Great Day at Cannon Golf Club

Host superintendent Jeff Backstrom, Cannon Golf Club, and his staff had their course in wonderful shape for MGCSA members who attended the June meeting in Cannon Falls on June 16th.

The superintendents gathered and discussed their courses and visited with friends. Cannon Golf Club supplied a great lunch before golf and hors d'oeuvres after.

Walt Braunig, of Thompson Oak GC, led his team of David Kirscht, of David Kirscht & Associates; Tom Little, of Minnesota Golf Cars, and Greg Pint, of New Prague GC, to the championship of the first MGCSA Mixer of the year. They posted a score of 20-under par. The event was a Best Net 2-Ball.

The second place team of Jeff Langevin, Par Aide Products Co.; David Zimmer, Chisago Lakes Golf Estates; Bob Fredericks, MTI Distributing Co.; Shaughn Erickson, Manitou Ridge Golf Club, and Troy Carson, University of Minnesota, fired a score of 19-under par.

There were three field events. Steve Busch, Long Lake Tractor, hit the big drive of the day. Jerry Bibbey, Life Member, sank the longest putt and Cliff Reynolds, Zumbrota Golf Club, had the closest shot to the ninth hole.

The MGCSA extends thanks to Jeff Backstrom and Cannon Golf Club for hosting the event.

The next MGCSA meeting will be the MGCSA Scholarship Scramble at Hidden Creek in Owatonna. The afternoon shotgun is full. Morning tee times are still available for teams wishing to participate.
Mike Redmond and John Queensland

Cannon Golf Club provided a great lunch!

Charlie Pooch and Dick Grundstrom.

Willis Krahn focuses in on enjoying his lunch.

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