round’ should be rescheduled on the ‘rain date’.”

Lloyd Stimson
MISGA Tournament Chairman

DIVISION V ACTIVITIES

DIVISION V ABCD QUALIFIER

On Tuesday, June 8th, the Division 5 MISGA held their ABCD Presidents' Cup Qualifier Tournament at Nutters Crossing Golf Course to see who would represent the Division 5 MISGA at the state tournament at Chartwell Country Club on July 26th. The top two gross and net winners in each flight are eligible to advance to the state tournament.

For Flight A, Mike Phillips was 1st gross with 72 and John Tamasi was 2nd gross with a 72. 1st net was Ed Adkins with 64 and 2nd net was Bill Wheatley with a 65. Flight B had Joe Curtin at 1st gross with an 80 and 2nd gross was Patrick Mc Allorum with an 88. Tom Miffleton was 1st net with a 68 and Jim Young was 2nd net with a 70. Flight C had Ed Long as 1st gross with an 84 and Dean Gore 2nd with an 85. Buz Carragher was 1st net with a 65 and Jim Weeg was 2nd net with a 67. Flight D had Jim Doyle as 1st gross with an 86 and Dick Widman 2nd gross with a 94. 1st net was Doug Wilhite with a 61 and Tom Hayman was 2nd net with a 67.

Closest to the pin on #5 hole was Jim Doyle at 5' 3". Closest to the pin on hole #14 was Don Cherrix at 9' 11".

Flight A



Bill Wheatley (NC) 2nd Net, John Tamasi (NC) 2nd Gross,
Ed Adkins (NC) 1st Net, Mike Phillips (NC) 1st Gross

Flight B



Jim Young (NC) 2nd Net, Tom Miffleton (NC) 1st Net,
Joe Curtin (DR) 1st Gross, Patrick Mc Allorum (OC) 2nd Gross

Flight C



Buz Carragher (Green H) 1st Net, Dean Gore (OC) 2nd Gross,
Ed Long (Great H) 1st Gross, Jim Weeg (NC) 2nd Net

Flight D



Tom Hayman (NC) 2nd Net, Doug Wilhite (NC) 1st Net,
Jim Doyle (NC) 1st Gross, Dick Widman (NC) 2nd Gross

Cripple Creek Outing - Hole-Out for Par

On Thursday, June 10th during the Cripple Creek MISGA outing, Bill Kleisch, from Nutters Crossing had an unusual par on the 17th par four 340 yard hole. Bill had a nice drive and was 140 yards out. He took his 7 iron out and proceeded to put his second shot in the pond in front of the green. He then dropped another ball and hit his 7 iron again from the same spot and holed it out for a par. What a nice way to brighten his day.

DIVISION V 2-MAN TEAM QUALIFIER

On Thursday, June 17th, Ocean Pines MISGA hosted the Division 5 Two Man Best Ball Qualifier Tournament with 31 teams participating. The top eight teams qualify to go to the MISGA State Two Man Best Ball Tournament which is being held at Holly Hills Country Club on August 16th.

1st gross winner was Rodger Daugherty and Jim Webster from Great Hope with a 69

1st net winner was Jim Beisler and Bill Hickey from Ocean Pines with a net 63

2nd net winner was Patrick McAllorum and Charlie Friesen from Ocean City with a net 63

3rd net winner was Greg Wood and Ed Kelly from Bay Club with a net 65

4th net winner was Rick Bisker and Buck Guth from Nutters Crossing with a net 65

5th net winner was Bruce Gibbs and Leonard Parks from Ocean City with a net 65

6th net winner was Russ Watson and Ed Adkins from Nutters Crossing with a net 66

7th net winner was Bill Wheatley and Bill Hamblin from Nutters Crossing with a net 66

8th net winner was Jim Doyle and Doug Wilhite from Nutters Crossing with a net 66



Front Row: Jim Webster (G Hope), Charles Friesen (OC), Bill Hamblin (NC), Bill Wheatley (NC), Doug Wilhite (NC) and Rick Bisker (NC)

Back Row: Rodger Daughtery (G Hope), Ed Adkins (NC), Russ Watson (NC), Jim Beisler (OP), Bill Hickey (OP), Bruce Gibbs (OC), Leonard Parks (OC), and Buck Guth (NC)

Not shown: Patrick McAllorum (OC), Jim Doyle (NC), Greg Wood (Bay C), and Ed Kelly (Bay C)

DIVISION II ABCD QUALIFIER

Division II held its annual Stroke Play Championship at Rattlewood Golf Club on June 21, 2010 with 49 participants. Pictures show Division II Director Tom Taylor presenting Harold Lysher of Quail Valley with his winning Plaque for a Low Net score of 61 and to Tom Lonergan of Musket Ridge for Low Gross score of 69. Congratulations to both for outstanding rounds of golf.



Director Tom Taylor presents Low Net Plaque to
Harold Lysher of Quail Valley



Director Tom Taylor presents Low Gross Plaque to
Tom Lonergan of Musket Ridge

DIVISION VI 2-MAN TEAM QUALIFIER

On June 28th, Division VI held its 2-Man Team Qualifier at Walden Golf Club amid temperatures in the high 90s. Qualifying for the State Finals at Holly Hills on Monday, August 16th were the three teams with the lowest gross scores and eleven teams with the lowest net scores. Seven teams in all earned gift certificates.

NET WINNERS – 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Places

GROSS WINNERS – 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Places



- 1st:** Pat Catignani, Gary Rottman (BOWIE) - 62
- 2nd:** Jerry Moxley, Russ Stoneman (PATUXENT GREENS) - 62
- 3rd:** Steve Carter, Richard Myers (WALDEN) - 64



- 1st:** Ed Muldoon, Bob Rehman (U. MARYLAND) - 70
- 2nd:** Jim Gallagher, John Deming (CROFTON) - 74
- 3rd:** Don Chambers, Trevor Gillespie (WALDEN) - 74

4TH PLACE NET



The seventh gift certificate was earned by the 4th Place Net team of Peter Sorge and Dwight Short of National (Tantallon) with a net score of 65.