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Stillwater CC Wins Scholarship Scramble At Dacotah Ridge Golf Club in Morton

The sun was shining for the 2001 Scholarship Scramble at Dacotah Ridge Golf Club in Morton, Minn. Thirty-six teams competed on this Rees Jones layout that opened in 2000.

The foursome of Jeff Gajdostik, Max Windmiller, Todd Samarzia and Adam Larson from Stillwater CC battled the ever-changing wind to shoot a 12-under-par 60 in this year's event. They eagled the par 4, 17th hole and also carded 10 birdies.

Finishing second was the team of Chad Belland, Oneka Ridge GC; Tom Stout, Deep Tine, LLC; Dennis Salwei, United Horticulture Supply, and Tom Notch, Bent Creek GC. They won a scorecard playoff with the team from Koronis Hills GC -- Brad Deyak, Jason Ruhoff, Jeff Meyer and Tom Ramier; both teams fired a 61.

Defending champions from Albany Golf Club, Tom Kasner and Mickey Saatzer playing with Mike Kasner and Scot Milstroh of Wapicada Golf Club won a scorecard playoff with the host team from Dacotah Ridge Golf Club -- Mike Nelson, Tony Rahe, Riley Kieffer and Jesse Kodet. Both teams shot a 62.

Host Superintendent Mike Nelson and Pro Peter Kurvers along with their staffs provided wonderful accommodations for the scramble. Mike had the course in excellent condition. (See Results on Page 14)



Winners of the 2001 MGCSA Scholarship Scramble from Stillwater Country Club are, from the left, Max Windmiller, Todd Samarzia, Adam Larson and Jeff Gajdostik.

There were six field events. The four closest-to-the-pin winners were Tad Lestico, Worthington CC, Dave Van Valenburg, Chisago Lakes Golf Estates; Bruce Leland and Kurt Sieve, Alexandria GC. David Kirscht, David Kirscht & Associates, sank the longest putt on the ninth hole. Chris Dybeveck, Worthington CC, hit the longest drive of the day.

The July meeting will be at the University of Minnesota field plots on July 26. All MGCSA members registering through the Association will receive a free box lunch. On August 20 the MGCSA will have its Championship at Wayzata Country Club.

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