

WGCSA At Lake Wisconsin

By David Brandenburg

Fifty-six WGCSA members met at Lake Wisconsin Country Club on July 10th to enjoy the great conditions provided by host Superintendent Kendall Marquardt. Our July meeting represents a midway point in our season and is a good way to relieve some midsummer stress with sun, golf and conversation.

For those who have not been to Lake Wisconsin it provides a variety of golf holes with elevation changes, island tees and holes set into the woods. All this overlooks beautiful Lake Wisconsin which provided a nice summer breeze. Kendall and his staff must of worked hard as the golf course was in excellent condition.

Our event for the day was a two man bestball with Rod Johnson and Bruce Worzella winning the gross division, followed by Scott Schaller and Mark Kienert in second and Joe Kessenich and Steve Barrit in third. In the net division Jim Ferry and Conrad Stynchula took first place followed by Don Stein and Larry Lennert in second with Mike Lees and Ron Gruenwald in third.

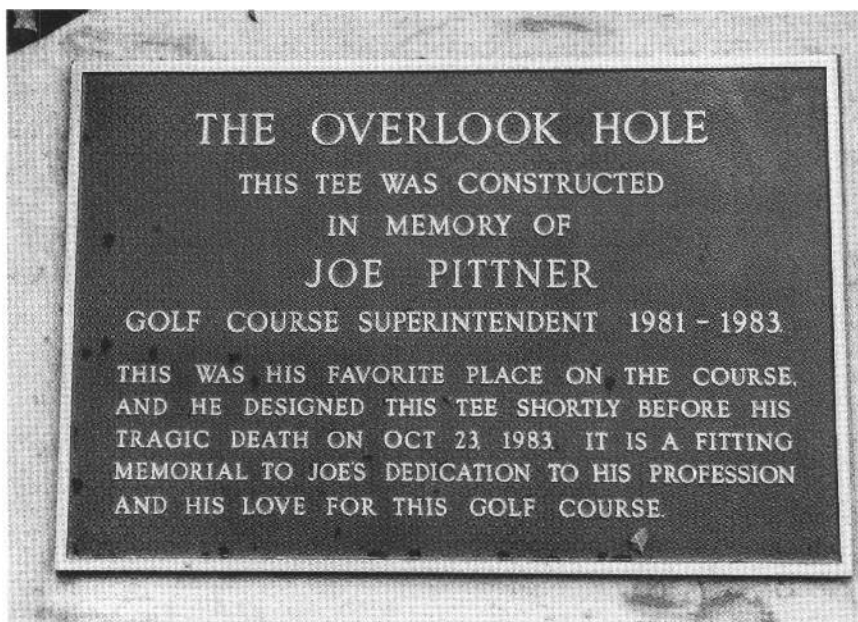
Flag event winners were Chuck Frazier, Rod Johnson, Dan King, Ernie Urbahn, Andy Kronwall, Todd Crambitt, Jim Shaw, Derek Knedler, John Gallus, Mark Kienert and John Maguire. The flag event prizes were provided by Hanleys, Reinders, Wisconsin Turf and the Lake Wisconsin Pro Shop.

Our thanks go to them for providing and Kendall for asking.

It was a treat to work with Ray Kizer the Lake Wisconsin Golf Professional for close to 30 years, as he and his staff were very helpful scoring the event. Many thanks go to Kendall and the entire Lake Wisconsin staff for providing a wonderful meeting. 🙏



The "overlook hole" at Lake Wisconsin CC. The lake is visible on the horizon, through the haze of this humid July day.



A bronze plaque honoring Joseph Pittner. To those who knew him, it doesn't seem he's been gone for a dozen years.



Ray Kizer has been the golf pro at Lake Wisconsin for many years. Bruce Worzella took this picture of a plaque honoring Ray's father Roy at an Austin, Texas municipal course during the GCSAA golf tourney in 1993. Few are so fondly remembered...