



Tippecanoe Lake C. C. Recap: July 9, 2018

The MSGA's fifth tournament of the 2018 season was held at Tippecanoe Lake C. C. in Leesburg, IN on July 9th.

The Tournament was the eighth time the MSGA has played at Tippecanoe Lake C. C. Tippy Lake is a beautiful old golf course first opened in 1926 and is always a great venue for the players.

The weather was very nice for the day with sunshine and warm temperatures and a perfect day for golf as indicated by the overall scoring. The golf course was in great condition throughout.

The turnout was pretty normal for a July event with 95 players entered a number nearly equal to the past few events at Tippy Lake.

The course played quite easy as overall with handicaps, 33 players bested par of 70 while nine others matched par (45% of players). For the 93 players who finished, the average Gross score was 87.9 with 71.2 as the average Net score, just 1.2 shots over par of 70.

In the Individual Medal competition, Tom Knoll led the field with an even par 70. His round included two birdies and two bogies. Tom was followed by Bryan Boettger (72) and John Hampton and John Hulewicz with 73's. Twelve others shot in the 70's.

In the Net competition, Don Rogers led with an excellent net 58. He was followed closely by Greg Dupont (60), Fred Hillis (61) and Brian Chalik (62). Twenty-nine others bested par of 70. In Flight E (played from the forward tees), Wayne Slabach with a fine net 63 led and was followed by Jim Hutton with 65 and Ken Everett with 66.

In the Skins competition, Vern Sawyer and Greg Dupont were the only multiple winners with two skins each. In total, there were 25 skins in the five flights. In the Closest-to-the-Pin contest, Vern Sawyer's shot on the 144-yard Hole #3 that finished 3' 9" from the hole was the best of the day.

Congratulations to award winners in all the flights. The complete list of award winners can be found on the Tournament Results tab.

In the season long Brady Cup competition, Jon Huffman continues in first place with 970 points, followed closely by Steve Stone with 960 points. Brian Chalik (900), Jerry Giolitto (850) and John Spensley (795) round out the top five positions.