Provo, Parske, Peters & Eckholm Win Spring Mixer at Brackett’s Crossing

Host Superintendent Tom Proshek provided MGCSA members with a superb day at Brackett’s Crossing Country Club. The staff at Brackett’s served a great lunch and snacks after golf (which some people thought was their dinner.) Thanks go to Steve Jensen and R.J. Kieber for their help scoring the event. Brackett’s Crossing supplied MGCSA members with free carts for the first mixer of the year.

Seventy two members attended the May 8th Meeting including 68 golfers. Jon Powell was the guest speaker and updated members on his Cover Study taking place at Rolling Green Country Club. Jon will have an in depth report on this study in a future issue of Hole Notes.

The team of Barry Provo, Le Sueur CC; Dale Parske, Turf Supply Co.; Eric Peters, Southbrook GC, and Paul Eckholm, CGCS, Heritage Links GC, won a scorecard playoff to capture the first mixer of the year. They scored a 17-under-par 125 in the best net 2-ball format.

The second place team consisted of Jeff Forsberg, The Tessman Co., Dennis Salwei, UHS, Scott Elsenpeter, Pheasant Acres, and Daryl Scheerhoorn, PBI Gordon.

Third place honors went to Chuck Tuthill, Thief River GC, Dave Oberle, DTN Weather, Bob Frank, MTI Distributing Co., and Eric Ritter, Brackett’s Crossing CC. They finished two shots back at 127.

Five field events were won by three players. Eric Ritter finished closest to the pin on hole number 5. Jeff Forsberg won the closest to the pin on 12 and also won the longest drive. Bill MacDonald, E-Z-GO, captured two closest to the pins on holes 2 and 16.