

ROCK RIVER HOSTS JULY MEETING

By Tom Schwab

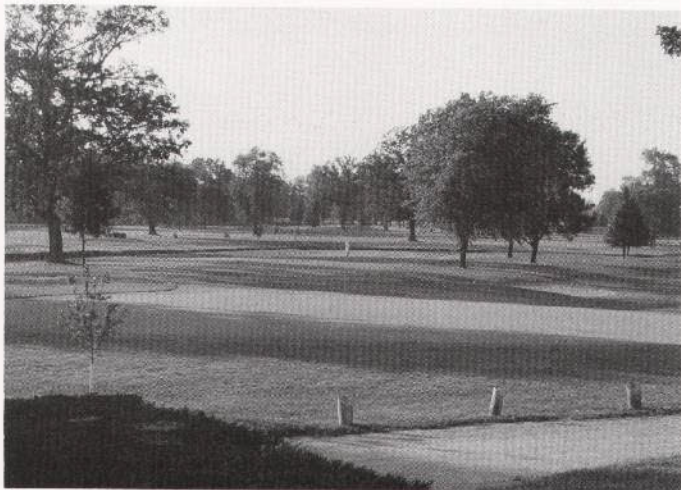
On July 16th, the WGCSA had the privilege of visiting Rock River Country Club in Waupun for its monthly meeting. The meeting was hosted by superintendent Rick Shell who had just accepted the position of superintendent a couple of weeks previously. He must not have rested in those two weeks because the course was in meticulous shape from tee to green. Rick expressed much of the thanks should go to previous superintendent, Kris Pinkerton, for his obvious part in conditioning the course to what it is today. Together these two made our golf experience one to savor.

Rock River was one meeting you should not have missed. The nine-hole layout moved our eighteen foursomes around without any delays. Every hole was of great interest the way it wound through the mature stand of trees. What especially caught my eyes was the well designed bunkering. The members made us feel so welcome also. On

one hole two members drove up to us and told us how best to play our tee shot and also told us some interesting history of Rock River. In the clubhouse some other members greeted us, told us how glad they were to have us there and welcomed us back anytime. You can be sure I'll take them up on that.

The day's four-man best ball event winners were: **first place with a combined score of 55 (each earning \$25):** Doug DeVries, Mat Walker, Gordy Waddington, Dan Williams; **tied for second with a 56 (each earning \$15):** Tom Schwab, Pat Norton, Dennis Robinson, Glenn Gerth, and Jim Wunrow, Dave Murgatroyd, Jeff Ruesch, Dale Marach; **third place with a 57 (each earning \$10):** Rod Johnson, Steve Schmidt, Mark Kienert, Bruce Worzella.

Flag event winners (each winning \$15) were: Lee Merkel, #7 closest to pin; Scott Schaller, #3 longest drive; Al Nees, #5 closest in two; and Steve Schmidt, #9 longest putt.



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WGCSA Director Tom Schwab announces event winners.

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