Tournament Review—Ringing it Up at Longbow

Forty-seven players showed up at Longbow on Saturday, most of whom were trying to improve their lot in Round 3 of Ringers amid the steady buzz of Falcon Field takeoffs. Jeff Thursam turned in the low round of the day with a solid 75, while Nandita Shah posted the low net at 67.

The field averages were 90.7 gross and 76.7 net. The hardest hole was once again the well-guarded par-4 6th, playing to an average of 1.47 strokes over par. The easiest was the par-3 3rd at +0.74.

We made 28 birdies by 17 different players on 15 holes. Jeff, Elmer Schmidt and Dan Shumaker each had three. Jeff Coughran added an eagle on the par-5 15th. That's the second time that hole has yielded an eagle in this year's Ringers.

Elmer went 77/69 to win Flight 1. Jared Nielsen claimed Flight 2 with 84/72. Mike Tobin topped Flight 3 at 88/71 and Nandita's 67 was off a gross of 100, giving her the Flight 4 victory. Scott Ragland won a two-player Callaway field at 78/72.

Skins were widely distributed this week, with no one winning more than one in Gross or Net.

Gross (\$20)			Net (\$14)			
Player	Hole	Result	Player	Hole	Result	
Amy Arnold	2	Birdie	Amy Arnold	2	Birdie/net eagle	
Ron Sweat	9	Birdie	Mike Tobin	8	Birdie/net eagle	
Mark Pfeffer	14	Birdie	Ron Sweat	9	Birdie/net eagle	
Jeff Coughran	15	Eagle	Richard Pilewicz	10	Par/net eagle	
Dan Gallegos	18	Birdie	Jandy Johnson	11	Birdie/net eagle	
		Nandita Shah	13	Birdie/net albatross		
			Mark Pfeffer	14	Birdie/net eagle	
			Jeff Coughran	15	Eagle/net albatross	

Elmer earned a CTP for the second week in a row, this time coming within a foot of an ace on the 3rd hole. The others went to Dave Delano on #7, George Banach on #11 and Ben Goodwin on #16.

It was a big week for Deuces. Elmer made one on #3 and Dan and Jim Bieleniewicz did so on the 7th. Jandy Johnson had one on 11 and Ben, Jeff Thursam and Amy Arnold all dropped one on 16. Jeff Coughran's eagle also drew from that pot.

Ron Sweat tamed the fast greens to the tune of 25 putts to win Low Putts.

Elmer topped a list of 23 money winners with \$83.

Next Up—Longbow, Ringers Round 4

Same bat time. Same bat channel. Longbow. Ringers. 7:30 tee times.



The 6th at Longbow now ranks as the toughest in this year's Ringers, especially when the pin is back left.

Bunching Up in Ringers—Round 3 Update

Flight changes, players completing their second rounds and third-rounders chasing those elusive strokes combined to create a lot of movement in the standings after Round 3 of Ringers at Longbow.

With the exception of Jeff Henriksen's seven-stroke lead in Flight 4 Gross, things are as tight as they can be heading to the final two rounds. A lot of final positioning will likely come down to tiebreakers, so you want to be as solid as possible on the first few handicap holes, which are #s 4, 14, 9 and 10.

Flights are now frozen for the remainder of the competition. With 55 total players, we will be paying four spots in gross and four in net for all flights. A reminder, you can not win in both gross and net.

Here are your top four in each flight as of the conclusion of Round 3. Click the links for full gross and net standings.

Flight	Player	Gross	Player	Net
1	Dan Shumaker	65	Gerry Owsianny	58*
	Gerry Owsianny	67	Dan Shumaker	58
	Bob Owen	68	Bob Owen	58
	Jeff Thursam	69	Rick Schreiber	59
2	Anthony Uribe	70	Al Palange	53
	Al Palange	71	Anthony Uribe	57
	Mark Pfeffer	73	Amy Arnold	58
	John Wilhelm	74*	Mark Pfeffer	58
3	George Banach	73	Mike Tobin	54
	Mike Tobin	75	June Vutrano	55
	Val LeChuga	76	Patrick Tacderan	56
	Prag Shah	78	Prag Shah	57
4	Jeff Henriksen	75	Jeff Henriksen	53
	Richard Pilewicz	82	Nandita Shah	54
	Ted Robinson	83	Frank Vutrano	57
	Rich Perry	85	Rich Perry	58

* Tied for position, but currently owns tiebreaker

Score Posting

If you were not aware, your league scores are now automatically being posted after each round. If you are doing so yourself, you will end up with double postings and a mess trying to get things back in order.

Please do remember to post your non-league scores. With your GHIN and SGL handicaps now one and the same, it is important to the integrity of league play that you post them in a timely and accurate fashion.

Summer Schedule Published

Have you made summer plans yet? Of course, you haven't, because COVID-19! But, you can plan your SGL summer, because the <u>schedule</u> is now posted at the website.

Course Acquisition Director June Vutrano just keeps getting better at her job. Here are some of the highlights:

- Two private venues—Flagstaff Ranch in Flagstaff and Capital Canyon in Prescott
- Flagstaff Ranch is part of a two-day trip up north, combining with Continental Country Club
- Both highly-ranked We-Ko-Pa courses are on the docket
- Troon North (Monument) is set for August
- The Summer Series playoffs will take place on both Grayhawk courses
- eSignups are available now.

Do You Own an SGL Logo Shirt?

Just a reminder that SGL has logoed golf shirts available through the website. The shirts come in all sizes and eleven different colors and are just \$30. Have yours available for the playoffs by ordering <u>here</u>.

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