



BRUCE LELAND

Repeats as MGCSA Amateur Champion at Saint Croix National Golf Course

The MGCSA Championship had a great day for golf at Saint Croix National Golf Course in Somerset, Wis. on August 12 when host superintendent Kevin Clunis and his staff provided a brand new course.

Saint Croix National has only had nine holes open for about a month and the other nine holes for a couple of weeks. One-hundred and two players found out Saint Croix National will be a very difficult course.

KFAN Sports radio show hosts Chad Hartman and Dan Barreiro broadcasted their show from the patio.

Affiliate member Bruce Leland, Continental Bridge, shot a 77 to defend the 1995 title he won at Baker National. Tom Notch, Rush Creek, posted a 78 to finish runner-up; Chuck Egeberg, Clifton Hollow, had a 79 for third place honors and Steve Tomaszewski, Manitou Ridge, finished fourth with an 80.

The senior title went to John Beyer, Pine Meadows, who shot 88 for a net 68. Dick Grundstrom, Indian Hills, was runner-up at net 77.

Scot Ender, Ruffridge-Johnson, was the First Flight winner by shooting a 79 (net 68). Eric Sundet, Hastings CC, had an 84 (net 70) for second place.

David Krueger, Crow River, won the second flight with 99 (net 71), and John Granholt, Eau Claire CC, took second place with a 96 (net 71).

Callaway flight winner was Northfield's Scott Wersal with a net 71.

Thanks go to Craig Linder, the golf professional at Saint Croix National, and Chad Tucker, assistant professional, for their help at the Championship.



MGCSA Amateur Champion Bruce Leland, right, accepts congratulations from MGCSA President James Gardner after defending his title at Saint Croix National Golf Course on August 12. (See Results on Page 27.)