

## Tournament Reviews—Legacy Golf Resort

A season high 50 SGL golfers took on a wet Legacy Golf Resort last Saturday. The conditions made the course play longer than usual and it showed in the scores, as the average gross was 94.5 and average net 75.0. Jeff Thursam posted the day's low gross with a 78, while John Wilhelm, Marc Caporrimo and Doug Swearingen all tied for low net with 66.

For the second week in a row, we had a very low birdie rate. There were just 14 of them, made by 10 different players on 9 of the holes. John Wilhelm led the way with 3. The toughest hole was the already-long-and-playing-into-the-wind par-4 12<sup>th</sup>, at an average of 1.66 strokes over par. The easiest was the drop-a-wedge-between-the-four-corner-bunkers 7<sup>th</sup> at +0.66.

John's net 66 was the result of a gross 79 and good for a Flight 1 victory. Marc Caporrimo continued his recent hot play, scoring 81/66 to take Flight 2. Mike Tobin took a step forward in his cranial-rectal inversion therapy and won Flight 3 at 92/70. Doug Swearingen went 91/66 to take Flight 4, and Ron Sweat topped a crowded Callaway group with 99/72.

Joe Pilewicz' birdie on the 3<sup>rd</sup> plus three carryovers at the end gave him the most Gross Skins on the day with 6. Marc's birdie on the 4<sup>th</sup> and one carryover put him at the top of the Net Skins list with 5.

Five par-threes means five CTPs and they went to Rick Schreiber on the 4<sup>th</sup>, newcomer Mark Huttanus on the 7<sup>th</sup>, JR Blaszek on the 11<sup>th</sup>, John on the 15<sup>th</sup> and George Banach on #17.

John, Joe, Marc and JR cashed in on a healthy Deuce pot. John also led the way in Low Putts with 28.

John earned the season's first "golden payday", winning in all six games. He earned \$33 for his flight win, \$36 for the Low Putts, \$12 in Gross Skins, \$25 in Net Skins, \$40 for the CTP and \$20 for the Deuce. The total? \$166. Congratulations on the two free rounds, John!

## Next Up—Grand Canyon University

This week will find us at the Grand Canyon University golf course on the west side of Phoenix. The former Phoenix muni known as Maryvale was purchased by the school a few years back. They put \$10 million into renovating it, adding contour and bunkering. The result is a fun, traditional parkland course.

Note: For the first time in a while, we will have tee times rather than a shotgun start. The first will be at 7:30.



*135 acres of urban golf—the Grand Canyon University golf course*

## Another SQL Qualifier

We have another SGL qualifier in the AGA Club Team Championship. Jeff and Tyler Thursam made it through the Hogan Flight at Wigwam's Heritage course on November 19. They did so by making a clutch birdie putt on their last hole and in the process knocked the SGL team of Brian Dempster and Gary Moffitt out of qualification.

The Thursams will join the team of Marc Caporrino and Jeff Henson, who will compete in the Nelson Flight at the finals at Moon Valley Country Club on December 9. Good luck, guys, and way to represent SGL!

## Not Too Late For Ringers

Just a quick reminder that you can still sign up for Ringers. We currently have 46 entries. The entry fee is \$25. The next Ringers round at Longbow is on December 14.

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