



WGCSA Member - Guest Meeting Held at Oneida Golf and CC

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Although Green Bay is best known for the frigid temperatures and frozen tundra of Lambeau Field it was the hot and humid weather of August 9th that greeted the attendees who came to our August 9th meeting. Our host Mark Storby and staff did a great job of preparing the beautiful club for our annual Member - Guest meeting.

The 18-hole course features a 6,523 yard par 72 layout, with a course rating of 71.8 and a slope rating of 131. The course was designed by Stanley Pelchar, and opened in 1928.

Thankfully the air conditioning was working in the beautiful clubhouse where the morning education session was held. Mr. Bruce Williams, CGCS was our guest speaker and his pres-

entation of "Challenges Facing Golf in 2010 and Beyond" was enjoyed by all. Mr. Williams drew upon his years of experience in our industry that stretched from Chicago to California as a Superintendent and also as a past President of the GCSAA. Mr. Williams is currently the Director of Business Development at Valley Crest Golf Maintenance. The presentation keyed on "doing more with less" and the "new normal" that golf operations across the country are facing in the present economic downturn.

After a great lunch the 84 golfers headed out to play the beautiful golf course. The weather was hot and humid but the challenging and picturesque course was worth the steamy conditions. The golf event was a two

person best ball format. Gross division winners were Bill Lindmark and Rick Warpinski who shot 69. Second was Peter Meyer and Joe Brown with a 71 and third place went to Mike Skenadore and Ed Millikin with a 73. Net division winners were Scott Schaller and Jason Van Rossum with a score of 60. Mark Storby and Brian Kindle were able to take second with a 63 and third place went to Greg Kallenberg and Steve Tatro with a score of 64.

Closest to Pin

- #3 Omar Zalvidas
- #8 David Busse
- #11 Steve Van Acker
- #17 Bob Lohmann

Long Drives

- #1 Ed Millikin
- #18 Bill Lindmark

Closest in Two

- #7 Scott Bartosh
- #16 Peter Meyer

Thanks to our generous Industry Partners who sponsor our Golf Meetings all winners received pro shop credit prizes. 🌿



View from Clubhouse Vista



The Oneida Country Club Clubhouse

The 164 yard 8th Hole at Oneida Country Club



The 524 yard par 5 9th Hole at Oneida Country Club.