

July Golf Meeting: Rainshowers Notwithstanding,



Weather warnings, wall clouds and a couple steady downpours marked the morning hours of July 8, but the lightning abated to permit a slightly delayed 12:30 p.m. shotgun start at Foxford Hills Golf Club in Cary, site for the July golf meeting.



Hosts Tom Jauch (L) and Ernest Johnson (R) with Tony Kalina.

Despite the rain (Foxford Hills tallied more than 0.6" that morning), superintendent **Tom Jauch**, CGCS and site superintendent **Ernest Johnson** had the course—a **Tim Nugent** design now in its sophomore season—in terrific condition for the senior championship. **Tom Robinson**, with low gross, adds his name to the Elmer Bertucci Trophy; low net honors went to **Dave Nadler**. In the Super Seniors division, **Lynn Wesson** and **Hans Hoppfan** were low gross and net, respectively, while **Pat**

McDonagh and **Mike Nielsen** took honors in the regular flight.

Closest-to-the-hole prizes went to **Dan Murray**, **Tom Savage**, **Kenny Goodman** and **Mark Stephan**, while the distinction of longest drive belonged to **Dave Behrman**, **Tom Robinson** and **Harry Nielsen**. Despite cheerleading efforts by this editor, the day's photographer **A.J. Huey** of Simplot Partners and **Patti Thorson** of Illinois Lawn—all of whom spent the entire afternoon stationed on no. 17 despite a sustained cloudburst—nobody shot a hole-in-one to take home the red Dodge truck sponsored by GolfVisions (although shots by **Mark Stephan** and **Pat McDonagh** had us holding our breath). Happily, the rain did not dampen **MAGCS** generosity as \$465 was donated to the Cary Children's Center for Autism.

Darrick Robbins, assistant superintendent at Ridgemoor Country Club, did a stellar job in providing the morning's education, which was approved by GCSAA for 0.1 educa-

tion points under the new PDI system—a Midwest first! In all respects, too, the day's hospitality was outstanding, with participants enjoying the amenities of a lovely new clubhouse, friendly service and a hearty, lavish spread after golf.

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Nobody aced hole no. 17 to drive away in this Dodge truck.

Foxford Hills Shines



(L to R) Fred Behnke, Kevin DeRoo, Trent Bradford and Don Ferreri.



(L to R) Darrick Robbins and Luke Cella.



(L to R) Jerry Dinelli, Dave Arden, Curt Franklin and Tim Nugent.



(L to R) Gary Hearn, Scott Speiden, Sean Creed and Jim Meyer with the hole-in-one truck that nobody won.



(L to R) Steve Bychowski, Keith Johnson and Mark Stephan.



(L to R) Dave Oberle, Tony Kalina and Russ Stratton didn't get the hole-in-one.