

# THE PGA TOUR BOOK 1976

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### The Tournament Policy Board

The Tournament Players Division of the Professional Golfers' Association of America conducts the tournament program, known as the PGA Tour. Policy for the Tour is established by a 10-member Tournament Policy Board, composed of the following:

Four Player Directors, elected by the TPD membership. A Player Director serves as Vice President and Executive Committeeman of the PGA.

Three Independent Directors, representing the public interest. One serves as Chairman of the Board. This year, it is Lewis A. Lapham of New York, N.Y.

Three PGA Directors, the national officers of the PGA of America, President, Secretary and Treasurer. Henry Poe, President of the PGA, is Vice-Chairman of the Policy Board.

A Players Advisory Council consults with the Policy Board.

The Policy Board appoints the Commissioner as chief executive and administrative officer. The Tournament Staff, under the Tournament Director, conducts tournament play.



Bert Yancey Haverford, Pa. Player Director



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Dave Stockton Westlake Village, Ca Player Director



## A Message From DEANE R. BEMAN The Commissioner

The PGA Tour is a unique part of the American sports scene, unique because tournament golfers are unlike any other professional athlete n these important aspects: Each player on the Tour must pay his own expenses; no one is guaranteed a penny in advance of teeing off; and, each player is unsalaried and must make his livelihood based soley on his performance under the most intense competition. Obviously, the world of professional tournament golf is far different than any other sport.

Our partnership with sponsors of tournaments is another facet of the Tour which makes the sport unique. We have a new partner each week and in a different locale from the previous week's. Because of this partnership, our objectives must be consistent with those of our various sponsors. These are, generally, to develop interest in the game; to assist with the financial development of local charities; and, to have a role in community projects since, happily, most of our tournaments are local happenings. We are pleased to join in programs which bring people together.

Our chief goal in conducting the PGA Tour is three-fold: To present the highest level of competitive golf; to serve the game and to help increase interest in it by the play of our members; and, to provide an example of integrity and good sportsmanship.

Mr. Beman was appointed Commissioner of the PGA Tournament Players Division on March 1, 1974. A former player, he won four Tour events as well as numerous amateur titles including the 1960 and 1963 U.S. Amateur Championships and the 1959 British Amateur Championship.

#### JACK TUTHILL

#### Tournament Director



One of the most respected men in the game, Jack Tuthill has been a prominent part of professional golf since he joined the Tour staff in 1960. He was named to the position of Tournament Director in 1964 and directs, supervises and administers all cosponsored events on the PGA Tour.

He also supervises the work of the entire Tournament Staff, assists in the formulating and coordinating of tournament planning and policy, and serves as a consulting member of the USGA's Rules of Golf Committee.

Jack was graduated from Cortland State College and has a master's degree from Ithica State College, both in his native state of New York.



#### Steve Reid

Broadcast & Film Coordinator

A resident of Winter Park, Fla., Steve joined the Headquarters Staff in the spring of 1974 after nine years as a regular member of the Tour. He won the 1968 Azalea Open in a playoff over Gary Player. He is the principal advisor and point of contact for the PGA Tour in matters pertaining to televising and filming of Tour events.



#### Frank Tutera

Planning & Projects
Coordinator

Frank joined the Headquarters Staff in January, 1972, and his duties involve advance planning and expediting special projects for the Commissioner. His major projects include the Qualifying School, the Tournament Players Championship and the World Series of Golf. He is a graduate of Fordam University and also attended Southern Methodist University Law School.

#### **The Tournament Staff**



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Joe Schwendeman

#### Director of Communications

The position of Director of Communications for the PGA Tour is a new one for the organization. Broadly speaking, the Director of Communications is responsible to the Commissioner for the direction and coordination of the overall communications program of the PGA Tour — including relations with the press, radio and television media, tournament sponsors, members of the TPD and the golf community across the nation.

Of special interest to our friends in the media, the Director of Communications will supervise all press releases, tournament statistics, player data, press badges — everything, in short, that involves the PGA Tour and representatives of the media.

Joe Schwendeman, the TPD's first Public Information Director, was named Director of Communications effective December 1, 1975. Formerly the golf writer for the Philadelphia, Pa., Evening and Sunday Bulletin, Schwendeman had been editor of the Golf Journal, official publication of the United States Golf Association, before rejoining the PGA Tour.



**Tom Place** 

## Public Information Director "A Special Thanks to the Media"

The PGA Tour continues to grow and certainly a healthy part of its success can be traced to the invaluable assistance given by the Media. We sincerely appreciate your help and support in telling the story of the Tour—the stories of the competition and the people who play the game.

We want to continue to help you in your coverage of tournament play and hope the 1976 TOUR BOOK—designed especially for the Media—will make your job a little easier.

The Public Information staff includes:

Joe Schwendeman returns to the PGA Tour staff as the Director of Communications and will be headquartered in the Washington office.

Tom Place remains as the Public Information Director and, as in the past, will be on the Tour at most of the tournament sites.

Patti Fritz is our Public Information Secretary in the headquarters office.

Please feel free to call on any of us for assistance with your special Tour projects, from photographs to features.

The Headquarters telephone number is: Code 301/986-1550.

#### Al Geiberger . . .

... Winner of the Second Tournament Players Championship and the Joseph C. Dey, Jr., Trophy



It was Al Geiberger's tournament right from the start, although there surely were some moments during the final afternoon when the lanky Southern Californian was wondering if the Tournament Players Championship crown really was to be his.

At the close of each day's play, though, his was the name at the summit of the leader board. Most important, his was the name to be inscribed on the beautiful Joseph C. Dey, Jr., Trophy.

Competing on the difficult Colonial Country Club course in Fort Worth, Tex., Geiberger managed to avoid the treacherous Trinity River, the menacing rough, the troublesome Pecan trees and the late summer heat and humidity to win the title by three strokes over his close friend, Dave Stockton.

He won the first-place check for \$50,000, as he recorded such splendid scores of 66, 68, 67 and 69 for his 10-under par total of 270. Stockton, bouyed by a second-day 64, was at 273 and earned \$28,500. Hubert Green, who had a second-day 65, finished third at 275 and won \$17,750.

Jack Nicklaus, winner of the inaugural Tournament Players Championship at the Atlanta Country Club in 1974, had his problems. His 67-75-70-75-287 only was good for a tie for 18th.

Geiberger tied the competitive course record in the Pro-Amateur with a seven-under par 63. Then he started. His opening 31-35-66 included seven birdies and two bogies, but he birdied four of his final five holes. His lead was by one over Nicklaus, Bob Dickson and Hale Irwin.

The next day, he penciled in a 68, so now stood at six-under par 134 and his nearest challengers were two-strokes away—Dickson, Stockton and Green.

During the third afternoon, Geiberger birdied three of the back nine holes after playing the front side in even par for a 67 and a 54-hole score of nine-under par 201. This established a competitive low for Colonial. Jerry Heard stood at 202 n 1972 when he went on to win the Colonial National Invitation Tournament.

Stockton now was alone in second place, but three strokes away and Green was five back.

Finally, when everyone was looking for Geiberger to pad his margin, he suddenly started to falter. He birdied one and three, but suffered critical bogeys at five, seven and eight for a one-over 36 on the front. Stockton was charging. He bird ed one, and then six, and when his 16 footer for a birdie dropped at the ninth, he moved into the lead by a stroke.

Dave couldn't maintain the pace. Geiberger evened it with a birdie at the 11th. A bogey at the 12th when he drove into the difficult rough dropped him one back again, but he quickly followed with a 12 footer at the par three 13th and an 18 footer at the 15th. Stockton's steam evaporated with a bogey at the 14th after he drove into the rough and another at the par three 16th when he three putted from a long distance.

## Jack Nicklaus . . . . . . PGA Player of the Year

#### His Brillian 1975 . .

Date of			1	Round	8		Total	s	Scoring	Money
Tournament	Tournament Name	Pos.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Strokes	Rnds	Average	Earnings
01/26/75	Bing Crosby National Pro-Am	T6	71	7.4	72	72	289	4	72.3	\$ 5,318
02/03/75	Hawaiian Open	T14	68	74	70	69	281	4	71.3	3,300
02/23/75	Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open	3	69	75	71	65	280	4	70.8	10,650
03/02/75	Jackie Gleason Inverrary Golf									
1	Classic	3	67	69	66	73	275	4	70.3	18,460
03/13/75	Doral-Eastern Open		69	70	69	68	278	4	70.1	30,000
03/30/75	Sea Pines Heritage Golf Classic	THE PARTY OF	66	63	74	68	271	4	69.7	40,000
04*10*75	Masters	1	68	67	73	68	276	4	69.6	40,000
04/27/75	Tournament of Champions	T9	70	72	71	74	287	4	69.8	5,945
05/25/75	Danny Thomas Memphis Classic	T3	66	70	73	68	277	4	69.8	10,325
06/01/75	Atlanta Golf Classic	T4	68	73	67	69	277	4	69.7	9,300
06/23/75	U.S. Open	T7	72	70	75	72	289	4	70.0	7,500
07/27/75	Canadian Open	2	65	71	70	68	274	4	69.8	22,800
08/10/75	PGA Championship	1	70	68	67	71	276	4	69.8	45,000
08/24/75	Tournament Players Championship	T 18	67	75	70	75	287	4	69.9	3,250
09/11/75	World Open	1	70	7.1	70	69	280	4	69.9	40,000
10/05/75	Kaiser International Open	6	72	67	69	69	277	4	69.9	6,300
07/12/75	British Open*	Т3	69	71	68	72	280	4		8,154
99/07/75	World Series of Golf*	2	69	71			142	2		15,000

\*All scoring records and money figures are not calculated in PGA records.

# 1976 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

TV-Television Broadcasting

Network symbols mean event will be televised nationally: npany CBS—Columbia Broadcasting Company

ABC - American Broadcasting Company

2T - Second Tour Tournament

DT-Designated Tournament

Beains with the 1975 Southern Open through the 1976 Florida Citrus Open.

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Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am	Λ	1975 Winner
Jan. 8-11	NBC TUCSON OPEN 602/297-2271	Tucson National G.C. 8300 North Club Drive Tucson, AZ 85702	\$200,000	Jan. 7 \$7,500	NBC	Johnny Miller
Jan. 15-18	PHOENIX OPEN 602/263-5208	Phoenix C.C. 7th St. and Thomas Rd. Phoenix, AZ 85014	\$200,000	Jan. 14 \$10,000	CBS	Johnny Miller
Jan. 22-25	BING CROSBY NATIONAL PRO-AM 408/624-0663	Pebble Beach Golf Links Spyglass Hill G.C. Cypress Point Club	\$185,000	Jan. 22-25 \$30,000	ABC	Gene Littler
Jan. 29- Feb. 1	HAWAIIAN OPEN 808/734-2151	Waialae Country Club 4997 Kahala Ave. Honolulu, Hawaii 96816	\$230,000	Jan. 28 \$7,500	ABC	Gary Groh
Feb. 4-8	BOB HOPE DESERT CLASSIC Indian Wells C.C. (Host Club) 714/345-2561	Bermuda Dunes C.C. La Quinta C.C. Eldorado C.C.	\$180,000	Feb. 4-7 \$21,000	NBC	Johnny Miller
Feb. 12-15	ANDY WILLIAMS SAN DIEGO OPEN 714/453-0380	Torrey Pines Golf Club Box 51 La Jolla, CA 92037	\$180,000	Feb. 11 2@ \$5,000 \$10,000	CBS	J. C. Snead
Feb. 19-22	GLEN CAMPBELL LOS ANGELES OPEN 213/454-6591	Riviera C.C. 1250 Capri Pacific Palisades, CA 90272	\$185,000	Feb. 18 \$7,500	ABC	Pat Fitzsimons
Feb. 26-29	TOURNAMENT PLAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP (DT) 305/733-7550	Inverrary G. & C.C. Lauderhill, FL 33313	\$300,000	Feb. 25 \$7,500	ABC	Al Geiberger
Mar. 4-7	FLORIDA CITRUS OPEN 305/277-5121	Rio Pinar Country Club 8600 El Prado Drive	\$200,000	Mar. 3 \$7,500	NBC	Lee Trevino

SPRING TOUR

Begins with the Doral-Eastern Open through the Kemper Open.

Date Tournament

Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am	71	1975 Winner	
Mar. 11-14	<b>DORAL-EASTERN OPEN</b> 305/592-2000	Doral Country Club Blue Monster Course 4400 Northwest 87th Ave. Miami, FL 33166	\$200,000	Mar. 10 \$7,500	CBS	Jack Nicklaus	
Mar. 18-21	GREATER JACKSONVILLE OPEN 904/641-6100	Deerwood Club 10239 Golf Club Dr. Jacksonville, FL 32216	\$175,000	Mar. 17 2(a \$5,000 \$10,000		Larry Ziegier	
Mar. 25-28	SEA PINES HERITAGE CLASSIC 803/671-2446	Harbour Town Golf Links Hilton Head Island, South Carolina 29948	\$215,000	Mar. 24 \$7,500	CBS	Jack Nicklaus	
April 1-4	GREATER GREENSBORO OPEN 919/299-5324	Sedgefield C.C. 3207 Forsyth Drive Greensboro, NC 27407	\$230,000	Mar. 31 \$7,500	NBC	Tom Weiskopf	
April 8-11	THE MASTERS TOURNAMENT 404/733-4431	Augusta National G.C. Augusta, GA 30903	To be announced	None	CBS	Jack Nicklaus	
April 15-18	MONY TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS 714/729-9111	La Costa Country Club Costa del Mar Road Carlsbad, CA 92008	\$225,000	None	ABC	Al Geiberger	
April 15-18	<b>TALLAHASSEE OPEN</b> 904/385-5186	Killeam G. & C.C. Box 3286 Tallahassee, FL 32303	880,000	April 14 \$5,000		Rik Massengale	
April 22-25	1st NBC NEW ORLEANS OPEN 504/393-2610	Lakewood Country Club 4801 General DeGaulle Dr. New Orleans, LA 70114	\$175,000	April 21 \$7,500	NBC	Billy Casper	
Apr. 29- May 2	HOUSTON OPEN 713/353-1100	Woodlands Country Club 2301 Millbend Drive Conroe, TX 77301	\$200,000	April 28 \$10,000	CBS	Bruce Crampton	
May 6-9	BYRON NELSON GOLF CLASSIC 214/661-2600	Preston Trail G.C. 17201 Preston Trail Dr. Dallas, TX 75240	\$200,000	May 5 2@ \$5,000 \$10,000	ABC	Tom Watson	
May 13-16	COLONIAL NATIONAL INVITATION 817/926-4671	Colonial Country Club 3735 Country Club Cir. Fort Worth, TX 76109	\$200,000	May 12 \$7,500	CBS	(Hosted TPC)	

1975 Winner	Gene Littler		Tom Jenkins	Ray Floyd		Lou Graham	Hale Irwin	Art Wall	Roger Maltbie	Gene Littler	Tom Weiskopf	Roger Maltbie	Don Iverson	Jack Nicklaus
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Pro-Am	May 19 \$7,500	May 25 \$7,500	June 2 \$7,500	June 9 \$7,500		None	June 23 \$7,500	June 30 \$5,000	July 7 \$5,000	July 14 \$7,500	None	July 28 \$7,500	Aug. 4 \$7,500	None
Prize Money	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$250,000	JR	To be	\$200,000	\$130,000	\$100,000	\$300,000	\$200,000 (Canadian Funds)	\$200,000	\$200,000	To be
Location	Colonial Country Club 2736 Countrywood Pkwy. Cordova, TN 38018	Muirfield Village G.C. Box 565 Dublin, OH 43017	Whitemarsh Valley C.C. Box 9947 Chestnut Hill, PA 19118	Quail Hollow C.C. Box 17565 Charlotte, NC 28211	SUMMER TOUR	Golf Classic. Atlanta Athletic Club Atlanta GA 30300	Butter National G.C. Oak Brook, IL 60521	Tuckaway Country Club 6901 West Drexel Ave. Franklin, WI 53132	Oakwood Country Club Coal Valley, IL 61240	Westchester C.C. Rye, NY 10580	Essex G. & C.C. Windsor, Ontario CANADA	Pleasant Valley C.C. Armsby Road Sutton, MA 01527	En-Joie Golf Club Endicott, NY 13760	Congressional C.C. 8500 River Road
Tournament	DANNY THOMAS MEMPHIS CLASSIC 901/388-5370	MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT 614/889-9422	IVB-PHILADELPHIA GOLF CLASSIC 215/247-0900	KEMPER OPEN 704/364-0914		Begins with U.S. Open through the American Golf Classic.  U.S. OPEN Atlanta Athletic Advan-2-168 Atlanta GA 303	WESTERN OPEN 312/654-4454	GREATER MILWAUKEE OPEN 414/425-4280	ED McMAHON QUAD CITIES OPEN 309/799-3153	WESTCHESTER CLASSIC (DT) 914/967-6000	<b>CANADIAN OPEN</b> 519/734-1251	PLEASANT VALLEY CLASSIC 617/865-4441	B.C. OPEN 607/785-9849	PGA CHAMPIONSHIP
Date	May 20-23	May 27-30	June 3-6	June 10-13		Begins June	June 24-27	July 1-4	July 8-11	July 15-18	July 22-25	July 29- Aug. 1	Aug.	Aug.

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Oct. 28-31	PENSACOLA OPEN 904/455-7364	Pensacola Country Club 1500 Bayshore Drive Pensacola, FL 32507	\$125,000	Oct. 27 \$5,000		Jerry McGee	
Nov. 4-7	WALT DISNEY WORLD NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP 305/824-2200	Magnolia and Palm Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830	(Under r	(Under negotiation)		Jim Colbert/ Dean Refram	

# SECOND TOUR

Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am
Jan. 15-16	SUN CITY OPEN	Willowcreek G.C. Sun City, AZ	\$10,000	Jan. 14 \$1,500
Jan. 23-24	LITTLE CROSBY PRO-AM	Irvine Coast C.C. Newport Beach, CA		Jan. 23-24 \$10,000
April 8-11	MAGNOLIA CLASSIC	Hattiesburg C.C. Hattiesburg, MS	\$35,000	April 7 \$2,500
June 8	MINI-KEMPER	Carmel C.C. Charlotte, NC	\$15,000	None
June 28	CHILDREN'S MEMORIAL HOSPITAL PRO-AM CHAMPIONSHIP	Onwentsia Club Lake Forest, IL		June 28 \$20,000
Aug. 13-14	SAMMY DAVIS, JR FARMINGTON WOODS OPEN	Farmington Woods C.C. Avon, CT	\$10,000	Aug. 12 \$2,500
Aug.	BUICK OPEN	Flint Elks C.C. Grand Blanc, MI	\$40,000	Aug. 18 \$2,000

# BIOGRAPHIES OF TOURNAMENT PLAYERS

#### **Tommy Aaron**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Feb. 22, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Gainesville, Ga.

RESIDENCE: Gainesville, Georgia, plays out of Lanier Islands,

FAMILY: Wife, Jimmye Foster; Lynn (10/14/62); Tom, Jr.

(10/21/68)

COLLEGE: U. of Florida GRADUATED: 1960, BSBA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Bird hunting, fishing

**TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960** JOINED TOUR: 1961 CAREER EARNINGS: \$745,708 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1970 Atlanta. 1973 Masters.

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1961-\$11,731.-42 1966-\$34,829.-16 1971-\$ 71,573.-30 1962-\$ 9,319.-58 1967-\$38,075.-33 1972-\$118,924.- 9 1963-\$32,384.-13 1968-\$75,159.-15 1973-\$ 63,517.-44 1964-\$17,984.-43 1969-\$91,462.-13 1974-\$ 31,572.-84 1965-\$44,829.-16 1970-\$97,827.-18 1975-\$ 29.612.-77

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 3-Phoenix Open. T-7-Dean Martin Tucson Open

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 Canadian Open (playoff, it was non-Tour event) 1958 U.S. Amateur

1960 Western Amateur. 1959 Walker Cup team. 1969 and runner-up.

1973 Ryder Cup team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Tommy Aaron had to believe it was going to be his comeback year. He finished alone in third place in the Phoenix Open, posting 68-72-69-67-276, and then getting a tie for seventh in the Dean Martin-Tucson Open the next week with 71-66-70-72-279

In two weeks, he earned \$16,550, more than half of what he totaled in all of 1974.

The next start was the Bob Hope Desert Classic, and his tie for 25th was anything but discouraging. Then the slide began. He missed the next two cuts, tied for 67th in the Florida Citrus Open, and then missed the following four cuts.

He never did find a way to collect another top 10 finish, and in his final 21 starts, he missed 12 cuts. Usually, it was a poor first round that caused the damage.

Tommy played in 33 tournaments and finished in the money 14 times. He missed 17 cuts, finished out of the money once and had to withdraw once. His stroke average was 72.7 and his low round was the 66 at Tucson National.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Although throughout the 1960s Tommy Aaron built a nagging reputation for runnerup finishes, few of his peers ever faulted his consistency of performance or his fluid swing. Then, late in 1973, the same year that he won the precious Masters title in his native Georgia, Tommy sank into a scoring slump which carried through most of the following year.

The result was that in 1974 he failed to make the top 60 exempt on list for the first time since he came on tour in 1961. He earned only \$31,572. He entered 32 events but missed the cut in 11 of them and finished in the top 10 only twice. However, in the last half of 1974, there were encouraging signs when he survived the cut in 11 of 13 events.

Aaron shattered his non-winning reputation in 1969 when he beat Sam Snead in an 18-hole playoff in the Canadian Open. The Canadian was not an official Tour event that year, but Aaron always will consider it a national championship, understandably enough.

In case there were any critics left after that victory, Aaron won again in 1970 at the Atlanta Classic, where gathered the finest of fields. At the finish of the Atlanta there were Dan Sikes, Arnold Palmer, Bert Yancey, Gary Player, Tom Weiskopf and Jack Nicklaus, all applying pressure within three strokes of him.

Before Aaron turned pro in 1960 he dominated amateur golf in Georgia, winning the Georgia and Southeastern Amateurs twice each and also the Georgia Open three times. He was a finalist in the U.S. Amateur in 1958 and a member of the 1959 Walker Cup team. A decade later, as a professional, he played on the first of two Ryder Cup teams.





#### **Brian Allin**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 136

BIRTH DATE: Oct. 13, 1944 BIRTHPLACE: Bremerton,

Wash.

RESIDENCE: Santa Barbara, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Carolyn Sprang; Aaron (10/24/70)

COLLEGE: Brigham Young U.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1970 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

1970

CAREER EARNINGS: \$370,207 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Greensboro, 1973 Florida Citrus Open. 1974 Doral, Byron Nelson

(TOTAL 4)

MONEY & POSITION: 1970-\$ 355.-349 1972-\$47,576.-56 1974-\$137,950.- 9

1971-\$55,786.- 43 1973-\$77,472.-33 1975-\$ 60,326.-33

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-3—Pleasant Valley. 5—IVB Philadelphia Golf Classic. T-5—Doral-Eastern Open. T-5—Tournament of Champions. T-10—PGA Championship.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was a steady year for Brian (Buddy) Allin, although it was not as fruitful as he would have liked. After winning three times during the previous two years, he wasn't able to go the distance in 1975, although he was a solid contender on several occasions.

His best finish was a tie for third in the Pleasant Valley Classic at Sutton, Mass. His six-under par total of 278 only was two strokes in back of winner Roger Maltbie. Three times he finished fifth, with a solo effort in IVB-Philadelphia Classic, and ties for fifth in the Tournament of Champions and Doral-Eastern Open.

He also tied for 10th in the PGA Championship at Akron Firestone, and, after a first-round 68 in the Tournament Players Championship at the Colonial Country Club at Fort Worth, finished tied for 11th.

Generally, it was one round that caused his undoing, such as following his opening 68 in the TPC with a 73. Illness forced him to drop out of three events early in the summer, just when it appeared he was honing his game into peak condition.

Buddy played in 29 tournaments, earning money in 22, while missing the cut four times and withdrawing three times. He had five top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 71.8. He had two 67s for his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Buddy Allin's is one of the Tour's most interesting success stories, one certainly encouraging to the flock of young players who try to play professionally without a glittering amateur record behind them.

Buddy played on the same Brigham Young University golf team with Johnny Miller and Mike Reasor, then served 16 months in Vietnam as an army artillery officer, earning four decorations. He came to the Tour through the 1970 Qualifying School.

In the 1971 Greater Greensboro Open, Buddy won a playoff over Rod Funseth and Dave Eichelberger by sinking a 20-foot putt from the fringe on the first extra hole. His earnings dipping slightly in 1972, but the following year he captured the Florida Citrus Open at 23-under par, one of the finest scoring performances in Tour history. Then in 1974 he won twice more.

The first victory that year was a genuine surprise at the Doral-Eastern Open. "It was an unexpected pleasure," Allin said. "I was just trying to hang in there and make a good check. There were just too many good players up there ahead of me."

He birdied the 13th hole and two of the next three for a one-stroke victory over Jerry Heard, earning \$30,000. Two months later, Allin struck again. In the Byron Nelson Classic in Dallas, Buddy set a course record at Preston Trail with a third-round 63 and won by four shots the following day with a 269 total, a Nelson tournament record.

Allin also was second in the Tournament of Champions in 1974, despite a third-round 75, and finished in the top 10 seven times in 26 events, while missing the cut only four times.

#### **George Archer**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6'5" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Oct. 1, 1939 BIRTHPLACE: San Francisco,

RESIDENCE: Reno. Nev.

(TOTAL 11)

FAMILY: Wife, Donna Garmen; Elizabeth (10/15/63); Marilyn

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, Fishing and Photography

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1964 JOINED TOUR: 1964

CAREER EARNINGS: \$810,020 PLAYOFF RECORD: 4-3

TOUR VICTORIES: 1965 Lucky International. 1967 Greensboro. 1968 Pensacola, New Orleans, National Team (with Bobby Nichols). 1969 Masters, Crosby National. 1971

Williams San Diego, Hartford. 1972 Los Angeles, Greensboro.

1968-\$150,972.- 4 1972-\$145,027.- 3 MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$14.867.-51

1969-\$102,707.-11 1973-\$ 58,841.- 50 1965-\$29,197.-31 1970-\$ 63,607.-28 1974-\$ 18,794.-111

1966-\$44,572.-19 1971-\$147,769.- 4 1975-\$ 9,777.-127 1967-\$84,344.- 8

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-9-Sea Pines Heritage Golf Classic.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was, without question, the low point in George Archer's exceptional career, and most of it was due to physical ailments. He missed more than three months of the year at one point, after an operation on his wrist. He left the Tour after the Masters and didn't return until the Pleasant Valley Classic late in July.

One of the game's most consistent performers for many years, George only made money seven times in 21 starts last year, although his best showing was on one of the tougher courses, a tie for ninth in the Heritage Classic on Hilton Head Island, S.C

His next best was a tie for 16th in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open as he collected \$9,777 for the

year and finished in 127th place.

Toward the end of the year, George indicated that he was beginning to feel better and believed that it was just a matter of time before he started to play well again. Meanwhile, his lifetime earnings of \$810,020 place him 16th on the all-time list.

#### **PRIOR YEARS**

George Archer's career earnings passed \$800,000 in 1974, despite the fact that his winnings plummeted to less than \$80,000 for all of 1973 and 1974. If his legendary putting stroke had not troubled him in those two years, he easily might have joined the Tour's millionaire club.

Archer started playing golf at age 12, and by thr time he stirred his huge frame to try the Tour 13 years later he had amassed an exceptional amateur record. In 1963 alone he won the Trans-Mississippi Amateur, the Northern California Open and the San Francisco City championship, lost to Deane Beman in the semifinals of the U.S. Amateur and was low amateur for the third straight year in the Lucky Interna-

Two years later Archer won the Lucky International as a professional and acknowledged the achievement as "probably the biggest thrill of my life. There were a lot of home folks around, including one kid I used to shoot arrows with back in the sixth grade.

His thrills on Tour doubtless increased. Archer topped \$100,000 in winnings four times in a five-year period starting in 1968, and in each of those \$100,000-plus years he won at least two Tour events.

His greatest achievement came in the 1969 Masters, when he defeated Billy Casper, George Knudson and Tom Weiskopf by a stroke.

In 1973, partly because of physically ailments, Archer's earnings were almost \$90,000 less than the year before, and in 1974 they dropped \$40,000 more as he finished in the top 20 only twice and experienced his worst of 11 years on Tour.

#### **Wally Armstrong**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List.

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 160

BIRTH DATE: June 19, 1945 BIRTHPLACE: New London,

Connecticut

RESIDENCE: Orlando, Florida

FAMILY: Wife, Deborah Ellyn, Dana (8/14/74)

COLLEGE: U. of Florida GRADUATED: B.S. 1968. M.S. 1969

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, Bible Study Group

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1970. JOINED TOUR: Fall of

1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$75,830

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION: 1973

1973-\$ 878-311 1974-\$30.873-77

1975-\$44,078,-57

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Pensacola Open. T-5-Greater Jacksonville Open. T-9-Doral-

Eastern Open. T-10-World Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1966 Collegiate All-American. 1973 Indiana State Open winner.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was an unusual year that Wally Armstrong put together, although the end result was a good one, as he made the top 60 on the money list to become exempt for the year.

When the PGA Tour headed into its 10th week, he only had about \$4,000 in winnings most of that coming in the Bob Hope Desert Classic as he tied for 14th, thanks to a final- day 65.

Then he tied for ninth in the Doral-Eastern Open after being tied with Gary McCord for the lead through the first two days. After starting 68-70, he slumped to a third-day 77, but finished with a strong 68

The next week, he tied fifth at the Greater Jacksonville Open, bouyed by a third-round 66. A month later, back-to-back 66s at Pensacola gave him a solo second to Jerry McGee, just two strokes back.

As the year progressed, the had streaks when he missed four straight cuts in May and early June, then made three in a row, and then felt the dreaded axe for six straight weeks through July and August. He snapped the string with a tie for 44th in the B.C. Open. He also tied for 15th in the Southern Open and tied for 10th in the World Open.

Wally played in 34 tournaments, earning money in 17 and missing the cut 16 times. His stroke average was 72.4 with the 65 in the Bob Hope his low round.

#### PRIOR YEARS

There were two very distinct segments to Wally Armstrong's rookie year of 1974. Through the first five months, he only made one major cut—in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open—and collected a grand total of \$262.66.

During the last half of the year, he earned nearly \$36,000, finished 74th on the money list and had two superb finishes. He tied for second with three others in the Sahara Invitational in Las Vegas (third-round 65), and tied for third in the San Antonio-Texas Open (final-round 64). Those two finishes were worth \$16,588.75.

"Part of it was just getting adjusted to the Tour," Wally says, "and part of it was the teamwork that developed with my younger brother, Tom. He was my caddy from the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic (late February) until the Atlanta Classic in 1975."

Wally started to play the game at age 12 on a nine-hole course outside Indianapolis. His game started to develop in high school, and in 1963, he won the state's scholastic golf championship. Then he headed for the University of Florida on a scholarship, and he captained the 'Gator golf team in 1967.

Twice he tried to qualify for the PGA Tour after turning professional in 1970, but with no success. He did play well in the mini-tours, though, and it was that success that convinced him he could make it on the "big Tour." In the fall of 1973, he earned his card.

#### Miller Barber

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 210

BIRTH DATE: Mar. 31, 1931 BIRTHPLACE: Shreveport, La.

RESIDENCE: Sherman, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Karen Harrison; Casey (8/24/62); Douglas

(8/17/64); Brad (12/16/65); Larry (10/28/71); Richard

(6/13/74)

COLLEGE: U. of Arkansas GRADUATED: 1954, B.S.,

(Business)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Football

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959 JOINED TOUR: 1959

CAREER EARNINGS: \$994,869 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-3

TOUR VICTORIES: 1964 — Cajon. 1967 — Oklahoma City. 1968 — Byron Nelson. 1969 — (TOTAL: 9) Kaiser. 1970 — New Orleans. 1971 — Phoenix. 1972 — Tucson. 1973 —

World Open, 1974- Ohio Kings Island.

MONEY & POSITION: 1959-\$ 2,008.-79 1965-\$ 28,183.-35 1971-\$117,359.-6

 1960-\$
 2,533.-82
 1966-\$
 44,168.-21
 1972-\$
 73,664.-31

 1961-\$
 3,398.-85
 1967-\$
 60,304.-17
 1973-\$184,014.-6

 1962-\$
 3,330.-95
 1968-\$105,845.-9
 1974-\$95,270.-22

 1963-\$20,764.-38
 1969-\$90,107.-14
 1975-\$81,993.-21

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1964-\$20,234.-36 1970-\$ 99,963.-17

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-3—Pensacola Open. T-3—Pleasant Valley. 4—Jackie Gleason Inverrary
Golf Classic. T-4—Atlanta Classic. T-4—San Antonio-Texas Open.

Golf Classic. T-4—Atlanta Classic. T-4—San Antonio-Texas Open. T-8—Byron Nelson Golf Classic. T-9—Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-9—

Sea Pines Heritage Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 and 1971 Ryder Cup.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

One of golf's better streaks finally was broken in 1975. Miller Barber had won a tournament in each of the eight previous years. Only Jack Nicklaus had a longer one.

Twice, Miller finished third, and three times he was fourth, so the veteran from Texas certainly was in contention enough. However, some of his effectiveness was dulled by asthama problems.

He tied for third in the Pensacola Open and did the same in the Pleasant Valley Classic. However, a second-day 74 at Sutton, Mass., really stopped his bid. As it was, his 69-68 finish left him only two behind Roger Maltbie.

He was fourth by himself in the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic, and tied for fourth in the Atlanta Classic (had a second-day 64) and in the San Antonio-Texas Open, after a 66 start.

Miller had three other top 10 finishes. In the Byron Nelson Classic in Dallas, he only was one stroke off the pace after three days, but an even-par 71 the final afternoon left him tied for eighth. He also tied for ninth in the Bob Hope Desert Classic and the Heritage Classic.

Miller played in 33 tournaments and made money in 26. His stroke average was 71.5 and his low round was a 63 the first day of the Sahara Invitational.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Through 1974, Miller Barber had won a tournament in each of eight successive years, a remarkable achievement of continuous performance matched only by Jack Nicklaus in the same stretch.

Barber kept alive his string of victorious years by winning late on the schedules of the last two of those years. He won the 1974 Kings Island Open near the end of what he called "a hard, difficult year for me. I had a serious asthma attack and that almost killed me. It was a terrific scare."

In 1973, Barber lost playoffs to Nicklaus in the Greater New Orleans Open and to Bert Greene in the L&M Open before turning his frustration into the most noteworthy of his first 15 years on Tour. He won the half-million dollar World Open, stealing off with a record \$100,000 first prize to total \$184,014 for

Barber first tried the tour in 1959 but not many years later settled into a club professional's job at the Apawamis Club in Rye, N.Y. A number of the club members convinced him to return to the tour, and he quickly rewarded their confidence with a record of outstanding performances that earned him selection to the 1969 and 1971 Ryder Cup teams.

His victory in the 1971 Phoenix Open will rival that in the first World Open in Barber's memory, at least in the category of scoring. His 65-64-67-65—261 was 23-under par and the lowest total on Tour since Mike Souchak's 257 in the 1955 Texas Open.

#### **Frank Beard**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 180

BIRTH DATE: May 1, 1939 BIRTHPLACE: Dallas, Texas

RESIDENCE: Louisville, Kentucky

FAMILY: Wife, Pat; Danny (8/16/66); Randi (10/23/67); Jennifer

(3/21/69); Rachael (8/4/70)

COLLEGE: U. of Florida GRADUATED: 1961

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Family activities and bridge.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1962 JOINED TOUR: 1963

CAREER EARNINGS: \$951,596 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-3

TOUR VICTORIES: 1963 Frank Sinatra. 1965 Texas. 1966 New Orleans. 1967 Tournament of Champions, Houston, "500" Festival. 1969 Minnesota, Westchester. 1970 Tournament

of Champions, American Golf Classic. 1971 New Orleans.

MONEY & POSITION: 1962-\$ 270.-217 1967-\$105,779.- 7 1972-\$56,188.-40

 1963-\$17,938. 46
 1968-\$101,987. 1973-\$71,901. 37

 1964-\$21,080. 33
 1969-\$175,224. 1974-\$55,837. 48

 1965-\$40,378. 21
 1970-\$124,690. 6
 1975-\$22,433. 96

1966-\$66,041.- 9 1971-\$112,337.- 8

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-3-U.S. Open. T-9-Quad Cities Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 and 1971 Ryder Cup team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

An incredible story was unfolding at the Medinah Country Club in Oak Brook, III., at the U.S. Open in June. Frank Beard, after three rounds, was in the lead by three strokes.

Normally, that would not be so surprising, but prior to the week at Medinah, Frank had played in 20 tournaments. He had missed the cut in 15 of them and withdrew from another. He had one stretch of 13 events without finishing.

He then tied for 71st (out of the money) in the Kemper Open, tied for 15th at the IVB-Philadelphia Classic, and headed for Medinah, where he put together rounds of 74, 69 and 67 for his margin over Tom Watson.

The last day was a long one, though. He had a 78, yet, still tied for third, just one stroke out of the playoff.

He disclosed that a few sessions with Paul Runyon, the former PGA champion, had set him straight. "He basically changed me to a weaker grip," Frank said.

Frank also tied for ninth in the Ed McMahon Jaycees-Quad Cities Open for his only other top 10 finish.

Frank played in 36 tournaments and was in the money in 12. His stroke average was 73.5 with a second-day 65 at Westchester his low.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Since leading the Tour in money winnings with \$175,224 in 1969, Frank Beard's earnings suffered almost a steady decline for the next five years, except for a slight improvement in 1973 when he seemed to regain some of his old proficiency.

His most marked drop in earnings apparently resulted from a decision in early 1972 that his hookoriented swing needed some left-to-right action. Whatever the cause, Eeard's earnings were slashed almost exactly in half to \$56,188, for 40th place on the 1972 money list, and his stroke average leaped from 71.0 to 72.9.

Frank lowered that average to 71.6 in 1973 and improved to almost \$72,000 in earnings, but in 1974 he was mired in a serious slump until late in the season.

In the 1974 World Open, carrying a \$300,000 purse, Beard lost a four-way playoff to Johnny Miller's birdie on the second extra hole. His tie for second place was worth \$23,200 and he wound up the year with more than \$55,000, although he finished in the top 10 only twice, the other a tie for ninth in the Monsanto.

Beard won 11 Tour events in the first nine years after he joined the circuit in 1963, including two Tournament of Champions' titles and the Westchester Classic. He won more than \$100,000 for five straight years beginning in 1967, leading the money list in the middle year of that stretch, and entered 1975 with \$929,163 in career earnings.

#### **Don Bies**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTHDATE: Dec. 10, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Cottonwood,

Idaho

RESIDENCE: Seattle, Washington

FAMILY: Wife, Marilyn; Karen (1/28/59); Marcy (5/31/61); David

(12/30/65)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1957 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$350,141 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Sammy Davis, Jr., Greater Hartford Open

(TOTAL: 1)

 MONEY & POSITION:
 1961-\$
 115.-226
 1966-\$
 4,560.-111
 1971-\$22,771.-93

 1962-\$
 561.-170
 1967-\$7,591.-102
 1972-\$54,452.-43

1963-\$ 999.-146 1968-\$30,347.- 58 1973-\$40,511.-76 1964-\$ 526.-202 1969-\$33,340.- 58 1974-\$70,519.-32 1965-\$2,122.-141 1970-\$31,100.- 73 1975-\$69,968.-29

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Sammy Davis Jr., Greater Hartford Open. T-6-IVB Philadelphia Golf

Classic. T-9-Bob Hope Desert Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Winner Washington State PGA five times.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Don Bies said it so well, "Now I've done it. I've won and I'll have this for the rest of my life."

He was beginning to wonder if he'd ever get to make that statement, but the quiet, gentlemanly Bies did win in true championship style, defeating tough Hubert Green on the second hole of their suddendeath playoff in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open. He had been trying for nearly nine years to get the victory.

He fired four superb rounds of 65, 66, 67 and 69 for his 17-under par 267. He was one off the lead the first day, tied with Hubert after two rounds and in the lead by himself by one over Green after three.

It was a real scramble the final afternoon with several players chasing for the title. Hubert's birdie at the 18th put him 17-under par, and Don's birdie at 17 moved him in that position, too. J. C. Snead with Don in the last group, went to 17 with birdies at 15, 16 and 17. But, Don parred 18 for the playoff situation, while J. C. bogeyed. Then Don won it all with an eight footer for a birdie on the second extra hole.

Don also had a tie for sixth in the IVB-Philadelphia Classic and tie for ninth in the Bob Hope Desert

Don played in 23 tournaments and earned money in 17. His stroke average was 71.9 with the opening 65 at Hartford his best round.

#### PRIOR YEARS

For more than a decade after he turned pro in 1957, Don Bies was involved in club work with only occasional ventures on the Tour. Then, in 1968, two things occurred which changed his career.

First, the Seattle Golf Club where he was employed closed for several months to undergo renovations and Don decided to spend the time competing in Tour events.

Second, he finished fifth in the U.S. Open in Rochester and earned more than \$30,000 in only 15 tournaments, cracking the top 60 list in winnings.

"My wife and I talked it over later in the year," Don said. "We felt that since I had the exemption for all of 1969. I should try it."

Bies played well enough to keep his exemption three times in the next five years and, although he did not win a tournament, his consistency kept him from having to qualify for all but one tournament in that time.

Bies' earnings climbed over \$70,000 in 1974, thanks in large part to a second-place finish behind Johnny Miller in the Westchester Classic. His closing 66 left him two strokes behind but his check amounted to \$28,500, easily the biggest of his career.

The two weeks immediately preceding Westchester also were productive as Bies tied for ninth in the PGA and for 11th at Hartford. His other high finish in 1974 was a tie for fourth at Memphis in May.

#### **Homero Blancas**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 195

BIRTH DATE: Mar. 7, 1938 BIRTHPLACE: Houston, Texas

RESIDENCE: Houston, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Noel; Homero Thomas (4/15/68); Jerome Hunt

(6/18/70)

COLLEGE: U. of Houston GRADUATED: 1963

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Watching Football

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1965

CAREER EARNINGS: \$593,586

PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1966 Seattle-Everett. 1970 Colonial. 1972 Phoenix. 1973 Monsanto Open.

(TOTAL: 4)

MONEY & POSITION: 1965—\$26,162.—38 1969—\$ 59,455.—31 1973—\$96,964.—15

1968-\$32,202.-53 1972-\$ 92,977.-20

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-5-Quad Cities Open. 6-Sammy Davis, Jr., Greater Hartford Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 Ryder Cup Team. 1965 Rookie of Year. 1965 Mexican Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

For the first time in his 11—year career, Homero Blancas finished out of the top 60, but his exempt status remains intact because of his \$593,586 in career earnings places him among the top 50 of all time.

If there was a bright spot to the season, it would be in his better play the second half of the year. There was considerable improvement. In 20 starts through the U.S. Open, Homero was not around to play the final 36 holes. His best finish was a tie for 17th in the Dean Martin-Tucson Open.

After that, in 12 starts, he only missed it three times and earned two top 10 finishes. He had an excellent tournament in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open, 67-69-68-66-270, or 14-under par. He only was three strokes out of the playoff.

His best finish was a tie for fifth in the Ed McMahon Jaycees-Quad Cities Open, due mainly to a 67 second day and 69 close.

Homero played in 33 tournaments and was in the money 16 times. His stroke average was 72.8 (it was 73.7 after the Open).

#### PRIOR YEARS

Homero Blancas won the Mexican Open in his first year on the Tour, 1965, and never failed to place in the top 60 money-winning list in his first 10 years on the circuit, topping \$100,000 in 1970 for his high point.

Perhaps his most prized victory was the Colonial National in 1970 when he beat Lee Trevino and Gene Littler by a stroke.

His earnings slid below \$60,000 in 1971 when he never threatened to win, although he counted eight finishes in the top 10. But he topped \$90,000 in each of the next two years after winning the 1972 Phoenix Open and the 1973 Monsanto.

At Phoenix in 1973, Homero recorded the year's low round, a 31-30-61. Also that year he tied for fourth place in the U.S. Open and for fifth in the Masters.

In 1973 he outlasted Frank Beard to win the Monsanto Open and won a place on the Ryder Cup team, but in 1974 he suffered the second sharp drop in official earnings in his career, to less than \$65,000.

Blancas tied for second twice in 1974, finishing three strokes behind Jerry Heard in Orlando when he closed with 66-70, and four back of Buddy Allin in the Byron Nelson after he started with a 65. He also tied for sixth in the Heritage Classic and for eighth at Jacksonville.

As an amateur, Blancas was picked to two All-American teams and won the Southern Intercollegiate tournament while at the University of Houston. Also he scored a 55 on the 5,002-yard Premier course in Longview, Texas, to equal the all-time record for low score.

#### **Julius Boros**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime - 1952 U.S. Open champion

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 200

BIRTH DATE: March 3, 1920 BIRTHPLACE: Fairfield, Conn.

RESIDENCE: Fort Lauderdale, Florida

FAMILY: Wife, Armen; Jay (9/7/51); Julius, Jr. (5/2/57); Gary

(5/1/60); Gay (2/6/62); Guy (9/4/64); Jody (8/15/66)

COLLEGE: Bridgeport Jr. College

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, Hunting

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1950 JOINED TOUR: 1950

CAREER EARNINGS: \$993,756 PLAYOFF RECORD: 4-5

TOUR VICTORIES: 1952 U.S. Open, "World" Championships. 1954 Ardmore, Carling. 1955 "World" Championship. 1958 Carling, Arlington. 1959 Dallas. 1960 Colonial National. 1963 U.S. Open, Colonial National, Buick. 1964 Greensboro. 1967 Phoenix,

Florida Citrus, Buick. 1968 PGA Championship, Westchester Classic.

1968-\$148,310.- 5 1959-\$ 18,004.-16 MONEY & POSITION: 1950-\$ 2,000.-1960-\$ 24,557.-15 1969-\$ 50,404.-40 1951-\$ 4,697.-34 1970-\$ 35,834.-66 1961-\$ 14,512.-40 1952-\$37,032.- 1 1971-\$ 60,524.-37 1962-\$ 22,918.-23 1953-\$ 5,595.-30 1963-\$ 77,356.- 3 1972-\$ 25,773.-90 1954-\$16,987.- 7 1973-\$ 42,445.-72

1955-\$63,121.- 1 1964-\$ 28,232.-18 1973-\$ 42,445.-72 1956-\$ 5,358.-44 1965-\$ 39,486.-23 1974-\$ 36,193.-73 1957-\$ 9,321.-31 1966-\$ 43,235.-22 1975-\$ 36,311.-67

1958-\$29,817.- 6 1967-\$126,785.- 4

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Westchester Classic

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1952 & 1963, Player-of-the-Year; 1952 & 1955, Leading Money Winner; 1958-60, Member of PGA Tournament Committee; 1959, 1963, 1965, 1967,

Member of Ryder Cup team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Julius Boros just laughed when someone asked him when he planned to retire. "Retire to what?" he answered. "I already play golf and fish for a living."

Even at age 55, Julius let everyone know he still can swing a pretty mean stick. The heat was oppressive at the Westchester Classic early in August, the type of sweltering heat that even was tough on the young players.

But, there was Julius, calmly firing rounds of 70, 66 and 70 to be five strokes off the lead after three days. On the closing afternoon he penciled in a smooth seven-under par 65 and found himself tied with Gene Littler at 17-under par 271.

It meant he'd have to go back on the course, but the playoff only lasted one hole. Julius hit his approach shot over the green, down in deep grass. He needed three to get home, so Littler had his third victory of the year.

Littler, who was 45 at the time, laughed, "I figured if I could keep Julius out there long enough, as hot as it was. I'd wear him down."

Interestingly enough, two weeks earlier at the Pleasant Valley Classic, Julius was congratulating his good friend, Art Wall, on his victory at age 51 in the Greater Milwaukee Open. "You're bringing all us old guys back out, Art," he said. "In fact, I think I passed Ky Laffoon on the way here."

Julius played in 18 tournaments, survived the cut in 14. His stroke average was 72.7 with the 66 and 65 at Westchester his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

One of the all-time favorites in the sports world, Julius Boros casually has been strolling the fairways and making friends for the Tour for more years than he cares to remember.

He gave up his role as an accountant in Connecticut to head down the road in 1950 and what a road it has been. His first victory was the United States Open in 1952 at the Northwood Club in Dallas. He won the Open again in 1963 at Brookline, beating Arnold Palmer and Jacky Cupit in a playoff.

He added the PGA crown to his list of 18 titles in 1968 at Pecan Valley in San Antonio, Tex., and outlasted Palmer in the extreme heat. Later that same year, he won the rich Westchester Classic, and that was his last on the Tour. He since has added the PGA Seniors crown, though.

#### **Gay Brewer**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Mar. 19, 1932 BIRTHPLACE: Middletown,

Ohio

RESIDENCE: Palm Springs, California

FAMILY: Wife, Carole Collins; Erin (7/15/60); Kelly (9/14/64)

COLLEGE: U. of Kentucky

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting and fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1956 JOINED TOUR: 1956

CAREER EARNINGS: \$712,087 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-5

TOUR VICTORIES: 1961 Carling, Mobile, West Palm Beach. 1963 Waco Turner. 1965 Seattle, (TOTAL: 11) Hawaiian, PGA National Four-Ball (with Butch Baird). 1966 Pensacola. 1967 Pen-

sacola, Masters. 1972 Canadian.

MONEY & POSITION: 1956-\$ 2,065.-72 1963-\$19,818.-39 1970-\$25,420.-83 1957-\$ 3,815.-52 1964-\$27,721.-19 1971-\$55,444.-44 1958-\$ 7,770.-44 1965-\$28,125.-36 1972-\$84,312.-24

1962-\$24,112.-22 1969-\$64,316.-28

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 3-Canadian Open. T-7-Western Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 and 1968 Alcan winner, 1967 and 1971 Ryder Cup team, 1972

Taiheiyo Masters (Japan). 1949 U.S. Junior.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was a year Gay Brewer would like to forget, as it was his poorest in more than a decade. Yet, he almost won a tournament, the Canadian Open. He battled Tom Weiskopf and Jack Nicklaus down to the final holes at the Royal Montreal Golf Club, only to finish one stroke out of the playoff.

He had a five-under par 275 on rounds of 68-68-70-69 and credited his success to "my best putting in two or three years," thanks to a pre-tournament tip from Bob Rosburg. He felt he lost his chance at the par five 13th as he three putted from off the edge. "I really should have chipped it first," he said later.

His only other top 10 finish was in the Western Open as he tied for seventh. His middle rounds were 70 and 69 at the Butler National course in suburban Chicago, but he opened and closed with 75s.

For the most part, he said he played reasonably well all year, but it was his putting stroke that held him back.

Gay entered 26 tournaments, earning money in 11, while missing the cut the other 14 times. He only had two top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 72.9. His low round was a 68, and he had four of them.

#### PRIOR YEARS

During almost two decades as a golf professional, Gay Brewer mounted two of the most stirring comebacks by anyone ever to play the Tour, both incidents associated with the Masters Tournament in Augusta, Ga.

In 1966 he bogeyed the final hole at Augusta, fell into a tie for first with Jack Nicklaus and Tommy Jacobs and lost the playoff. But the following year he rallied on the closing nine holes to beat playing-companion Bobby Nichols by a stroke for the Masters title.

In 1972, on the eve of the Masters, Gay was hospitalized with a bleeding ulcer which almost took his life. Not only did he recover but he won the Canadian Open that same year and finished in the top 10 in four other tournaments.

Also in 1972, Brewer won the \$300,000Taiheiyo Club Masters in Japan, defeating David Graham in a playoff, worth \$65,000. The check was only slightly larger than previous large playoffs on foreign soil. He won the 1967 and 1968 Alcan events in Great Britain, each good for \$55,000.

Brewer's official U.S. earnings reached a high of \$93,502 in 1973, although he failed to win a Tour event. He tied for second twice and was in the top 10 seven other times, and he played on his second Ryder Cup team.

He suffered one of his worst seasons in 1974, missing the top 60 list for only the third time in his long career. Brewer lost a playoff in the American Golf Classic, three putting the first extra hole, and tied for ninth at New Orleans and for 10th in the Disney World, constituting his best efforts that year.

#### Billy Casper

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime - 1959 U.S. Open champion

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 200

BIRTH DATE: June 24, 1931 BIRTHPLACE: San Diego, Calif.

RESIDENCE: Springville, Utah

FAMILY: Wife, Shirley Franklin; Linda (8/11/56); William

(11/2/58); Robert (7/14/60); Byron (2/24/68); Jennifer (4/31/68); Judith (4/31/68); Charles (3/3/70); David

(4/29/73); Julia (6/1/74); Sarah (5/3/75)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, church work, family activities.

JOINED TOUR: 1955 TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1954

PLAYOFF RECORD: 8-8 CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,581,606

(TOTAL: 51)

TOUR VICTORIES: 1956 Labatt. 1957 Phoenix, Kentucky Derby. 1958 Bing Crosby, New Orleans, Buck, Havana. 1959 U.S. Open, Portland, Lafayette, Mobile. 1960 Portland, Hesperia, Orange County, '500' Festival, Bakersfield. 1961 Portland. 1962 Doral. 1963 Bing Crosby, Insurance City. 1964 Doral, Colonial, Seattle, Almaden. 1965 Bob Hope, Insurance City, Western, Sahara. 1966 U.S. Open, San Diego, '500' Festival, Western. 1967 Canadian, Carling. 1968 Los Angeles, Greensboro, Colonial, '500' Festival, Hartford, Lucky. 1969 Bob Hope, Western, Alcan. 1970 Los

Angeles, Masters, IVB-Philadelphia, Avco. 1971 Kaiser. 1973 Western Open, Sammy Davis, Jr.-Greater Hartford Open. 1975 New Orleans Open.

MONEY & POSITION:

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1955-$ 3,253.-58
                   1962-$ 61,842.- 4
                                        1969-$104,689.-10
                   1963-$ 32,726.-11
                                        1970-$147,372.- 2
1956-$18,733.-12
1957-$20,807. - 9
                   1964-$ 90,653.- 3
                                        1971-$107,276.-10
                   1965-$ 99,931.- 3
                                        1972-$ 55,455.-41
1958-$41,232.- 2
1959-$33,899.- 4
                   1966-$121,944.- 1
                                        1973-$129,474.- 8
                   1967-$129,423.- 3
                                        1974-$ 66,175.-35
1960-$31,060.- 4
                   1968-$205,168.- 1
                                        1975-$102,275.-14
1961-$37,766.- 4
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BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1—New Orleans Open. 2—World Open. T-5—PGA Championship. 6—Masters. T-6-Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-6-Glen Campbell Los Angeles. T-7-

Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-9-Atlanta Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS:

1966 and 1970 PGA Player of Year. 1961 through 1975 Ryder Cup team. 1960, 1963, 1965, 1966, 1968 Vardon Trophy. 1974 Lancombe (France). 1975 Italian Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was another excellent year for Billy Casper as he earned over \$100,000 for the eighth time in the last 10 years. As he said with emphasis, "It was a good year. I was pleased with my consistency."

Well he should be. He won again after drawing a blank in 1974, to give him 51 triumphs during his illustrious 21-year career on the Tour; and he forced Jack Nicklaus into a sudden-death playoff in the World Open at Pinehurst, N.C., before bowing on the first extra hole.

The victory came in the First NBC New Orleans Open at the Lakewood Country Club. He was tied after the first day with young Larry Nelson at 67, but from that point on, Billy was in command at the end of each day's play. He followed with 68, 66 and 70 for his 17-under par score of 271, edging England's Peter Oosterhuis by two strokes.

He missed the three tournaments prior to New Orleans, as his wife, Shirley, presented him with their 10th child, Sarah.

He did well in the major championships, too, tieing for fifth in the PGA and gaining a solo sixth in the Masters. For the eighth straight time, he was named to the U.S. Ryder Cup team.

Billy played in 19 Tour events, earning money in 16 while missing the cut in three. He had eight top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 71.2. His low round was 66 and he had four of them.

#### PRIOR YEARS

In 1974, Billy Casper failed to reach \$100,000 in earnings for only the second time in nine years, but there were encouraging moments which must have led him to foresee a recovery such as he experienced in 1973.

After winning two tournaments and qualifying for his seventh straight Ryder Cup team in 1973, Billy failed to win a tournament in 1974 for only the second year since his initial victory way back in 1956. However, it was a productive year of sorts.

Casper played in 20 events in 1974 and missed the cut only three times, while finishing in the top 10 five times.

#### **Bob Charles**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6"1-1/2" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: March 14, 1936

BIRTHPLACE: Cartenton, New Zealand

RESIDENCE: Johannesburg, South Africa

FAMILY: Wife, Verity; Beverly (1/22/66); David (8/29/68)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Tennis, Table Tennis, Cricket, Farming

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960 JOINED TOUR: 1962

CAREER EARNINGS: \$524,302 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1963 Houston. 1965 Tucson. 1967 Atlanta. 1968 Canadian Open.

(TOTAL: 5) 1974 Greensboro.

MONEY & POSITION: 1972-\$21,809.- 97 1962-\$ 1,215.-138 1967-\$72,468.-11

1963-\$23,636.- 27 1968-\$70,926.-18 1973-\$19,499.-108 1964-\$28,451.- 17 1969-\$59,734.-30 1974-\$65,226.- 36

1965-\$28,360.- 34 1970-\$70,854.-25 1975-\$ 7,225.-147 1966-\$ 8,472.- 87 1971-\$58,016.-41

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 5-Tallahassee Open

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1963 British Open champion (playoff with Phil Rodgers), 1954, 1966, 1970

and 1973 New Zealand Open. 1961 New Zealand PGA. 1962 and 1974 Swiss Open. 1969 World Picadilly Match Play. 1972 John Player Classic.

1973 South African Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Bob Charles never was able to get his game together on the U.S. Tour in 1975. As a result, the native New Zealander who now resides in Johannesburg, South Africa, had his poorest year since his first in

Maybe the sign of things to come came early in the year, when he missed the cut in his first three starts. His best finish was a solo fifth place in the Tallahassee Open and his next most productive weeks were in the Greater Jacksonville Open and the Pensacola Open, tieing for 25th in each.

The lefthander only played once in the second half of the season, his final tournament being the Westchester Classic the first weekend in August.

Bob played in 15 events, earning money in eight and missed the cut in the other seven. He compiled a stroke average of 72.9, with his low round being a 66 the third day at Jacksonville.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Almost convinced that the U.S. Tour was no longer profitable for his style of play, Bob Charles experienced a rebirth in winning in this country when he captured the Greater Greensboro Open in 1974 and finished the year with more than \$65,000 in earnings. He also won the Swiss Open in early August, for a \$10,000 payoff.

Until the GGO, when Charles entered the final round with a one-shot lead and held it to win \$44,000, he hadn't won in the U.S. since 1968. His relative lack of distance, he felt, kept him at a disadvantage on American courses, but his deft putting touch and all-around short game landed him on the top 60 money list nine times since he first joined the U.S. Tour in 1962.

Without question the most successful left-hander ever to play professional golf, Charles won the first of his five U.S. victories in 1963 in his second year playing the Tour. He amassed more than a halfmillion dollars in purses in 13 years here.

The lanky New Zealander's most dramatic achievement also came in 1963 when he defeated Phil Rodgers in a 36-hole playoff at Royal Lytham and St. Annes for the British Open title.

Charles does everything right-handed except play games requiring two hands. He swung his first golf club at age five, left-handed, and, since his parents also were southpaw golfers, he never considered changing.

Charles played rugby and cricket during school years and worked in a bank in Christchurch, N.Z., before joining the U.S. Tour in 1962. Since 1954, six years before he turned pro, Charles has won more than 20 major tournaments around the world.

#### Jim Colbert

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: Mar. 9, 1941 BIRTHPLACE: Elizabeth, N.J.

RESIDENCE: Wesley Chapel, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Marcia; Debbie (9/25/59); Christy (11/24/61);

Kelly (7/19/65)

COLLEGE: Kansas State U. GRADUATED: 1964 (Political

Science)

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1965 JOINED TOUR: 1966

CAREER EARNINGS: \$464,491 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1969 Monsanto. 1972 Milwaukee. 1973 Greater Jacksonville Open. 1974 Ameri-

(TOTAL: 5) can Golf Classic. 1975 Walt Disney Team Championship.

MONEY & POSITION: 1966-\$ 1,897.-139 1969-\$43,693.-41 1972-\$85,302.-23 1967-\$25,425.- 46 1970-\$49,212.-45 1973-\$68,891.-38

1968-\$12,171.-104 1971-\$42,743.-59 1974-\$96,734.-21 1975-\$50,111.-45

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Walt Disney Team Championship. T-2-B. C. Open. 4-Tournament of

Champions, T-7-Atlanta Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Member Tournament Policy Board.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It wasn't the typical Jim Colbert year, although the hard-working veteran from Kansas State did have his weeks when he played like the Colbert of the three previous years.

One of those weeks was at the Walt Disney World National Team Play championship, the final event of the year. He joined with his close friend, Dean Refram, and they won the title with a 36-under par score of 252. The victory was worth \$20,000 to each player, although it does not show on the year-end earnings.

It did extend Jim's winning streak to four years.

His best invididual finish was a good one, a tie for second in the B. C. Open and that came just after he had taken time to work on his game. A birdie at the final hole in Endicott would have forced a playoff, but Jim was on the fringe with his approach and couldn't get his birdie to drop.

He was a persistent challenger in the Tournament of Champions, finally finishing alone in fourth. After a little help from Gary Player, Jim started the T. of C. with a 65 and a two-stroke lead. He followed with 73, 70 and 71 for a nine-under par effort.

His only other top 10 finish came in the Atlanta Classic with a 68-67 rally.

During the fall, Jim completed his two-year term of office as a player director on the PGA Tournament Policy Board.

Jim entered 32 tournaments and made money in 19. He had a stroke average of 72.3 with a 65 and two 66s his lowest.

#### PRIOR YEARS

A week after finishing fifth in the 1974 U.S. Open at Winged Foot, Jim Colbert entered the final round in the American Golf Classic trailing leader Forrest Fezler by three strokes. A closing par 70 at Firestone landed him in a four-way playoff, which he won on the second extra hole to grasp the \$34,000 first prize.

The victory, marking the third straight year that Colbert had won a tournament, comprised the biggest boost toward his best money-earning year, a total of \$96,734.

Jim also played well in the Masters, a third-round 69 lifting him to a stroke behind leader Dave Stockton, before a 73 finish left him tied for fourth.

An All-State high school football star, Colbert entered Kansas State on a football scholarship but turned to golf after losing some dental work in a freshman game. He had won the Kansas State Junior at age 11, and he sharpened his game for college golf to such an extent that he finished second in the 1964 NCAA championship.

Colbert joined the Tour in 1966 and cracked the top 60 list his second year, before falling back to 104th place in 1968. Victory in the 1969 Monsanto Open in Pensacola helped begin a string of six successive years in the top 60.

In 1972, Colbert won the Greater Milwaukee Open and closed with a 65 to finish second to Jack Nicklaus in the Westchester Classic, earning \$53,350 in those two events.

#### **Charles Coody**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: July 13, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Stamford, Texas

RESIDENCE: Orlando, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Lynette; Caryn (9/7/62); Kyle (8/21/64); Kristyn

(5/4/70)

COLLEGE: Texas Christian GRADUATED: 1960: B.S. Bus.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1963 JOINED TOUR: 1963

CAREER EARNINGS: \$663,253

TOUR VICTORIES: 1964 Dallas. 1969 Cleveland. 1971 Masters.

(TOTAL: 3)

MONEY & POSITION: 1963-\$ 1,216.-139 1967-\$60,787.-16 1971-\$94,947.-16

 1964-\$10,058. 69
 1968-\$54,601.-32
 1972-\$62,505.-37

 1965-\$18,608. 47
 1969-\$79,996.-19
 1973-\$68,102.-39

 1966-\$28,143. 33
 1970-\$60,236.-29
 1974-\$61,464.-42

1975—\$86,812.—19

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 3—Sea Pines Heritage Golf Classic. 3—Atlanta Golf Classic. 4—Florida Citrus. T-5—Sahara Invitational. T-8—San Antonio-Texas Open. T-9—Jackie

Gleason Inverrary Golf Classic. T-10-Pensacola Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Former member Tourmanent Policy Board. 1971 Ryder Cup team. 1973

John Player Classic. 1971 World Series of Golf champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Charles Coody enjoyed his second most profitable year on the Tour as he collected \$86,812. While victory eluded his grasp, he did have a pair of good third-place finishes.

His final-round 65 on the tough Harbour Town links on Hilton Head Island in the Heritage Classic gave him third by himself, and middle rounds of 68-67 left him with the same result in the Atlanta Classic.

A second-day 66 led the way to a solo fourth in the Florida Citrus Open, and a third-round 65 aided considerably in a tie for fifth in the Sahara Invitational. He also tied sixth in the San Antonio-Texas Open. Charles had the touch for turning in a few excellent scores, such as the opening 65 at Pensacola and

a closing 66 in the Canadian Open. He had 27 rounds in the sixties.

His year started slow, as he missed the cut in three of his first four starts. Then came a tie for ninth in the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic and the fourth at Citrus. He was off and running from that point.

Charles, who now lives in the Orlando, Fla., area, played in 28 tournaments and cashed checks in 21. He compiled a stroke average of 71.2.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Since winning the Masters in 1971 and almost \$100,000 that year, Charles Coody went without victory for three years on the U.S. Tour, but consistency marked all three as he earned more than \$60,000 in each. The year 1974 was a good example.

In 30 events in 1974, Coody missed the cut only four times and he finished in the top 10 on five occasions, the highest a tie for second when he closed with a 66 in the Byron Nelson Classic in Dallas.

Coody brought with him a most impressive amateur record when he joined the Tour in 1963. He had won 30 titles in his native Texas, many while attending TCU and including the State high school championship in 1954. He qualified for the U.S. Open in 1960 and 1961 while serving a three-year hitch in the Air Force, and as a semi-finalist in the 1962 U.S. Amateur he was invited to compete in the 1963 Masters.

The Masters provided Charles with some of his greatest moments in golf. In 1969 he led the Masters by a stroke with three holes to play but he decided to play defensively, and he bogeyed in and fell to fifth place. Two months later, however, he won the Cleveland Open.

In the 1971 Masters, Coody finished birdie-birdie-par-par for a 279 to capture the major title which had eluded him two years earlier. And that victory got him in the World Series of Golf in September, when he won again for an additional and unofficial \$50,000.

During his winless 1973 year in the U.S., Coody did win abroad twice within a month, in the Wills Open in England and in the John Player Classic at Turnberry, Scotland.

The quiet Texan has been active in Tour affairs, serving as a player member of the TPD Policy Board and as a PGA vice-president.

#### **Bruce Crampton**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 180

BIRTHDATE: Sept. 28, 1935 BIRTHPLACE: Sydney,

Australia

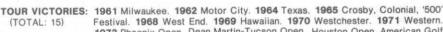
RESIDENCE: Dallas, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Joan Findley; Jay (12/27/67); Roger (7/22/74)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Football, Home Movies, Video Tapes

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1953 JOINED TOUR: 1957

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,323,400 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2



1973 Phoenix Open, Dean Martin-Tucson Open. Houston Open, American Golf

Classic. 1975 Houston Open.

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1969-$118.956.- 5
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MONEY & POSITION:
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BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1—Houston Open. 2—PGA Championship. T-3—Pensacola Open. T-4— Hawaiian Open. 5—Canadian Open. T-5—Doral-Eastern Open. T-5—Sea

Pines Heritage Classic. T-5-Sahara Invitational. T-6-Byron Nelson

Classic, T-7-Dean Martin Tucson Open

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 and 1975 Vardon Trophy winner. 1956 Australian Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Bruce Crampton continued to be one of the more consistent players in the game today and, as a result, he compiled another superb record in 1975.

He was the winner in the Houston Open by two strokes over Gil Morgan as he only suffered five bogeys in the 72 holes for a 15-under par total of 273. It was his second victory in Houston, and, a satisfying one. It was in 1957 that he made his U.S. Tour debut in the Houston Open, coming here from

Bruce made a solid run for the PGA crown at Akron Firestone, too, finally finishing two strokes in back of Jack Nicklaus. En route to his runner-up spot, he fashioned a brilliant seven-under par 63 in the second round for a PGA tournament record and the South course record.

He compiled his exceptional record despite the fact that he missed six weeks of the summer schedule due to a "stress fracture" of the ribs. He doesn't know how it happened, but had to withdraw from the Kemper Open in early June and didn't return until the Pleasant Valley Classic late in July.

This also was the eighth straight year that he has been a member of the Century Club in money won

and also the third best of his splendid career.

Bruce played in 24 tournaments, earning money in 21, missing the cut in two and withdrawing a third time. He compiled a stroke average of 70.6 with his low round being the 63 at Firestone. He also had four 65s, two of them in the Sahara Invitational and a total of 34 rounds in the 60s. These impressive statistics gave Bruce the 1975 Vardon Trophy. He had 10 top 10 finishes.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Although he topped \$100,000 in official earnings for the seventh straight year, Bruce Crampton had to feel a letdown in 1974. For one thing, he didn't win a tournament. For another, 1973 was a tough act to follow.

Few mortals have experienced a year in competition as Bruce did in 1973, when he won four tournaments, was second in five others, earned over \$270,000 to trail only Jack Nicklaus in that department and became the fifth member of the Tour's million-dollar club in career purses.

Of course, 1974 wasn't without its high spots, too. Crampton played in 32 events and finished in the top 10 on 13 occasions while placing 12th on the money list. From February through the end of May he played in 14 straight tournaments without finishing worse than 32nd.

#### **Ben Crenshaw**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 163

BIRTH DATE: Jan. 11, 1952 BIRTHPLACE: Austin, Texas

RESIDENCE: Austin, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Polly
COLLEGE: U. of Texas

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$206,727

TOUR VICTORIES: 1973 San Antonio-Texas Open

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1973-\$76,749.-34

1974-\$71,065.-31

1975-\$63,528.-32

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 3-Florida Citrus Open. T-3-U.S. Open. T-3-Pleasant Valley Classic, 6-

Southern Open. T-8-Greater Jacksonville Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971, 1972 and 1973 NCAA champion (was co-champion with Tom Kite in

1972). 1972 World Cup team. 1973 Western Amateur match and medal play

champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Ben Crenshaw only finished one stroke out of the playoff for the U.S. Open at Medinah, and it is likely he always will remember his 71st hole of the championship.

On the par three that mostly is water between tee and green, Ben and his group had a short wait on the tee. Then, Ben joined many other players who had problems there. He hit his two iron on the toe. Splash! Double bogey, and with it went his hopes and dreams of the year.

Ben skipped the next three U.S. tournaments and came right back with another tie for third, in the Pleasant Valley Classic, aided considerably by a 69-68 start. He also finished third alone in the Florida Citrus Open, the keys being the middle rounds of 68-67.

He had three other top 10 finishes - solo sixth in the Southern Open, tie for eighth at the Greater Jacksonville Open and tie for 10th in the PGA.

Ben was a big winner in another area, though. He was married during that stretch between the Open and Pleasant Valley.

Ben entered 29 tournaments and made money in 20. He had a stroke average of 71.8 and had three 67s for his lowest.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Ben Crenshaw produced about the same results in his first full year on the Tour, 1974, as he did in only nine events in 1973 after turning professional. But it was unlikely that he could continue the torrid pace that he set at the end of 1973.

Ben earned over \$76,000 for those first nine starts as a pro in 1973, including winning the San Antonio-Texas Open in his first try after earning his Tour playing card and finishing three-shots back of Miller Barber in the 144-hole, \$500,000 World Open.

In 1974, Crenshaw started quickly with a second place at Tucson, chasing Johnny Miller for four rounds and finishing three strokes back, then starting with a 65 in San Diego and finishing sixth. He also tied for second at New Orleans and registered three other top-10 finishes and earned more than \$71,000 for the full year in 26 events.

When Crenshaw joined the Tour in the fall of 1973, he came with unparalled amateur credentials. He was NCAA champion all three years he spent at the University of Texas, sharing the title with fellow Longhorn Tom Kite in 1972; he was a three-time All-American and a member of the 1972 U.S. line-up in the World Amateur Team Championship; he had a 69.9 stroke average for 42 competitive rounds in 1973 and he won the 1973 Western and Sunnehanna Amateur titles. Also, still as an amateur, he tied for third in the 1972 Heritage Classic and for sixth in the 1973 Houston Open, and was impressive in U.S. Open and Masters appearances.

In the 1973 TPD Qualifying School, Ben was 18-under par for 144 holes split between Perdido Bay in Pensacola and the Dunes Golf and Beach Club in Myrtle Beach and won by 12 strokes, closing with a spectacular 30 on the back nine at the Dunes!

#### **Rod Curl**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'5" WEIGHT: 160

BIRTHDATE: Jan. 9, 1943 BIRTHPLACE: Redding, Calif.

RESIDENCE: Redding, Calif.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 JOINED TOUR: 1969

CAREER EARNINGS: \$270,056

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Colonial National Invitation.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1969-\$2,344.-207 1970-\$7,254.-149

1971-\$14,604.-115 1972-\$18,092.-113

5 1973-\$ 55,068.-53 1974-\$120,154.-17

1975-\$ 59,599.-35

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Kaiser International Open. 3-Milwaukee Open. T-9-Doral-Eastern. T-9-

Pleasant Valley Classic.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Rod Curl saved his best effort of 1975 until his final event, the Kaiser International Open at Napa, Calif., and it was just when he needed it.

He was 62d on the money list when the tournament began, but his 73-67-64-71—275 gave him second place by himself behind Johnny Miller, and he retained his exempt status for the third straight year. "This will make Christmas a little better," the three-fourths Wintu Indian said smiling, "Johnny got so far out in front I didn't think any of us would catch him, so I won my own little tournament, the one over the rest of the field."

He injured his left wrist in mid-summer of the year before and was off the Tour for most of the last three playing months. "The wrist really didn't get well until June," he said. "It held me back mentally and physically."

Still he had his good moments, such as a solo third in the Greater Milwaukee Open, and ties for ninth in the Florida Citrus Open and the Pleasant Valley Classic.

"I'm not as strong as I was before the wrist injury," he said, "and I can't overpower the courses the way I used to. But, I don't expect any problems from it in 1976, so I should be able to get a good fresh start."

Rod played in 31 tournaments, earning money in 20 while missing the cut in 11. He had four top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 72.0. His low round was the eight-under par 64 in the Kaiser which tied the North course record at Silverado.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Since Rod Curl joined the Tour in 1969 he improved steadily but unspectacularly until 1973. He then tripled his earnings from the year before and crashed the top 60 money list, and in 1974 more than doubled his winnings again, thanks largely to his first victory.

The Californian finished in the top 10 five times in 1973, winding up the year with a solo eighth and a \$4,425 check in the Walt Disney World Classic.

Curl missed the cut and withdrew in his first two 1974 events, then startled observers at San Diego by finishing one stroke back of winner Bobby Nichols, after poor drives on the 70th and 71st holes. His tie for second with Gene Littler, worth \$15,725, was the highest finish of his career to date.

Two months later he was ninth and fourth in back-to-back events, the Heiltage Classic and New Orleans. Six weeks after that, in Houston, Curl trailed by one shot entering the last 18 holes. After missing a number of birdie chances, he wound up one stroke back of winner Dave Hill to land in a three-way tie for second once more.

The very next week in Forth Worth, the 5-foot-5 "Yoso" ("my Indian name; it means 'Johnny Come from Behind") was two back entering the final round of the Colonial National, rallied, faltered, then jumped ahead of Jack Nicklaus with a curling 30-foot putt on No. 16 and won \$50,000 first prize in the Tour's first designated event.

Rod was 19 before he took up golf, after concentrating on baseball in high school. After graduation he worked in construction near his Northern California home town of Redding. His golf record was undistinguished until he played well in the 1968 U.S. Amateur in Columbus, Ohio, which moved him to turn pro that fall.

### **Bruce Devlin**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 158

BIRTH DATE: Oct. 10, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Armidale,

Australia

RESIDENCE: Houston, Tex. Plays out of Walden G.&C.C.,

Conroe, Tex.

FAMILY: Wife, Gloria Gale; Kelvin (12/25/59); Kerria (5/22/62);

Kurt (7/23/67)

COLLEGE: St. Patrick's College, Australia

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Horse racing, fishing, golf course

architecture

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1961 JOINED TOUR: 1962

CAREER EARNINGS: \$660,455 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-3

TOUR VICTORIES: 1964 St. Petersburg Open. 1966 Colonial Invitational, Carling Open. 1969 Byron (TOTAL: 9) Nelson Classic. 1970 Bob Hope Desert Classic, Cleveland Open, Alcan. 1972

Houston, U.S.I.

MONEY & POSITION: 1962-\$ 3,151.-96 1967-\$ 11,732.-86 1972-\$119,768.- 8

1966-\$49,145.-16 1971-\$ 51,175.-48

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-5-Florida Citrus Open. T-6-Bing Crosby National Pro-Am.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1959 Australian Amateur. 1960 Australian Open. 1969 and 1970 Australian PGA. 1970 Alcan. 1970 World Cup (with David Draham) for Australia, team

champions. 1963 French Open. 1963 New Zealand Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

The year started well enough for Bruce Devlin, as he tied for sixth in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur, his first event. That was despite a final round of 76 in the high winds that swept over the rugged Pebble Beach links.

Only once again did the handsome Australian make it into the top 10, as he tied for fifth in the Florida Citrus Open in Orlando, thanks to a third-round 66. His next best was a tie for 15th in the Masters after a 72-70 start, but a third-round 76 canceled out his hopes for a position among the contenders.

Mony-wise, his \$26,627 was his lowest figure since 1967 when he was having leg problems. His career earnings of \$660,455, though, place him well up among the top 50 of all-time and thus assure him of exempt status for another year.

For many years, he lived in the Miami, Fla., area, but has moved to Houston, Tex., and is playing out of the Walden Golf and Country Club in Conroe.

Bruce played in 24 tournaments, earning money in 16, missing the cut in six and withdrawing once. He only had two top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 72.4. His low round was the 66 at Citrus.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Bruce Devlin experienced his worst year in 1974 since he suffered leg problems in 1967, missing the top 60 money list with less than \$40,000 in official purses. He missed three cuts in his first four tournaments but missed only two more in his next 16. He was a contender several times but wound up the year with only two top 10 finishes, a tie for third in the Doral-Eastern and for ninth in the World Open.

A highly respected international competitor, Bruce has won the Open and PGA titles in his native Australia, and also the French and New Zealand Opens and the 1970 Alcan, which was played in Ireland.

He has won nine times since joining the U.S. Tour following the 1962 Masters. He was winless in his first two years here but, after a session on the practice tee with Jack Nicklaus preceding the 1964 St. Petersburg Open, he won that event to demonstrate the abilities which would make him a consistent performer for the next decade.

Bruce enjoyed his best year on Tour in 1972, although heavily involved in course design with partner Bob Von Hagge. He won the Houston Open and the USI Classic and would up eighth on the money list. He also was fifth in the Masters and had four other top 10 finishes, including a second to countryman David Graham after two holes of a playoff in the Cleveland Open.

His earnings dropped by more than half in 1973, when he failed to win



## **Dale Douglass**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

WEIGHT: 160 HEIGHT: 6'2"

BIRTH DATE: March 5, 1936 BIRTHPLACE: Wewoka,

RESIDENCE: Boulder, Colorado FAMILY: Wife; Joyce Lebsock

**GRADUATED: 1959** COLLEGE: Colorado U.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960 JOINED TOUR: 1963 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-3 CAREER EARNINGS: \$457,714

TOUR VICTORIES: 1969 Azalea, Kemper. 1970 Phoenix.

(TOTAL: 3)

MONEY & POSITION:

1971-\$76,070.- 25 1963-\$ 938.-150 1967-\$18,625.-62 1972-\$33,145.- 74 1964-\$ 2,708.-122 1968-\$57,744.-31 1965-\$ 9,598.- 78 1969-\$91,553.-12 1973-\$ 9,251.-157

1966-\$16,972.- 59 1970-\$77,169.-23 1974-\$50,663.- 56 1975-\$34,583.- 68

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-9-Hawaiian Open. T-9-Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-10-Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971-1972 Tournament Policy Board. 1969 Ryder Cup team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was a decent year for Dale Douglass, but not as profitable as he thought it might be, especially after the fine start. Dale had three straight top 10 finishes in February - and then wasn't able to reach that plateau again all year.

He tied for ninth in the Hawaiian Open with three rounds in the 60s. He tied for ninth in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open in his next start, then went to the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open and, after opening with 68-69 which gave him a three-stroke lead, he slipped to 74-73 and a final 284.

Maybe a little disappointed by that, he went to the Jackie Gleason-Inverrvry Classic and finished well down the line. The next two weeks he missed the cuts. Although he never again missed the 36-hole axe for two weeks in a row, he couldn't find the secret to challenge.

His next best finish was a tie for 11th in the First NBC New Orleans Open with 67-69 for the middle rounds. He tied for 17th in the PGA Championship aided by a strong three-under par 67 the last afternoon at Akron Firestone.

Dale played in 31 tournaments and cashed checks for 24. He had a stroke average of 72.3 with four 67s his low.

#### PRIOR YEARS

After failing to reach the top 60 list two years in succession, Dale Douglass must have felt in 1974 that he had found some of his old consistency. The slim Coloradoan won more than \$50,000 for 56th place in the rankings and, in the 32 events he played in, he finished in the top 10 four times, all in late sum-

A second-day 67 at the B.C. Open helped him tie for eighth place. The following week at the Canadian Open he tied for fourth after a second-round 65, and the very next week he tied for fourth again in the Pleasant Valley Classic. Two weeks after that, Dale opened with 67-66 at Westchester and wound up tied for seventh, collecting his third \$7,000-plus check in a four-week span.

Until 1972, Douglass gained exempt status five times over a six-year period, but 1972 and 1973 found him struggling to win barely \$42,000 and missing the top 60 list both times.

A native of Wewoka, Okla., Douglass honed his golf game at the University of Colorado in the late 1950s and turned pro in 1960. The backing of a group of Denver businessmen pushed him out on the Tour in 1963, but it was six more years before he found the victory formula. In 1969 he won both the Azalea and Kemper Opens, and in 1970 he also won the Phoenix Open early on the schedule.

Quiet and unobtrusive, with a wry sense of humor, Douglass says he differs from Mr. Average Guy only by the two "ss's" at the end of his last name. "That," he says, "and the 19 I took at Pebble Beach in 1967. I keep hoping they will forget it, but it pops up every time I have an interview. They never mention I finished with all pars from there.

### **Forrest Fezler**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'8" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTH DATE: Sept. 23, 1949. BIRTHPLACE: Hayward, Cal.

RESIDENCE: San Jose, Cal.

FAMILY: Wife, Marilyn Sue Dodge; Jennifer (1/16/73)

COLLEGE: San Jose City College. GRADUATED: 1970

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Football and all sports

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1969 JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$272,810 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Southern Open

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1971-\$ 1,214.-263

1973-\$106,390.-13

1975-\$52,157.-43

1972-\$26,542.- 88 1974-\$ 90,066.-24

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-2-Doral-Eastern Open. 5-Bing Crosby-Pro-Am. T-5-Florida Citrus Open.

6-Hawaiian Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Forrest Fezler was off to a quick start in 1975, but through most of the second half of the schedule, his normal effectiveness was not there because of a painful wrist injury. Even when he tried to play, he couldn't do the things he normally can do.

Forrest had four top 10 finishes in his first nine starts, though and appeared to be closing in on his second Tour victory. His best finish was in the Doral-Eastern Open. A third-round 67 moved him into a tie for the lead with Jack Nicklaus, but a one-under par 71 the final afternoon wasn't good enough.

The week previous, he finished 69-67 to tie for fifth in the Florida Citrus Open. He was solo fifth in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Am and solo sixth in the Hawaiian Open.

He had a chance in Hawaii, starting 69-67-68 to lead by one, but a closing 74 frustrated his bid. Forrest appeared in 31 tournaments and made money in 17. He missed 10 cuts, but also was forced to withdraw four times because of the injury. His stroke average was 72.4 (it was 71.5 after Doral) and three 67s were his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Until Forrest Fezler arrived at Columbus, Ga., in September, 1974, his third full year on the Tour was stacking up as a close copy of his second. He had finished one stroke behind Hale Irwin in the U.S. Open and had tied for second the following week in the American Golf Classic, dropping out of a four-way playoff with a bogey on the first extra hole. Close finishes were becoming a gnawing habit.

Now he had a record of five second-place finishes and three close thirds in his young Tour career. At Columbus, Forrest never led until the final round, when he closed with a five-under-par 65 and—finally—a one-shot victory. "Winning, not the money, was the big thing. I had to get over that image of finishing second." Fezler said.

Forrest came to the Tour late in 1971 through the fall Qualifying School, two years after winning the 1969 California Amateur, Northern California Amateur and the California Junior College championship.

After failing to cash a check during a seven-week stretch in the summer of 1972, Fezler finished his first full Tour year in strong fashion with more than \$26,000. Since then he has been among the game's top performers.

He challenged again and again in 1973, only to find one of the super stars had beaten him. He finished second to Lee Trevino at Inverrary, second to Tom Weiskopf in Canada and second to Gary Player in the Southern Open. He led the American Golf Classic by two shots after 54 holes but wound up fifth behind Bruce Crampton. He tied for third in the Philadelphia Classic, again behind Weiskopf. But he won \$106,390.

### **Patrick Fitzsimons**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

**HEIGHT**: 5'11" **WEIGHT**: 175

BIRTHDATE: Dec. 15, 1950 BIRTHPLACE: Coos Bay,

Oregon

RESIDENCE: Salem, Oregon.

FAMILY: Wife, Mary

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, studying the golf swing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

1972

CAREER EARNINGS: \$112,471

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1972-\$ 2,901.-225 1974-\$10,098.-143

1973-\$16,596.-118 1975-\$86,181.- 20

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Glen Campbell Los Angeies Open. 4-World Open. 5-Westchester

Classic. T-5-Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-9-Andy Williams San Diego

Open. T-9-U.S. Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1968 Oregon Open. 1969 Northwest Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was an astonishing beginning for Pat Fitzsimons. After drawing blanks for his first four tournaments, he suddenly found the flagsticks. He closed brilliantly in the Bob Hope Desert Classic with 67-67-66 to tie for fifth. The next week in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open, his final round 68 gave him a tie ninth.

Next was the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open at the famed Riviera Country Club. He started 70-71. Then fired a course-record 64 and leaped into a six-stroke lead. He finally won by four over Tom Kite, but the remarkable success story was completed. Just a year before, he left the Tour, nearly broke.

There is more to the story. He represents the Penncross grass-growing people on the Tour, and after San Diego, he flew to New Orleans for a convention. He arrived in Los Angeles late Wednesday. His first look at Riviera was Thursday morning during his first round.

Those three weeks netted him more than \$40,000, far more than he had won altogether during his first two years on Tour.

His success continued. He was tied for the lead after the first day in the U.S. Open at Medinah, and was tied for second, three strokes in back of Frank Beard, after three rounds. A final-day 77 dropped him

At Westchester, a third-day 66 put him within two of the lead, but a closing 73 left him alone in fifth place. At the World Open, he led after two rounds and was only one back after three, but a final 75 left him alone in fourth.

Pat may not be the most stylish dresser on the Tour, but he says he isn't comfortable in the tighterfitting double knits. That's why he wears the loose-fitting cottons.

Pat was in 27 tournaments and earned money in 18. He missed six cuts, and twice, early in the year, failed to qualify on Monday. He had a stroke average of 71.6 with the 64 at Riviera his low.

### PRIOR YEARS

The Tour almost lost Pat Fitzsimons in the spring of 1974. It was an incredible 29-29-58 on his home Salem, Ore., course that brought about an abrupt change in his plans.

When Pat earned his player's card in the fall of 1972, he decided to go it alone financially, with assistance from his mother. His rookie year brought him \$16,596. Not bad, but he wasn't satisfied.

"For economic reasons," he explained, "I started out in 1974 by myself. Mary (his wife) and I felt it would be cheaper if she stayed at home for awhile."

The opening weeks brought little success. After the Andy-Williams-San Diego Open in mid-February, he headed for home, nearly broke. He was hopeful of finding a sponsor. In mid-March, he toured the 6,000-plus yard Salem Country Club course in 58, and in his group that day was an official of the Penncross-Manhattan grass growers.

Impressed, he felt Pat would be a good representative for the grass company and could be used in the marketing program. Two months later, Pat was back on Tour.

Pat started to play golf at age six, although he has a picture taken when he was two, with a cut-down golf club in his hands. His parents encouraged him to play and he started in tournaments at age eight.

He went on to win the Oregon Open as a 17-year-old and the next summer won the Northwest Open. Pat turned professional in 1971 and missed in his first attempt at qualifying for the Tour. He easily made it the next year, finishing as the third low qualifier.

## Ray Floyd

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1969 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 200

BIRTH DATE: Sept. 4, 1942 BIRTHPLACE: Fort Bragg, N.C.

RESIDENCE: Wife, Maria; Raymond Jr. (9/20/74)

FAMILY: Miami, Fla. Plays out of Lake Havasu City, Ariz.

COLLEGE: U. of North Carolina

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1961

JOINED TOUR: 1963

CAREER EARNINGS: \$697,588 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1963 St. Petersburg Open. 1965 St. Paul Open. 1969 Jacksonville Open, Ameri-

(TOTAL: 6) can Golf Classic, PGA Championship. 1975 Kemper Open.

MONEY & POSITION:

1963-\$10,529.-58 1964-\$21,407.-30

1967-\$ 25,254.-47

1971-\$ 70,607.-32

1965-\$36,692.-25

1968-\$ 63,002.-24 1969-\$109,957.- 8

1972-\$ 35,624.-70 1973-\$ 39,646,-77

1966-\$29,712.-32 1970-\$ 47,632.-24

1974-\$119,385.-18 1975-\$103,627.-13

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Kemper Open. T-2-Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-9-Danny Thomas Memphis Classic, T-9-Sammy Davis, Jr. Greater Hartford Open, T-10-PGA

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 and 1975 Ryder Cup team. 1960 National Jaycees Champion. Elected Player Director on Policy Board in fall of 1975.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It certainly was a memorable year for Ray Floyd. He re-established himself as a winner on the Tour. He caught Gary Player on the final day of the Kemper Open in Charlotte, N.C., and won by three strokes over Player and John Mahaffey.

It was Ray's first Tour victory since he captured the PGA National championship at Dayton's National Cash Register Club in 1969. His first-day 65 gave him a two-stroke lead and he held it through 36 holes with his 71 on the second day for 136. Player came on strong the third day to gain the top rung, as Ray only could manage a 73, but his final-round 69 left him riding high.

Earlier in the year, he pushed J. C. Snead to the fourth extra hole in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open before bowing. His excellent play helped to earn him a position on the United States Ryder Cup

When asked about his resurgence the last two years, he simply replied, "I've just begun to like to play golf. Some of this comes with maturity, but I've been applying myself and working hard. The game's eniovable for me.

Ray played in 27 tournaments, earning money in 20, missing the cut in five and withdrawing in two. He had five top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 71.7 and he had two 65s.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Since joining the Tour in 1963, Ray Floyd has been out of the top 60 only twice, in 1972 and 1973. He recovered from those lapses with a smashing year in 1974 that lacked little except outright victory. Floyd finished in the top 10 eight times in 1974, missed the cut only twice and earned \$119,385 in official purses to rank 18th

Tive got some personal goals now after playing on the Tour for five years without a purpose," Floyd

said, doubtlessly referring to his young family. "It's mostly a change of attitude. I don't let everything

As a youngster, Ray wavered between a career in baseball and professional golf. When he won the National Jaycees tournament in 1960 his mind was made up.

He was chosen Rookie-of-the-Year after winning the 1963 St. Petersburg Open. He won the St. Paul Open in 1965. But 1969 was the most memorable year, when he won the Jacksonville Open, the American Golf Classic and the coveted PGA Championship, earning a lifetime exemption from qualifying.

Floyd is a native of Ft. Bragg, N.C., and the son of an Army man who now is co-owner of the Cypress Lakes Club in Fayetteville, N.C. He remains a serious baseball fan, specifically that of the Chicago Cubs, whom he frequently visits and even practices with on occasion.

### **Rod Funseth**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTHDATE: Apr. 3, 1933 BIRTHPLACE: Spokane, Wash.

RESIDENCE: Napa, California

FAMILY: Wife, Sandi; Lisa Ann (11/16/66); Mark Robert

(11/11/67).

COLLEGE: Univ. of Idaha

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, photography.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1956 JOINED TOUR: 1961

CAREER EARNINGS: \$453,695 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1965 Phoenix. 1973 Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open.

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1961-\$ 1,495.-114 1966-\$19,011.-55 1971-\$63,567.-34

 1962-\$
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 1967-\$23,604. 1972-\$48,238. 52

 1963-\$
 5,378. 80
 1968-\$27,011. 1973-\$89,145. 1973-\$89,145. 1979-\$48,238. 1979-\$4

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 4-Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-4-Byron Nelson Golf Classic. T-6-

World Open. T-8-San Antonio-Texas Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Twice, Rod Funseth was in the lead position after three rounds, but found the momentum dulled slightly the final day.

His 70-67-69 at Torrey Pines in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open placed him 10-under par and the leader by one stroke over Raymond Floyd. But, Rod put a last-day 74 on his scorecard and finished fourth, just one stroke out of the three-way playoff.

In the Byron Nelson Classic in Dallas, Rod was tied with Bruce Crampton and Bob Eastwood after three days at 10-under par 203, he was one of the victims of Tom Watson's closing 65, so his 69-68-66-70-273 left him tied for fourth.

Rod also had two other top 10 finishes. He tied for sixth in the World Open at Pinehurst and did the same in the San Antonio-Texas Open.

He did return to the top 60 money winners for the year, coming back from a hand injury that forced him well down the list in 1974. While the hand still may not have been 100 percent, it was far better than the previous year.

Rod played in 26 tournaments and made the cut in 20. He compiled a stroke average of 71.6 with two 66s his best efforts.

#### PRIOR YEARS

In 1974, Rod Funseth followed his finest year on Tour with possibly his least productive, partly because a hand injury made it difficult for him to swing the club with accustomed authority.

Rod tied for third place in the Crosby Pro-Am but that was to be his lone top 10 finish for all of 1974. He made money in 15 of 27 events but missed the cut nine times and cashed checks for barely \$27,000.

Until 1974, Funseth had placed in the top 60 eight years out of nine, earning a high of almost \$90,000 in 1973 when he started fast by winning the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open for his second career victory. By mid-season he had surpassed his previous high in official purses, \$63,567 set in 1971.

Rod turned pro in 1956 and came on Tour in 1961 after working at various clubs as an assistant. He won the Phoenix Open in 1965 to begin his stretch of consistent performances that was to last almost a decade.

Among his other top efforts on Tour are a second in the 1967 '500' Festival at Indianapolis, ties for third in the 1965 and 1966 Canadian Opens and a third alone in the 1968 Phoenix Open.

In 1971 he lost a three-way playoff with Dave Eichelberger and Buddy Allin at Greensboro and added two third-place finishes toward his best year in purses to that time. Rod had four finishes in the top 10 in 1972, the best being ties for third at Jacksonville and Tallahassee.

## Al Geiberger

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime - 1966 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 175

BIRTH DATE: Sept. 1, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Red Bluff, Calif.

RESIDENCE: Santa Barbara, Calif. Plays out of Silver Lakes

Resort, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Lynn Butler; Lee Ann (9/14/63); John (5/20/68); (Stepchildren: Robby (10/11/63); Brent (5/22/68).

COLLEGE: U. of So. Calif. GRADUATED: 1959 BS Business

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Photography, tennis

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959 JOINED TOUR: 1960

CAREER EARNINGS: \$794,505 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1962 Caracas Open, Ontario Open. 1963 Almaden Open. 1965 American Golf (TOTAL: 8) Classic. 1966 PGA Championship. 1974 Sahara. 1975 Tournament of Champions,

Tournament Players Championship.

MONEY & POSITION: 1960-\$10,511.-37 1965-\$59,699.- 8 1970-\$ 21,233.-91

 1961-\$18,656.-30
 1966-\$63,220.-10
 1971-\$20,848.-99

 1962-\$26,045.-20
 1967-\$63,315.-14
 1972-\$29,710.-80

 1963-\$34,126.-8
 1968-\$64,931.-22
 1973-\$63,467.-45

 1964-\$36,323.-13
 1969-\$26,868.-65
 1974-\$91,628.-23

1975-\$175,693.- 6

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1—Tournament of Champions, Tournament Players Championship. 2— Hawaiian Open, Greater Greensboro Open. 6—Dean Martin Tucson Open.

T-7—Western Open. T-9—Pleasant Valley. T-9—Walt Disney Team Cham-

pionship.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1954 National Jaycee winner. 1967 and 1975 Ryder Cup.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

This lanky Southern Californian seems to be getting better with age. He easily had the finest campaign of his 16-year career, winning two tournaments, finishing second in two others and earning nearly twice as much as he ever has before in a single season.

He picked two of the big ones for his triumps, too - the Tournament Players Championship at Forth Worth's Colonial Country Club, and the Tournament of Champions at LaCosta, Calif. In the latter, he had to defeat Gary Player in sudden death to do it.

The second-place finishes came early in the year. He started with a 66 in the rain-plagued Hawaiian Open and then had to birdie the 72d hole to finish one in back of Gary Groh. After a 71-75 start in the Greater Greensboro Open, he came back super-strong with 66-66 to close within three of Tom Weiskopf

He was a wire-to-wire leader in the Tournament Players Championship, although Dave Stockton had him by one at the turn of the final afternoon. All threw a two-under par 33 at Dave on the trip home, and won it by three

In the T of C, he only had three bogeys all week, but one came at the 72d and thus the tie with Player. On the first extra hole, his eight-iron approach was to nine feet and he rolled home the birdie putt from there.

All of his steady play earned him a position on the United States Ryder Cup team.

All played in 26 tournaments and cashed checks from 21 of them. He missed the cut in the other five. He compiled a stroke average of 71.4, with a 64 at Hartford and four 66s being his best.

#### PRIOR YEARS

After suffering through eight years without victory and enduring a multitude of personal and physical problems, Al Geiberger had the feeling that he may never win on Tour again. But on a sunny Sunday in the fall of 1974 in the Nevada desert he broke through to win the Sahara Invitational by three strokes.

"Every time you get in contention someone will ask how long it has been since you have won, and all you do is cut some years off and mumble a lot," Geiberger said when the drought ended. "Winning became more and more important and it also seemed harder and harder to do. Second place means nothing to me at this stage of my career."

Akron's Firestone Country Club was good to Al in the mid-1960s, when he won the 1965 American Golf Classic and the 1966 PGA Championship there. Two more good years, however, were followed by four rather lean ones, during which an internal disorder sent him home to California for long periods of time.

## **Gibby Gilbert**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 175

BIRTH DATE: Jan. 14, 1941 BIRTHPLACE: Chattanooga,

Tenn.

RESIDENCE: Pembroke Pines, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Judy; Jeff (11/14/63); Gilbert (10/21/66); Mark

(5/31/70).

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, hunting.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1964 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$345,647 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1970 Houston

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1968-\$ 1,752.-203 1969-\$ 2,814.-197 1971-\$62,501.-35 1972-\$34,144.-73 1974-\$69,992.-33 1975-\$56,279.-38

1970-\$65,618.- 27 1973-\$60,636.-48

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 4—Walt Disney Team Championship. T-4—Western Open, Greater Milwaukee

Open. 5-Southern Open. T-9-Danny Thomas Memphis Classic, Atlanta

Classic, Kaiser International Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was another profitable year for Gibby Gilbert, as he played steadily, if not exceptionally. He finished with six top 10 performances the best being back-to-back ties for fourth in the Western Open and the Greater Milwaukee Open.

He had a solo fifth in the Southern Open with four rounds in the sixties. The others were ties for ninth with back-to-back efforts in the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic and the Atlanta Classic, and finally in the Kaiser International Open. It was a second-day 65 at Atlanta that propelled him into the good finish.

Although he tied for 16th in the Sahara Invitational, it was satisfying to him the way he did it. An opening 73 left him 10 strokes back, and then he roared home with 67-69-66 for a nine-under par 275.

Gibby played in 34 tournaments and earned money in 25. He had a stroke average of 71.8 with a 65 and two 66s being his low.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Gibby Gilbert earned his players card at the 1967 Tour Qualifying School where he was second to low qualifier Bobby Cole and was graduated with such players as Deane Beman, Tony Jacklin, Orville Moody, Bob Murphy and Lee Elder. He struggled through meager earnings for two full years before he won the Houston Champions International and more than \$65,000 for the entire year of 1970.

In 1971, Gibby recorded six straight birdies en route to a tie for second in the Westchester Classic. His earnings held steady over the \$60,000 mark that year but they slipped badly in 1972, and by the following spring he was ready to give up the Tour in favor of golf sales. Suddenly, his performance improved

Beginning with the American Golf Classic in June 1973, Gilbert made the cut in 13 straight events and returned to the top 60 list with more than \$60,000 in official purses once more.

A highlight of Gilbert's 1973 campaign was a course-record 62 at the famed Pinehurst No. 2 course on opening day of the 144-hole World Open. It shattered the previous record by three strokes, but Tom Watson matched it the following week.

The year 1974 was lucrative again as he barely missed \$70,000 and almost won his second Tour event, the Sea Pines Heritage Classic. Gilbert shot 71-71-68 in the first three rounds but wound up four shots back of Johnny Miller and in second place alone with \$23,250.

Gibby, who was born without a first name — C.L. Gilbert Jr. —began to make a name for himself in golf when he first took up the game at age 13 in his native Chattanooga. In 1962 he quit the University of Chattanooga, married and became an assistant pro in Hollywood, Fla.

## **Bob Goalby**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 195

BIRTH DATE: Mar. 14, 1929 BIRTHPLACE: Belleville, III.

RESIDENCE: Belleville, III.

FAMILY: Wife, Sarah; Kye (2/24/64); Kel (5/16/67); Kevin

(1/8/70)

COLLEGE: U. of Illinois

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Quail hunting, fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1957 JOINED TOUR: 1957

CAREER EARNINGS: \$629,457 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1958 Greensboro. 1960 Coral Gables. 1961 Los Angeles, St. Petersburg. 1962 (TOTAL: 11) Insurance City, Denver. 1967 San Diego. 1968 Masters. 1969 Robinson, 1970

Heritage. 1971 Bahamas.

MONEY & POSITION: 1957-\$ 20.-271 1963-\$18,659.-43 1969-\$35,522.- 53

1958-\$11,052.- 31 1964-\$11,174,-62 1970-\$58,996.- 30 1959-\$24,413.- 11 1965-\$23.977.-43 1971-\$49,203.- 50 1960-\$24,999.- 13 1966-\$49,515. -14 1972-\$47,935.- 54 1961-\$30,919.- 8 1967-\$77,107.-10 1973-\$50,439.- 60 1962-\$46,241.- 5 1968-\$58,671.-28 1974-\$18,058.-115 1975-\$ 9,039.-132

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-19-Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1963 Ryder Cup team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Although Bob Goalby has been one of the Tour's leading players for nearly two decades, he now will be spending more time at The Springs, a beautiful new club in Palm Desert, Calif., where he is the head professional.

His career earnings of \$629,457 places him well up the list for an exemption for 1976 in the "all-time top 50 money winners" category. His best finish during the past year was a tie for 19th in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open.

Several times, he was in decent position only to have one round spoil the bid for a final charge, such as at Atlanta Classic where he opened with a 69, and the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open, where he opened with a 67.

Bob played in 22 tournaments, his lowest number in many years, earning money in 12 and missing the cut nine times. He also withdrew once. He compiled a stroke average of 73.4.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Bob Goalby earned 11 letters in athletics at Belleville, III., High School and turned down several major league baseball offers to enter the University of Illinois on a football scholarship. He stayed one year, because his heart was in golf and he wanted to join the Tour, which he did in 1957.

One year later Bob won at Greensboro and began a stretch of 15 years in which he was absent from the top 60 list only once. Among his 11 tour titles was the 1968 Masters, a tournament perhaps best known for Roberto deVicenzo's signing an incorrect scorecard but one in which Goalby shot four rounds in the 60s for an 11-under-par 277, at the time fourth lowest total in that major championship's history.

Goalby still owns one long-standing Tour record, eight straight birdies in the final round of the 1961 St. Petersburg Open, en route to his fourth Tour victory.

His last three victories—in the 1969 Robinson, 1970 Heritage and 1971 Bahamas Open—came near the end of the schedule each year and twice saved his exemption status.

He had four top 10 finishes in 1973, the best a tie for third at St. Louis, and barely made the top 60 money list.

Bob made money in 13 of 25 events during 1974, the best a tie for 14th in the Doral-Eastern Open when he closed with 69-69. He also tied for 17th at Akron and for 22nd in the Masters after poor starts.

### **David Graham**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 162

BIRTH DATE: May 23, 1946 BIRTHPLACE: Windson

Australia

RESIDENCE: Hollywood (Emerald Hills C.C.), Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Maureen Burdett; Andrew (11/8/74).

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, golf club designer

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1962 JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$209,923 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1972 Cleveland.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1971-\$10,062.-135

1972-\$57,827.- 38 1974-\$61,625.-41

1973-\$43,062.-71 1975-\$51,642.-44

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-2-B.C. Open. T-8-Kemper Open. T-8-New Orleans Open. T-10-PGA

Championship.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1970 French Open, Tailand Open. 1971 Caracas Open, Japan Open. 1970

World Cup Team for Australia-won Team Title with Bruce Devlin. 1971

World Cup Team. 1975 Wills Masters winner.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

David Graham closed with a flurry of birdies in the B.C. Open at Endicott, N.Y., in late August and it nearly netted him his second Tour victory. Instead, he had to settle for a tie for second as Don Iverson swept to his first triumph.

"I played like my life depended on it," he said. "I was out of it and it looked as if I'd be a seventh place finisher, but I hit my six best shots of the tournament in getting three birdies at 14, 15 and 17." He had a 20 footer for another at the 18th, but didn't get the one that would have forced the playoff.

He had three 68s and a 71 that week for his nine-under par score of 275. He also used a closing 67 to tie for eighth in the First NBC New Orleans Open and he finished in the same position two weeks later in the Kemper Open. A pair of even-par 70s at Firestone led him to a tie for 10th in the PGA champion-

David is highly-respected as a golf club designer and he is consulted frequently by his colleagues. The last two years, he has played well in the latter half of the season, and said that he believes it is because "I don't work hard enough on my game early in the year."

David played in 30 tournaments and made money in 22. He missed the cut eight times, but five of them came in succession - after tieing for 13th in the year's first event, the Phoenix Open. He compiled a stroke average of 72.0, and had two 65s and three 66s for his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

After turning pro in 1962 at age 16, David Graham began his tournament career in the late 1960s in his native Australia and on the Far East Circuit. In the 1969 Singapore Open he tied for first place after a tournament-record 62 but lost the playoff. He then entered the 1970 ATP Qualifying School with a "sure thing" tag from close observers.

He failed to get his players card, but the following week he and Bruce Devlin won the World Cup for Australia in the annual tournament in Buenos Aires, and David placed second individually.

In 1971 Graham won the Caracas Open and the Japanese Airlines Tournament, passed the U.S. Tour qualifying test on his second try and won over \$10,000 in official American purses. And in 1972 he fulfilled many of the glowing predictions of him.

Using a set of Australian-made irons that Arnold Palmer gave him (in exchange for an old Tommy Armour putter), Graham defeated Devlin on the second playoff hole of the 1972 Cleveland Open and finished the year with more than \$55,000. He also lost a four-way playoff in the Liggett & Myers Open and, abroad, was beaten by Gay Brewer in extra holes in the Taiheiyo Club Masters in Japan.

Graham started 1973 with a second-place tie at Los Angeles, but it was a long year as he missed the top 60. He was fighting to regain that same exemption status in late 1974 when his fortunes turned favorable for a two-month stretch.

In the last six tournaments of 1974, Graham won more than \$30,000 and easily regained the top 60, his best effort a tie for sixth at Sahara after scoring 67-67.

### Lou Graham

EXEMPT STATUS: 10 years exemption-1975 U.S. Open

champion.

HEIGHT: 6" WEIGHT: 175

BIRTH DATE: Jan. 7, 1938 BIRTHPLACE: Nashville, Tenn.

RESIDENCE: Nashville, Tennessee.

FAMILY: Wife, Patsy; Louann (4/1/61); Phyllis (10/4/62).

COLLEGE: Memphis State U.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1962 JOINED TOUR: 1964

CAREER EARNINGS: \$617.843 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1967 Minnesota Classic. 1972 Liggett & Myers. 1975 U.S. Open.

(TOTAL: 3)

MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$ 2,322.-130 1968-\$36,108.-47 1972-\$96,077.-19 1965-\$11,093.- 73

1969-\$27,208.-68 1973-\$94,854.-19 1966-\$11,312.- 79 1970-\$53,665 -37 1974-\$74,898.-29 1967-\$42,556.- 27 1971-\$82,575.-23 1975-\$96,425.-15

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-U.S. Open. 4-Bing Crosby National Pro-Am. 4-Greater Jacksonville

Open. T-4-Hawaiian Open. T-9-Kaiser International Open. T-10-Pen-

sacola Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 and 1975 Ryder Cup team.

Regardless of what he does through the rest of his golf career, there never will be a week to equal the one in June last year at the Medinah Country Club in suburban Chicago. It was wet and hot and muddy, but to Lou Graham, it forever will be beautiful.

It was the week he won the United States Open championship in an 18-hole playoff over John Mahaffey. "It really is hard for me to sit here and think I'm the U.S. Open champion," he said softly and with his Tennessee drawl. "It's the dream of a lifetime. Every kid, when he starts playing golf, dreams of winning the U.S. Open.

Lou was seven strokes back after his first-round 74. After the second day, he was 11-strokes back, with 146 to Tom Watson's Open record of 135. Then he made a big move. His 68 on Saturday gave him a one-over par 214, only four off Frank Board's third-round score. Finally, his closing 73 gave him the three-over par 287 and a tie with Mahaffey.

The next day, Lou birdied early and went on to win the playoff, with even-par 71 to John's 73

Three times Lou finished fourth. He was alone in that position at the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur and Greater Jacksonville, but tied for fourth in the Hawaiian Open. He also was named to the Ryder Cup team and played well, being a member of three winning team matches, and losing one singles.

Lou played in 26 tournaments and made money in 23. He only missed two cuts and finished out of the money in another. He compiled a stroke average of 71.7 and had three 65s for his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Lou Graham, the man from Nashville with the erect carriage but low profile otherwise, strides quietly down the fairways year after year, claiming a piece of the purse week after week and winding up comfortably in the top 60

Since first crashing the exemption list in 1967, three years after joining the Tour, Lou has missed the top 60 only once, when tendonitis in the left hand-and resulting surgery-limited his play in 1969.

Lou took up golf at age 10 and earned a scholarship to Memphis State, where he stayed three years. "I didn't like school from the day I went into the first grade," he remarks on his early departure.

He enlisted in the Army and served in the President's Honor Guard, but that duty wasn't much better than school. "I wanted out from the day I got in," Graham says of that experience.

He turned pro after discharge in 1962 and worked at a club near Baltimore until finding backers to send him on the Tour in 1964. He developed into a consistently high finisher, winning the 1967 Minnesota Classic and the 1972 Liggett & Myers Open. Also memorable was a three-week stretch in early-spring 1973 when he finished one stroke out of first place at Jacksonville, New Orleans and Greensboro.

In 1974, Graham started very slowly, winning less than \$6,000 in his first 13 tournaments. Then he finished seventh in the Colonial National Invitation and tied for second in the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic, two shots behind Gary Player. Four other top 10 finishes followed, including a tie for third in the U.S. Open which went largely unnoticed, and he completed the year with only two missed cuts.

### **Hubert Green**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTHDATE: Dec. 28, 1946 BIRTHPLACE: Birmingham, Ala.

RESIDENCE: Bay Point, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Judi Rowlands; Hubert Myatt, III (8/18/75)

COLLEGE: Florida State U. GRADUATED: 1968, BS

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Bridge, hunting

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1970 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

1970

CAREER EARNINGS: \$527,408 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Houston. 1973 Tallahassee Open, B.C. Open. 1974 Bob Hope, Gr. Jackson-

(TOTAL: 8) ville, Philadelphia, Disney, 1975 Southern Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1970-\$ 1,690.-218 1972-\$ 44,113.-58 1974-\$211,709.- 3

1971-\$73,439.- 29 1973-\$114,397.-11 1975-\$113,569.-12

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Southern Open. 2-Bing Crosby Pro-Am., Sammy Davis, Jr., Greater

Hartford Open. 3-Tournament Players Championship. T-5-B.C. Open.

T-8-Masters.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Rookie of the Year. 1975 Phoenix Dunlop-Japan.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

After finishing second alone to Gene Littler in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur, the third week of the year, Hubert Green waited until the end of summer to put together four weeks that helped to keep him up among the game's superstars.

After withdrawing from the PGA Championship due to the death of his father, Hubert then finished second in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open, losing in sudden-death to Don Bies on the second extra hole; was third by himself the next week in the Tournament Players Championship on the tough Colonial course in Fort Worth, Tex.; tied for fifth in the B.C. Open at Endicott, N.Y., and then won the Southern Open at Columbus, Ga., overtaking John Schroeder on the final day. That stretch netted him nearly \$70,000.

Right in the middle of it all, on the Monday after Hartford, his wife, Judy, presented him with their first child, a son, Hubert Myatt III. Hubie was there for that great occasion, too.

The victory week was an impressive one, he had rounds of 68,66,66 and 64 for a 16-under par total of 264. He credited his hot streak to a change in putting styles. "My stance now is more like the one Jack Nicklaus uses," he said. "My feet are more wide open."

His other top 10 finish was a tie for eighth in the Masters, as he closed with a pair of 70s.

Hubert played in 28 tournaments and made money in 22. He had six top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 71.4, with one 64, two 65s and five 66s.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Despite one relatively disappointing year, 1972, Hubert Green has quickly established himself as one of the game's premier players since gaining his Tour players card in the fall of 1970.

In his rookie year he earned more than \$73,000 and won the Houston Champions International in a playoff with Don January, in addition to placing second, third and fourth twice in other events.

Although he barely made the top 60 in 1972, the year was rewarding in that he married the former Judi Rowlands, whom he met during the San Diego Open. "I was looking for my parents and found Hubert," Judi says. Then, after missing the cut in nine of 26 events, Green finished the year with 10 straight in-the-money performances.

He started slowly again in 1973, missing the cut in four of his first six tournaments, but steadled dramatically. Green won the Tallahassee Open and the B.C. Open and collected eight other top 10 finishes, including a tie for fourth in the Walt Disney World.

It added up to almost \$115,000 for the year, and if that seemed like a tough act to follow, Hubert topped it. In 1974 he won four tournaments and more than \$210,000, finishing behind only Johnny Miller and Jack Nicklaus on the money list.

In his sixth tournament of 1974, Green closed with a 65 in the Bob Hope Desert Classic to beat out Bert Yancey. Five weeks later he won again at Jacksonville. At the IVB-Philadelphia Classic, Hubert shot the last three rounds in 67-66-68 to win again. Then he joined hometown pal Mac McLendon to win the year's final event, the National Team Championship at Disney World.

Green won seven major amateur titles before turning pro, including two Southerns, and declined a Walker Cup invitation to compete in the 1970 Tour Qualifying School.

# **Gary Groh**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List.

HEIGHT: 6 WEIGHT: 160

BIRTH DATE: Oct. 11, 1944 BIRTHPLACE: Chicago. III.

RESIDENCE: Bridgman, Michigan. Plays out of Freeport, Grand

**Bahamas** 

FAMILY: Wife, Fay.

COLLEGE: Michigan State

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, fishing, all sports.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 JOINED TOUR: Spring of

CAREER EARNINGS: \$111.813

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Hawaiian Open.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1970-8---1971-\$2,464.-217 1972-\$ 8,184.-155

1974-\$21,582.-103

1973-\$17,433.-113

1975-\$68,296.- 31

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Hawaiian Open. T-6-IVB Philadelphia Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Winner of four Second Tour events during 1973 and 1974. Represented U.S.

Navy on 1965 and 1966 All-Service teams.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was a day Gary Groh will treasure for the rest of his life. There he was, battling Arnold Palmer and Al Geiberger through the tense final holes of the Hawaiian Open - and he won.

It was the first main Tour victory of his career and the way his swing held up under the intense pressure was most impressive. His opening 68 placed him two strokes in back of Geiberger, but Gary had an embarrassing moment that day. At the 12th, his 30 footer ran seven feet past the cup. His comebacker stopped on the lip. He walked up to it and took a casual pass at the ball to tap it in - and missed the ball completely.

He didn't lose his composure, though, and his second-straight 68 moved him into a tie with Palmer for second, just one in back of Geiberger. Forrest Fezler took the third-round lead, while Gary fell two off the pace with a 70 for 206.

On the final day of the rain-delayed tournament, Gary, Palmer and Geiberger were tied as they entered the final nine. When they came to the closing holes, Gary, playing the 18th, and Arnold, the 17th, were tied for the lead, with AI one back. But, Arnold bogeyed, when he missed the green, Gary birdied the 18th to win it. Al also birdied the 18th to clinch second, and Arnold settled for third

The victory was worth \$44,000. His only other top 10 finish was a tie for sixth in the IVB-Philadelphia Classic, thanks to a closing 66.

Gary entered 31 tournaments and was in the money 16 times. He compiled a stroke average of 72.7 with the 66 his low round.

#### PRIOR YEARS

There was a time when Gary Groh was referred to as the "King of the Second Tour." He won four of those events through the 1973 and 1974 campaigns. "I was happy to win them," he said. "The Second Tour was a great stepping stone for me.

Gary did not have a lot of amateur experience, so the competition and the tastes of victory were invaluable to him.

He missed in his first attempt at the qualifying school in the fall of 1968, but came back to get his card in the spring of 1969. "I didn't play well at all, though," he says. At the end of the year, his playing card was lifted.

It wasn't until the fall of 1971 that he tried again, and made it. "I also got married about that time, and I was more adjusted to the situation." Although his progress was not as rapid as he wanted, he said, "I did get a little better each year, so I really wasn't discouraged."

Gary started to play the game at age seven. It wasn't until he was in the Navy and stationed at Patuxent River, Md., for two years that his game developed. He was in special services and worked in the pro shop at the Naval Air Station course.

Upon his discharge, he went to the Bahamas and worked for Craig Wood. During the summer of 1968, he was an assistant under Bob Toski. He also worked for Toski briefly in the winter of 1970-71, and was an assistant professional at the Jackson, Mich., Country Club in the summer of 1971 before regaining his Tour card.

## **Mark Hayes**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 160

BIRTHDATE: July 12, 1949 BIRTHPLACE: Stillwater, Okla.

RESIDENCE: Stillwater, Oklahoma

FAMILY: Wife, Jana.

COLLEGE: Oklahoma State U.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$96,850
TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1973-\$8,637.-160

1974-\$40,620.-68

1975-\$49,297.-47

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 3-Quad Cities Open. T-8-Greater Milwaukee Open. T-10-B.C. Open,

Southern Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Runner-up U.S. Amateur. 1972 World Amateur Cup team. 1972 Sun-

nehanna Amateur champion. 1970 and 1971 Collegiate All-American. 1967

and 1971 Oklahoma State Amateur champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Mark Hayes came on the Tour with little fanfare, but in just two years, he is showing why he was able to establish such a fine amateur record. He moved into the top 60 in 1975, mainly because of an exceptionally strong and consistent second half of the season.

Through his first 14 tournaments, he had missed five cuts and his best finish was a tie for 12th in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open. In his final 17, he only missed it three times and had four top 10 finishes.

His best effort was a solo third in the Ed McMahon Jaycees-Quad Cities Open. His 70-68-70-69—277, seven-under par, was two off the pace. The week previous, he tied for eighth in the Greater Milwaukee Open with 68-66 for his middle rounds. Back-to-back tenth-place finishes came in the B.C. Open and the Southern Open. He had a second-day 65 in the Southern.

Mark played in 33 tournaments and made money in 24. He missed eight cuts and finished out of the money in another. His stroke average was 71.8 with a 65 and two 66s his best.

#### PRIOR YEARS

As a youngster, Mark Hayes never doubted that one day he would be on the PGA Tour. He was completely dedicated to the game and either practiced or played every chance he had.

"One of the reasons I was so dedicated," he says, "is that I was small for my age. I couldn't do anything else. I practiced every day, before school and after school. I never thought of doing anything else for a living but play golf."

He started at age six under the eye of his father, who was a high school physical education teacher and golf coach. At age 13, the family moved to Stillwater, Okla., and he came under the wing of Labron Harris, Sr. at Oklahoma State, a good friend of Mark's dad.

He started tournament play at age 10. Competing against the 11 and 12-year olds, he "won by a whole bunch" nearly every time. One of the highlights of his young career came when he was 17, and he defeated Tom Kite of Austin in the final of the Texas-Oklahoma junior championship.

He caddied in five Oklahoma City Opens when that event was a regular Tour stop, and was a student at Oklahoma State for four years (lacks six hours for degree). He was on the 1970 and 1971 All-America teams and was runner-up to Gary Cowan in the 1971 U.S. Amateur. In 1972, he played on the World Amateur Cup team for the U.S.

Mark spent two years in the Army, mostly at Fort Jackson, S.C. He spent most of his time working at the base golf course with fellow tourist Joe Inman, Jr. After his discharge in 1973, he went through the Tour qualifying school.

Mark had good success as a rookie, winning \$40,620 for 65th place. His best finish was a tie for fourth in the Bob Hope Desert Classic.

## **Jerry Heard**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List.

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 190

BIRTH DATE: May 1, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: Visalia, Calif.

RESIDENCE: Visalia, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Nancy Ritter

COLLEGE: Fresno State

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Trout fishing and raising quarter horses.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 JOINED TOUR: 1969

CAREER EARNINGS: \$618,321 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 American Golf Classic. 1972 Florida Citrus, Colonial. 1974 Florida Citrus.

(TOTAL: 4)

MONEY & POSITION: 1969-\$10,236.-129 1971-\$112,389.-7 1973-\$ 94,223.-20

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Phoenix Open. 3-Bob Hope Desert Classic. 4-Kemper Open. T-4-

Western Open. T-6-Westchester Classic. T-9-Kaiser International Open

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1974 Spanish Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Although he was shut out of the victory column and his money total was the lowest in five years, it still was a rather profitable year for easy-going Jerry Heard.

In the first tournament, he fired a 65 on the final day to finish second in the Phoenix Open with a 10-under par score of 274. But, he lost by 14 strokes to Johnny Miller. Jerry grinned afterwards, "I feel like I won the tournament."

A month later, Jerry had a solo third-place finish in the Bob Hope Desert Classic, again, Miller being the winner, He had four other top 10 finishes, but one of the more surprising was his tie for fourth in the Western Open at the Butler National course in Oak Brook, III.

Jerry, along with Lee Trevino and Bobby Nichols, was hospitalized on the evening of the second round as the result of receiving the jolt of a sudden bolt of lightning. Because of rain and wetness, the second round was wiped out and play did not resume again until Sunday, Jerry was discharged from the hospital Saturday evening, and was the only one of the three to continue play.

Jerry played in 27 tournaments and earned money in 24. He missed two cuts and finished out of the money in another event. He compiled a stroke average of 71.7 with two 65s being his low rounds.

#### **PRIOR YEARS**

"There's only one goal I've ever set," Jerry Heard says. "I want to win \$100,000 a year. If you do that you usually have to win a tournament or two."

In his first six years on the Tour, Jerry reached the hundred-grand level three times and won \$535,633 and four tournaments

Heard took up golf at age 11, and a year later he was shooting par, a result of daily practice at a municipal course in California operated by his father.

He dropped out of Fresno State College in 1968 to attend the Tour Qualifying School, made good, but he earned barely \$10,000 in his first year, 1969. In his first five tournaments of 1970 he earned only \$133 but he was married in May and recorded five top 10 finishes while cracking the top 60 list.

In 1971, Jerry won the American Golf Classic by three strokes and easily topped his \$100,000 goal. He won the Florida Citrus and the Colonial, and more than \$137,000, in 1972 when he produced 11 top 10 finishes.

Heard was winless in 1973 but a pair of seconds on strong courses, Colonial National and Harbour Town, helped him compile almost \$95,000. Then followed his finest year overall.

During the month of March, 1974, in Florida, Heard won \$59,000 in three tournaments. He started in the Florida Citrus by rejecting a new swing and going back to "my way," and shot a 15-under-par 273 for a three-stroke victory worth \$30,000.

The next week he opened with a 65 at Doral but a double bogey on the 72nd hole left him a shot back of winner Buddy Allin. Then he was third at Jacksonville, where a closing 68 left him three strokes back of Hubert Green.

### **Lionel Hebert**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime - 1957 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 5'81/2" WEIGHT: 205

BIRTH DATE: Jan. 20, 1928 BIRTHPLACE: Lafayette, La.

RESIDENCE: Lafavette Louisiana

FAMILY: Wife, Clara Belle; Glenn (11/20/49); Jacqueline

(9/25/51); Mitzi (3/21/61)

COLLEGE: Southwestern U. and Louisiana State Univ.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Music, fishing, cooking.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1950 JOINED TOUR: 1957

CAREER EARNINGS: \$405,246 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1957 PGA Championship. 1958 Tucson. 1960 Cajun Classic Open. 1962

(TOTAL: 5) Memphis Open. 1966 Florida Citrus Open.

1963-\$28,590.-15 1969-\$26,603.- 69 1957-\$11,097.-24 MONEY & POSITION: 1958-\$15,236.-22 1964-\$26,872.-20 1970-\$32,191.- 71 1959-\$11,109.-39 1971-\$32,221,- 70 1965-\$20,693.-46 1972-\$19,362.-108 1960-\$18,177.-22 1966-\$44,262.-20 1973-\$12,599.-138 1961-\$14,769.-39 1967-\$18,680.-61

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-5-Houston Open. T-10-Greater Milwaukee Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1957 Member of Ryder Cup team; 1961-62 Member PGA Tournament Com-

mittee. 1962-3 Chairman of PGA Tournament Committee. 1972-1974, Play-

er Director, TPD Policy Board.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

There are few people who enjoy playing golf more than Lionel Hebert. He is one of the game's better good-will ambassadors and has spent many hours and years working to improve the image of the Tour.

Even after two decades, Lionel continues to be competitive. His best finish last year was a tie for fifth in the Houston Open with 69-71-70-69—279, or nine-under par on the Woodlands course. He also tied for 10th in the Greater Milwaukee Open.

On several occasions, Lionel had a problem staying away from the high numbers in one round which cost him dearly, such as the 72-80 in the Canadian Open.

One of Lionel's favorite diversions is to blow his trumpet and at such sites as the Bob Hope Desert Classic, he can be found taking his place on the bandstand.

Lionel entered 28 tournaments and was in the money on seven occasions, most of those coming during the second half of the year. He compiled a stroke average of 73.7.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Lionel Hebert has been one of the PGA Tour's leading citizens for nearly 20 years, and there isn't any sign of him slowing down.

Undoubtedly, the highlight of his colorful career was his victory in the PGA National Championship in 1957, his first year out, when he defeated Dow Finsterwald, 2 and 1, at Miami Valley in Dayton. That was the final PGA to be decided at match play.

Three years later, older brother Jay (there is five years difference) won the PGA at Akron Firestone. Lionel has won four other tournaments, his last being the 1966 Florida Citrus Open.

Over the years, Lionel has been involved deeply with the affairs of the Tour. He was a member of the Tournament Committee in 1961 through 1963. In 1963, he was chairman of the committee.

In 1972, he was summoned again, and he returned as a player director on the Policy Board, and served through 1974. There have been times when a player has been needed to represent the Tour, and Lionel always has been available, willingly giving his time.

Although Lionel first appeared on the Tour in 1952, he didn't become a regular until 1957.

Jay since has retired from the Tour, but they still are among the more popular partners in the National Team Play championships.

### **Dave Hill**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 145

BIRTH DATE: May 20, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Jackson, Mich.

RESIDENCE: Denver, Colorado FAMILY: Wife, Sandra Lee.

COLLEGE: Detroit University

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, records, bridge.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1958 JOINED TOUR: 1959

CAREER EARNINGS: \$922,223 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1961 Home of the Sun Open, Denver. 1963 Hot Springs. 1967 Memphis. 1969 (TOTAL: 12) Memphis, Buick, Philadelphia. 1970 Memphis. 1972 Monsanto. 1973 Danny

Thomas-Memphis. 1974 Houston. 1975 Sahara Invitational.

MONEY & POSITION: 1959-\$ 1,655.-84 1965-\$ 14,674.-58 1971-\$ 61,410.-36

 1960-\$
 7,424.-46
 1966-\$
 26,857.-35
 1972-\$
 98,464.-18

 1961-\$21,560.-22
 1967-\$
 49,774.-23
 1973-\$
 95,574.-17

 1962-\$22,731.-25
 1968-\$
 34,036.-48
 1974-\$133,674.-11

 1963-\$18,906.-41
 1969-\$156,423.-2
 1975-\$
 80,533.-24

1964-\$13,333.-56 1970-\$118,415.-10

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Sahara Invitational. T-4-Greater Milwaukee Open. 5-Greater

Greensboro Open. T-6-Bing Crosby Pro-Am. 7-Masters. T-7-PGA

Championship.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 and 1973 Ryder Cup. 1969 Vardon Trophy winner.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was not what you would call a vintage year for Dave Hill, at least it wasn't until his next to last individual event of the year.

It was a year when he had problems putting everything together, "just looking for some sort of consistent action," he said. But, in the Sahara Invitational in Las Vegas, while his swing may not have been classic, his burning desire to win certainly was.

Battling in his own admirable way, Dave was carried to the first extrahole of sudden death before he emerged victorious over Rik Massengale. He did it on rounds of 68, 66, 67 and 69 for 14-under par 270. Yet, he said, "My game is so bad it's embarrassing. I haven't hit but four good shots all week."

Over the years, it seems as if the more trouble Dave says he is having with his game, the more dangerous he becomes. Truly, he is one of the more gifted shotmakers on the Tour.

Dave played in 29 tournaments and earned money in 19. He missed seven cuts and withdrew three times. His stroke average was 71.5 with the 66 and 67 at Sahara his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Ever since he joined the Tour in 1959, Dave Hill has been one of its most colorful members, but also one with an exceptional record of performance. Examples would be the years 1972 and 1973, when he competed only 21 times in each yet earned more than \$90,000 both years.

Hill needed only one year of seasoning on Tour before he made the top 60 list to stay. He earned less than \$50,000 a year in official purses until 1969 when he won three tournaments and \$156,423 (second only to Frank Beard) and won the Vardon Trophy with a 70.344 stroke average for 90 rounds...Dave finished 10th on the money list in 1970, then began limiting his tournament appearances. He cut his appearances further in 1972 but played more efficiently, winning the Monsanto Open and posting seven other top 10 finishes, none worse than sixth place.

In 1973 he won the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic for the fourth time and finished in the top 10 eight other times while missing the cut only once. He also qualified for his second Ryder Cup team.

Hill did not rejoin the Tour after the 1973 Ryder Cup matches, electing for surgery to remove a cartilage in a knee which had bothered him for some time. The move probably helped him perform well enough in 1974 to show his second most profitable year.

The competitive year didn't get untracked until May, when Hill arrived at the Houston Open and said, "I don't expect to win; I'm not playing well enough." But he did win, closing with a 65 which captured his 11th Tour title.

### Joe Inman

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

**HEIGHT**: 5'11" **WEIGHT**: 165

BIRTHDATE: Nov. 29, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: Indianapolis,

Ind.

RESIDENCE: Clover, S.C.

FAMILY: Wife, Nancy Ann Craig

COLLEGE: Wake Forest Univ. GRADUATED: 1970, B.A.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1972 JOINED TOUR: 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$100,821

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$1,331.-277

1974-\$46,645.-61

1975-\$53,225.-41

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 3-Houston Open. T-3 Del Webb Sahara Invitational. T-8-Greater Jackson-

ville Open. T-9-Danny Thomas Memphis Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 North-South Amateur. 1969 Walker Cup team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Twice Joe Inman Jr. finished tournaments with 67s and in both cases, he wound up in third place for his best efforts of a good year. The talkative Carolinian fired 68-70-71-67—276 for 12-under par in the Houston Open, and went 67-70-67-67—271 for 13-under par in the Sahara Invitational, to finish only one stroke out of the playoff.

Houston has become one of Joe's favorite events. In his rookie year, he tied for fifth.

He had two other top 10 finishes, a tie for eighth in the Greater Jacksonville Open and a tie for ninth in the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic.

There also were a few days he'd like to forget. His opening 66 in the Atlanta Classic put him in a tie for the lead, but a 76 the next day ended all his hopes. Going the other way, in the World Open at Pinehurst, he started with an embarrasing 79, but roared back with a 67.

There were eight times in 1975 when Joe's first round was in the sixties, but found his second round slipping into the seventies.

Joe played in 32 tournaments and had four top 10 finishes, as he also made money in 22. He compiled a stroke average of 71.8 and had three 66s.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Joe Inman entered the last official tournament of 1974, the San Antonio-Texas Open, battling a half-dozen other players for a placing in the top 60 for the year. "It's like pressure I've never seen before," Inman said that week. "I'm sure leading the Masters or the Open couldn't be worse."

Joe responded to the challenge with a 69-66-70-70 to tie for 13th and wind up 55th in exemption points, although 61st on the money list. Joe also had four top 10 finishes in his first full year on Tour.

Inman is one of a long line of Wake Forest products to come out on the Tour. Before graduating in 1970 he won the 1968 Carolinas Open, and the 1970 North Carolina Amateur and the 1969 North-South Amateur and was chosen to the 1969 Walker Cup team. The amateur circuit seasoned his attitude as well as his golf game.

"Most people are victims of escalating goals," he says. "My own goals are family oriented—my wife and children, and a house. However, I'm very, very happy about being able to make my living by doing what I love, and that's playing golf."

When Joe joined the tour in 1973, one of the things he couldn't understand was the advisability of taking a week's rest occasionally.

"I couldn't figure out why the players didn't compete every week," he said. "Now, after a year of the Tour, and the pressure, and the problems involved with the traveling all over the country, I know."

### Hale Irwin

EXEMPT STATUS: 10 years-1974 U.S. Open Champion

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: June 3, 1945 BIRTHPLACE: Joplin, Mo.

RESIDENCE: Frontenac, Mo.

FAMILY: Wife, Sally Jean Stahlhuth; Becky (12/15/71); Steven

Hale (8/6/74)

COLLEGE: Colorado U. GRADUATED: 1968, BS Marketing

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, hunting, photography

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$760,055 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Heritage. 1973 Heritage. 1974 U.S. Open. 1975 Western Open, Atlanta Golf

(TOTAL: 5) Classic.

MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$ 9,093.-117 1971-\$ 99,473.-13 1974-\$152,529.- 7

1969-\$18,571.- 88 1972-\$111,539.-13 1975-\$205,380.- 4

1970-\$46,870.- 49 1973-\$130,388.- 7

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Western Open, Atlanta Golf Classic. 2-Florida Citrus. T-3-U.S. Open.

T-4—Masters, Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open. T-5—Jackie Gleason Inverrary Classic, PGA Championship. T-5—Tournament of Champions. T-6—Andy Williams San Diego Open, Westchester Classic. 7—Tournament Players Championship. T-9—Sea Pines Heritage Golf Classic, Pleasant Valley.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 NCAA Champion. 1974 World Picadilly Match Play Champion, World

Cup Team. 1975 World Picadilly Match Play Champion. 1975 Ryder Cup

team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

There is no questioning the superstar status of Hale Irwin. He is one, in the truest sense of the word. Just the fact that he finished in the top 10 in 14 of his 22 tournaments last year attests to his extraordinary skills.

Despite his brilliant shotmaking, he still does not receive the complete attention he should, mainly because of his quiet, business-like approach to the tasks at hand.

"I'm a professional golfer first and foremost," he has said. "I'm out there to play the best that I can, and to win." As a result, the Tour knows no fiercer competitor.

There were two victories added to the Irwin collection in 1975, in the Atlanta Classic by four strokes over Tom Watson (66-69-68-68-271, 17-under par); and the Western Open by one over Bobby Cole.

He was second in the Florida Citrus Open to Lee Trevino and tied for third in the United States Open, just one stroke out of the playoff. He also had two fourths and three fifths. His final-round 64 at Augusta National gave him a tie for fourth in the Masters. He also was instrumental in the U.S. Ryder Cup victory over Great Britain.

Hale continued his success overseas, winning the World Picadilly Match Play crown for the second straight year in England, and finishing ninth in the British Open.

Hale played in 22 United States Tour events and only missed the cut once. He had 14 top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 70.9, which tied him with Watson and Gene Littler for the fourth best of the year. He had a 64 and three 65s among his 25 rounds in the 60s.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Six years after graduation from the University of Colorado in 1968, with a degree in marketing, an NCAA golf title and two selections to the All-Big Eight football team as a defensive back, Hale Irwin had established himself as one of the finest golfers in the world. His performance in the 1974 U.S. Open sealed it.

Irwin is invariably a contender, especially on difficult courses, as evidenced by his victories. Twice he won the Heritage Classic on the Harbour Town Golf Links on Hilton Head Island, S.C.

Hale just missed the \$100,000 level in earnings in 1971, then topped that figure easily the next two years, finishing in the top 10 in 23 tournaments over the two years. In 1974, a strong fourth-place finish in the Masters convinced him that he could win a major title. Three weeks before the U.S. Open he told his wife that he had dreamed he won it.

### **Don Iverson**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Oct. 28, 1945 BIRTHPLACE: LaCrosse, Wisc.

RESIDENCE: LaCrosse, Wisconsin

FAMILY: Wife, Virginia; Corie Lynn (5/31/74).

COLLEGE: Univ. of Wisconsin-LaCrosse

GRADUATED: 1968, B.S. Economics

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$146,596 TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 B.C. Open

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1971-\$ 3,445.-194 1973-\$34.624.-82

1972-\$35,716.-69 1974-\$22,288.- 99

1975-\$56.559.-37

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-B.C. Open. T-4-Dean Martin Tucson Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1966 Wisconsin State Amateur champion. 1966 NAIA (Small College) cham-

pion. 1963 International Jaycees champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Those final few minutes of the B.C. Open seemed to last a lifetime for Don Iverson. He was in the scoring tent with his 10-under par 66-69-71-68-274, watching and waiting for Jim Colbert and David Graham to play the final hole. They were one-stroke back, so a birdie would send it into a playoff.

They only parred, so the stocky, friendly fellow from Wisconsin had his first victory. He had to over-

take Butch Baird to do it though. Butch led by two after the second and third rounds.

"Midway through the last round," Don recalled, "I noticed three or four fellows were tied with me at eight under. I really didn't want to look at the scoreboard because I never had won. So, I just told myself not to worry about what someone else was doing."

His only other top 10 finish was in the Dean Martin-Tucson Open, as he tied for fourth. Even with the victory, it was not the smooth, steady year he'd like to have. During the last half of the year, he missed four straight cuts, made four straight (including his victory), and then missed the last three

Don played in 34 events and made money in 17. His stroke average of 72.6 with three 66s being his low. This is his first trip into the top 60.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Although the record shows Don Iverson joined the Tour in 1968, his stay was one of the briefest in history. "I played one tournament, the Lucky International in San Francisco, and then was drafted into the Army.

Two years later, he rejoined the Tour to stay. "The first year, about all I did was get my eyes opened and find out what it was all about."

The next two years were more promising. In 1972, he finished third to Deane Beman in the Quad Cities Open and played well in the Kaiser International. The following year, he gained national attention with an exceptional effort in the PGA National Championship at the Canterbury Golf Club. He was tied for the lead through the first and second rounds and still was challenging in the third when he hit a ball out of bounds at the 15th. He finished fifth, six strokes in back of winner Jack Nicklaus.

A letdown came in 1974 as he slipped to \$22,288, but he says, "it mostly was mental."

Don started in the game at age 10 and was encouraged by his father. He won the Wisconsin State Junior titles at ages 14 and 16. At age 17, he won the International Jaycees crown in Midland, Texas.

He went to Wisconsin State University (now University of Wisconsin at LaCrosse) and was graduated in 1968. He won the NAIA (small college) championship and the Wisconsin State Amateur in 1966.

## **Tony Jacklin**

EXEMPT STATUS: 10 years - 1970 U.S. Open champion

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTH DATE: July 7, 1944 BIRTHPLACE: Scunthorpe,

England

RESIDENCE: Isle of Jersey, Channel Islands, Great Britain

FAMILY: Wife, Vivien; Bradley (11/12/69); Warren (9/8/72); Tina

(3/27/75)

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1962

JOINED TOUR: 1967

CAREER EARNINGS: \$276,502

PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 Greater Jacksonville Open. 1970 U.S. Open. 1972 Greater Jacksonville

(TOTAL: 3) Open.

MONEY & POSITION:

1967-\$12,323.-83

1970-\$87,859.- 20

1973-\$ 7,182.-167

1968-\$58,495.-29 1969-\$33,036.-60 1971-\$19,977.-102 1972-\$65,976.- 35

1974-\$ 2,041.-215 1975-\$10,824.-123

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-12 Greater Greensboro Open. T-18-Sahara Invitational

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 New Zealand PGA, Dunlop Masters winner. 1969 British Open winner. 1973 Bogota Open, Italian Open, Dunlop Master winner. 1974 Los Lagartos, Scandanavian Open winner. 1967-69-71-73-75 British Ryder Cup team (5 times). Credited with 17 world-wide victories. 1966-70-71-72 Member

World Cup team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Tony Jacklin's return to the United States Tour was not the smashing success he had hoped it would be. Nevertheless, he is glad to be back. "I know now that I will have to continue to play in the States, always, if I want to continue as a world golfer."

After five years on the PGA circuit, the handsome Englishman gave up his playing privileges in the

U.S. to lend his full support to the European Tour and to be closer to his family.

He continued to enjoy reasonable success, but for tax-shelter purposes, he moved to the Channel Isle of Jersey and then decided to return to the U.S. Tour. His first appearance was in the Greater Greensboro Open and he finished 12th, winning \$4,218. That was his best effort. The next week, he missed the cut in the Masters.

Meanwhile, Tony applied to have his playing privileges reinstated, and they were granted in early May. He officially started back in the First NBC New Orleans Open, tieing for 32d.

He made 12 more starts and his best finish was a tie for 18th in his last event, the Sahara Invitational, closing with a 67.

Tony played in 15 tournaments on the U.S. Tour and made money in nine. He compiled a stroke average of 72.5 with his low round being the final one, the 67.

### **PRIOR YEARS**

Certainly one of the great players ever to come out of Great Britain, Tony Jacklin left his mark on the U.S. Tour before he left it late in the 1972 campaign. He earned his player's card in the 1967 school, and the following year, he won the Greater Jacksonville Open. His 273 equaled the tournament record set by Doug Sanders in 1966.

His triumph in the 1969 British Open made him the first home-grown champion since Max Faulkner in 1951. Just 11 months later, he conquered the high winds at Hazeltine in Chaska, Minn., to win the U.S. Open and thus was the first since Ted Ray in 1920 to take this coveted crown back to Great Britain.

He also was the first Briton to ever hold the two Opens jointly.

Tony's first glimpse of golf was as a caddy for his father, a truck driver in Scunthorpe, Lincolnshire. Soon, he started to play himself. His first victory was in the British Assistant's in 1965. It wasn't long until he was testing his skills around the world, and he was a winner in the Dunlop Masters at home and the New Zealand PGA, both in 1967.

Five times he has distinguished himself as a member of the British Ryder Cup team.

### **Don January**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime - 1967 PGA champion

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 165

**BIRTH DATE:** Nov. 20, 1929 BIRTHPLACE: Plainview,

Texas

RESIDENCE: Dallas, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Patricia; Timothy (11/15/54); Cherie Lynn

(7/8/58); Richard (9/25/61)

GRADUATED: 1953, B.A. COLLEGE: North Texas State U.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1955 **JOINED TOUR: 1956** 

CAREER EARNINGS: \$655,190 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-5

TOUR VICTORIES: 1956 Dallas Open, Apple Valley Clambake Championship. 1959 Valencia Open. 1960 Tucson Open. 1961 St. Paul Open. 1963 Tucson Open. 1966 Philadelphia (TOTAL: 11)

Golf Classic. 1967 PGA Championship. 1968 Tournament of Champions. 1970

Jacksonville Open. 1975 San Antonio-Texas Open.

1962-\$21,384.-28

1956-\$17,731,-16 1963-\$33.754.- 9 1970-\$49.116.- 46 MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$22,339.-27 1971-\$66,388.- 33 1957-\$ 4,540.-47 1965-\$28.540 -33 1972-\$25,833.- 89 1958-\$13,337.-25 1966-\$55,280.-11 1973-\$ 3,971.-200 1959-\$12,956.-29 1967-\$61,103.-15 1974-\$ 1960-\$23,319.-16 1968-\$61,732.-25 1975-\$69,034.- 30 1961-\$24,108.-16

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-San Antonio-Texas Open. T-5-1st NBC New Orleans Open, Sahara Invita-

tional. T-9-Sea Pines Heritage Classic, Danny Thomas Memphis Classic,

Kaiser International. T-10-PGA Championship.

1960 Most Improved Player; 1965 Ryder Cup Team; Player Director, TPD Tournament Policy Board; 1971 Secretary of TPD Tournament Policy OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS:

1969-\$65,631.-27

Board

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Don January came back in 1975 as few ever have come back before. Off the Tour for 21/2 years, the slim Texan returned and played well all year. He climaxed the season brilliantly, winning the San Antonio-Texas Open in a sudden-death playoff over Larry Hinson.

Don had rounds of 71,67,71 and 66 for his 13-under par 275. Hinson rolled in a 25-footer at the 18th to tie him, and then Larry three-putted the first extra hole as they both bogeyed. Don wrapped up the 11th title of his career with a four-footer for a birdie on the second extra hole

Earlier, Don had six top 10 finishes, his best being ties for fifth in the First NBC New Orleans Open (last-day 66) and the Sahara Invitational (second and last day 66s). A second-day 64 in the Kaiser International led to a tie for ninth.

He said of his return, "Physically, it wasn't too bad. Mentally, it was tougher than I anticipated." After his victory, he said, "I am here to stay. I shall not leave on my own. It will take my game to force me off."

Don entered 26 tournaments and had seven top 10 finishes. He only missed two cuts. His stroke average was 71.5 and his low round was the 64 at Kaiser.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Always one of the more colorful and steadier golfers on the Tour, Don first came out in 1956 and promptly won two tournaments-the Dallas Open and the Apple Valley Clambake.

He saved his very best until 1967 at the Columbine Club in Denver, when he won the PGA National Championship in an 18-hole playoff over Don Massengale (69 to 71). It appeared as if he was going to win the 1961 PGA, but Jerry Barber rolled in monstrous putts on the final four greens to tie-and then won the next day, 67 to 68. That was at Olympic Fields.

Don was a member of the 1965 Ryder Cup team and over the years played an important role in the shaping of the Tour. He was a Player Director in 1970 through 1972, and served as the secretary in 1971.

A graduate of North Texas State, Don was a regular until part way through the 1972 season. He left to devote his full time to his golf course construction business and did not return until 1975.

### Tom Jenkins

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTH DATE: Dec. 14, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: Houston, Texas

RESIDENCE: Houston, Texas

COLLEGE: Univ. of Houston GRADUATED: 1971, BBA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Tennis, backgammon

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

CAREER EARNINGS: \$114,388

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 IVB-Philadelphia Classic.

MONEY & POSITION:

(TOTAL: 1)

1972-\$ 1,317-270

1974-\$30,826.-86

1975-\$45,267.-52

1973-\$38,241.- 80

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-IVB-Philadelphia Classic. T-9-Doral-Eastern Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1970 and 1971 College All-American

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

The week before the IVB-Philadelphia Classic, Tom Jenkins failed to qualify for the U.S. Open. "I missed it by one," he said, "and that hurt. I became mad at myself, and I guess that is what motivated me."

He became so motivated that he toured the soggy Whitemarsh course in nine-under par 69-65-69-72-275 and a one-stroke victory over Johnny Miller.

It also was the first victory for the third-year pro from Houston. It also elevated him into the top 60 for the first time

Part of his success at Whitemarsh was due to a new putter, which he said "gave me the confidence I needed, and that's what putting is all about. The 15 footer downhill at the 17th (the 71st of the tournament) won it for me.'

Tom had one other top 10 finish, a tie for ninth in the Doral-Eastern Open. The year did end on a disappointing note, as he missed the cut in seven of his last nine tournaments.

Tom played in 33 tournaments and cashed checks in 15. He missed 15 cuts and, earlier in the year, twice failed to qualify on Monday. His stroke average was 72.6 with the 65 at Philadelphia his low round.

#### **PRIOR YEARS**

Tom Jenkins points to Dave Williams, the golf coach at the University of Houston, as the man most influencial on his career.

"My parents gave me the opportunity to play," he said, "and I did play in a lot of junior tournaments. Dave seemed to be there all the time, partially because he ran quite a few of them.

"But, I looked up to the man. I wanted to play golf, and play at Houston. I always thought it would be great to be on a championship team under him. That was my dream through junior high and high school.

Tom was on a five-year program at Houston, and he was a regular on the golf team the last two. "It was then that I knew what I wanted to do, and knew what I had to do to achieve that goal.

He turned professional just after graduation in 1971, but missed in his first attempt for a Tour card in the fall. After playing the mini-tours for a year, he tried again in the fall of 1972 and made it.

"While at school, I learned a lot about the mental side of the game and how to prepare myself," he said. The first year was a good one, winning \$38,241 for 80th place. He slipped a little in 1974, but it still was pretty good at \$30,826 for 86th place.

"I've never had any real formal instruction," he says of his game, "but I have had some help from Bob Toski and Jack Grout.

### Tom Kite

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

WEIGHT: 153 HEIGHT: 5'81/2"

BIRTHDATE: Dec 9 1949 BIRTHPLACE: Austin, Texas

RESIDENCE: Horseshoe Bay, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Christie. COLLEGE: Univ. of Texas

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1972 JOINED TOUR: 1972

CARFER FARNINGS: \$221,924

TOUR VICTORIES: None.

MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$54,270.- 56

1972-\$ 2,582.-233

1974-\$82,055.-26

1975-\$87,045.-18

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open. 3-Bing Crosby Pro-Am. 5-Andy

Williams San Diego Open. T-5—Sea Pines Heritage Classic, Houston Open, Danny Thomas Memphis Classic. T-9—Hawaiian Open, Jackie Gleason Inver-

rary Classic. T-10-Masters.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Everyone knows it only is a matter of time before Tom Kite wins his first tournament on the Tour. Meanwhile, he is enjoying a most comfortable living, thank you.

Tom has improved in each of his three full years and has displayed an ability to put some rather impressive numbers on the scoreboard.

Nine times in 1975 he finished among the Top 10, with his second place to Pat Fitzsimons in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open his best on Tour. Fitzsimons put the title out of reach with his third-round 64, but Tom hung in there and used a final day 68 for his runner-up position, finishing one ahead of Jack Nicklaus.

A month earlier, Tom came from well off the pace in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur to finish 69-70 and all alone in third place behind winning Gene Littler and runner-up Hubert Green.

It is interesting to note that all nine of Tom's leading finishes came in the first five months of the year. Four of them were for fifth place-Andy Williams-San Diego, Heritage Classic, when a last-round 75 ended his hopes, the Houston Open and the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic.

Tom played in 27 tournaments and made the cut in 22. He compiled a stroke average of 71.4 and two 67s were his low rounds.

#### **PRIOR YEARS**

Although he may have been impatient with his inability to win a Tour tournament, Tom Kite demonstrated in 1974 his consistency of performance. He missed the cut only once and finished in the top 10 on eight occasions, and his earnings leaped by 50 percent to over \$80,000. And it was only his second full year on the Tour.

Tom started golf at age 6, spurred on by his father's enthusiasm. "He helped me very much. He made

everything possible for me," Kite says.

He captured his first victory at age 11, an age-group junior event at the Country Club of Austin, Tex. He began to take the game seriously at age 14 and enter major amateur events. In 1970 he was medalist in Western Amateur, runner-up to Lanny Wadkins in the U.S. Amateur and second in the Southern Amateur, and was chosen to help represent the U.S. in the World Amateur Team championship.

Kite also was chosen to play on the Walker Cup team in 1971. A year later he shared the NCAA championship with his Texas schoolmate, Ben Crenshaw, and finished 19th in the U.S. Open. That fall he qualified for his Tour players' card shortly before his 23rd birthday.

Tom was named Rookie-of-the-Year for his 1973 performance on Tour. In 35 starts he missed the cut only three times. He went through a string of 23 tournaments without missing it, and he went the distance in 29 of his last 30 tournaments.

Although he did win the Second Tour's Hope of Tomorrow event, he did not have as many high finishes in regular Tour events in 1973 that he would have liked. Among his better showings were a tie for fifth in the Ohio Kings Island and a tie for seventh at Hartford, where he finished 63-65.

## **George Knudson**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 160

BIRTH DATE: June 28, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Winnipeg,

Canada

RESIDENCE: Willowdale, Ontario, Canada

FAMILY: Wife, Shirley; Kevin (4/2/62); Paul (10/31/64); Dean

(12/27/69)

COLLEGE: St. James

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Skiing (snow and water)

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1958 JOINED TOUR: 1961

CAREER EARNINGS: \$490,244 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1961 Coral Gables. 1963 Portland. 1964 Fresno. 1967 New Orleans. 1968

(TOTAL: 8) Phoenix, Tucson. 1970 Robinson. 1972 Kaiser.

MONEY & POSITION: 1959-\$ 100.-212T 1965-\$39,793.-22 1971-\$41,634.- 60 1960-\$ 240.-193T 1966-\$23,522.-41 1972-\$74,366.- 30

1960-\$ 240.-193T 1966-\$23,522.-41 1972-\$74,366.- 30 1961-\$ 5,682.- 70 1967-\$40,832.-29 1973-\$28,160.- 93 1962-\$14,664.- 45 1969-\$43,964.-43 1975-\$32,554.- 70

1964-\$18,782.- 41 1970-\$46,571.-50

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-7-Pleasant Valley Classic. T-8-Byron Nelson Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1964-Canadian PGA Champion. 1966 Low Individual in Canada Cup

Matches (now World Cup), competing for Canada. Four victories on Carib-

bean Tour.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

George Knudson returned to the firing line in earnest again in 1975 after a couple of years of onagain, off-again play due to physical allments. He did respond with his best season since 1972, when he chalked up his last victory in the Kaiser International Open.

Twice, George moved into the top 10, gaining a tie for seventh in the Pleasant Valley Classic with a 69-69 start; and tieing for eighth in the Byron Nelson Classic with four consistent rounds of 68-69-68-70.

He helped to make the Canadian Open at the Royal Montreal Club more interesting for his home folks with a tie for 11th. He started there with a 68 and closed with the same score, but it was the second-day 74 in the high winds that hindered his bid.

He credited a "little more aggressive play" as one of the reasons for his improvement. He also had a tie for 11th in the First NBC New Orleans Open.

George played in 32 tournaments and made money in 19, missing the cut 13 times. He compiled a stroke average of 72.6 with six 68s being his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

During his many years on the Tour, George Knudson has been regarded as one of the classic swingers of the golf club. "When I was younger," he has said, "I spent every day on the course. Now, it's work, not play."

The slim Canadian turned professional in 1958 and he made a few efforts at being a tourist in 1959 and 1960, without much success. He came to stay in 1961, especially after he won the Coral Gables Open that year.

George has won eight times on the U.S. Tour and added four more on the Caribbean. His most memorable stretch was early in 1968. He won the Pnoenix and Tucson Opens back-to-back. He nearly did it again in 1972, as he won the Kaiser International at Napa. Calif., and the following week led the Sahara Invitational at Las Vegas by three strokes with one round to play. He finished with a 76 and tied for seventh, as Lanny Wadkins won his first.

The Kaiser-Sahara effort did boost his winnings to \$74,366 for his most rewarding year, financially. The one title that has eluded him and the one he'd most like to win is the Canadian Open. He did win the Canadian PGA in 1964. Two years later, representing his homeland in the Canada Cup matches (now World Cup), he was the low individual.

### **Gene Littler**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime - 1961 U.S. Open champion

HEIGHT: 5'91/2" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: July 21, 1930 BIRTHPLACE: San Diego, Cal.

RESIDENCE: La Jolla, Cal.

(TOTAL: 28)

FAMILY: Wife, Shirley Warren; Curt (3/11/54); Suzanne

(10/16/57)

COLLEGE: San Diego State College SPECIAL INTERESTS: Antique cars

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1954 JOINED TOUR: 1954

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,203,541 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-6

TOUR VICTORIES: 1954 San Diego. 1955 Los Angeles, Phoenix, Tournament of Champions, Labatt.

1956 Tournament of Champions, Texas, Palm Beach Round Robin. 1957 Tournament of Champions. 1959 Phoenix, Tucson Arlington Hotel Open, Insurance City, Miller Open. 1960 Oklahoma City, Eastern. 1961 U.S. Open. 1962 Lucky International, Thunderbird. 1965 Canadian Open. 1969 Phoenix, Greensboro. 1971 Monsanto, Colonial. 1973 St. Louis. 1975 Bing Crosby Pro-Am., Danny Thomas

Memphis Classic, Westchester Classic.

MONEY & POSITION: 1954-\$ 8,327.-28 1961-\$29,245.- 9 1968-\$ 61,631.- 26

1959-\$38,296.- 2 1966-\$68,345.- 7 1973-\$ 95,308.- 18

1960-\$26,837.- 8 1967-\$38,086.-32 1974-\$102,822.- 20 1975-\$182,883.- 5

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1—Bing Crosby Pro-Am. Danny Thomas Memphis Classic. Westchester Classic. T-3—Kaiser International Open. T-7—Phoenix Open Tournament of

Champions. PGA Championship. T-9—Jackie Gleason Inverrary Classic.

ENTS: 1953 U.S. Amateur champion. 1961 through 1971 and 1975 Ryder Cup

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1953 U.S. Amateur champion. 1961 through 1971 and 1975 Ryder Cup teams. 1974 and 1975 Taiheiyo Masters (Japan). Winner Bob Jones and

Ben Hogan awards in 1973.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Incredible! There are few words that describe Gene Littler any better. There he was, in the sweltering heat at the Westchester Country Club, at age 45 and three years after an operation for cancer, winning his third tournament of the year—and the 28th of his brilliant career.

A few weeks later, when he was asked if he was surprised at the quality of his play Gene's eyes brightened, "Surprised? Why, I'm surprised to be playing at all."

Gene's first victory came in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur by four strokes over Hubert Green. In late May, he won again, easily winning the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic by five strokes.

Finally, there he was at Westchester, coming on strong on the back nine, using a hole-in-one at the 12th as the springboard. He caught Julius Boros and then won with a par on the first extra hole.

Gene played in 22 tournaments and made the cut in them all. He had eight top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 70.9, which tied him with Hale Irwin and Tom Watson for the fourth best on Tour. A 65 at the Kaiser International was his low among 23 rounds in the 60s.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Ever since Gene Littler joined the Tour after his victory in the 1953 U.S. Amateur, he has been one of the most respected of professional golfers. The steady performance that produced 25 Tour titles over a 20-year period earned him the nickname "Gene the Machine," but in the spring of 1972 it appeared as if the Machine was finished.

Gene underwent surgery for cancer of the lymph glands that spring. However, to the astonishment and joy of the golf world, he rejoined the Tour that October. The following July, some 16 months after his surgery, he captured the St. Louis Children's Hospital Classic.

## John Mahaffey

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 150

BIRTH DATE: May 9, 1948 BIRTHPLACE: Kerrville, Texas

RESIDENCE: Houston, Texas. Plays out of Riverhill CC, Kerrville.

Tex.

FAMILY: Wife, Suzanne

COLLEGE: Houston GRADUATED: 1970, B.S. Psychology

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$423,153 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1973 Sahara Invitational.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1971-\$ 1,010.-230 1973-\$112,536.-12

1975-\$141,471.-8

1972-\$57,779.- 39 1974-\$122,189.-16

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-U.S. Open, Dean Martin Tucson Open, Danny Thomas Memphis Classic. T-2-Kemper Open. 4-Sea Pines Heritage Classic. T-5-Bob Hope Desert

Classic. T-6—Andy Williams San Diego Open, World Open. T-7—Phoenix

Open. T-9-Hawaiian Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1970 NCAA champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was another successful year for John Mahaffey, but the friendly Texan will tell you it should have been better

He refers to the four second-place finishes. The fact that he wasn't able to find the secret that would let him take that one more step did bother him. "I want to win" he kept insisting, and for good reason. He possesses all the skills to do so.

He also had six other top 10 finishes in 27 starts, so you see how well he truly did play and how a shot or two at the right time could have let him go the distance.

The most notable runner-up finish was in the United States Open at Medinah. He tied with Lou Graham at three-over par 287, and then lost the 18-hole playoff, 71 to 73.

He also was solo second in the Dean Martin-Tucson Open. He finished 16-under par and lost by nine strokes. In the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic, he was tied for the first-day lead, owned a two-stroke margin after two days, was tied again with Gene Littler after three, and then lost it to Littler's six-under par 66 the final day. Two weeks later, he tied Gary Player for second in the Kemper Open.

John played in 28 tournaments and cashed checks from 21. He compiled a stroke average of 71.0 with a 65 and four 67s his best.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Apparently Ben Hogan was among those who recognized John Mahaffey's potential for a career in professional golf. They played a round together in 1971 at the Houston Champions Club, where John was working for Jackie Burke and Jimmy Demaret.

"The next day he asked me to join him again," John recalls. "After that, Mr. Hogan asked if I'd like a special invitation to play in the Colonial National in Forth Worth the next week." He tied for 12th.

Of course, by then, Mahaffey was not exactly an unknown amateur. He had received the Sports Illustrated Award of Merit in 1969 and had been selected All-American for his play for the University of Houston in 1969 and 1970 and he had tied for low amateur in the 1970 U.S. Open.

John earned his Tour players card in the fall of 1971, and in his first full year he placed second at Memphis and earned almost \$60,000 in official purses.

The next year, John won his first event, the Sahara Invitational, finished in the top 10 in 11 other tournaments and almost doubled his winnings with more than \$110,000. In 1974, his earnings crept over \$120,000 despite failing to win a tournament.

By the end of April, 1974, Mahaffey had placed second, tied for second, third and tied for forth and had collected more than \$85,000. But, victory was to elude him for the year.

He wound up the year with seven top 10 finishes in 24 tournaments, including a tie for ninth in the PGA Championship, while missing the cut only once.

## **Roger Maltbie**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 175

BIRTHDATE: June 30, 1951 BIRTHPLACE: Modesto, Cal.

RESIDENCE: San Jose, California COLLEGE: San Jose State Univ.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Rock music

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

1974

CAREER EARNINGS: \$81,035

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Ed McMahon-Jaycees Quad Cities Open, Pleasant Valley Classic (back-to-

(TOTAL: 2) back)

MONEY & POSITION: 1975-\$81,035.-23

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Quad Cities Open, Pleasant Valley Classic. T-9-Houston Open. T-10-

Pensacola Open Greater Milwaukee Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1972 Northern California Amateur champion. 1973 Northern California Open

champion. 1974 California State Open champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

After Roger Maltbie fired his 74-65-72-64—275 to win the Ed McMahon Jaycees-Quad Cities Open by two strokes, everyone said, "Well done. Jolly good." And, all that sort of glad tidings. He deserved it, coming from seven-shots back the last afternoon.

They knew Roger had the skills to be a fine player, and everyone was happy for the young first-year player from San Jose. The next week, the Tour was at Pleasant Valley in Sutton, Mass., and Roger still was savouring the thrill of victory.

When he started out over the hilly course in 72-71, he was eight-strokes back of the leader. Then came a four-under par 67 and he only was three strokes back.

His final-round 66 gave him an eight-under par 266 and his second-straight victory, this time by a single stroke over B. R. (Mac) McLendon. He did it with a final surge that produced four birdies through the last seven holes.

He thus became the first rookie to win back-to-back tournaments since Bob Murphy accomplished it in 1968.

"I'm a pretty good competitor," the friendly young man said. "I'm probably a better competitor than I am talented. I work at improving my game, and as long as I play as well as I think I can, well, that's all that enters my mind."

He finished the year with five top 10 finishes, but his path was a little downhill after the triumphs. He finished the year by missing the cut in five of his last six starts.

Roger played in 29 tournaments and made money in 17. He missed 10 cuts, withdrew once and finished out of the money another time. His stroke average was 72.1 and the 64 and 65 at Quad Cities were his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

It was a day when James Lick High School of San Jose, Calif., couldn't lose. Two of its sons, Forrest Fezler and Roger Maltbie, were meeting in the final for the state high school golf championship. In a mild surprise, Roger, the sophomore, won in sudden death over his teammate, Forrest, the senior.

"I knew after that match that I had what it takes to be a touring pro," Roger says. "Forrest was two years older than me, and clearly the better player in those days. He did a lot for me to help me progress as a player and a competitor."

Roger went on to win the Northern California Amateur title in 1972. Shortly afterwards, he turned professional. He won the 1973 Northern California Open and then tested his talents in the PGA Tour's qualifying school that fall. He didn't make it, so, he headed for the mini-tours.

He won the California State Open in 1974, but, even more important, he earned his player's card in the final test at the Canyon Club in Palm Springs, so he was ready to head for the big tour, at last.

Roger knew at an early age that golf was his game. He used to "sneak" onto the San Jose Country Club course as early as age seven. His interest prompted his father to become a club member, and, from that moment on, the course was his "home."

He credits head pro Eddie Duino, whom he still calls "coach," for his rapid progress. By the age of 13, he was considered one of the better junior players in Northern California.

# Rik Massengale

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Feb. 6, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: Jacksboro, Tex.

RESIDENCE: Charlotte, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Cindy; John (1/13/72); Jacob (3/16/73).

COLLEGE: Univ. of Texas

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting. Tour's Bible Study group.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1969 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

197

CAREER EARNINGS: \$160,862 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Tallahassee Open.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1971-\$13,249.-119

1973-\$42,295.- 73

1975-\$77.079.-25

1972-\$17,490.-115 1974-\$14,193.-127

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Tallahassee Open. 2-Sahara Invitational. T-5-Florida Citrus Open. T-6-

Bing Crosby Pro-Am. T-9-Jackie Gleason Inverrary, Westchester Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1968 Western Amateur champion. 1968 Southwest Conference champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Rik Massengale was coming off the type of year that makes a player wonder if he is in the right business. But, in 1975, Rik confirmed the belief that he truly does belong on the PGA Tour.

He won the Tallahassee Open for his first victory and then nearly won the Sahara Invitational, losing only in a sudden-death playoff to Dave Hill. He also had four other good top 10 finishes.

Rik came back with a new confidence in his swing, and most of all, a new determination. He tied for sixth in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur, then tied for ninth in the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic and tied for fifth in the Florida Citrus Open.

He took charge at Tallahassee early. He was tied with five others after day one at 67, but then had

the lead to himself the rest of the way with 67-78-72-274, 14-under par.

In Las Vegas, Rik was seven-strokes back of Miller Barber after his opening 70, but a second-day 64 threw him into a six-way tie for the lead. He still was tied after three - and again after four, with Hill. On the first extra hole, a par five with a pond near the green, Rik tried to reach the putting surface in two. The ball carried across the water, hit the bank and rolled back in. Bogey. Hill won with a par.

Rik played in 30 tournaments and made the cut in 21. His stroke average was 71.6 with a 64 and two

65s his best.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Rik Massengale considers himself fortunate. He has a big brother for a hero.

Rik is 10 years younger than Don, and "when I was about five years old, I started to play golf just to be around him. He basically helped me to develop the swing. And, he still helps me.

"When Don went off to Texas Christian University, I'd wait for him to get home on the weekends, so we could play golf together," Rik continued. "By the time I was in high school, Don was on the Tour. That's when I had aspirations of being on the Tour, someday. Nothing else aroused me."

Rik tasted success as a junior player, and two of his more impressive achievements came in 1964 and 1965 when he won the Texas State high school championships.

He went on to the University of Texas, and, in 1968, won the Southwest Conference and Western Amateur championships.

He missed qualifying for the Tour on his first attempt in 1969, but made it in the fall of 1970. His success was not instantaneous. "I was experimenting with my swing for about three years," he said. He did manage a few strong finishes, such as a second in the 1973 Pleasant Valley Classic at Sutton, Mass. He won \$42,295 that year and barely missed making the Top 60 for exemptions.

The next year, 1974, was one he'd like to forget. "My swing problems came back," he says. However, Rik knew he had the talent to win. He proved it in 1975.

## **Gary McCord**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 187

BIRTH DATE: May 23, 1948 BIRTHPLACE: San Gabriel,

Calif.

RESIDENCE: San Gabriel, California

FAMILY: Wife, Kathee; Krista

COLLEGE: Univ. of California-Riverside GRADUATED: 1970, B.S. Economics

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$75,667

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1973-\$499.-423

1974-\$33,640.-78

1975-\$43,028.-59

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2—Greater Milwaukee Open. 4—Quad Cities Open. T-9—Sahara Invitational.

T-10-B.C. Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969, 1970 College All-American. 1970 NCAA College Division Champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was a good steady year for Gary McCord as he moved into the top 60 for the first time and he can point to several different tournaments as the ones that helped to put him in among the elite.

The biggest of all was the Greater Milwaukee Open. He had two strong rounds at the finish, 65-67, and nearly caught Art Wall at the final hole. He only was one stroke back of the former Masters champion, but the \$14,820 check was the largest of his Tour career.

The next week, a second-day 66 aided considerably in his solo fourth-place finish at the Quad Cities Open. He earned another healthy check in the B.C. Open, posting a last-day 66 and getting a tie for 10th. A month later, in the Sahara Invitational, he was cruising along, well back, for three days, and then penciled in a beautiful closing 65 to tie for ninth.

In the year's final event for earning money toward exemption, he tied for 14th at six-under par, and that was just enough to insure his position.

Gary played in 34 tournaments, and cashed checks in 19. He compiled a stroke average of 72.1 with two 65s his low rounds.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Gary McCord's debut as a rookie on the PGA Tour in 1974 was a smashing success. Playing at Cypress Point the first day of the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur, the big fellow jumped into the first-round lead with a seven-under par 65.

He put together six straight birdies in that round, equalling the best on the Tour for the year. Unfortunately, he wasn't able to maintain that pace in the rain-shortened Crosby.

Although his best finish of the year was a tie for sixth in the Quad Cities Open, he regards the tie for seventh in the Colonial National Invitation at Forth Worth the highlight of the year. A 66 the third day was the key. "I was paired with Gary Player the last round and I was scared to death," he now admits.

He finished the year 78th on the money list \$33,640, with other good finishes being tie 10th Western Open, tie 11th Hawaiian Open and IVB-Philadelphia Classic and tie 13th Greater Milwaukee Open.

Gary started to play the game at age 15. He was a pretty fair baseball pitcher as a teenager in Garden Grove, Calif., but his family moved to Riverside. "I was 15 then, and I didn't know anyone. So, I started going out to the golf course, and I played every day all summer."

He developed into a fine player at the University of California-Riverside earning All-America honors twice and winning the College Division NCAA crown. "It was a futuristic dream, but I started to think this would be a great way to make a living."

After missing in the PGA Tour qualifying school twice, he finally made it in the fall of 1973. Meanwhile, during an 18-month period in 1972 and 1973, he earned approximately \$84,000 on the mini-tours, most of it near his home in Southern California.

## Jerry McGee

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'91/2" WEIGHT: 160

BIRTH DATE: July 21, 1943 BIRTHPLACE: New Lexington,

RESIDENCE: East Palestine, Ohio

FAMILY: Wife, Jill; Roxanne (5/30/64); Jerry Michael (11/12/74)

COLLEGE: Ohio State U.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1966 **JOINED TOUR: 1967** 

CAREER EARNINGS: \$334,708

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Pensacola Open.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1967-\$ 4,212.-125

1968-\$ 6,969.-114

1971-\$54,359.-46 1969-\$13,833.-102

1972-\$47,751.-55

1970-\$22,965.-90

1973-\$46,927,-67 1974-\$54,506.-51

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Pensacola Open. 3-Greater Greensboro Open. T-5-B.C. Open. T-6-Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open, IVB-Philadelphia Classic, T-8-Greater

Jacksonville Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It is hard to imagine a tournament winner being any happier than Jerry McGee, when he went the distance in the Pensacola Open.

As one fellow told him later, "Well, Jerry, at least they won't be able to say sudden success spoiled you." It was his first triumph in more than eight years of trying.

The week started without much fanfare. His opening 69 put him five behind. Andy North, but the next day, he turned in a five-under par 66 and leaped into second place, only two behind Don Iverson. Another superb 66 nudged Jerry into the third-day lead, one ahead of Wally Armstrong.

As they moved through the final 18, though, Jerry was faltering on the front nine, and suddenly found himself tied with Armstrong and Bruce Crampton for the lead. But, Jerry found the secret again with three back nine birdies.

Jerry gave considerable credit to Crampton for his improved play, not only help mechanically but also in course management, while he cited his wife, Jill, as being a tremendous help mentally.

It was Jerry's best year in all ways. He was third by himself in the Greater Greensboro Open and had four other top 10 finishes

Jerry played in 31 tournaments and made the cut in 26. His stroke average was 71.2 with three 66s being his lowest.

#### **PRIOR YEARS**

Four years after he joined the Tour, Jerry McGee was certain of finally gaining exempt status by the middle of the 1971 season. But, he was wondering if he'd ever play tournament golf again.

He had jumped out quickly that year to amass over \$54,000 through the Canadian Open, early in July. Then he pulled ligaments in his thumb and was forced to sit out the rest of the year. "The longer I was home," he said, "the more I wondered if I'd ever play again.

He did play again, but maybe wished he hadn't. He missed the cut in his first three tournaments in 1972. However, a closing 68 in the Hawaiian Open left him tied for 35th and with the feeling that perhaps his game had returned.

At the end of 1972 Jerry again had made the top 60 list, his most impressive showing a tie for fifth in the Masters, which he then described as "the biggest thrill I've ever had in golf." He alwo won four automobiles in closest-to-the-pin contests in 1972

McGee's earnings slipped to 67th place in 1973, when the best finish he mustered was a third in the Southern Open, but he recovered the following year to record the highest total winnings of his eight on Tour. In 35 events, he finished in the money 25 times, and five times in the top 10.

### B. R. McLendon

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'21/2" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTHPLACE: Atlanta, Ga. **BIRTH DATE:** Aug. 10, 1945

RESIDENCE: Birmingham, Alabama

FAMILY: Wife, Joan; Lance (10/24/71); Amy (12/14/73)

COLLEGE: Louisiana State Univ. GRADUATED: 1967, Accounting

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, bridge, coin collecting

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 **JOINED TOUR: 1968** 

CAREER EARNINGS: \$260 893

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Walt Disney World National Team Championship (with Hubert Green)

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1974-\$34,870.-76 1968-\$40.469.-40 1971-\$23,376.- 92 1975-\$76,971.-26 1972-\$40.250.- 62 1969-\$34 074 -57

1970-\$19.810.-96 1973-\$24,379.-101

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Pleasant Valley, T-2-Greater Jacksonville Open. 7-Sea Pines Heritage

Classic. T-7-Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-10-Southern Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It is amazing what a difference a year made for Benson Rayfield McLendon.

Mac was on the verge of leaving the Tour at the end of last year but, suddenly, he teamed with his close friend, Hubert Green, and they won the Walt Disney World National Team Play championship.

So it was, in January of 1975, that Mac headed for the Tour again with renewed confidence and an exemption for the year. He played as he never has played before. His \$76,971 more than doubled the amount he ever had won in a season.

Twice, he nearly went the distance, finishing tied for second in the Greater Jacksonville Open and second alone in the Pleasant Valley Classic. Early in the year, when Mac was playing so well and Hubert was having a few problems getting his fine game untracked, Hubert remarked, "I sure hope Mac will invite me to be his partner on the Team Play.

A last-day 66 in the Bob Hope gave him a tie for seventh and he was solo seventh in the Heritage Classic. An opening 65 was the key to his tie for 10th in the Southern Open.

Mac played in 31 tournaments and made money in 22. He compiled a stroke average of 7 .. 6 with the 65 and 66 being his low rounds.

### PRIOR YEARS

Mac McLendon won the first tournament he entered on the Tour, the 1968 Magnolia Classic, a Second Tour event, and gained a spot in the top 60 that year with more than \$40,000 in official earnings.

In the next six years he never quite matched that figure, but he regained exemption status at the end of 1974 by winning the Walt Disney World National Team Championship with Hubert Green as partner.

It was a huge relief, not only because tournament winners are exempt from Monday qualifying for the next 12 months, but also because the \$25,000 check sorely was needed at the bank. There also was great appreciation for his partner of the last four days.

"I definitely think Hubert is one of the Tour's superstars," Mac said. "I've learned an awful lot about the mental aspects of golf just from playing with Hubert these past few days."

However, Green wasn't playing alone. Mac birdied seven of the eight par-3 holes the first two days. four more holes on the front nine the final day and No. 14 coming in.

Benson R. McLendon Jr., who prefers the nickname Mac, has been troubled by asthma which acts up particularly in the California swing. But that ailment was one factor which led him to try the Tour in the

After graduating from LSU, where he won three straight Southeastern Conference titles beginning in 1965, McLendon accumulated nine hours of graduate work toward a masters degree in business administration. He was drafted for military service but was refused for duty because of asthma. Unhappy with school and unsure of his future, he turned to professional golf.

## Steve Melnyk

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'134" WEIGHT: 218

BIRTHDATE: Feb. 26, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: Brunswick, Ga.

RESIDENCE: Amelia Island, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Laura

COLLEGE: Univ. of Florida GRADUATED: 1969, B.S.B.A.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$165,091

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1971-\$ 657.-323 1972-\$31,434.- 77 1973-\$46,143.-69 1974-\$53,700.-52 1975-\$44,707.-55

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-5-1st NBC New Orleans Open. T-7-Doral-Eastern Open. T-8-Kemper

Open. T-9-Greater Greensboro Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 U.S. Amateur champion, 1971 British Amateur champion, 1969 and

1971 Walker Cup team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Steve Melnyk was not quite as consistent as he was in 1974, but it still was a productive year. Steve had four top 10 finishes, but his best effort probably was in the First NBC New Orleans Open. He tied for fifth with 69-69-68-72-278, which is 10-under par.., but his name was on the leader board most of the way. He was a strong contender until the final holes.

He finished tied for eighth in the Kemper Open, and only was three off the pace after 36 holes with 71-68, but a 74 the next day dampened his hopes. He lowered his score a shot a day at the Doral-Eastern Open to tie for seventh with 72-71-70-69—282.

He tied for ninth in the Greater Greensboro, and then wished he could play the first round over. In the high winds, he started with a 77, then fired 70-70-68.

Unfortunately, he did not finish strong, missing four straight cuts until he tied for 13th in the San Antonio- Texas Open.

Steve played in 35 tournaments and made money in 17. He compiled a stroke average of 72.1, with two 66s and three 67s as his best.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Steve Melnyk joined the Tour in 1971 after a brilliant amateur career which produced expectations of quick fulfillment as a professional. But his progress has been slow instead of spectacular.

A 1969 graduate of the University of Florida, Steve won the U.S. Amateur championship that year at Oakmont; the British Amateur two years later and played on the U.S. Walker Cup team both in 1969 and 1971. Still as an amateur, he finished fifth in the Greater Jacksonville Open, then graduated from the 1971 Tour Qualifying School.

In 1972, Melnyk's top efforts were a third place at Tallahassee and victory in a Second Tour event, the Canongate Open. In 1973 he tied for second at Phoenix and his year's earnings improved almost 50 percent to \$46,143.

In 1974, Steve finally crashed the top 60 with four finishes in the top 10, making money in 25 of 34 tournaments he entered. He failed to qualify only once, he withdrew on one other occasion and he missed only five cuts.

Two weeks in May were the most lucrative segment of Melnyk's 1974 campaign. He arrived at the Houston Open with a tie for 30th at New Orleans his best effort of the year. A second-round 65 put him in contention and, after a rain delay occasioned a 36-hole final day, he shot 70-70 to tie for second place.

The following week, in the Colonial National at Forth Worth, Steve tied for seventh, worth more than \$7,000, to total almost \$19,000 for the two-week's work.

## **Johnny Miller**

EXEMPT STATUS: 10 years, 1973 U.S. Open Champion

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 177

BIRTH DATE: Apr. 29, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: San Francisco,

Calif.

RESIDENCE: Napa, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Linda Strouse; John S. (6/2/70); Kelly (12/26/72);

Casi (7/30/74)

COLLEGE: Brigham Young U. GRADUATED: 1969, Phys. Ed.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, church work, duck hunting

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1969 JOINED TOUR: 1969
CARFER FARNINGS: \$947 152 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1—1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Southern. 1972 Heritage Classic. 1973 U.S. Open. 1974 Bing Crosby Pro-(TOTAL: 15) Am, Phoenix, Dean Martin-Tucson, Heritage Classic, Tournament of Champions,

Westchester Classic, World Open and Kaiser International. 1975 Phoenix, Dean

Martin-Tucson, Bob Hole Desert Classic, Kaiser International.

MONEY & POSITION: 1969-\$ 8,364.-135 1972-\$ 99,348.-17 1974-\$353,021.-1

1970-\$52,391.- 40 1973-\$127,833.- 9 1975-\$226,118.-2

1971-\$91,081.- 18

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Phoenix Open, Dean Martin-Tucson Open, Bob Hope Desert Classic,

Kaiser International Open. 2—IVB-Philadelphia Classic. T-2—Masters. 4—Doral-Eastern Open. T-4—Atlanta Classic. T-5—Walt Disney Team Championship. T-6—Bing Crosby Pro-Am, Greater Greensboro Open. T-7—Sam-

my David-Greater Hartford Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1974 PGA Player-of-Year. 1973 World Cup Individual and Team (with Jack

Nicklaus) champion. 1975 World Cup Team. 1975 Ryder Cup Team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Johnny Miller opened his year with a smashing victory in the Phoenix Open and he closed it in the same style in the Kaiser International Open at Napa, Calif.

This young man was unbeatable through the first two weeks of the year. He won the Phoenix Open with a 24-under par score of 260 and a margin of 14 strokes. The next week, he won the Dean Martin-Tucson Open with a 25-under par score of 263 and a margin of nine strokes. In each tournament, he had a 61. All eight of his rounds were in the 60s, and he led from wire-to-wire.

A tie for sixth in the Bing Crosby interrupted his streak, but he came back in his next start to win the Bob Hope Desert Classic by three strokes with a 21-under par effort. It wasn't until his final individual start of the year that he won again, in the Kaiser before his home folks at the Silverado Country Club.

In between, he was successful, too. He had two incredible days at the Augusta National as he fired 65-66 to tie Tom Weiskopf for second place in the Masters, just one stroke behind Jack Nicklaus. He also was second in the IVB-Philadelphia Classic, just one in back of Tom Jenkins.

Johnny journeyed to Carnoustie, Scotland for the British Open in mid-July, and tied for third, just one stroke out of the playoff for the championship. His next encounter with the British was in his first Ryder Cup appearance.

Johnny played in 22 tournaments and made the cut in 20. He compiled the second-best stroke average, 70.2, as he had 35 rounds in the 60s, with the two 61s, two 64s and two 65s

#### PRIOR YEARS

At the end of the 1974 Tour schedule, Johnny Miller looked back on his astonishing performance and said: "I'm going to have to sit down and do a lot of thinking about next year. This has been sort of ridiculous, and I've got to keep everything in perspective."

All Johnny did was surpass Jack Nicklaus' single-season money record by more than \$30,000, with official total purses of \$353,021; win eight tournaments in 21 appearances and place in the top six in four other events.

His first 23 rounds of the year were at par or better as he won the Bing Crosby, Phoenix and Tucson and tied for fourth in the Bob Hope before placing fifth at Los Angeles. He also won the Heritage and the Tournament of Champions before the end of April, played seldom the next 15 weeks, then added victories in the Westchester, World Open and Kaiser International.

# Gil Morgan

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: Sept. 25, 1946 BIRTHPLACE: Wewoka, Okla.

RESIDENCE: Wewoka, Oklahoma

FAMILY: Wife, Jeanine

COLLEGE: East Central State College

GRADUATED: 1968, B.S., Southern College of Optometry,

Doctor of Optometry, 1972

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting and fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1972 JOINED TOUR: Fall of

1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$68,545

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1973-\$3,800.-204

1974-\$23,880.-94

1975-\$42,772.-60

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Houston Open. 3-San Antonio-Texas Open

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 Oklahoma Collegiate champion. 1968 Collegiate All-American. 1972

runner-up Western Amateur and Porter Cup.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Dr. Gil Morgan knew the odds were "astronomical" when he headed for the San Antonio-Texas Open, the final event in which money would be awarded toward the exemption list. He was 66th, nearly \$7,000 out of the 60th position.

He proceeded to play one of the finest tournaments of his life. He was in the lead after two days and finally finished third, earning \$8,875 and clinching the final spot to earn his exemption for this year. He posted 66-68-75-68-277, 11-under par and two-strokes out of the playoff.

It was a strange year for Gil. Through his first eight tournaments, he only finished two, missing the cut in four others and failed to qualify in two more. Part of the problem was an aching back.

Then he went 11 straight events without missing the 36-hole axe, and he made a good run at the Houston Open crown, finally finishing second by himself to Bruce Crampton. He fired 70-68-67-70—275, which was 13-under par. He was two strokes off the pace.

In his final 14 tournaments, he only went the distance five times, but one was the super charge in San Antonio. He did miss one month of play in July, as he studied for his Florida Board of Optometry examination - and passed.

Gil played in 34 tournaments, earning money in 18. He missed nine cuts, failed to qualify for six events and finished out of the money in another. He compiled a stroke average of 72.0, with two 66s being his low.

#### PRIOR YEARS

Gil Morgan had good reason to be optimistic about his future in the game. Just before he turned professional in the fall of 1972, he had an excellent summer on the amateur circuit.

The former Oklahoma collegiate champion lost the Western Amateur in sudden-death to the late Gary Sanders and was second to Ben Crenshaw in the Porter Cup. He tied for third in the Southern Amateur.

The fact that he didn't qualify for the PGA Tour on his first attempt didn't deter his ambitions. He headed for the mini-tours, and played well. In the fall of 1973, he tried again, and made it.

His first true test came in the Walt Disney World Classic, the last year this event was an individual test. He was tied for second through the middle two rounds, and, despite a poor final afternoon, he still was encouraged.

During his rookie year of 1974, he had stretches when he played well, but he saved the best for the end of the year. He won approximately \$11,000 in his last four tournaments.

Gil started in the game at "about the age of 15," but he also was playing most other sports. It wasn't until his junior year at East Central State College in Oklahoma that he thought of making it a career—along with his Optometry.

## **Bob Murphy**

EXEMPT STATUS: 2 years 1975 Ryder Cup

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 210

BIRTH DATE: Feb. 14, 1943 BIRTHPLACE: Brooklyn, N.Y.

RESIDENCE: Delray Beach, Florida FAMILY: Wife, Gail; Kimberly (1/11/69)

GRADUATED: 1966, Phys. Ed. COLLEGE: U. of Florida

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

**JOINED TOUR: 1968** TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1967 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-3 CAREER EARNINGS: \$708,392

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 Philadelphia, Thunderbird. 1970 Hartford. 1975 Jackie Gleason Inverrary

Classic. (TOTAL: 4)

1971-\$75,301.-27 1974-\$ 59.048.-44 MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$105,595.-10 1972-\$83,259.-26 1975-\$127,471.-11

1969-\$ 56,526.-32 1973-\$93,442.-22 1970-\$120,639.- 9

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Jackie Gleason Inverrary Classic. 2-Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-3-U.S.

Open. T-4-Tournament Players Championship. T-5-Kemper Open. T-7-Pensacola Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1965 U.S. Amateur. 1966 NCAA champion. 1975 Ryder Cup Team.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

After he gave it a good run and finally finished second by three strokes to Johnny Miller in the Bob Hope Desert Classic, Bob Murphy announced that "Murph's ready. If he doesn't get them next week, he'll get them soon.

He only tied for 18th the next week in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open, but two weeks later, in his next start, Bob did get them as he won the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic-and \$50,000-by one stroke over Eddie Pearce and by two over Jack Nicklaus.

It appeared as if Nicklaus was in command until he hit it out-of-bounds on the par three 12th, but Bob clinched it when he stroked a magnificent eight-iron approach on the 17th that stopped one inch from the

He made up considerable ground through the final round of the U.S. Open with his two-under par 69 and tied for third, just one stroke out of the playoff. In the Tournament Players Championship at Fort Worth's Colonial Country Club, his closing 68 gave him a tie for fourth.

His steady play late in 1974 and through the first half of 1975 earned him a position on the Ryder Cup

Bob played in 23 tournaments, missing the cut only in two and withdrawing from another. He compiled a stroke average of 71.5 with three 66s being his low rounds. He had eight top 10 finishes.

The Bob Murphy story in golf defies credibility. He was an exceptional baseball prospect when he entered the University of Florida in the early 1960s. An injury kept him off the diamond in his freshman year, so he turned his efforts to golf. In 1965 he won the U.S. Amateur and the following spring the NCAA championship

After turning pro and graduating from the 1967 Tour Qualifying School, Murphy never looked back. He won over \$100,000 in his rookie year - easily the most ever by a rookie to that time - and two tournaments in succession. Since then, he never has had to qualify for a Tour event.

Most of his rookie-year cash was earned in a three-week stretch when he was second in the 1968 Westchester Classic, then won the Philadelphia and Thunderbird events, in that order.

In the following six years, Murphy was victorious on Tour only once more, at Hartford in 1970, but he challenged frequently. He lost the 1972 Hawaiian Open to Grier Jones in a playoff. The 1973 Westchester Classic escaped him when Bobby Nichols eagled the final hole and won the playoff one extra hole later with a 25-foot putt.

Murphy did win abroad in 1972, in the Wills Masters in Australia.

In 1974, a thumb injury kept him out of action for four months and limited his play to 19 tournaments, but he finished in the money in all but four of these and easily kept his exempt status.

# **Bobby Nichols**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Lifetime 1964 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 195

BIRTH DATE: Apr. 14, 1936 BIRTHPLACE: Louisville, Ky.

RESIDENCE: Akron, Ohio

(TOTAL: 12)

FAMILY: Wife Nancy Marrillia; Craig (10/12/62); Ricky

(10/27/64); Leslie (10/25/65).

GRADUATED: 1958, Business COLLEGE: Texas A&M

SPECIAL INTERESTS: All sports and antique cars

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959 JOINED TOUR: 1960

CAREER EARNINGS: \$906,277 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1962 St. Petersburg, Houston. 1963 Seattle. 1964 PGA Championship, Carling

World Open. 1965 Houston. 1966 Minnesota. 1968 PGA Team (with George Archer). 1970 Dow Jones. 1973 Westchester Classic. 1974 Andy Williams-San

Diego, Canadian Open

MONEY & POSITION: 1960-\$ 5,701.-60 1965-\$54,237.-12 1970-\$103,429,-13

1961-\$15,516.-36 1966-\$53,475.-13 1971-\$ 74,205,-28 1962-\$34,312.- 9 1967-\$51,557.-22 1972-\$ 78.847.-28

1963-\$33,605.-10 1968-\$69,046.-19 1973-\$ 91,145.-26 1964-\$74,012.- 5 1969-\$36,793.-51 1974-\$124.747-14

1975-\$ 49.835-46

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-2-Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-4-Masters. T-8-Kemper Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1962 Ben Hogan Award. 1967 Ryder Cup team.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

Bobby Nichols had one big chance to win in 1975 as he battled his way into the three-way playoff in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open with J. C. Snead and Ray Floyd. He made it by rolling in a 14-foot par putt on the 72d hole, after a weak chip from in back of the green.

On the first extra hole, though, Bobby fell by the wayside when his four footer for a par rimmed the cup. Snead finally won it on the fourth extra hole, but Bobby was credited with a tie for second with

He was the first-round leader in the Masters with a 67, but a 74 the next day dropped him well off the pace. He wasn't finished, though, and a closing 69 moved him back into a tie for fourth.

His only other top 10 finish was in the Kemper Open at Charlotte, N.C. Going into the final afternoon, he was one stroke in back of Gary Player, tied with Floyd. But, he struggled home with a 75 and finished tied for eighth.

He had one of the biggest scares of his career in the Western Open when he felt the effects of a bolt of lightning late on Friday afternoon and was hospitalized with Lee Trevino and Jerry Heard. He skipped the next three tournaments

Bobby played in 23 tournaments and made money in 15. He missed the cut seven times and withdrew once. He compiled a stroke average of 72.3, with a 65 being his low round. He had three top 10 finishes.

### PRIOR YEARS

At age 38 and dividing his 15th year on Tour between playing and his head pro job at Firestone Country Club in Akron, Bobby Nichols enjoyed his most lucrative campaign in all by winning two tournaments, finishing in the top 10 three other times and earning more than \$120,000.

It was the third time Bobby won two events in a single year, but if there is one mark to his career it seems to be his ability to win big tournaments. Among his 12 Tour victories were the 1964 PGA Championship, the \$300,000 Dow Jones in 1970 and the 1973 Westchester Classic. In the last of those three he eagled the 72nd hole to tie and birdied the first playoff hole to beat out Bob Murphy.

One of the Tour's more popular players, Bobby was a standout football and basketball player in high school in Kentucky. A serious car crash forced him to turn to golf and, while attending Texas A&M, he won the 1956 Southwest Conference title.

### **Jack Nicklaus**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime, 1962 U.S. Open Champion

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Jan. 21, 1940 BIRTHPLACE: Columbus, O.

RESIDENCE: North Palm Beach, Florida and Muirfield Village,

**FAMILY:** Wife, Barbara Bash; Jack II (9/23/61); Steven (4/11/63); Nancy Jean (5/5/65); Gary (1/15/69); Michael (7/24/73).

COLLEGE: Ohio State U.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, hunting, tennis.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1961 JOINED TOUR: 1962

CAREER EARNINGS: \$2,541,772 PLAYOFF RECORD: 11-8

(TOTAL: 58)

TOUR VICTORIES: 1962 U.S. Open, Seattle World's Fair, Portland. 1963 Palm Springs, Masters, Tournament of Champions, PGA Championship, Sahara. 1964 Portland, Tournament of Champions, Phoenix, Whitemarsh. 1965 Portland, Masters, Memphis, Thunderbird Classic, Philadelphia. 1966 Masters, Sahara, National Team (with Arnold Palmer). 1967 U.S. Open, Sahara, Bing Crosby, Western. Westchester. 1968 Western, American Golf Classic. 1969 Sahara, Kaiser, San Diego. 1970 Byron Nelson, Four-Ball (with Arnold Palmer). 1971 PGA Championship, Tournament of Champions, Byron Nelson, National Team (with Arnold Palmer), Disney World. 1972 Bing Crosby, Doral-Eastern, Masters, U.S. Open, Westchester, Match Play, Disney. 1973 Bing Crosby, New Orleans, Tournament of Champions, Atlanta, PGA Championship, Ohio Kings Island, Walt Disney. 1974 Hawaii, Tournament Players Championship. 1975 Doral-Eastern Open, Heritage Classic, Masters, PGA Championship, World Open.

MONEY & POSITION:

1962-\$ 61,8693 1963-\$100,0402 1964-\$113,2851	1967-\$188,9981 1968-\$155,2862 1969-\$140,1673 1970-\$142,1494	1972—\$320,542.—1 1973—\$308,362.—1 1974—\$238,178.—2
1965-\$140,7521		1975-\$298,1491

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Doral-Eastern Open, Heritage Classic, Masters, PGA Championship, World Open. 2-Canadian Open. 3-Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open, Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic. T-3—Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic. T-4—Atlanta Classic. 6—Kaiser International Open. T-6—Bing Crosby Pro-Am. T-7-U.S. Open. T-9-Tournament of Champions.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1959 and 1961 U.S. Amateur Champion. 1966 and 1970 British Open. 1967 and 1972 PGA Player-of-Year. 1969, 1971, 1973 and 1975 Ryder Cup Team. Four-time winner Australian Open including 1975. 1963, 1964, 1966, 1967, 1971, 1973 winning World Cup Teams. 1961 NCAA Champion. Holds record 16 Major Championships. Only player to win 4 Major Championships twice. 1962, 1963, 1967, 1970 winner World Series.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

There is little, if anything, left to be said about Jack Nicklaus. He has done it all—and several times over-on the PGA Tour

Updating his statistics, he won five times on the Tour in 1975, giving him a total of 58 since starting in January of 1962.

He won two of the "majors" in 1975-the Masters by one stroke over Johnny Miller and Tom Weiskopf; and the PGA National championship by two over Bruce Crampton.

He extended his "NO-CUT" streak to 91 Tour events. The last time he wasn't around for the final 36 holes was in October of 1970 at the Kaiser International Open in Napa, Calif.

He has won 16 "majors" - 5 Masters, 4 PGAs, 3 U.S. Opens, 2 British Opens and 2 U.S. Amateurs. And, he now has career earnings of \$2,541,772.99.

Jack played in 16 Tour events and had 14 top 10 finishes. He compiled the lowest stroke average on the Tour-69.9. His low round was a 63 in the Heritage Classic.

# **Andy North**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'4" WEIGHT: 210

BIRTH DATE: Mar. 9, 1950 BIRTHPLACE: Thorp, Wisc.

RESIDENCE: Gainesville, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Susan; Nichole (11/30/74).

COLLEGE: University of Florida GRADUATED: 1972

SPECIAL INTERESTS: All Sports

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1972 JOINED TOUR: 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$148,321

TOUR VICTORIES: None.

MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$48,672.-64

1974-\$58,409.-46

1975-\$44,729.-53

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 4-PGA Championship. T-5-Greater Jacksonville Open. T-7-Sammy Davis-

Hartford Open. T-10-Pensacola Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 Wisconsin State Amateur. 1971 Western Amateur. 1970, 1971, 1972

College All-American

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Maybe Andy North did not have as good a year as he did the season before, but the lanky ex-University of Florida star went into the golf record book with a 27 on one nine.

He was the first-round leader in the B.C. Open at Endicott, N.Y., with a seven-under par 63, but he had a seven-under 27 on the back nine (par was 34). Only Mike Souchak, in the 1955 Texas Open, ever had been that low in tournament play.

Andy had four top 10 finishes—and the B.C. Open wasn't one of them. He tied for 20th there. A solo fourth in the PGA Championship was his best, thanks to a strong five-under par 65 the last day.

He also tied for fifth in the Greater Jacksonville Open, tied for seventh in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open after an opening 66, and tied for 10th in Pensacola after assuming the first-day lead on a 64.

He had a good U.S. Open, tieing for 12th with 72s each of the last three rounds.

Andy played in 33 tournaments and earned money in 23. He compiled a stroke average of 72.1, with the 63 at the B.C. Open his best.

### PRIOR YEARS

It took a serious knee problem to get Andy North off the basketball courts and football fields of his native Wisconsin and onto the golf course. It was discovered when he was in the seventh grade that a bone in his knee had stopped growing and was disintegrating. He was on crutches for 18 months.

He was told that one game he could play was golf—if he rode in a cart. Since his father was a low-handicap player, the idea for the boy was welcomed. With the help of his dad and Lee Milligan, then head pro at Nakona CC in Madison, Wis., Andy began his career in golf.

Andy did return to basketball to make all-state his senior year in high school, but he also won the Wisconsin high school golf championship in 1966 and 1967, the State Amateur in 1969 and was second in the Wisconsin Open in 1968 and 1969.

North attended the University of Florida, where he was chosen All-America in golf for three years and won the 1971 Western Amateur and the Houston All-American tournament. Also, corrective surgery on his bad knee apparently solved that problem permanently.

North turned pro in 1972, joined the Tour the following year and just missed the top 60 list while winning the Little Crosby Second Tour event and placing third in the Monsanto and Kings Island regular tournaments. In 1974 he improved 18 places on the money list and easily gained exemption for 1975.

North played in 34 events in 1974 and missed the cut only five times, while placing in the top 10 in three events. His best was a tie for second at Houston, where he finished with 68-67-69 for 277 and one shot behind Dave Hill.

### **Peter Oosterhuis**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List.

HEIGHT: 6'5" WEIGHT: 203

BIRTHDATE: May 3, 1948 BIRTHPLACE: London, England

RESIDENCE: Santa Barbara, Calif., plays out of Mission Hills,

Palm Springs, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Anne; Robert (9/24/73)

COLLEGE: Dulwich College

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 JOINED TOUR: Fall 1974

CAREER EARNINGS: \$106,906 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION: 1974-\$21,913.-101 1975-\$59,935.-34

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-First NBC New Orleans Open. T-5-Kemper Open. T-7-U.S. Open. T-7-

British Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Member of 1967 Walker Cup Team. 1968 Eisenhower Trophy. 1973, 1974

French Open. 1974 Italian Open. Leader of British Order of Merit 1971, '72, '73, '74. Won a total of 19 International victories. Member of British Ryder

Cup Team; 1971, 1973, 1975.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Peter Oosterhuis will be the first to tell you that his play for his rookie year on the U.S. Tour was not up to his expectations, but the big Englishman showed considerable talent.

Peter's best effort was a solo second to Billy Casper in the First NBC New Orleans Open. Through the 11th hole in the third round, Peter actually had a two-stroke lead, but Casper started a birdle barrage that led him to the victory.

Peter had rounds of 68, 68, 69 and 68 for his 15-under par 273, a most creditable performance. Three weeks later, he tied for fifth in the Kemper Open and, still another two weeks later, he tied for seventh in the U.S. Open. At one point late in the latter championship, Peter was one of those who was in position to win.

One of the busiest of the regulars, he played in the first 19 tournaments, skipped the next because of a playing commitment in Britain, and then came back for five more. So, he actually played in tournaments for 25 straight weeks.

Once again, he distinguished himself in the Ryder Cup matches and was Great Britain's finest player in the loss to the U.S.

Peter played in 31 U.S. Tour events and cashed checks in 24. He compiled a stroke average of 71.9 with a 64 at the Atlanta Classic his best.

### PRIOR YEARS

Before Peter Oosterhuis decided to test his talents on the United States PGA Tour, he compiled an enviable record around the world. For four straight years, 1971 through 1974, he led the British Order of Merit. That means, he was Europe's finest player.

The big, friendly Englishman has won such national titles as the French and Italian Opens, has been a consistent challenger in the British Open and has been spectacular in his Ryder Cup appearances.

Even before he obtained his player's card in the fall of 1974, he proved he could play here. He lost the Monsanto Open at Pensacola in 1974 in sudden-death to Lee Elder, after Lee birdled three of the final four holes to tie him.

He was the third-round leader in the 1973 Masters at the Augusta National, and finally finished tied for third with Jack Nicklaus and Jim Jamieson behind the winning Tommy Aaron.

Peter was born in London, and although he plays out of Mission Hills in Palm Springs, he now resides in Santa Barbara, Calif.

### **Arnold Palmer**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime, 1960 U.S. Open Champion

HEIGHT: 5'10%" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Sept. 10, 1929 BIRTHPLACE: Latrobe, Pa.

RESIDENCE: Latrobe, Pa.

FAMILY: Wife, Winifred Walzer; Margaret (2/26/56); Amy

(8/4/58).

COLLEGE: Wake Forest U.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Flying, tennis, business, club-making

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1954 JOINED TOUR: 1955

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,723,114 PLAYOFF RECORD: 14-10

(TOTAL: 61)

TOUR VICTORIES: 1955 Canadian. 1956 Insurance City, Eastern, Panama Open, Colombian Open. 1957 Houston, Azalea, Rubber City, San Diego. 1958 St. Petersburg, Masters, Pepsi Golf. 1959 Thunderbird (Calif.), Invitation, Oklahoma City, West Palm Beach. 1960 Insurance City, Masters, Palm Springs Classic. Texas, Baton Rouge, Pensacola. U.S. Open, Mobile Sertoma. 1961 San Diego, Texas, Baton Rouge, Phoenix, Western. 1962 Masters, Palm Springs Classic, Texas, Phoenix, Tournament of Champions, Colonial National American Golf Classic. 1963 Thunderbird Classic, Pensacola, Phoenix, Western Los Angeles, Cleveland, Whitemarsh. 1964 Oklahoma City, Masters. 1965 Tournament of Champions. 1966 Los Angeles, Tournament of Champions, Houston Champions International, PGA Team (with Jack Nicklaus). 1967 Los Angeles, Tucson, American Golf Classic, Thunderbird Classic, (World Cup). 1968 Hope Desert Classic, Kemper. 1969 Heritage, Danny Thomas-Diplomat. 1970 Four-Ball (with Jack Nicklaus). 1971 Hope Desert Classic, Citrus, Westchester, National Team (with Jack Nicklaus). 1973 Hope

MONEY & POSITION:

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1955-$ 7,958.-32
                   1962-$ 81,448.- 1
                                       1969-$105,128.- 9
1956-$16,145.-19
                   1963-$128,230.- 1
                                        1970-$128.853.- 5
1957-$27,803.- 5
                   1964-$113,203.- 2
                                        1971-$209,603,- 3
1958-$42.608 - 1
                   1965-$ 57,770.-10
                                        1972-$ 84,181.-25
1959-$32,462.- 5
                   1966-$110,467.- 3
                                        1973-$ 89,457.-27
1960-$75.263 - 1
                   1967-$184.065.- 2
                                        1974-$ 36,293.-72
1961-$61,091.- 2
                   1968-$114.602.- 7
                                        1975-$ 59,017.-36
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BEST 1975 FINISHES: 3-Hawaiian Open. 4-Canadian. T-7-Jackie Gleason Inverrary Classic. T-9-U.S. Open. 10-Dean Martin Tucson Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS:

1954 U.S. Amateur. 1961 and 1962 British Open. 1961, 1965, 1967, 1971, 1973 Ryder Cup team. Captain in 1963 and 1975, 1966 Australian Open. 1960, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967 Canada and World Cup teams. 1975 Spanish Open, British PGA.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

There were several memorable weeks for Arnold Palmer, such as guiding the United States Ryder Cup team to an easy victory as its captain; two victories overseas, a near victory during the exciting chase for the Hawaiian Open crown.

The two triumphs across the pond came in the Spanish Open and the British PGA. He has 61 U.S. Tour victories since starting in 1955, and he now has a total of 79 around the world.

In the Hawaiian Open, he stood on the 17th tee on the final afternoon at the Waialea Country Club, tied for the lead with Gary Groh, who by that time, was in the 18th fairway. But, he pulled his tee shot on the par three 17th into the high, wet grass. He pitched it short, to four feet, and then missed the par-saying putt. Groh went on to birdie the home hole and clinch the victory. Al Geiberger birdied the 18th to deprive Arnold a share of second place, so he had to settle for third.

His next best finish came in late July, when he finished 69-67 for fourth place in the Canadian Open at Royal Montreal. His other top 10 finishes were tie for seventh in the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic. tie for ninth in the U.S. Open and a tie for 10th in the Dean Martin-Tucson Open.

Arnold played in 20 tournaments and made money in 15. He compiled a stroke average of 71.8 with two 66s being his low rounds.

### **Eddie Pearce**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 175

BIRTHDATE: Mar. 16, 1952 BIRTHPLACE: Fort Myers, Fla.

RESIDENCE: Orlando, Fla.
FAMILY: Wife, Maureen
COLLEGE: Wake Forest

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Boating and fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1972 JOINED TOUR: 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$111,467

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1973-\$488.-

1974-\$56.384.-47

1975-\$54.595.-39

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Jackie Gleason Inverrary Classic. T-5-Houston Open. T-9-Hawaiian

Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1968 USGA Junior champion. 1971 North-South amateur champion. 1971

U.S. Amateur runner-up.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Eddie Pearce has those moments when he plays with all the authority and skills his colleagues know he has, but he still is looking for the secret of putting it all together for four straight days.

The one week he did, in the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic, he thought he might have a winner, only to finish second to Bob Murphy, one-stroke away. Eddie opened the week in sensational style, firing 67-64—131, 13-under par. His last two rounds were 72-71 for his 14-under par score of 274.

In the final moments, though, he birdied the 17th to move within a shot of Murphy, who was playing behind him. Eddie lofted a beautiful sand wedge onto the green at the 18th, to within six inches for another birdie.

Murphy, though, stroked his eight iron at the 17th at just about the same time, and the shot stopped an inch short of the cup. It was the birdie and the edge he needed.

Eddie played in 27 tournaments and made money in 16. He missed the cut nine times and withdrew once. He compiled a stroke average of 72.5, with his low being the 64 at the Gleason.

### PRIOR YEARS

Few young players—if any—ever have come out of Florida with the competitive credentials matching those of Eddie Pearce. He started to play golf at age 4 under the eye of his father in Tampa, and at 12 broke 70 for the first time with a 69.

When he was 16 he won the USGA Junior championship at Brookline, Mass.; also competed in the U.S. Open and U.S. Amateur and was runner-up to Ben Crenshaw in the International Jaycees tournament in Tulsa, Okla.

Eddie enrolled at Wake Forest under an Arnold Palmer scholarhhip and, as a freshman, won the North-South Amateur and finished third in the NCAA championship. The following year he was second in both the North-South and the U.S. Amateur. And he was one of the youngest ever to win the Florida Open, at age 18.

Pearce turned pro in the fall of 1972 and, surprisingly, failed to earn his Tour players card. In the fall of 1973 he graduated from the Tour Qualifying School on his second try.

In his fourth tournament of 1974, Eddie was second to Jack Nicklaus in the Hawaiian Open and won \$25,080, after closing with a 66. About six weeks later he seemed a serious contender for Rookie-of-the-Year when a backyard motorcycle accident sidelined him for another six weeks with a broken collarbone.

In his first start after the accident he tied for second at Tallahassee, but he never again got that close to victory the remainder of the year. He tied for ninth in the Tournament Players Championship and for 10th at San Antonio for his only other high finishes, but he made the top 60 list comfortably in 47th place.

# **Gary Player**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime, 1962 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 5'8" WEIGHT: 150

BIRTHDATE: Nov. 1, 1936 BIRTHPLACE: Johannesburg,

South Africa

RESIDENCE: Johannesburg, South Africa

FAMILY: Wife, Vivienne Verwey; Jennifer ('59); Mark (3/61);

Wayne (4/62); Michelle (12/63); Theresa ('65); Amanda

('73)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Raising horses on his farm, physical

fitness

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1953 JOINED TOUR: 1957

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,163,153 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-11

TOUR VICTORIES: 1958 Kentucky Derby Open. 1961 Lucky International. Sunshine, Masters. 1962 (TOTAL: 18) PGA Championship, San Diego. 1963 Pensacola. 1964 500 Festival. 1965 U.S.

PGA Championship, San Diego. 1963 Pensacola. 1964 500 Festival. 1965 U.S. Open. 1969 Tournament of Champions. 1970 Greater Greensboro. 1971 Jacksonville, National Airlines. 1972 New Orleans. PGA Championship. 1973

Southern. 1974 Masters, Danny Thomas-Memphis.

MONEY & POSITION: 1957—\$ 3,286.— 1963—\$55,455.— 5 1969—\$123,897.— 5

1958-\$18,591.- 1964-\$61,449.- 7 1970-\$101,212.-15 1959-\$ 5,694.-58 1965-\$69,964.- 5 1971-\$120,916.- 5

1962-\$45,838.- 6 1968-\$51,950.-33 1974-\$108,372.-19 1975-\$ 73,943.-27

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Tournament of Champions. T-2-Kemper Open. T-7-Canadian Open.

T-9-Sammy Davis-Hartford Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1959, 1968, 1974 British Opens. 1956, 1960, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969,

1972 and 1975 South African Open. 1958, 1962, 1963, 1965, 1969, 1970, 1974 Australian Open. 1957 Australian PGA. 1965, 1966, 1968, 1971, 1973 World Picadilly winner. 1965, 1968, 1972 World Series of Golf. 1965 World Cup individual and team winner. 1972, 1974 Brazilian Open. 105 victories

around the world.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was a disappointing year for Gary Player on the U.S. Tour, but for many others, the results that he achieved would have been quite satisfactory.

Although his streak of winning a U.S. tournament for six straight years was broken, he did come close twice. In the Tournament of Champions at LaCosta, Calif., he finished with 68-67 to tie Al Geiberger, and then lost it on the first hole of sudden-death playoff.

In the Kemper Open at Charlotte, N.C., Gary led Bobby Nichols and Ray Floyd by one starting the final round. He dueled Floyd through most of the afternoon, but when Gary's birdie attempted at the 16th failed to drop and he bogeyed the final hole after a poor drive, his hopes were gone.

Gary played in 15 U.S. Tour events and only missed one cut. He compiled a stroke average of 71.4 and the 66 was his low round.

### PRIOR YEARS

One of four men to have won all four of the world's major championships in golf, Gary Player in one respect had his finest year in 1974, when he won two of these titles in a single year for the first time.

A serious operation in January of 1973, curtailed his schedule for at least four months. But, Player came back and won more than \$100,000 on the U.S. Tour in 1974, while capturing the Masters for the second time and the British Open for the third. He also came from five-strokes back with 17 holes to play to win at Memphis, and recorded five top 10 finishes in 15 U.S. tournaments, missing the cut twice.

### **Dean Refram**

EXEMPT STATUS: Winner, Walt Disney World Team Play

Championship

HEIGHT: 5'6" WEIGHT: 165

**BIRTH DATE:** Nov. 11, 1936 BIRTHPLACE: Miami Fla.

RESIDENCE: Wesley Chapel, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Barbara; Robin (9/21/58); Wendy (1/30/60) and

D. J. (boy) 2/27/67).

GRADUATED: 1960. B.S. COLLEGE: Florida Southern

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1961 JOINED TOUR: 1961

CAREER EARNINGS: \$100,930

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Walt Disney World National Team Play (with Jim Colbert)

MONEY & POSITION: His best money year was 1971, \$17,659. His highest finish on the money list was

in 1967, \$13,431 for 79th place.

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Walt Disney World National Team Play

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

There were tears in Dean Refram's eyes as he sat there alongside Jim Colbert and they talked of what winning the Walt Disney World National Team Play championship meant.

"Obviously, I'm happy for myself," Colbert said, "but you can't believe how happy I am for Dean. After everything he has been through, this seems to be fitting, that he'd win."

Dean has been off the Tour for the better part of four years, due mainly to a putting stroke that was not your basic velvet. Prior to the Disney, he entered four Florida events and his only finish was a tie for 57th in the Florida Citrus Open, worth \$395.

But, with his victory, he now is exempt for all of 1976 and had indicated that he plans to play more,

possibly fulltime.

Colbert, a close friend of Dean's for many years, said he knew his pal was going to be just fine after the second hole of the first day. "I was out of it. I had my ball in my pocket. He had a three-to-four footer he had to make to save par. I thought to myself, it's now or maybe never. He made it, dead center, and he didn't miss another inside eight feet all week."

The Colbert-Refram team made 36 birdies and 36 pars (notice, that's also NO bogeys) through the

four rounds, and it truly was a team effort. Both played exceptionally well.

While he didn't play much, for six weeks prior to the Disney, he spent considerable time on the practice tee at the Saddlebrook Country Club in Wesley Chapel, Fla., the development owned by the family. So, he was ready.

### PRIOR YEARS

Among his colleagues, Dean Refram always was considered one of the better strikers of the golf ball. His problem was putting. It was that part of the game that held him back, and eventually forced him to leave the Tour in 1972.

Dean tried various ways to get the ball into the cup sooner. He was one of the early "straddlers," but that method was outlawed, and with the ruling, went his last hope, so it seemed.

Dean compiled a fine amateur record in the Chicago area (he won the 1958 Chicago District Amateur). He was graduated from Florida Southern in 1960, he turned professional. His first year on the Tour was 1961.

His biggest money year was 1971-\$17,659-when he won the Little American Golf Classic, a second-Tour event opposite the main show at Firestone Country Club. His highest position on the money list, though, was 79th in 1967 when he won \$13,431.

In mid-summer of 1974, an accident threatened to wipe out his playing days forever. He was severely burned by steam when a boilder exploded, and, painfully, had to undergo extensive skin grafts.

# Juan Rodriguez

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 5'71/2" WEIGHT: 125

BIRTH DATE: Oct. 23, 1935 BIRTHPLACE: Puerto Rico

RESIDENCE: Rio Mar, Puerto Rico

FAMILY: Wife, Iwalani; Donnette (4/6/62)

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960 JOINED TOUR: 1960
CAREER EARNINGS: \$650,970 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1963 Denver. 1964 Lucky International Open, Western. 1967 Texas. 1968

(TOTAL: 7) Sahara. 1972 Byron Nelson. 1973 Greater Greensboro Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1960-\$ 2,137.-94 1965-\$26,568.-37 1970-\$ 53,102.- 38

1964-\$48,339.- 9 1969-\$56,312.-33 1974-\$ 58,940.- 44 1975-\$ 13,955.-115

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-12-Greater Greensboro Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 Ryder Cup team.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

Juan (Chi Chi) Rodriguez offered no excuses for his poorest year on the Tour since 1962 except to say, "For some reasons, the cuts just got awfully small."

Although he was hit by the flue three times and that deprived him of some of his effectiveness, he said, "But, I can't use that as an excuse. I just didn't play well."

Chi Chi, still one of the big favorites with the galleries all over the country, only collected \$13,955 to finish 115th on the money list. He never was able to mount a charge and his best finishes were a tie for 12th in the Greater Greensboro Open and a tie for 17th in the World Open. His biggest check of the year was at Greensboro, \$4,218.

An indication of how well this man has played over the years is reflected in his career earnings of \$650,970, placing him well into the list of the top 50 of all time. That is his exemption category for 1976.

Chi Chi played in 27 tournaments and was in the money 14 times. He compiled a stroke average of 72.7 with 11 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

Juan (Chi Chi) Rodriguez gravitated to golf as a boy in Puerto Rico after learning to hit tin cans with limbs from a guava tree. At 19 he felt the pressures of family responsibility and joined the Army "to make money, more than I could have by caddying at home."

He came to the Tour in 1960 and didn't finish higher than sixth in any tournament until he won the 1963 Denver Open. He easily remained on the top 60 list until 1971, when surgery on his arms late in 1970 curtailed his schedule.

Always amusing and in high good humor, Chi Chi decided to take the game more seriously, and in 1972 he won the Byron Nelson Classic and finished in the top 10 in eight other events. In 1973 he added victory at Greensboro and was a contender the following week in the Masters until a final 76 dropped him to a 10th-place tie.

Chi Chi failed to win in 1974 but he placed in the top 10 on six occasions, the best a tie for fourth in the Canadian Open after starting with 68-63. He closed to within a shot of leader Al Geiberger at Las Vegas but triple-bogied the 72nd hole.

One of the most respected and popular of the touring pros, Rodriguez always has felt an obligation to help people less fortunate than himself, and this feeling has been a motivation behind his career.

# **Mason Rudolph**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 180

BIRTH DATE: May 23, 1934 BIRTHPLACE: Clarksville,

Tenn

RESIDENCE: Clarksville, Tenn., Plays out of Crockett Springs,

Tenn

FAMILY: Wife, Carol Griffin; Mason, II (7/4/60); Griffin (5/8/63);

Craig (10/19/64).

COLLEGE: Tennessee & Memphis State U.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, watching football & basketball
TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1958 JOINED TOUR: 1959

CAREER EARNINGS: \$535,943 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1959 Golden Gate. 1962 Haig & Haig Mixed Foursome. 1963 Fig Garden Village.

(TOTAL: 6) 1964 New Orleans. 1966 Thunderbird. 1970 Green Island.

MONEY & POSITION: 1959-\$12,709.-30 1965-\$32,149.-29 1971-\$41,292.-61

1964-\$52,568.- 8 1970-\$46,215.-52

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-4-Tournament Players Championship. T-5-Walt Disney Team Champion-

ship. T-9-Greater Greensboro Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1957 Walker Cup. 1971 Ryder Cup. 1965 and 1966 PGA Tournament Com-

mittee. 1959 Rookie-of-the-Year. 1950 U.S. Junior Champion.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

One of the most difficult courses on the entire PGA Tour is the Colonial Country Club in Fort Worth, Tex., and that is where Mason Rudolph had his most success last year.

It was the Tournament Players Championship and the veteran from Tennessee rallied with a tie for fourth. He finished with a one-over par score of 281, with rounds of 69, 70, 72 and 70, to earn \$10,333. In a way, that was the end of the season for him, as he played three more times, but missed the cut in each.

He had one other top 10 individual finish, tieing for ninth in the Greater Greensboro Open with a twounder par 70-70 finish. In the Walt Disney World National Team Play, he joined with Dan Sikes to tie for fifth.

They helped him to increase his career earnings to \$535,943, and is well among the top 50 in this category, thus giving him another year's exemption.

Mason played in 21 tournaments and made money in ten. He had a stroke average of 72.9 with three 68s being his lowest.

### PRIOR YEARS

One of the more popular and easy-going professionals on the Tour, Mason Rudolph was successful right from the start. He turned pro in 1958 and joined the Tour the next year. He won the Golden Gate Open in San Francisco, and was named the "Rookie-of-the-Year."

He has added four other individual victories to his list - the 1963 Fig Garden Village, the 1964 New Orleans Open, the 1966 Thunderbird Classic and the 1970 Green Island Open. He fired a closing 64 to win the latter, bumping Chris Blocker from the lead.

More recently, he had his biggest year financially in 1973 when he finished second by one stroke to Jack Nicklaus in the Walt Disney World Open (the last year it was individual play) and tieing for third in the PGA National championship at Cleveland's Canterbury Club.

Mason showed his skills at an early age, when he won the 1950 U.S. Junior title. He was a fine amateur, and in 1957, played for Uncle Sam on the Walker Cup team. In 1971, he faced Great Britain again wearing the Red, White and Blue, only this time as a member of the Ryder Cup team.

He has been involved in helping to shape the Tour, too, serving on the Tournament Committee in 1965 and 1966.



### John Schlee

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'3" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: June 2, 1939 BIRTHPLACE: Kremling, Colo.

RESIDENCE: Dallas, Texas COLLEGE: Memphis State U.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Astrology, photography, landscaping,

**TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1964** JOINED TOUR: 1965

CAREER EARNINGS: \$404.426 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1973 Hawaiian Open.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1965-\$ 850-172 1969-\$12,808.-109

1966-\$21,441.- 47 1970-\$27,679.- 79 1974-\$ 64,238.-37 1967-\$15,224.- 74 1971-\$47,815.- 54 1975-\$ 44,337.-56

1968-\$21,691.- 76 1972-\$51,435.- 49

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-2-Walt Disney Team Championship. T-6-World Open. 8-Sea Pines Heritage Classic. T-8-Florida Citrus. T-9-Atlanta Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1965 Medalist in first Tour Qualifying School. 1966 Rookie of the Year.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was surprising to see John Schlee on the first tee at the Bob Hope Desert Classic early in February. About a month before, he underwent surgery on a disc. While his recovery period was remarkably short, he admits he may have started back too soon.

He did have two good tournaments in those early weeks, though, tieing for eighth in the Florida Citrus Open with a 69-69 finish; and a solo eighth in the Heritage Classic. Incidentally, he tied for 25th in the Bob Hope. Meanwhile, he also missed the cut four times and withdrew from another before he finally settled back in the groove.

As the summer progressed, he tied for ninth in the Atlanta Classic and tied for 10th in the PGA Championship. He clinched his position in the top 60 for the fifth straight year in the World Open at Pinehurst, N.C. He tied for sixth and earned his biggest check of the year, \$6,225.

He was a contender in the Tournament Players Championship at Fort Worth, Tex., after two rounds, posting 69-68-137 on the tough Colonial Country Club course. It put him three off the pace, but a 75 the next day ended his hopes.

John played in 26 tournaments and earned money in 15. He missed the cut eight times and had to withdraw from three other events. He compiled a stroke average of 71.8 and his low round was a 65 the third day of the Bob Hope.

### PRIOR YEARS

After leading the first Tour Qualifying School in 1965 and earning rookie-of-the-year honors in 1966, John Schlee struggled through four lean years while learning his craft. But in 1971 he regained a spot in the top 60 and has held it since, soaring over \$100,000 in 1973 for what he called "financial security at last

That year was marked by his first Tour victory, in the Hawaiian Open; a second place in the U.S. Open when Johnny Miller beat him out with his historic closing 63, and by losing a playoff to Ed Sneed in the Kaiser International.

In 1974 a back injury forced Schlee to withdraw from four tournaments during the last three months of the schedule, contributing to almost a 50 percent drop in earnings to \$64,238. During that period, however, he did lead the PGA Championship after 36 holes, before finishing with 75-75 for a tie for 17th

His best of four top 10 finishes in 1974 was a tie for second in the Canadian Open, worth \$18,500, thanks to a 16-foot birdie putt on the final hole which he said he will always remember

Schlee attended Memphis State University and was an Army paratrooper for two years. Among his hobbies are astrology and photography. "When your signs are right, you can do anything," says the Tour's resident astrologist.

### **Dan Sikes**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 195

BIRTH DATE: Dec. 7, 1930 BIRTHPLACE: Jacksonville, Fla.

RESIDENCE: Jacksonville, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Marie; Karen Ann (11/4/61)

COLLEGE: Univ. of Florida and Law School

**GRADUATED: 1953, LLB, 1960** 

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960 JOINED TOUR: 1961

CAREER EARNINGS: \$773,508 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1963 Doral. 1965 Cleveland. 1967 Jacksonville, Philadelphia. 1968 Florida

(TOTAL: 6) Citrus, Minnesota.

MONEY & POSITION: 1961-\$ 6,616.-63 1966-\$ 26,936.-34 1971-\$52,202.- 47

 1962-\$15,599.-42
 1967-\$111,508.-5
 1972-\$42,139.-61

 1963-\$25,568.-22
 1968-\$108,330.-8
 1973-\$91,164.-24

 1964-\$22,663.-25
 1969-\$89,104.-15
 1974-\$44,166.-64

 1965-\$52,509.-13
 1970-\$77,156.-24
 1975-\$22,127.-100

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-5-Walt Disney Team Championship. T-7-Pensacola Open. T-9-

Westchester Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Former Tournament Policy Board member. 1957 Public Links. 1969 Ryder

Cup team.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

The year started slowly and ended the same way for Dan Sikes, but he did have several weeks when he flashed his former form. He had two top 10 finishes, getting a tie for seventh in the Pensacola Open as he started with a 72, and then had 69, 66 and 69.

At the Westchester Classic, where he always seems to play well, he tied for ninth with a 69-66 finish. He earned \$6,000 for his biggest check of the year.

Dan skipped all the west coast tournaments at the start of the hear with the exception of the Phoenix Open, where he missed the cut. At the start of the Florida swing, he withdrew from the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic, finished 54th in the Florida Citrus Open and missed the cut in the Doral-Eastern Open.

Through his next 16 tournaments, he was a steady performer, only missing the cut three times. In the Walt Disney World National Team play, he teamed with Mason Rudolph to tie for fifth.

Dan played in 24 tournaments and finished in the money 17 times. He compiled a stroke average of 72.0 with two 66s his low rounds.

### PRIOR YEARS

A member of the Florida Bar Association, Dan Sikes joined the Tour in 1961 because, he said, "I can't make this much money this fast in law." In the next 14 years, in official purses alone, Dan earned more than three-quarters of a million dollars.

His most lucrative years were 1967 and 1968 when he won the last four of his six titles and more than \$100,000 each year. In 1967 he won in his home town of Jacksonville and in Philadelphia and was second to Jack Nicklaus in the rain-delayed Westchester Classic, the first \$250,000 tournament in the Tour's history.

Dan thought he had missed the cut at Westchester but the second round was washed out three times, and finally he shot a 62 that counted. It was the first Westchester, and the tournament has been good to him ever since. He tied for second in 1968—while also winning the Minnesota Classic and the Florida Citrus—he was third in 1969 and he tied for third in 1973.

Also in 1973, Sikes finished second twice to record his third best year in earnings, more than \$90,-000. Dan held a three-stroke lead in the Byron Nelson until Lanny Wadkins birdied five of the last seven holes to catch him. Then Lanny won the playoff when Dan bogied the first extra hole.

Dan knew at the outset of 1974 that it would be a demanding year. He missed the cut in his first five tournaments. He finished in the money in 17 of his next 19 events but missed the top 60 for the second time in three years. A tie for second at Tallahassee was the highest of his four top 10 finishes.

Sikes won the All-Army championship while in military service and later, in 1957, won the U.S. Public Links title.

### Jim Simons

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'10%" WEIGHT: 175

BIRTH DATE: May 15, 1950 BIRTHPLACE: Pittsburgh, Pa.

RESIDENCE: Tequesta, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Sherry.

COLLEGE: Wake Forest Univ. GRADUATED: 1972, B.S.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, Fishing

**TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1972** JOINED TOUR: Fall of

CAREER EARNINGS: \$102,745

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1972-\$ 2,030.-248 1974-\$30,710.-87 1975-\$47.724 -50

1973-\$26,493.- 93

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-3—Pleasant Valley. 4—IVB-Philadelphia Classic. T-5—Danny Thomas Memphis Classic. T-7—Western Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Walker Cup team. 1971 Runner-up British Amateur. 1971 & 1972 Col-

legiate All-American. 1971 & 1972 Low Amateur, U.S. Open.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Feeling better physically, Jim Simons had the makings of the type of season followers of the game know he can have.

Neither his shoulder nor his wrist bothered him quite as much, and Jim fashioned four top 10 finishes. His finest effort was a tie for third in the Pleasant Valley Classic at Sutton, Mass. It was a superb finalround 65, six-under par, that lifted him there. His six-under par 278 was two in back of the winner, Roger

Solid, consistent rounds were responsible for his five-under par 279 and solo fourth in the IVB-Philadelphia Classic, and the seven-under par 281 for a tie for fifth in the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic. He also tied for seventh in the Western Open.

On two other occasions, Jim used torrid finishes to pick up handsome checks - a final-rounc 63 gave him a tie for 11th in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open and a closing 65 netted a tie for 16th in the Sahara Invitational

Jim played in 31 tournaments and earned money in 23. He had a stroke average of 71.9 with the 63 being his best.

### **PRIOR YEARS**

Jim Simons will be the first to tell you that his first two years on the PGA Tour were not up to expectations. He probably won't mention, however, that he also has been hampered with physical ailments.

He has had tendonitis in his left wrist, but, more painful has been his left shoulder, which has been diagnosed as a "looseness in the joint - a minor dislocation." It's the result of a "horsing-around" incident with his fraternity brothers while at Wake Forest.

The first year, he was in considerable pain, mainly because it had not been diagnosed properly. "I was doing stretching exercises because it seemed tight. But, that was just the opposite of what I needed." Fortunately, during this past year, it has not been as bothersome

Jim's father started him in the game at the Butler (Pa) Country Club at age nine. He lived on a farm and, "I'd ride over to the club on my bike early in the morning and either play or hit balls most of the cay, and ride back in the evening.

He started in competition at age 13, and his progress was rapid. He enrolled at the University of Houston, but, after a year, transferred to Wake Forest. He was on the 1971 Walker Cup team and lost in the finals of the 1971 British Amateur to Steve Melnyk. In the 1971 U.S. Open at Merion, he gained national attention as he led the tournament after the third round, finally finishing in a tie for fifth.

His best Tour finishes have been at Tallahassee, as he had a solo second in 1973 and a tie for fifth in 1974. They came after he earned his player's card in the fall of 1972.

## Bob E. Smith

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Dec. 2, 1942 BIRTHPLACE: Sacramento, Cal.

RESIDENCE: Sacramento, California, but plays out of Wailae

Country Club, Maui, Hawaii.

FAMILY: Wife, Kathryn; Shannon (4/21/75)

COLLEGE: Sacramento State GRADUATED: 1967

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Music

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1967 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$267,910

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1968-\$30,044.-59 1969-\$22,851.-78

1971-\$44,595.-56 1972-\$43,297.-60

1974—\$20,962.—104 1975—\$44,720.— 54

1970-\$30,662.-75 1973-\$41,841.-74

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Byron Nelson Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1965 and 1967 Western Amateur winner. 1967 California State Amateur

winner. 1967 NCAA Small College winner.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It is easy for Bob E. Smith to point to the week that permitted him to return to the top 60. It was the Byron Nelson Classic at Dallas, and Bob turned in one of his better Tour performances.

He finished second to Tom Watson, just two strokes away, with 67-68-69-67-271, 13-under par. He was around the lead all week, but, in the end, it was his superb six-iron into the 72d green that brought his biggest smile. He hit it four inches from the cup.

"It was so close I could have blown it in," he said beaming. "I'm elated." His check was the biggest of his eight-year career on the Tour—\$19,550. The birdle at the home hole gave him second place by one stroke over Jack Ewing.

Bob tied for 14th the next week in the First NBC New Orleans Open, and then had problems keeping it all together the rest of the year, although he played well enough to make most of the cuts.

Next to Dallas, his best finish was a tie for 12th in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open. The next week, he tied for 13th in the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic.

Bob played in 30 tournaments and made the cut in 23. He compiled a stroke average of 72.0 with a 66 at New Orleans his best.

### PRIOR YEARS

When Bob E. Smith arrived on the Tour in 1968, he brought with him an impressive set of credentials. He had won the 1965 and 1967 Western Amateurs, the 1967 California State Amateur and the 1967 NCAA Small College crown for Sacramento State.

Immediately, he jumped into the Top 60, as he earned \$30,044 the first year to finish 59th on the list. The future appeared bright.

Experimenting with his swing, his effectiveness dimished slightly, and he fell out of the coveted exempt category the next two years. He did return in 1971 and 1972, but dropped out again the following two years.

Bob has shown the signs of being the outstanding player many thought he would be, but has lacked the consistency necessary to achieve that goal. He has said it is a "frustrating feeling," to see players he used to beat regularly as an amateur now ahead of him on the money list.

Prior to 1975, his best money year was 1971 when he won \$44,595. He had 13 top 25 finishes that year.

### J. C. Snead

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 200

BIRTH DATE: Oct. 14, 1941 BIRTHPLACE: Hot Springs, Va.

RESIDENCE: Hot Springs, Va.
FAMILY: Wife, Sue Bryant

COLLEGE: East Tennessee State U.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing and hunting

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1964 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$530,693 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Tucson, Doral-Eastern. 1972 Philadelphia. 1975 Andy Williams San Diego

(TOTAL: 4) Open

MONEY & POSITION:

1970-\$11,547.-122 1973-\$103,601.-14

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Andy Williams San Diego Open. 3-Sammy David-Hartford Open. 6-

Phoenix Open, Canadian Open. T-6-IVB-Philadelphia Classic. T-7-South-

ern Open, Walt Disney Team Championship. T-10-Masters.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971, 1973 and 1975 Ryder Cup team. 1973 Australian Open Champion.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

J. C. Snead kept talking about not being able to make any putts—and just kept on winning a bundle of cash and continuing as one of the leading players in the game.

He ended his victory drought early in the year, outlasting Ray Floyd and Bobby Nichols in their sudden-death shootout at the Andy-Williams-San Diego Open. His last previous victory had been in the 1972 IVB-Philadelphia Classic.

The weather at Torrey Pines was a little windy and cool, and J. C. believes that was to his advantage. "I've always felt my chances were better in bad weather," he said. "I can strike the ball halfway decent and hit it low into the wind."

He came from five-shots back with a closing 68 to catch them. Nichols went out on the first extra hole, and J. C. won it with a birdie at the fourth extra hole.

He was in position to win again in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open, but he bogeyed the 72d hole and finished one stroke out of the playoff between Don Bies and Hubert Green.

Three times he finished sixth—by himself in the Phoenix Open and the Canadian Open (with a last-day 66) and tied for sixth in the IVB-Philadelphia Classic. Three 68s led him to a tie for seventh in the Southern Open.

For the third straight time, his steady, strong play earned him a position on the U.S. Ryder Cup team. J. C. played in 29 tournaments and earned money in 23. He had seven top 10 finishes as he compiled a stroke average of 71.8. He had two 66s for his low rounds and five 67s.

### PRIOR YEARS

J. C. Snead improved his official earnings by almost 60 percent in 1974, again passing the \$100,000 level without winning a tournament. In fact, his 1974 total of \$164,486 was the highest for a non-winner in tour history.

He finished in the top 10 in 11 of 30 events, including four seconds and two thirds. He was runner-up to Jack Nicklaus in the first Tournament Players Championship, by two strokes. The following week he needed to sink a 13-foot putt on the 72nd hole to tie Forrest Fezler in the Southern Open, but the ball slid off to the right.

Although a nephew of the legendary Sam Snead, Jesse dreamed of a major league baseball career during his boyhood in Hot Springs, Va. After a spell in the Washington Senators farm system, he decided to try golf and turned pro in 1964. It was four years before he earned his playing privileges on the Tour.

J. C. worked as an assistant to head pro Charlie Beverage at Century CC in Westchester County, N.Y., while twice failing to pass the Tour Qualifying School.

After earning his players' card, Jesse endured three very lean years until early in 1971, when he won two tournaments in a three-week period, at Tucson and Doral.

### Sam Snead

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime, 1942 PGA champion

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: May 27, 1912 BIRTHPLACE: Hot Springs, Va.

RESIDENCE: Hot Springs, Va.

FAMILY: Wife, Audrey; Sam, Jr. (6/30/44); Terrance (5/27/52).

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1934 JOINED TOUR: 1937

CAREER EARNINGS: \$611,887

(TOTAL: 84)

TOUR VICTORIES: 1936 Virginia Closed Professional. 1937 St. Paul Open, Nassau Open, Miami Open, Oakland Open. 1938 Greensboro Open, Inverness Four-Ball, Goodall Round Robin, Chicago Open, Canadian Open, Westchester 108 Hole Open, White Sulpher Springs Open. 1939 Miami Open, St. Petersburg Open, Miami-Biltmore Four-Ball, Ontario Open. 1940 Inverness Four-Ball, Canadian Open, Anthracite Open. 1941 Canadian Open, St. Petersburg Open, North and South Open, Rochester Times Union Open, Henry Hurst Inv. 1942 St. Petersburg Open, PGA Championship, Corduba Open. 1944 Richmond Open, Portland Open, 1945 Los Angeles Open, Gulfport Open, Pensacola Open, Jacksonville Open, Dallas Open, Tulsa Open. 1946 Miami Open, Greensboro Open, Jacksonville Open, Virginia Open, World Championship. 1948 Texas Open. 1949 Greensboro Open, PGA Championship, Masters, Washington Star Open, Dapper Dan Open, Western Open. 1950 St. Paul Open, Miami Open, Greensboro Open, Inverness Four-Ball, North and South Open, Los Angeles Open, Western Open, Miami Beach Open, Colonial National Inv., Reading Open. 1951 Miami Open, PGA Championship. 1952 Inverness Four-Ball, Masters, Greenbrier Inv., All American, Eastern Open, Julius Boros Open. 1953 Texas Open, Greenbrier Inv., Baton Rouge Open. 1954 Masters, Palm Beach Round Robin. 1955 Miami Open, Greensboro Open, Palm Beach Round Robin, Insurance City Open. 1956 Greensboro Open. 1957 Dallas Open. 1958 Greenbrier Inv. 1959 Sam Snead Festival. 1960 Greensboro Open, De Soto Open. 1961 Sam Snead Festival, Tournament of Champions. 1964 Haig and Haig Scotch Mixed Foursome Inv. 1965 Greensboro Open.

MONEY & POSITION:

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1950-$35,758.- 1
                                        1963-$28,431.- 16
1937-$10.243.- 3
                    1951-$15,072.- 6
                                        1964-$ 8,383.- 74
1938-$19.534 - 1
                    1952-$19,908.- 4
                                        1965-$36,889.- 24
1939-$ 9.712.- 2
1940-$ 9,206.- 3
                    1953-$14,115.-15
                                        1966-$12,109.- 72
1941-$12.848.- 2
                    1954-$ 7,889,-29
                                        1967-$ 7,141.-104
1942-$ 8,078.- 3
                    1955-$23.464.- 7
                                        1968-$43,106.- 39
                    1956-$ 8,253,-36
1943-$
                                        1969-$15 439 - 100
1944-$ 5,755.- 7
                    1957-$28.260 - 4
                                        1970-$25,103.- 85
                    1958-$15 905 - 18
                                        1971-$22 258 - 94
1945-$24,436.- 4
                                        1972-$35 462 - 71
1946-$18.341.- 6
                    1959-$ 8 221 -45
1947-$ 9,703.-12
                    1960-$19.405.-19
                                        1973-$38.685.- 78
                                        1974-$55.562 - 49
1948-$ 6,980.-18
                    1961-$23,906.-17
                                        1975-$ 8,285.-138
1949-$31,593.- 1
                    1962-$ 9,169,-59
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BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-7-Walt Disney Team Championship. T-8-B.C. Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1946 British Open Champion; credited with 134 victories by independent record keepers. 1949 Player-of-the-Year. 1953 Hall of Fame. 1938, 1949, 1950, Leading Money Winner. 1938, 1949, 1950, 1955, Vardon Trophy Winner. 1937, 1939, 1941, 1947, 1949, 1951, 1953, 1955, member of Ryder Cup team. Captain of team in 1959 and 1969. 1956, 1960, 1961, member of winning Canada Cup (now World Cup) team, won individual title in 1961. 1973 won his sixth PGA Senior and World Senior titles.

### Ed Sneed

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 190

BIRTHPLACE: Roanoke, Va. BIRTH DATE: Aug. 6, 1944

RESIDENCE: Pompano Beach, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Nancy Kay; Mary Elisa (8/16/74)

GRADUATED: 1967 Marketing COLLEGE: Ohio State Univ. SPECIAL INTERESTS: Chess, bridge, billiards, backgammon TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1967 JOINED TOUR: 1969 CAREER EARNINGS: \$191,114 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1973 Kaiser International Open. 1974 Milwaukee.

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION:

1969-\$ 4,254.-170 1972-\$16,945.-118 1970-\$ 3,186.-189 1973-\$67,990.- 40

1974-\$66,376.-34

1971-\$10,716.-133

1975-\$46,634.-51

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 3-Western Open. 5-World Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 New South Wales Open champion.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Ed Sneed used two tournaments as the keys to maintaining his status among the exempt players. The handsome former Ohio Stater finished alone in third place in the Western Open to pocket \$14,200 and alone in fifth place in the World Open to earn another \$8,200.

He played well for most of the year, but as so often happens, "nothing really happened." In the World Open, he only was two strokes off the pace after the second and third rounds, starting 68-70-7C. The wind came up the final afternoon, and so did most of the scores. Ed finished with a 75 and three strokes out of the Jack Nicklaus-Billy Casper playoff.

One of the keener students of the game, Ed also is one of the Tour's better conversationalists and comics. His imitations of various players are exceptional. Incidentally, he was the best man at Tom Weiskopf's wedding, and Tom was in the same role when Ed married Nancy Kay Popa.

Ed played in 30 tournaments and earned money in 25. He compiled a stroke average of 72.3 with a 67 being his low round.

### PRIOR YEARS

Ed Sneed endured four years on the Tour with little to keep him going except the encouragement of his close friend, Tom Weiskopf, who kept insisting that there was no reason he couldn't crack the top 60. Late in the 1973 season, Ed popped up a winner.

Sneed won the New South Wales Open in Australia, caught a plane for San Francisco and -gaining a day via the International dateline-made it to Napa, Calif., in time for the Monday qualifying round preceding the Kaiser International. The following Sunday he beat John Schlee in a playoff for the first prize.

The following July, Sneed won the Greater Milwaukee Open. "It's good to know you can win again," he said. "I've seen it happen before. A guy gets it together one week and they you never hear of him again." He led all four rounds at Milwaukee, scoring 66-67-71-72.

The following two weeks, Sneed tied for sixth in the Quad Cities and placed 14th in the B.C. Open. Earlier in 1974 he battled two severe cases of flu and had all his wisdom teeth pulled, and missed seven cuts

Ed started to play golf at about age 13 in his native Roanoke, Va., and attended Ohio State University, where he played No. 1 on the golf team as a senior.

After earning his playing privileges in 1969, Ed divided his time between the Tour and Walker Inman's pro shop at Scioto CC in Columbus, Ohio. In 1971 he decided to make the Tour his full-time job, and the following year he won a Second Tour event, the Maumelle Open in Little Rock, Ark.

### Ken Still

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTHDATE: Feb. 12, 1935 BIRTHPLACE: Tacoma, Wash.

RESIDENCE: Tacoma, Wash.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: All sports and nature

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1953 JOINED TOUR: 1960

CAREER EARNINGS: \$453,140 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1969 Florida Citrus, Milwaukee. 1970 Kaiser.

(TOTAL: 3)

1966-\$22,373.-44 1971-\$43,660,-57 MONEY & POSITION: 1961-\$ 5,711.- 69 1962-\$ 3,478.- 91 1967-\$31,335.-40 1972-\$43,351.-59 1963-\$ 4,382.- 91 1968-\$10,112.-35 1973-\$53,363,-58 1964-\$ 3,773.-108 1969-\$72,514.-25 1974-\$31,961.-82 1975-\$31,413.-72 1965-\$12,195.- 69 1970-\$57,510.-31

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-6-Greater Greensboro Open. 7-Greater Milwaukee Open. T-7-Canadian

Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 Ryder Cup.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Ken Still always refers to the Greater Greensboro Open as one of his all-time favorite tournaments. Well he should. It's been a good track for him at the Sedgefield Country Club and the people there love him—almost as much as he loves the Dodgers.

His best finish of 1975 came in Greensboro, a tie for sixth, and there was a time when it appeared as if he had a chance to catch the fast-running Tom Weiskopf. Ken's first three rounds of 74-68-69 put him in second place behind Tom, but his closing one-over par 72 proved costly. The check for \$7,650 was his best of the year.

Ken later used a 68-67 start to finish alone in seventh place in the Greater Milwaukee Open; and he tied for seventh in the Canadian Open, aided by a second-day 67 and final-round 69.

The most costly part of the year for Ken was a five-week stretch starting with the Houston Open. He missed five straight cuts.

Ken played in 27 tournaments and earned money in 20. His stroke average was 72.2 with two 66s his low rounds.

### PRIOR YEARS

After turning pro in 1953, at age 18, Ken Still waited seven years before joining the Tour, and it was another nine years before he won a tournament.

Ken won twice in 1969, in Orlando and Milwaukee, for his best year on Tour before or since. He won again in 1970 when he defeated Lee Trevino and Bert Yancey in a playoff for the Kaiser International title.

A high spot since then was the 1973 Greater Greensboro Open, when Ken made up five shots in the final round with a seven-under par 64 to lose to winner Chi Chi Rodriguez by a stroke. He was delighted with the effort, saying, "It's the most under par I've ever been in one round of a tournament."

In 1974 he slipped out of the top 60 for the first time in nine years. A neck injury which required traction left him able to enter one tournament from mid-May to mid-July. A tie for ninth at Westchester was his lone top 10 finish but he collected money in 17 of 26 tournaments.

One of the Tour's most avid sports fans, Ken played baseball in high school in Tacoma, Wash., and turned to golf after investigating a caddle job at the Firecrest Golf Club.

### **Dave Stockton**

EXEMPT STATUS: 10 Years; 1970 PGA Champion.

HEIGHT: 5'111/2" WEIGHT: 180

BIRTH DATE: Nov. 2, 1941 BIRTHPLACE: San Bernardino,

Calif.

RESIDENCE: Westlake Village, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Catherine Fay; David Bradley (7/31/68); Ronald

Edwin (9/16/70).

COLLEGE: U. of Southern Cal. GRADUATED: 1964, General

Management.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting and fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1964 JOINED TOUR: 1965

CAREER EARNINGS: \$814,483

TOUR VICTORIES: 1967 Colonial, Haig Scotch Foursome (with Laurie Hammer). 1968 Cleveland, (TOTAL: 10) Milwaukee. 1970 PGA Championship. 1971 Massachusetts. 1973 Milwaukee. 1974 Glen Campbell-Los Angeles, Quad Cities, Sammy Davis-Hartford.

MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$ 1.203-167 1968-\$100.402-14 1972-\$ 66.34

 1964-\$
 1,203.-167
 1968-\$100,402.-14
 1972-\$66,342.-34

 1965-\$
 5,410.-99
 1969-\$70,707.-26
 1973-\$96,207.-16

 1966-\$10,115.-82
 1970-\$108,564.-12
 1974-\$155,105.-6

 1967-\$54,333.-19
 1971-\$85,738.-19
 1975-\$72,885.-28

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 2-Tournament Players Championship. 6-Greater Milwaukee Open. T-9-

Tournament of Champions, Quad Cities Open. T-10-Glen Campbell Los

Angeles Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Ryder Cup team. 1970 World Cup. 1975 Player Director Policy Board.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was an unusual year for Dave Stockton. This is a man used to stepping into the winner's circle, but the closest he could come to it was a solo second finish in the Tournament Players Championship. He finished three strokes behind his close friend, Al Geiberger.

That, alone, doesn't tell the whole story as it unfolded at the Colonial Country Club. Geiberger was a wire-to-wire leader, but twice during the final round, Stockton actually had nudged ahead.

Dave had the lead with nine holes to play as he toured Colonial's front side in a sparkling three-under par 32, while AI was working on a 36. The back nine wasn't quite as kind to Dave, and he settled for a 69 on the day and a check for \$28,500.

The duel had added interest in that Dave and AI are former University of Southern California golf standouts and they were partners in two victorious efforts on the old CBS Television Classic. "AI and I have finished close together in tournaments," Dave said, "but this was the first time it came down to head-to-head battle for the championship."

That was his best effort of the year. Three 68s led him to a solo sixth in the Greater Milwaukee Open and he had ties for ninth in the Tournament of Champions and the Quad Cities Open.

Dave played in 29 tournaments and earned money in 24. He had a 71.6 stroke average with the 64 at Colonial his lowest round.

### PRIOR YEARS

Dave Stockton was playing the Tour for three years, barely getting along, when he discovered the secret of winning. Since then he has proved to be one of the game's finest players, and his huge success in 1974 didn't surprise serious observers.

Dave's career reached three highs in 1974—three victories in a single season, more than \$150,000 in official purses and a near miss in the Masters, when he tied Tom Weiskopf for second place behind Gary Player.

Stockton won at Los Angeles by beating back a challenge from Sam Snead and John Mahaffey with a 72d-hole birdie, after a 235-yard three-wood shot 12 feet from the flagstick. His total of 276 was one stroke off Ben Hogan's record at Riviera.

His second victory came at Quad Cities, where he trailed by six shots until a closing 64 left him in front by one. He posted the year's lowest 36-hole total of 130 at Hartford and finished 69-69 to win by four shots. It prompted a phone call that evening from an earlier pro-am partner, Gerald Ford, who had occupied the White House barely a week.

Stockton captured seven tournaments in his previous 10 years on Tour, and no doubt the most precious was the 1970 PGA Championship, in which he fought off Arnold Palmer and extreme heat to win at Tulsa's Southern Hills.

# Leonard Thompson

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 200

BIRTHDATE: Jan. 1, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: Laurinburg, N.C.

RESIDENCE: No. Myrtle Beach, S.C.

FAMILY: Wife, Lesley Noble; Martha Lea (6/7/67); Stephen

(4/16/74)

COLLEGE: Wake Forest Univ.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, basketball

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1970 JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$296,366

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Jackie Gleason-Inverrary.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

(TOTAL. I)

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-6-Bing Crosby Pro-Am. T-7-Dean Martin Tucson Open. T-9-Andy

Williams San Diego Open. T-10-PGA Championship

### 1975 IN REVIEW

It started out as if it would be another sensational year for Leonard Thompson, three top 10 finishes in his first five starts. Then, he only was able to move into that select group one more time the rest of the year—through 27 tournaments.

To say the least, it was a frustrating year for the big, friendly Carolinian.

After his tie for 29th in the inaugural at Phoenix, he moved into a tie for seventh in the Dean Martin-Tucson Open and followed with a tie for sixth in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur. A bad first day in Hawaii made him miss the cut there, but he came right back with a tie for ninth in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open.

It was one of those years in which he'd find himself in position one day and out of it the next. Examples: He was two off the lead after the first day in the Atlanta Classic, and then posted a 75. He opened with a 69 at Pleasant Valley and followed with a 74. The next week, he had a 68 the first day in the Canadian Open, and then tacked on a 75.

A first-round 66 in the Southern Open left him only one off the pace, but his second-day 72 put him seven back. Just in reverse, he tied for 13th in the Byron Nelson Classic after starting with 74, and then fired 68-65-69.

Leonard played in 33 tournaments and made money in 24, missing the cut seven times and withdrawing twice. He had four top 10 finishes, compiling a stroke average of 71.9. The 65 at the Byron Nelson was his low.

### PRIOR YEARS

Leonard Thompson found success fairly quickly after joining the Tour.

He failed in his first attempt to gain a player's card but, after serving a year as an assistant pro at the Possom Trot course in North Myrtle Beach, S.C., he qualified in the fall of 1971 and almost cracked the top 60 in his rookie year. He was 61st in exemption points.

In 1973 he set a goal of \$75,000 in earnings and easily passed that figure, collecting more than \$42,000 of his \$91,158 in his home state, by placing third in the World Open and tying for third in the Kemper in Charlotte. He had five other top 10 finishes and 34 rounds in the 60s.

Leonard pushed his goal upward to \$100,000 in 1974 and again passed it, thanks mostly to the \$52,000 first prize in the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic, in which he beat Hale Irwin by a stroke.

"I really didn't think about the money. And I wasn't nervous. Tense, yes," Thompson explained after his first Tour victory. "Winning gave me a lot of self-satisfaction, something you can't put into words."

Leonard donated \$10,000 of his purse to the tournament beneficiary, the Boy Scouts of America. In the succeeding four weeks, he placed sixth at Orlando, 12th at Doral, fourth at Jacksonville and fifth in the Heritage Classic and eventually counted seven top 10 finishes for 1974.

1975-\$48,748.-48

### Lee Trevino

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime, 1968 U.S. Open champion.

HEIGHT: 5'7" WEIGHT: 180

BIRTH DATE: Dec. 1, 1939 BIRTHPLACE: Dallas, Tex.

RESIDENCE: Santa Teresa, New Mexico

FAMILY: Wife, Claudia Fenley; Richard (11/21/62); Lesley Ann

(6/30/65); Tony Lee (4/13/69); Troy (9/10/73).

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960 JOINED TOUR: 1967

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,398,651 PLAYOFF RECORD: 5-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 U.S. Open, Hawaiian, 1969 Tucson, 1970 Tucson, National Airlines, 1971
(TOTAL: 18)
Tallahassee, Danny Thomas-Memphis, U.S. Open, Canadian Open, Sabara, 1973

Tallahassee, Danny Thomas-Memphis, U.S. Open, Canadian Open, Sahara. 1972 Danny Thomas-Memphis, Hartford, St. Louis. 1973 Gleason, Doral-Eastern. 1974

New Orleans, PGA Championship. 1975 Florida Citrus Open

MONEY & POSITION: 1966-\$ 600.- 1970-\$157,037.-1 1973-\$210,017.-4 1967-\$ 26,472.-45 1971-\$231,202.-2 1974-\$203,422.-4

1968-\$132,127.- 6 1972-\$214,805.-2 1975-\$134,206.-9

1969-\$112,418.- 7

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Florida Citrus. 3-Tournament of Champions. T-3-Kaiser International.

4-Greater Greensboro Open. T-5-Jackie Gleason Inverrary Golf Classic. T-7-Pleasant Valley Classic, Canadian Open. T-9-Doral-Eastern Open,

Danny Thomas Memphis Open. T-10-Masters.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 and 1972 British Open Champion, 1969, 1971, 1973 and 1975 Ryder

Cup team. 1971 PGA Player-of-Year. 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, and 1974

World Cup team. 1974 World Series of Golf. 1975 Mexican Open.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

Although Lee Trevino did not have the type of year that pleased him, he still was one of the Tour's biggest crowd pleasers.

Lee only won once, in the Florida Citrus Open by one stroke over Hale Irwin. Twice he finished third, by himself in the Tournament of Champions and tied for that position in the Kaiser International Open.

This was the eighth straight year that Lee had won a tournament but his streak of \$200,000-plus years was snapped at four. He won \$134,206, his lowest since 1969.

His best finish among the major championships was a tie for 10th in the Masters.

Late in the second day of the Western Open, he, along with Bobby Nichols and Jerry Heard, suffered the effects of a jolt of lightning, and was hospitalized for nearly two days.

Lee played in 27 tournaments and earned money in 23. He compiled a stroke average of 71.1 with three 65s and five 66s.

### PRIOR YEARS

No one noticed when Lee Trevino played in the 1966 U.S. Open at the Olympic Club in San Francisco, his only attempt on Tour that year. Twelve months later he finished fifth in the Open at Baltusrol, near Newark, N.J., won \$6,000 and was on the Tour to stay.

Another 12 months later found Lee with his first victory, in the 1968 U.S. Open at Oak Hill in Rochester, and one of the game's incredible sagas was unfolding. He won another U.S. Open in 1971 by beating Jack Nicklaus in the playoff at Merion. He won the British Open in 1971 and 1972

Lee represented the U.S. in four straight World Cup events starting in 1968 and in four straight Ryder Cups starting in 1969. He won the Vardon Trophy for low-stroke average three straight years starting in 1970 and more than \$200,000 four straight starting in 1971.

After winning the U.S., Canadian and British Opens in a span of five weeks in 1971, Trevino was named PGA Player-of-the-Year. He accumulated more than \$1 million in official U.S. purses by the end of his sixth full year on Tour, marking the fastest anyone ever won a "first" million in tournaments.

In 1974, Lee won his first PGA Championship and his first World Series of Golf, as well as the Greater New Orleans Open by eight strokes, biggest margin of the year, and with the lowest total, 21-under-par 267.

# Art Wall, Jr.

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 170

BIRTHDATE: Nov. 25, 1923 BIRTHPLACE: Honesdale, Pa.

RESIDENCE: Honesdale, Pa.

FAMILY: Wife, Jean Miller; Gregory (6/10/51); Carolyn (7/2/54); Laurie (8/2/56); Valerie (10/3/58); Douglas (2/6/65).

COLLEGE: Duke U. GRADUATED: 1949. BA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Working around the house and yard

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1949 JOINED TOUR: 1949

CAREER EARNINGS: \$585.837 PLAYOFF RECORD: 5-3

TOUR VICTORIES: 1953 Fort Wayne. 1954 Tournament of Champions. 1956 Fort Wayne. 1957 Pensacola. 1958 Rubber City, Eastern. 1959 Masters, Crosby National, Azalea, Buick. (TOTAL: 14)

1960 Canadian Open. 1964 San Diego. 1966 Insurance City. (Plus 10 victories on

1967-\$52,803.-21

Caribbean Tour). 1975 Greater Milwaukee Open.

1959-\$53,167.- 1 1968-\$36 349 - 45 MONEY & POSITION: 1950-\$ 350.-1969-\$14,431.-101 1951-\$ 589.-78 1960-\$26,380.-11 1952-\$ 3,730.-33 1961-\$19,657.-26 1970-\$24.922 - 86 1971-\$54644 - 45 1962-\$21,761,-27 1953-\$10,839.-20 1954-\$ 3,930.-43 1963-\$24.389.-25 1972-\$38.218.- 66 1973-\$34,159.- 83 1955-\$17,250.-11 1964-\$17,756.-45 1974-\$19.308.-109 1956-\$ 9,316.-32 1965-\$ 9,832.-77 1957-\$20,831.- 7 1966-\$20.929.-50 1975-\$43,589.- 58

1958-\$29,841.- 5 BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Greater Milwaukee Open. T-9-Westchester Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1959 Player-of-the-Year, Leading Money Winner, Vardon Trophy Winner. 1957, 1959, 1961, Member of Ryder Cup team. 1954-1960 Member of PGA

Tournament Committee.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

"It's a great, great feeling, I worked hard to get what I got. Winning is almost like a new experience." The speaker was Art Wall, one of the finest gentlemen ever to play the game. The scene was in the news room at the Tuckaway Country Club, site of the Greater Milwaukee Open. Art had just returned scores of 67, 67, 67 and 70 for a 17-under par 271 and a one-stroke victory over Gary McCord, a freeand-easy Californian nearly half his age.

Art has had a distinguished career, but this was his first victory since the 1966 Insurance City Open in Hartford. "It's not my character to say this is going to change everything," he said softly. "But it certainly is a big boost to me to play under pressure again."

Earlier in the year, Art was wondering if he should remain on the Tour. His once superb game lacked the crispness of years gone by.

Until he arrived in Milwaukee, he had played 35 rounds and was unable to break 70. A tie for 15th in the Masters, though was encouraging. Then he started his birdie-binge with his three straight 67s.

Through the rest of the year, Art played 34 more rounds, and 13 of them were in the 60s. He tied for ninth in the Westchester Classic with a 68-69-69 finish. He had a final round 63 in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open and he closed with a 66 in the Sahara Invitational.

Art played in 23 events in 1975 and made the cut in 13 (including seven of his last nine). He compiled a stroke average of 72.3, with the 63 at Hartford his low.

### PRIOR YEARS

It just seems as if Arthur J. Wall, Jr., has been on the PGA Tour forever—and the Tour most certainly is fortunate for that. What a fine career he has had.

He has collected 14 triumphs, the first one in the 1953 Fort Wayne (Ind.) Open, but his big year was 1959. He won four times—the Masters, the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur, the Azalea Open and the

As you might imagine, he was named the PGA Player of the Year, and his earnings of \$53,167 placed him No. 1 on the list. His biggest year for collecting checks, though, was in 1971 and he pocketed \$54,-



# **Tom Watson**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 160

BIRTH DATE: Sept. 4, 1949 BIRTHPLACE: Kansas City, Mo.

RESIDENCE: Kansas City, Mo.

FAMILY: Wife, Linda.

COLLEGE: Stanford Univ. GRADUATED: 1971, B.A.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, fishing, guitar

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: 1972

CAREER EARNINGS: \$390,106

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Western Open. 1975 Byron Nelson Golf Classic.

MONEY & POSITION: 1972-\$31.081.-79 1973-\$74 973 -35

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Byron Nelson Golf Classic. 2-Atlanta Classic. 3-Dean Martin Tucson

Open. T-6-Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open. 7-Danny Thomas Memphis Classic, T-7-Phoenix Open, Tournament of Champions, T-8-Florida Citrus Open, Masters, Tournament Players Championship. 9-PGA Championship.

1974-\$135,474.-10 1975-\$153,795.-7

T-9-U.S. Open

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1975 World Series of Golf winner. 1975 British Open champion.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

This was the year Tom Watson truly came of age as one of the stars of the PGA Tour. He won the Byron Nelson Classic in Dallas, was second in the Atlanta Classic to Hale Irwin and third in the Dean Martin-Tucson Open. With a splendid display of consistency, he fashioned 12 top 10 finishes in his 25 Tour

He broke through in the "majors" by winning the British Open at Carnoustie, Scotland. He was three off the lead of Bobby Cole and two in back of Australian Jack Newton after three days, but he caught Newton on the final afternoon to force an 18-hole playoff. In the rain, Tom managed a one-under par 71 to Newton's 72 and the coveted trophy was his.

That put him in his first World Series of Golf at Akron Firestone C.C., and he came through again. finishing two ahead of Jacklaus in the 36-hole event. The \$50,000, though, isn't included in his official

Nicklaus said of Tom, "He knows exactly where he's going. Straight ahead. Nothing distracts him. He has great abilities, super confidence and just enough cockiness. He's not a comer. He has arrived."

The victory at the Byron Nelson was the second of his Tour career and he used a brilliant 63 in the second round and a superb final-round 65 to nail it down. Another 65 at Atlanta, in the third round, was the key to his runner-up position. At Tucson, he fired three straight 67s after a 72 start.

Tom played in 26 events and earned money in 23, with 12 top 10 finishes. He compiled a stroke average of 70.9, tleing Gene Littler and Hale Irwin for the fourth best of the year. His 63 was low and he also had two 65s among his 32 rounds in the 60s.

### PRIOR YEARS

Tom Watson was six years old when his father, a one-time scratch player, introduced him to golf. Tom developed into a four-time Missouri Amateur champion and played for three years at Stanford University. Shortly before graduating with a degree in psychology, he decided to try the Tour

He admits to only one good tournament in his rookie year of 1972 but he was satisfied with his beginnings. He closed with 69-66 at Quad Cities to lose by a stroke to Deane Beman. And twice in 1973 he had victory actually in his grasp but let it slip away.

Tom started the 1974 campaign by finishing fourth, ninth and fourth at San Diego, Hawaii and Los Angeles, in that order, and was on his way to well over \$100,000 won.

Memorable was his losing effort in the U.S. Open at Winged Foot. He scored 73-71-69 to lead by a shot, then stumbled to a 79 and tied for fifth. "I blew it," he admitted, but he refused to wallow in remorse.

In the first Western Open to be played at the tough Butler National course in Oak Brook, III., Tom staged the best victory rally of anyone in 1974, making up six shots with a closing 69.

# **Tom Weiskopf**

EXEMPT STATUS: Two years, Ryder Cup

HEIGHT: 6'3" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTHDATE: Nov. 9, 1942 BIRTHPLACE: Massillon, Ohio

RESIDENCE: Columbus, Ohio

FAMILY: Wife, Jeanne Ruth; Heidi (3/20/71); Eric (1/10/73)

COLLEGE: Ohio State Univ.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting and all sports

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1964 JOINED TOUR: 1965

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,224,854 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 Williams-San Diego, Buick. 1971 Kemper, IVB-Philadelphia. 1972 Jackie Gleason. 1973 Colonial, Kemper, IVB-Philadelphia, Canadian Open. 1974 (TOTAL: 11)

Greater Greensboro Open, Canadian Open.

1972-\$129,422.- 6 MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$ 1,008.-1968-\$152,946.- 3 1969-\$ 81,594.-18 1973-\$245.463 - 3 1965-\$11,264.-72

1970-\$ 95,287.-19 1974-\$127.529.-13 1966-\$37,166.-27 1967-\$40,069.-30 1971-\$106,538.-12 1975-\$219.140.- 3

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Greater Greensboro Open, Canadian Open. 2-Sea Pines Heritage Classic, T-2-Masters, 3-PGA Championship, Westchester Classic, World

Open. T-3-Danny Thomas Memphis Classic. T-4-Glen Campbell Los

Angeles Open. T-7-Jackie Gleason Inverrary Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1963 Western Amateur champion. 1972 World Picadilly Match Play champion. 1973 British Open, World Series of Golf and South African PGA cham-

pion. 1973 and 1975 Ryder Cup team. 1972 World Cup team.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was another tremendous year for Tom Weiskopf and it came so close to being one of the great years

As it was, he won twice, in the Greater Greensboro Open when he fired a seven-under par 64 in the first round despite near gale winds; and in the Canadian Open, when he caught his rival and close friend, Jack Nicklaus, on the final hole and then won the sudden-death playoff with a birdie on the first extra

Twice he finished second. Who ever could forget the Masters, when he and Johnny Miller chased Nicklaus to the final flagstick?

He dueled Nicklaus again in the Heritage Classic after his second-round 65. They were tied after three rounds, but Jack went on to win.

Four times, Tom was third, tieing Nicklaus for that spot in the Danny Thomas Memphis Classic, and then by himself in the Westchester Classic, the PGA Championship and the World Open.

Tom was masterful in the Ryder Cup victory over Great Britain, winning in all four of his matches and was acclaimed the outstanding player of the three-day affair.

Tom played in 23 tournaments and made money in 18. He missed four cuts-and three of them came in the first six weeks of the year. He compiled a stroke average of 71.1 with a 63 at Westchester his low round among the 25 he had in the 60s. He tied with John Mahaffey with the streak of 13 rounds at par or

### PRIOR YEARS

Few players in the history of golf have come close to the combined achievements that Tom Weiskopf recorded in 1973, his 10th year on the Tour. In one eight-week span he won five tournaments, including the British and Canadian Opens, and he later won the World Series of Golf and the South African PGA championship. He easily topped \$200,000 in official U.S. earnings to rank third, and during his hottest streak scored in the 60s in exactly half of 40 rounds.

Although victory escaped Tom in 1974, the year had its memorable moments, such as passing the \$1 million mark in career earnings. He played in 21 events and would up in the top 10 in nine of them.

A former Western Amateur champion and two-time Ohio Public Links winner, Weiskopf spent four years on Tour before finding the winning combination. He won twice in 1968, twice more in 1971 and once in 1972.

# **Bob Wynn**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Jan. 27, 1940 BIRTHPLACE: Lancaster, Ky.

RESIDENCE: Santa Clara, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Ann; Jennifer (2/17/73)

COLLEGE: Ohio Univ.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, crossword puzzles, following pro

baseball and basketball.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959 JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$132,076

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1971-\$ 9,740.-140 1973-

1973-\$15,369.-124

1975-\$52,414.-42

1972-\$16,172.-119 1974-\$49,767.- 67

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1—Magnolia Classic (Second Tour). 3—IVB-Philadelphia Classic. 4—1st NBC

New Orleand Open. T-7-Canadian Open. T-9-Sahara Invitational.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1975 Magnolia Classic winner. 1970, 1971, 1972 Ohio Open winner.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

Bob Wynn reached his first goal in 1975—to make the top 60. If he was permitted to play one shot over again, though, it probably would come at the 71st hole of the IVB-Philadelphia Classic at the Whitemarsh Valley Country Club.

He was leading the rain-plaqued tournament late in the final afternoon by two strokes with an 11under par score. He wanted to hit his tee shot left, but it drifted a little too far left, into a bunker.

When he finally pulled his ball out of the cup, he had to put an eight onto his scorecard, a quadruple bogey. The end result was a solo third-place finish. He started 73-70, but during the 36-hole final on Monday (forced by two rain postponements), he fired a superb 65 in the morning, and was working on another until the next to last hole.

Bob won the Magnolia Classic, the second-tour event opposite the Masters, aided by a third-round 64. A third-round 66 led him to a fourth place in the First NBC New Orleans Open. He tied for seventh in the Canadian Open and an opening 64 paved the way for a tie for ninth in the Sahara Invitational.

Bob played in 31 tournaments and made money in 22. He had five top 10 finishes (including Magnolia), and compiled a stroke average of 71.5.

### PRIOR YEARS

One of the game's better trivia questions: "What record does Bob Wynn share with Byron Nelson and Denny Shute?" The answer: Winner of the Ohio Open three straight years, 1970, 1971 and 1972, in Bob's case.

He owns another distinction. It is unlikely anyone on the Tour ever started in the game as he did. "I was 15 years old and they were having the qualifier for the Ohio Jaycees tournament. They needed two more entrants to get one more qualifying spot. They called my Mom, and said all I had to do was go out and tee it up. That's what I did. The first ball I ever hit was in the first tee, and that's all I did that day, hit it once."

He only played three times that year, but he started to realize that golf was his game. As a 16-year-old the next summer, he played a lot of golf and had an 18 handicap. The next year, in 1957, "I'd play 36 holes a day and hit close to 500 balls at the Xenia Golf Club. I got my handicap down to one." He also finished third in the Ohio Jayces—to Jack Nicklaus—that year.

He turned professional at age 19 in 1959 and worked in all phases of the club operation. In the midsixties, he spent two years in the Army, and in 1965 he won the Eighth Army Support Command title in Seoul, Korea, and then lost in an 18-hole playoff to Sergeant Orville Moody for the All-Eighth Army crown, also in Seoul.

Upon his discharge, he returned to southern Ohio and in 1968 and 1969, was the head professional at the Xenia Club. He played in a few Tour events in 1970 and came out to stay in 1971.

# **Bert Yancey**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 190

BIRTHDATE: Aug. 6, 1938 BIRTHPLACE: Chipley, Fla.

RESIDENCE: Haverford, Pa.

FAMILY: Wife, Linda; Charles (2/18/64); Tracy (2/15/67); Scott

(11/19/68); Jeffrey (8/10/70).

COLLEGE: U.S. Military Academy

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Bridge, chess, golf history.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1961 JOINED TOUR: 1964

CAREER EARNINGS: \$688,124 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1966 Azalea, Memphis, Portland. 1967 Dallas. 1969 Atlanta. 1970 Crosby Na-

(TOTAL: 7) tional. 1972 American Golf Classic.

MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$11,854.-58 1968-\$66,979.-20 1972-\$75,926.-29

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-2-Doral-Eastern Open, Tallahassee Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Member Tournament Policy Board. Runner-up Pacific Masters in 1973 and

1974.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

Although illness prevented Bert Yancey from being as effective as he had been in previous years, he still managed two strong second-place finishes.

After missing the first two months of the Tour, he made a bid for victory in his third start, the Doral-Eastern Open in Miami. He tied with Forrest Fezler for second place behind Jack Nicklaus, due to his superb 69-67 finish.

Then, in his hometown of Tallahassee, Fla., he finished 68-69 to tie Spike Kelley for the runner-up spot behind first-time winner Rik Massengale. His next best finish was in the Western Open at the Butler National course in Oak Brook, III., where he tied for 12th.

This past year, Bert also was elected by his colleagues to be one of the four player directors on the Tournament Policy Board.

Bert played in 18 tournaments (leaving again due to illness early in August) and made money in 11. He compiled a stroke average of 72.5 with 67 being his low round.

### PRIOR YEARS

Fascinated by golf history and blessed with the ability to analyze the golf swing, Bert Yancey often can be found conducting clinics after the Wednesday pro-am events.

Bert joined the Tour in 1964 and only two years later won three tournaments in a single season. Four more victories were spaced out over the following six years, but he possibly is best known for his unsuccessful challenges in the Masters and the U.S. Open. He led the 1968 Open by five strokes after 45 holes but was passed by then-little known Lee Trevino and defending champion Jack Nicklaus.

In the last event of 1972, the Walt Disney World, Yancey shot a record-tying 64 with seven straight birdies, longest string on the Tour that year, but his second victory of the year escaped him. He had won earlier that season in the American Golf Classic.

Victory escaped him completely in 1973, largely because of a new bad habit of shooting one high round. There was more of the same in 1974, when bad luck in the final rounds kept him from victory in three tournaments.

In the 1974 Bob Hope Desert Classic, Bert shot a 30-31-61 at Indian Wells, but a closing 70 dropped him behind winner Hubert Green.

He challenged in the U.S. Open with a second-round 69, before finishing with 73-72 to tie for third. The following week, Yancey led the American Golf Classic eith eight holes remaining, but a double-bogey six on the home hole cost him a spot in the four-way playoff.

# **Kermit Zarley**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 175

BIRTHDATE: Sept. 29, 1941 BIRTHPLACE: Seattle, Wash.

RESIDENCE: Friendswood, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Marilyn Clark; Christine (8/25/67); Monica Lyn

(12/11/68); Michael (10/20/70)

COLLEGE: U. of Houston GRADUATED: 1963, BBA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing and Bible study.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1963 JOINED TOUR: 1964

CAREER EARNINGS: \$463,927

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 Kaiser. 1970 Canadian. 1972 National Team (with Babe Hiskey)

(TOTAL: 3)

MONEY & POSITION: 1963-\$ 430.-191 1967-\$37,712.-35 1971-\$49,105.-51

BEST 1975 FINISHES: T-10-World Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1962 NCAA champion.

### 1975 IN REVIEW

It was not a year Kermit Zerley would like to remember. He never managed to get his game in a challenging position, and his best finishes turned out to be a tie for 10th in the World Open, and ties for 12th in the Florida Citrus Open and the Atlanta Classic.

It was the second straight year that he has failed to make the top 60 for exemption, but is using his position on the top 50 all-time career earnings to avoid the qualifiers. He has pocted \$463,927 since he started in 1964.

There were times when Kermit appeared ready to break out of it, such as the Southern Open, when he fired 68-68-69 but faltered with a closing 73 to tie for 15th. The Sahara Invitational proved a disappointment, as he opened with a 68, and posted a 75 and missed the cut. That's the type of year it was.

Kermit played in 29 tournaments and made money in 18, missing the cut 11 times. His low round was a 64 the second day at Pensacola, as he compiled a stroke average of 72.4.

### PRIOR YEARS

Kermit Zarley began his golf career in his native Seattle, Wash., where his father owned a restaurant near a public course. By the time he enrolled at the University of Houston he had won the Washington State and Northwestern Amateur championships. He added the NCAA title in his senior year at Houston.

In his first 12 years on the Tour, the "pro from the moon"—as Bob Hope dubbed him once—has been a steady earner if not spectacular winner, although he captured single titles in 1968, 1970 and 1972, the last the National Team Championship in the company of close friend Babe Hiskey. Kermit and Babe have been active for years in the Tour's Bible study classes.

Also notable in 1972 was Zarley's trailing Jack Nicklaus by only a stroke entering the final round of the U.S. Open, before the Pebble Beach winds blew him to a 79 score and sixth place.

Kermit enjoyed his second-best earnings total in 1973, thanks largely to several low final rounds. He closed with 67 at Quad Cities to tie for second, had a 67-64 finish at Orlando to tie for third and finished with 65 at St. Louis, tying for 11th.

But he was lacking those scorching final rounds in 1974 and slipped out of the top 60 for the first time in five years.

His largest check of 1974 was \$8,000, for seventh place in the Kemper Open. But his highest finishes were sixth place at Dallas and a tie for sixth at Tuckson, the latter the result of rounds of 68-71-68-71. Kermit played in 28 events and missed the cut in six.

# **Larry Ziegler**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Aug. 12, 1939 BIRTHPLACE: St. Louis, Mo.

RESIDENCE: St. Louis Mo.

FAMILY: Wife, Joanna Lively; Susan Michelle (11/1/69); Tony

Edward (1/24/71)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hockey. (Board of Directors-St. Louis

Blues.)

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959 JOINED TOUR: 1966
CAREER EARNINGS: \$363,400 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1969 Michigan Classic. 1975 Greater Jacksonville Open.

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1966-\$1,559.-148 1969-\$58,804.-29

1975-\$54,265.-40

BEST 1975 FINISHES: 1-Greater Jacksonville Open. T-8-Florida Citrus Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1974 Morocco International Grand Prix Winner.

#### 1975 IN REVIEW

The traffic was heavy in the stretch run for the Greater Jacksonville Open crown, one of the closest chases of the year. There were nine players who either led or shared in it at some point during the final 18 holes.

Later, it caused Larry Ziegler to remark, "I thought that somebody would come out of the pack to win it, but I never thought it would be me."

Larry Ziegler it was, coming from three strokes off the pace at the start of the final humid afternoon to win by two, thanks to a brilliant seven-under par 65. He picked the perfect time for his low round of the year. He had other rounds of 73, 69 and 69 for his 12-under par 276.

Once again, Larry cited veteran Doug Ford for his success. "Any success I've had, Doug deserves a tremendous amount of credit for it." He has worked with Larry for the last three years or so.

Larry's only other top 10 finish was a tie for eighth in the Florida Citrus Open and his next best was a tie for 13th in the Masters, aided by a solid final-round 69.

Larry played in 32 tournaments and cashed checks in 18. Four times, illness or injury forced him to withdraw. His stroke average was 72.1.

### PRIOR YEARS

Larry Ziegler's up-and-down career on Tour turned upward in 1973 and continued to climb the following year for successive placings among the top 60 money winners.

One of the longest hitters in golf, Ziegler rallied strongly late in 1973 to finish no lower than 14th in seven tournaments, placing in the top 10 three times.

In 1974, Larry surpassed his best previous earnings year, 1969, by almost \$20,000 by finishing in the money in 30 tournaments and in the top 10 in four of them. He challenged for two titles, the Canadian Open and Westchester Classic.

In Canada, Larry set a course record with a second-round 63 to lead with a 132 total, but slipped to a 73 before closing with 69 and a tie for second place, worth \$18,500.

He tied for the first-round lead at Westchester with a 67 and trailed by one stroke at the halfway mark, but a third-round 72, including two penalty shots, led to a tie for fifth.

Ziegler's first three years on Tour yielded barely \$8,000, but in 1969 he found victory in the Michigan Classic. For the first time in Tour history, a sponsor was unable to pay the purse, but the TPD eventually provided all the cash from its general funds.

One of 13 children in a St. Louis family of modest means, Larry and his six brothers found that long hours of caddying could provide needed money, and Larry fell in love with golf.

After he was graduated from high school, Larry spent six years in the Army Reserve and was associated with St. Louis area clubs until he found a sponsor to finance his venture into Tour competition.

1972-\$36,864.-68

# OTHER EXEMPT PLAYERS

### **Gardner Dickinson**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 150 BIRTH DATE: September 27, 1927

BIRTHPLACE: Dothan, Alabama RESIDENCE: North Palm Beach, Florida

FAMILY: Wife, Della Ehlert; Gardner, IV (8/14/56); Randall Ben (3/31/58); Sherry

(10/9/60)

CAREER EARNINGS: \$533,795

COLLEGE: L.S.U. GRADUATED: 1951 (Clinical Psychology)

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1952 JOINED TOUR: 1952

TOUR VICTORIES: 1956 Miami Beach Open. 1957 Insurance City Open. 1962 Coral Gables Open. (TOTAL: 8) 1965 Haig & Haig Mixed Foursome. 1967 Cleveland Open, Doral Open. 1969

PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-2

Colonial Invitational. 1971 Atlanta.



1967-\$65,518.-12

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: TPD Player Director-1969; Member 1967 & 1971 Ryder Cup Team.

### **Dow Finsterwald**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1958 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 160 BIRTH DATE: September 6, 1929

1959-\$ 8,526.- 43

BIRTHPLACE: Athens, Ohio RESIDENCE: Colorado Springs, Colorado

FAMILY: Wife, Linda; John (5/16/57); Jane (5/16/57); Dow (1/21/59); Russell E.

(7/11/60)

COLLEGE: Ohio University GRADUATED: 1952, BA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1951 JOINED TOUR: 1952
CAREER EARNINGS: \$401,022 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1955 Fort Wayne Open, British Columbia Open. 1956 Carling Open. 1957 (TOTAL: 12) Tuscon Open. 1958 PGA Championship, Utah Open. 1959 Greater Greensboro

Open, Carling Open, Kansas City Open. 1960 Los Angeles Open. Greater New

Orleans Open. 1963 "500" Festival Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1952-\$ 2,286.- 49 1960-\$38.541.- 3 1968-\$17,714.- 89 1953-\$ 900.- 80T 1961-\$16,358.- 33 1969-\$17.665.- 92 180.-146T 1962-\$33,619.- 10 1970-\$10,401.-126 1955-\$15,386.- 14 1963-\$49,862.- 6 1971-\$12,454.-124 1956-\$29,513.- 2 1964-\$26,173.- 21 1972-\$ 9,285.-144 1957-\$32,872.- 3 1965-\$ 5,078.-102 1973-\$ 4,894.-187

1958-\$35,393.- 2 1966-\$13,529.- 65 1974-\$ 1,042.-250 1959-\$33,906.- 3 1967-\$ 3,971.-126 1975-\$ 638.-240

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1959, Player of the Year; 1957, Vardon Trophy Winner; Ryder Cup Team, 1957, 1959, 1961, 1963; Member PGA Tournament Committee, 1957-1959.





1975-\$ 1,976.-197

# **Doug Ford**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Lifetime 1955 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 180 BIRTH DATE: August 6, 1922

BIRTHPLACE: West Haven, Conn. RESIDENCE: Tuckahoe, New York

FAMILY: Wife, Marilyn; Doug, Jr. (3/21/45); Mike (2/16/51); Pam (2/21/55)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Cars

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1949 JOINED TOUR: 1950 CAREER EARNINGS: \$413,883 PLAYOFF RECORD: 5-7

TOUR VICTORIES: 1952 Jacksonville Open. 1953 Virginia Beach Open, Labatt Open, Miami Open. 1954 Greater Greensboro Open, Fort Wayne Open. 1955 All American Cham-(TOTAL: 19)

pionship, PGA Championship, Carling Open. 1957 Los Angeles Open, Masters, Western Open. 1958 Pensacola Open. 1959 Canadian Open. 1960 "500" Festival Open. 1961 "500" Festival Open. 1962 Bing Crosby, Eastern Open. 1963 Cana-

dian Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1959-\$31,009.- 8 1968-\$ 5,518.-141

1951-\$11,005.- 7 1960-\$28,411.- 7 1969-\$11,090.-119 1952-\$14,566.- 8 1961-\$26,677.-12 1970-\$ 8,464.-139 1953-\$26,815.- 2 1962-\$28,041.-17 1971-\$ 6,027.-158 1963-\$25,895.-21 1972-\$ 3,915.-203 1954-\$16,415.- 8 1955-\$33,503,- 3 1964-\$ 8,063.-77 1973-\$ 4,609.-192 1965-\$12,559.-67 1974-\$ 5,203.-172 1956-\$19,389.-10

1957-\$45,378.- 2 1966-\$ 7,685.-91 1958-\$21,874.-10 1967-\$21,246.-55

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Member of Ryder Cup Team in 1955, 1957, 1959, 1961; Player of the Year 1955: Member of PGA Tournament Committee, 1953-1956 and 1966-1968.

### **Bob Lunn**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 215 BIRTH DATE: April 24, 1945

RESIDENCE: Sacramento, Calif. BIRTHPLACE: Sacramento, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Angie Rivera; Lisa (4/14/65); Denise (4/17/70)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, Camping

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1964 JOINED TOUR: 1967

CAREER EARNINGS: \$426,643 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 Memphis, Atlanta, 1969 Hartford, 1970 Citrus, 1971 Los Angeles, 1972

Atlanta. (TOTAL: 6)

MONEY & POSITION: 1967-\$ 1,871.-165

1970-\$101,685.-14 1968-\$102,711.- 11 1971-\$ 83,892.-21

1969-\$ 73,606.- 24 1972-\$ 51,114.-50

1973-\$19 228 - 109 1974-\$ 3,005.-198 1975-\$ ----



1975-\$ 3,136.-177



### **Dave Marr**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1955 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 155 BIRTH DATE: December 27, 1933 BIRTHPLACE: Houston, Texas RESIDENCE: Houston, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Caroline; Elizabeth (9/24/60); David, III (10/28/61); Anthony

(8/15/65)

COLLEGE: Rice Univ. & Univ. of Houston SPECIAL INTERESTS: Reading, Tennis

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1953 JOINED TOUR: 1960 CAREER EARNINGS: \$365,614 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1960 Sam Snead Festival. 1961 Greater Seattle Open. 1962 Azalea Open. 1965

(TOTAL: 4) PGA Championship.

MONEY & POSITION: 1960-\$12,006.-32 1966-\$32,959.-30 1971-\$14,736.-114 1961-\$15,570.-35 1967-\$23,301.-52 1972-\$13,493.-127

1962-\$16,790.-37 1968-\$63,070.-23 1973-\$13,219.-135 1969-\$18,144.-91 1963-\$18,017.-45 1974-\$ 1,945.-218 1964-\$37,142.-11 1970-\$19,523.-98 1975-\$ 627.-242 1965-\$63,375.- 7

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1963-5, Member PGA Tournament Committee (Chairman 1964-5); 1965,

Member of Ryder Cup Team.

# **Orville Moody**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1969 U.S. Open Champion

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 200 BIRTH DATE: December 9, 1933

BIRTHPLACE: Chickasha, Okla. RESIDENCE: Arvada, Colo.

FAMILY: Wife, Beverly Meyers; Michelle (11/24/69); Sabreena (2/7/70); Kelley

Rhea (9/14/73)

COLLEGE: Univ. of Oklahoma.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting and fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1967 JOINED TOUR: 1968 CAREER EARNINGS: \$256,780 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1969 U.S. Open

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1974-\$13,283.-130 1975-\$ 2,813-185



# **Phil Rodgers**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 5'8" WEIGHT: 175 BIRTH DATE: April 3, 1938
BIRTHPLACE: San Diego, Calif. RESIDENCE: La Jolla, Calif.

COLLEGE: Univ. of Houston

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Football, Swimming

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960 JOINED TOUR: 1961

CAREER EARNINGS: \$452,006 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1962 Los Angeles, Tucson. 1963 Texas. 1966 Doral, Buick.

(TOTAL: 5)

MONEY & POSITION: 1961-\$ 8,734.-53 1966-\$68,360.- 6 1971-\$71,399.- 31 1962-\$32,181.-11 1967-\$21,039.-56 1972-\$53,511.- 45 1973-\$24,166.-102 1963-\$22,408.-29 1968-\$19,798.-83 1964-\$18,002.-42 1969-\$32,203.-62 1974-\$19,811.-108 1970-\$38,182.-60 1975-\$ 2,972.-182 1965-\$25,715.-39

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1951, International Jaycee Junior Title; 1958 NCAA Champion.

# **Bob Rosburg**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1959 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 185 BIRTH DATE: October 21, 1926

BIRTHPLACE: San Francisco, Calif. RESIDENCE: Chesterfield, Missouri

FAMILY: Wife, Eleanor Landgraf; Robert C. (8/14/50) Deborah M. (8/7/51);

Bruce A. (1/31/53)

COLLEGE: Stanford U. GRADUATED: 1948, BA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Sports

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1953 JOINED TOUR: 1953

CAREER EARNINGS: \$435,498 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-3

TOUR VICTORIES: 1954 Brawley Open, Miami. 1956 Motor City, San Diego. 1959 PGA Champion-

(TOTAL: 7) ship. 1961 Bing Crosby. 1972 Bob Hope.

MONEY & POSITION: 1953-\$ 150.-162 1961-\$26,848.- 11 1969-\$16,887.- 93

1962-\$18,465.- 34 1970-\$21,144.- 92 1954-\$ 8,662.- 26 1955-\$16,689.- 13 1971-\$56,044.- 42 1963-\$22,355.- 40 1964-\$16,887.- 93 1972-\$78,887.- 27 1956-\$18,251.- 15 1965-\$ 8,075.- 84 1973-\$ 2,688.-231 1957-\$13,647.- 17 1966-\$11,435.- 77 1974-\$13,082.-131 1958-\$25,170.- 9 1959-\$31,676.- 7 1967-\$ 7,708.-101 1975-

1960-\$10,610.- 36 1968-\$16,698.- 92

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1958, Vardon Trophy Winner; 1959, Member of Ryder Cup Team; 1958-59 of PGA Tournament Committee (Chairman 1959-1962); 1972-73, Player

Director, TPD Policy Board.





# **Doug Sanders**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 165 BIRTH DATE: June 24, 1933

BIRTHPLACE: Cedartown, Georgia RESIDENCE: Houston, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Priscilla (Scotty); Brad (12/7/57).

COLLEGE: Univ. of Florida

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1956 JOINED TOUR: 1957 CAREER EARNINGS: \$767,434 PLAYOFF RECORD: 4-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1956 Canadian (as amateur). 1958 Western. 1959 Coral Gables. 1961 New (TOTAL: 20) Orleans, Colonial, Hot Springs, Eastern, Cajun Classic. 1962 Pensacola, St. Paul,

Oklahoma City. 1963 Greensboro. 1965 Pensacola, Doral. 1966 Bob Hope. Greensboro, Jacksonville. 1967 Doral. 1970 Bahama Islands. 1972 Kemper.

MONEY & POSITION: 1957-\$ 2.893.-63 1964-\$ 34,474.-14

1970-\$ 47,891.- 47 1958-\$13,739.-23 1965-\$ 72,182.- 4 1971-\$ 24,891.- 85 1959-\$20,794.-14 1966-\$ 80,096.- 4 1972-\$102,252.- 16 1960-\$26,470.-10 1967-\$109,455.- 6 1973-\$ 36,814.- 81

1961-\$57,428.- 3 1962-\$43,385.- 7 1974-\$ 2,414.-206 1975-\$ 7,431.-144 1968-\$ 38,131.-44 1969-\$ 30,311.-64 1963-\$28,202.-17

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 Ryder Cup Team member; 1966 and 1970, runner-up in British Open.

### Ken Venturi

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1964 U.S. Open Champion

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 175 BIRTH DATE: May 15, 1931

BIRTHPLACE: San Francisco, Calif. RESIDENCE: Palm Springs, Calif.

FAMILY: Wife, Beau; Matthew (3/12/56); Timothy (8/11/59)

COLLEGE: San Jose State GRADUATED: 1953, BA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, Fishing, Automobiles

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1956 JOINED TOUR: 1957

CAREER EARNINGS: \$268,293

TOUR VICTORIES: 1957 St. Paul Open, Miller Open. 1958 Thunderbird Invitational, Phoenix Open, (TOTAL: 14) Baton Rouge Open, Gleneagles-Chicago Open. 1959 Gleneagles- Chicago

Open, Los Angeles Open. 1960 Bing Crosby National, Milwaukee Open. 1964 U.S. Open, Insurance City Open, American Golf Classic. 1966 Lucky Interna-

MONEY & POSITION: 1957-\$18,761.-10 1970-\$ 976.-259

1964-\$62,465.- 6 1965-\$ 295.-226 1966-\$21,226.- 48 1958-\$36,267.- 3 1971-\$ 1959-\$25,886.-10 1972-\$ 568-337 1960-\$41,230.- 2 1967-\$16,765.- 67 1973-\$1,534.-267 1961-\$25,572.-14 1968-\$ 4.822 - 149 1974-\$2,140.-213 1975-\$ 406.-263

1962-\$ 6,951.-66 1969-\$ 4,626.-163 1963-\$ 3,848.-94

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1964, Player-of-the-Year; 1965, Member of Ryder Cup Team; Member of PGA Tournament Committee, 1960-1962.

### Other Prominent Members of the Tour

ABRAMEIT, Roy-Born October 20, 1944, in Seguin, Tex. ... 5'10-1/2" ... 180 ... Lives in Mishicot, Wisc.... Married, wife's name Irene; two children... Turned pro in 1969, first year on Tour 1975...

1975: No money won on major Tour.

ADAMS, Sam-Born May 9, 1946 in Boone, N.C. ... 5'7" ... 150 ... Plays lefthanded ... Lives in Boone, N.C. . . . Married, wife's name Jackie; one child . . . Attended Appalachian State University . . . Turned pro 1969, first year on Tour 1972 . . . Won 1973 Quad Cities Open . . . Best year 1973, \$28,692 for 90th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-5 Magnolia Classic, total two Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$6,-508-151st.

ALBUS, Jim-Born June 18, 1940, in New York, N.Y. ... 6'2" ... 190 ... Lives in New York ... Married, wife's name Brenda; two children . . . Graduated in 1965 from U.C.L.A., B.A. . . . Turned pro in 1967,

first year on Tour 1975 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

ALSUP, Terry-Born February 8, 1947, in Odessa, Tex. ... 6'4" 230 ... Lives in Conroe, Tex. Married, wife's name Gail ... Attended University of Texas at El Paso ... Turned pro in 1969, first year on Tour 1975 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

ALTGELT, Stanton-Born November 5, 1948 in Corpus Christi, Texas . . . 6' . . . 185 . . . Lives in Dallas, Texas ... Attended Southern Methodist University ... Turned pro in 1973 ... Awarded 1971 Outstanding Athlete Award at SMU ... Runner-up 1975 Guadalajara (Mexico) Invitational ... Special Interests, hunting and fishing ... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

BAIRD, Butch-Born July 20, 1936, in Chicago, III. . . . 5'9" . . . 155 . . . Lives in Miami, Florida . . . Married, wife's name Jackie; three children ... Graduate of Lamar Tech, 1959 ... First year on Tour 1959 . Won 1961 Waco Turner Open, 1965 PGA National Four-Ball (with Gay Brewer), five Carribean Tour titles . . . Best year 1973, \$32,835 for 84th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1960 and 1962 . . . 1975: Best finish, T-7 Phoenix Open, total two Top Ten finishes ... Money winnings: \$23,033-92nd ... Career

earnings: \$181,888.

BARBER, Jerry-Born April 25, 1916, in Woodson, III. ... 5'5" ... 137 ... Lives in La Canada, Calif. .. Widowed, five children ... Turned pro 1940, First year on Tour 1948 ... Won 1952 Southern California Open, 1953 Azalea Open, 1954 All American, 1960 Yorba Linda Open, 1960 Tournament of Champions, 1961 Azalea Invitational, 1961 PGA Championship, 1963 Azalea Open ... Player-ofthe-Year in 1961 ... Member of 1955 Ryder Cup team, captain in 1961 ... PGA Tournament Committee chairman, 1954-1955; Best year, 1960, \$21,909 for 17th ... Appeared in Top 60 eight years .... 1975; Best finish, T-46 Bob Hope Desert Classic ... Money winnings: \$426-259th.

BAYER, George - Born September 17, 1925, in Bremerton, Wash. . . . 6'5" . . . 250 . . . Lives in Detroit, Mich....Married, wife's name Mary... Attended University of Washington... Turned pro 1954, First year on Tour 1955 . . . Winner of 1957 Canadian Open, 1958 Havana Invitational, 1958 Mayfair Inn Open, and 1960 St. Petersburg Open ... Best year, 1962, \$30,521 for 14th ... Appeared in Top 60 ten years (1955 through 1964) ... 1975: No money won on major Tour ... Career earnings: \$188,-

BEAN, Andy-Born March 13, 1953 in Lafayette, Ga. . . . 6'4". ... 200 ... Lives in Lakeland, Fla. . graduate University of Florida, majoring in Marketing and Business ... Turned pro in fall of 1975 ... As amateur, won 1974 Eastern Amateur and Falstaff Amateur; 1975 Dixie Amateur, Western Amateur, All-America Intercollegiate ... Semi-finalist 1975 U.S. Amateur ... All-America and Co-Captain of University of Florida golf team ... Special Interests, hunting and fishing ... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

BENSON, Bobby-Born July 15, 1940 in Jamestown, N.Y. ... 5'9" ... 165 ... Lives in Easton, Conn. . Married, wife's name Joan; three children ... Turned professional in 1959 ... First year on Tour 1975 ... Winner of the 1971 Connecticut Open ... 1975: Best finish, T-20 B.C. Open ... Money win-

nings: \$3,082-180th.

BOLT, Tommy-Born March 31, 1918, in Haworth, Okla.... 5'11" .... 185 ... Lives in Cherokee Village, Ark. . . . Married, wife's name Mary Lou; one child . . . Turned pro in 1946, First year on Tour 1950 . Won 1951 North and South Open, 1952 Los Angeles Open, 1953 and 1955 San Diego Open; 1953 and 1955 Tucson Open; 1954 Rubber City Open, 1955 St. Paul Open ... 1957 Eastern Open, 1958 U.S. Open, 1958 Colonial National Invitation, 1960 Memphis Open, 1961 Pensacola Open .... Won 1969 PGA Senior Championship and won the National Seniors Association's Open title for the fifth time in 1972 . . . Career playoff record: 3-3 . . . Best year 1958, \$26,940 for 7th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1951 through 1961, 1963, 1964, 1966, 1967 . . . Career earnings: \$320,791.

BROWN, Pete-Born February 2, 1935, in Port Gibson, Miss. . . . 6'1" . . . 190 . . . Lives in Los Angeles, Calif. . . . Married, wife's name Margaret; six children . . . Turned pro in 1954, First year on Tour 1963 ... Won Negro National Open, 1961 and 1962 ... Winner of 1964 Waco Turner, 1970 Andy Williams San Diego ... Career playoff record, 1-1 ... Best year 1970, \$56,069 for 35th. Appeared in Top 60: 1964, 1970, 1971 ... 1975: Best finish, T-8 Tallahassee ... Money winnings: \$3,542-171st ...

Career earnings: \$197,084.



Sam Adams



Butch Baird



Pete Brown



George Cadle

- BURNS, George—Born July 29, 1949 in Brooklyn, N.Y.... 6'2"..... 210.... Lives in Delray Beach, Fla.... Married, wife's name Irene.... 1972 graduate University of Maryland, majoring in Physical Education... Turned pro in July 1975... As amateur, won 1973 Canadian Amateur, 1974 Porter Cup, North-South Amateur, New York State Amateur... as Professional, won 1975 Scandinavian Open and Kerrygold in Ireland... Member 1975 U.S. Walker Cup and World Amateur Cup team... Special Interests, music and reading... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- BUTLER, Duke—Born October 13, 1948 in Bryan, Tex. . . . 6'0" . . . 185 . . . Lives in College Station, Tex. . . . Graduated from Texas A&M University in 1971 with a B.A. degree . . . Turned professional in 1971 . . . First year on Tour 1975 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.

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- CADLE, George Born May 9, 1948 in Pineville, Ky. . . . 5'11" . . . 230 . . . Lives in San Mateo, Calif. . . . Attended University of Houston and University of Tennessee, 1966-1971 . . . Kentucky Amateur Champion, 1966, 1967 and 1969 . . . Turned pro in 1971 . . . Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School . . . 1975: Best finish, T-5 Del Webb Sahara Invitational, total two Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$18,481—107th.
- CALDWELL, Rex—Born May 5, 1950 in Everett, Wash.... 6'2".... 177 ... Lives in Lompoc, Calif ... Married, wife's name Marjorie ... Attended San Fernando Valley State College ... Turned pro 1972, first year on Tour 1975... 1975: Best finish, T-27 Greater Milwaukee Open ... Money winnings: \$3,-094—178th.
- CANIPE, David E.—Born August 31, 1953 in High Point, N.C.... 5'10" ... 175... Lives in Fayetteville, N.C.... Married, wife's name Janet... Attended University of Georgia... Turned pro in 1974... As amateur, won 1972 Carolinas Amateur, 1973 and 1974 North Carolina Amateur... Named MVP in 1973 at University of Georgia... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- CERDA, Antonio—Born April 24, 1948 in Buenos Aires, Argentina ... 5'8" ... 160 ... Lives in Tlalpan, Mexico ... Attended La Salle University ... Turned pro in 1971 ... Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School ... 1968 Mexican Amateur champion, 1971 Costa Rican National Amateur champion, 1974 Mexican Tournament of Champions winner ... 1975: Best finish, T-7 Kaiser International Open, total two Top Ten finishes ... Money winnings: \$7,594—142nd.
- CERRUDO, Ron-Born February 4, 1945, in Palo Alto, Calif... 5'11"... 180... Lives in Napa, Calif... Married, wife's name Madeline... Graduated from San Jose State, 1966, B.S... Turned pro in 1967... First year on Tour 1968... Member, 1957 U.S. Walker Cup Team... Won 1968 Cajun Classic, 1970 San Antonio Open... Best year, 1970, \$36,525 for 63rd... Appeared in Top 60: 1968-1969... 1975: Best finish, T-21 Milwaukee Open... Money winnings: \$9,363-130th... Career earnings: \$188,513.
- CLAYTON, Ernie—Born September 2, 1941, in Atlantic City, N.J.... 5'11"... 190... Lives in Egg Harbor, N.J.... Married, wife's name Margaret; two children... Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1975... 1975: No money won on major Tour.
- COLE, Bobby—Born May 11, 1948 in South Africa ... 5'10" ... 150 ... Lives in Johannesburg, South Africa ... 1966 British Amateur Champion ... 1974 South African Open ... 1974 World Cup individual and team title ... Turned pro in 1967 ... Joined Tour 1968 ... 1968: \$13,383—90th; 1969: \$20,803—86th; 1970: \$8,379—140th; 1971: \$10,585—134th; 1972: \$19,015—110th; 1973: \$28,874—89th; 1974: \$59,616—43rd ... 1975 Best finish, 2 Western Open, T-2 Walt Disney Team Championship with John Schlee, T-8 Jacksonville Open ... Money winnings: \$42,441—61st ... Career earnings: \$197,184.
- CONNER, Frank—Born January 11, 1946 in Vienna, Austria ... 5'9" ... 175 ... Lives in San Antonio, Texas ... Married, wife's name Joy; two children ... Graduated from Trinity University, 1969, Bus. Adm. ... Turned pro in 1971 ... Also was tennis pro before joining Tour ... Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School ... 1975: Best finish, T-24 Tallahassee Open ... Money winnings: \$4,418—165th.







Bobby Cole



Chuck Courtney



Dick Crawford

COURTNEY, Chuck—Born in Minneapolis, Minn. . . . 5'10" . . . . 160 . . . Lives in La Jolla Calif. . . Attended San Diego State University . . . Turned pro in 1964 . . . Joined Tour 1965 . . . Won 1964 St. Paul Open, 1969 Tallahassee Open and 1967 Puerto Rico Open . . . Playoff Record 0-1 . . . 1964: \$19,668-38th; 1965: \$3,601—112th; 1966: \$13,952—64th; 1967: \$25,085—48th; 1968: \$16,348—93rd; 1969: \$21,446—80th; 1970: \$23,753—87th; 1971: \$27,030—81st; 1972: \$52,268—47th; 1973: \$49,844—61st; 1974: \$51,001—55th . . . 1975 Best finish, T-9 Sahara Invitational . . . Money winnings: \$22,840—93rd . . . Career earnings: \$310,819.

CRAWFORD, Richard—Born June 28, 1939 in El Dorado, Ark. . . . 6' . . . 180 . . . Lives in Little Rock, Ark. . . . Married, wife's name Dianne; two children . . . Graduated from University of Houston in 1962, B.S. (education) . . NCAA Champion 1959 and 1960 . . . Turned pro in 1962, First year on Tour 1965 . . . Best year 1970, \$46,565—51st . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1967, 1969, 1970 . . . 1975: Best finish, 7 Hawaiian Open, total two Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$21,630—101st . . . Career earnings:

CULLINS, Guy—Born July 25, 1949 in Pecos, Tex. . . . 6' . . . 175 . . . Lives in Denton, Tex. . . . 1971 graduate of North Texas State, majoring in Marketing . . . Turned pro in August, 1973 . . . As amateur, won 1973 Southwestern Amateur . . . As professional, won 1975 South Dakota Open and North Texas Assistants Championship . . . Captain North Texas State golf team two years . . . Special Interests swimming, guitar . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

#### D

DENT, Jim—Born May 11, 1942 in Augusta, Ga. . . 6'2" . . . 222 . . Lives in St. Petersburg, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Brenda Owens; one child . . Attended Payne College . . . Turned pro in 1966 . . . Joined Tour 1971 . . . 1971: \$7,101—150th; 1972: \$24,285—93rd; 1973: \$26,393—97th; 1974: \$48,486—59th . . . 1975 Best finish, T-6 Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open . . . Money winnings: \$33,649—69th . . . Career earnings: \$136,775.

DICKSON, Bob—Born January 25, 1944, in McAlester, Okla... 6'3"... 195 ... Lives in Tulsa, Oklahoma ... Married, wife's name Carolyn Lile ... Graduated from Oklahoma State University 1967 with B.S. (Business) ... Turned pro in 1968 and joined Tour ... Member PGA Tour Policy Board ... 1967: Member of Walker Cup Team, Won British Amateur, U.S. Amateur, and was a member of U.S. Americas Cup Team ... Received Bob Jones Award in 1968 ... Won 1968 Haig Open ... Won 1973 Andy Williams San Diego Open ... Best year 1973, \$89,182—28th ... Appeared in Top 60: 1968, 1969, 1973 ... 1975: Best finishes, T-4 Tournament Players Championship, total two Top Ten finishes ... Money winnings: \$24,408—87th ... Career earnings: \$250,640.

DIEHL, Terry—Born November 9, 1949 in Rochester, N.Y....6'...200 ... Lives in Rochester, N.Y....
Married, wife's name Marci; two children ... Attended University of Georgia ... Turned pro in 1972
... Joined Tour in fall of 1973 ... Won 1974 San Antonio Texas Open ... 1974: \$32,805—80th ...

1975 Best finish, 4 B.C. Open ... Money winnings: \$30,691—75th.

DILL, Terrance—Born May 13, 1939 in Fort Worth, Tex. ... 6'3" ... 185 ... Lives in Austin, Tex. ... Married, wife's name Judy; four children ... Graduated from Texas University in 1962 with a degree in Business ... Turned pro in 1962 ... First year on Tour 1962. Left Tour 1971, returned in fall, 1974. ... Winner of Southwest Conference in 1960 ... Best year, 1970, \$41,108 for 56th ... Appeared in the Top 60: 1964, 1966, 1967, 1969, 1970 ... 1975: Best finish, 3 Southern Open, total three Top Ten finishes ... Money winnings: \$26,065—83rd ... Career earnings: \$237,134.

Attended Brigham Young University ... Turned pro in 1974 ... Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School ... Won seven collegiate events as an amateur and was All-Conference and Honorable Mention All-American 1972-1974 ... Low Qualifier in 1975 Spring School with a 430 for six rounds ... 1975: Best finish, T-33 Walt Disney Team Championship with Pete Brown ... Money winnings: no money won on major Tour.

DOWEN, Gary—Born January 4, 1950, in Ellensburg, Wash..... 6'.... 200... Lives in Goleta, Calif.... Married, wife's name Mary Elizabeth.... Graduated from Oregon State University in 1972 with degree in Business Adm.... Turned pro in 1972, first year on Tour 1975... 1975: No money won on major Tour.



Jim Dent



Bob Dickson



Terry Diehl



Terrance Dill

E

EASTWOOD, Bob—Born February 9, 1946 in Providence, R.I. ... 5'10" ... 170 ... Lives in Stockton, Calif. ... Married, wife's name Connie; two children ... Attended San Jose State College ... Turned pro in 1969 ... First year on Tour 1969 ... Won 1973 Mini-Kemper on Second Tour ... 1969 Medalist in Spring PGA Tour Qualifying School ... Army, October 1969-1971 ... Best year, 1974, \$18,534 for 114th ... 1975: Best finish, T-8 Byron Nelson Classic ... Money winnings: \$16,683—110th

EDWARDS, Danny—Born June 14, 1951 in Ketchcan, Alaska ... 5'11" ... 155 ... Lives in Edmond, Oklahoma ... Attended Oklahoma State University ... Two time All-American, 1972 North and South Champion, 1973 Walker Cup Team, Low Amateur 1973 British Open ... Turned pro in 1973 ... Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School ... 1975: Best finish, T-13 Byron Nelson Golf Classic ... Money winnings: \$27,301—80th.

EICHELBERGER, Dave—Born September 3, 1943 in Waco, Texas ... 6'1" ... 180' ... Lives in Waco, Tex. ... Married, wife's name Alyce McBride; two children ... Graduated from Oklahoma State University, 1965, B.B.A. ... Turned pro in 1967, and joined Tour ... Member of 1965 U.S. Walker Cup and Americas Cup teams ... Won 1971 Milwaukee Open ... Best year 1971, \$108,312 for 9th ... Appeared in Top 60: 1971, 1973 ... Career playoff record, 0-1 ... 1975: 2 Quad Cities ... Money winnings: \$12,780—117th ... Career earnings: \$291,733.

ELLIOTT, Dan—Born May 8, 1945 in Alameda, Calif. . . 6' . . . 170 . . . Lives in Portland, Ore . . . Married, wife's name Rhoda; one child . . . Attended Portland State . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School . . . 1973 Oregon State Amateur champion . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.

ERICKSON, Bob—Born January 23, 1933, in Norway, Mich. . . . 6'1-1/2" . . . 193 . . . Lives in San Antonio, Tex. . . . Married, wife's name Mona; one child . . . Graduated from Michigan State University with Phys. Ed. degree . . . Turned pro in 1965, first year on Tour 1969 . . . Best year, 1969: \$11,092 for 118th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-54 Sammy Davis, Jr., Greater Harford Open . . . Money winnings: \$1,-108—218th.

ERSKINE, Randy—Born July 8, 1948, in Springfield, Ohio ... 6'1"... 175 ... Lives in Battle Creek, Mich. ... Married, wife's name Judith; two children ... Graduated from University of Michigan, 1970, B.S. (Education) ... Won 1968 Michigan Medal Play, 1970 Big Ten Championship ... 1972 Michigan Amateur and Western Ontario Amateur ... 1968 and 1970 All-American ... Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School ... Won 1974 Fountain City Open and Yuma Open on Second Tour, Won 1975 Jr. Sammy Davis Open on Second Tour ... 1975: Best finish, T-9 Magnolia Classic ... Money winnings: \$15,297—113th.

Best finish, T-9 Magnolia Classic ... Money winnings: \$6,389—152nd.

EWING, Jack—Born May 21, 1944 in Los Angeles, Calif. ... 6'2" ... 200 ... Lives in Capistrano Beach, Calif. ... Married, wife's name Margaret ... Attended Bakersfield Jr. College ... Turned pro in 1968 ... First year on Tour 1968 ... Best year, 1974, \$23,657—96th ... 1975: Best finish, 3 Byron Nelson Golf Classic ... Money winnings: \$20,726—103rd ... Career earnings: \$120,975.







Danny Edwards



Dave Eichelberger



Lee Elder

### F

FEATHER, Randy—Born October 11, 1948 in Jacksonville, Fla. ... 5'10" ... 160 ... Plays lefthanded ... Lives in Atlantic Beach, Fla. ... 1970 graduate of Austin Peay State University with a B.A. in English ... Turned pro in 1970 ... Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School ... Won Selva Marina Invitational as an amateur ... 1975: Best finish, T-34 Sammy Davis, Jr., Greater Hartford Open ... Money winnings: \$1,288—213th.

FERRIER, James—Born February 24, 1915 in Sydney, Australia ... 6'4" ... 192 ... Lives in Burbank, Calif. ... Married, wife's name Norma ... Turned pro in 1940, first year on Tour 1941 ... Won 1944 Oakland Open, 1944 and 1945 Northern California Opens, 1945 Seminole Invitational, 1947 PGA Championship, 1947 and 1950 St. Paul Opens, Miami Four-ball (with Cary Middlecoff) in 1948 and 1949, 1949 Grand Rapids Open, 1949 Kansas City Open, Inverness Four-ball (with Sam Snead) in 1950 and 1952, 1950 and 1951 Canadian Opens, 1951 St. Petersburg Open, 1951 Miami Beach Open, 1951 Jacksonville Open, 1951 Fort Wayne Open, 1952 Empire State Open, 1961 Almaden Open ... In Australia, won 1948 Lakes Open, Australian Amateur in 1935, 1936, 1938, 1939, Australian Open in 1938 and 1939 and 16 other regional titles ... Best year 1950, \$27,156—2nd ... Appeared in Top 60: 1944 through 1947, 1949 through 1954, 1956, 1960, 1962 ... Career earnings: \$183,797

FINGER, Sherman—Born February 2, 1944 in Evanston, III. . . . 5'9" . . . 170 . . . Lives in Lake Bluff, III. . . . Married, wife's name Martha; one child . . . Graduated from University of Southern California in 1967 with B.A. in Business . . . Turned pro in 1966, first year on Tour 1971 . . . Best year 1972, \$347—393rd . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.

FLECKMAN, Marty—Born April 23, 1944 in Port Arthur, Tex.....5'10".....170....Lives in Houston, Tex....Married, wife's name Sandy... Graduated from University of Houston in 1967, B.B.A.....1965
NCAA Champion... Turned pro in 1967... Graduated from Fall Qualifying School and won 1967
Cajun Classic, his first start as a professional on Tour... Career playoff record, 0-1... Best year 1972, \$28,601—81st....1975: Best finish, T-3 Kaiser International Open... Money winnings: \$13,-

399—116th . . . Career earnings: \$102,518.

FLEISHER, Bruce—Born October 16, 1948, in Union City, Tenn . . . 6'3" . . . 200 . . . Lives in Miami, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Wendy . . . Attended Miami Dade Junior College . . . 1968 U.S. Amateur Champion and NCAA Junior College Champion . . . Member, 1969 U.S. Walker Cup Team and U.S. World Amateur Team . . Turned pro in 1970, first year on Tour 1972 . . . Best year, 1974, \$33,975—77th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-15 Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open . . . Money winnings: \$7,773—

141st.

FURGOL, Ed-Born March 22, 1917 in New York Mills, N.Y. . . . 6'1" . . . 175 . . . Lives in Miami Shores, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Helen . . . Turned pro in 1945, first year on Tour 1945 . . . Won 1954 U.S. Open, Phoenix Open, 1956 Miller High Life and Rubber City Opens, 1957 Caliente Open . . . Best year 1956, \$23,125-7th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1945 through 1948, 1950 through 1957 . . . 1975: Best finish, T-57 Kemper Open . . . Money winnings: \$500-249th.

### G

GALBRAITH, Alexander (Sandy)—Born August 14, 1945 in New Britain, Conn. . . . 6' . . . 180 . . . Lives in Huntington Beach, Calif. . . . Married, wife's name Judy . . . 1971 graduate of Chapman College, majoring in economics . . . Turned pro in 1972 . . . As amateur, won 1971 Northern California Open . . . In 1975 as professional, was third in California State Open and Philippine Open . . . Special Interests, fishing . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

GARRETT, Bill—Born September 6, 1940 in Amarillo, Tex.... 6'5-1/2"... 220... Lives in Glendale, Ariz.... Married, wife's name Judy; two children... Graduated from N. Texas State University in 1962, B.S. (Education)... Turned pro and joined Tour in 1964... Won 1970 Coral Springs Open... Best year 1970, \$34,005—67th... 1975: Best finish, 68 Dean Martin Tucson Open... Money win-

nings: \$320-275th.



Randy Erskine



Marty Fleckman



Bruce Fleisher



David Glenz

- GILDER, Bob—Born December 31, 1950 in Corvallis, Ore.... 5'9-1/2".... 165... Lives in Corvallis, Ore.... Married, wife's name Peggy, one child... 1973 graduate of Arizona State University, majoring in business (real estate)... Turned pro in 1973... As amateur, won 1973 Western Athletic Conference title for ASU... As professional, won 1974 New Zealand Open... Special Interests, all sports... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- GLENZ, David—Born December 15, 1948, in Portland, Ore. . . . 5'9" . . . 170 . . . Lives in Miami, Fla. . . . Graduated from University of Oregon in 1971 (Marketing) . . . Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1972 . . . Best year 1973, \$41,751—75th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-13 Sammy Davis, Jr., Greater Hartford Open . . . Money winnings: \$12,186—118th.
- GOIN, Ted Alan—Born January 9, 1950 in Great Bend, Kan. . . . 5'11" . . . 165 . . . Lives in Stillwater, Okla. . . . Married, wife's name Sally . . . 1973 graduate of Oklahoma State University, majoring in turf management . . . Earned All-America honors at Oklahoma State . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- GREEN, AI—Born August 26, 1939 in Annapolis, Md. . . . 6'1/2" . . . 160 . . . Lives in Crownsville, Md. . . . Married, wife's name Pearl; two children; Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1973 . . . Best year, 1973, \$500—T-359 . . . 1975: Best finish, 43 Walt Disney Team Championship with Lee Elder . . No money won on major Tour.
- Money won on major Four.

  GREENE, Bert—Born February 11, 1944 in Gray, Ga. . . . 6' . . . 170 . . . Lives in Hattiesburg, Miss. . . .

  Married, wife's name Linda; one child . . Attended University of Tennessee . . . Turned pro in 1966 . . . First year on Tour 1967 . . . Former Tennessee State Amateur Champion . . . Won 1973 L&M Open . . . Best year, 1969, \$76,181—23rd . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1969, 1973 . . . 1975: Best finish, T-32 Southern Open . . . Money winnings: \$4,239—166th . . . Career earnings: \$264,516.

### H

- HAAS, Freddie—Born January 3, 1916 in Portland, Ark. . . . 6'1½" . . . 175 . . . Lives in Metari, La. . . . Married, wife's name Paula; three children . . . Graduated from L.S.U. in 1937 with degree in Journalism . . . Turned pro in 1945, first year on Tour 1945 . . . Won 1945 Memphis Invitational as amateur which ended Byron Nelson's string of 11 straight victories; Nelson tied for 4th . . . 1953 Ryder Cup team . . . PGA Tournament Committee 1954 and 1955 . . . 1975 Best finish, T-31 Magnolia Classic . . . . Money winnings: \$227—282nd.
- HAMILTON, Garnard (Gar)—Born August 26, 1949 in Toronto, Canada . . . 5'10" . . . 170 . . . Lives in Toronto, Canada . . . 1972 graduate of Indiana University, majoring in marketing . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . As amateur, won 1966 Ontario Junior title, 1972 Ontario Open . . . As professional, won 1973 Manitoba Open . . . Member 1971 Canadian World Amateur Cup team . . . Named 1972 All-Big Ten . . . Special Interests, music, all sports . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- HARRIS, John—Born June 13, 1952 in Minneapolis, Minn.... 6'... 175... Lives in Edina, Minn.... Married, wife's name Jenifer... 1974 graduate of University of Minnesota, majoring in business administration... Turned pro in 1975... As amateur, won 1974 Big Ten championship and Minnesota Amateur... Named All-America in 1974... Special Interests, hockey... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- HARRIS, Labron, Jr.—Born September 27, 1941 in Stillwater, Okla.... 6'4".... 200.... Lives in Stillwater, Okla.... Married, wife's name Mary.... Graduated from Oklahoma State University in 1966, M.S.... Turned pro in 1964 and Joined Tour... Member PGA Tour Policy Board... Won 1971 Robinson... Career playoff record 1-1... Best year 1972, \$64,909—36th... Appeared in Top 60 1970, 1971, 1972... 1975: Best finish, T-30 Bing Crosby National Pro-Am.... Money winnings: \$4,939—162nd.... Career earnings: \$293,800.
- HAYES, Dale—Born January 7, 1952 in Pretoria, South Africa... 6'3"... 202... Lives in Pretoria, South Africa... Turned pro in 1971... As professional, won 1971 Spanish Open, 1974 South African PGA, 1975 Swiss Open and Young Professional Championship (England)... As amateur, won South African, Scottish, German and Brazillian Amateur championships... Teamed with Bobby Cole to win 1974 World Cup team title... Won 1975 British Order or Merit (Vardon Trophy)... Special Interests, books, music, all sports... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.









Bert Greene

Labron Harris

Mike Hill

Larry Hinson

HECK, Marion—Born August 28, 1939 in Materford, Oh. ... 5'9" ... 185 ... Lives in Ft. Myers Beach, Fla. ... Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1972 ... 1975: Best finish, T-31 IVB-Philadelphia Classic ... Money winnings: \$3,294—175th.

HENRY, Bunky—Born February 8, 1944 in Valdosta, Ga. . . . 5'11" . . . 195 . . . Lives in Valdosta, Ga. . . . Married, wife's name Kay; four children . . . Graduated from Georgia Tech in 1967, B.S. (Industrial Management) . . . Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1968 . . . Winner of 1969 National Airlines Open . . . Best year 1969, \$56,020—34th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1969 . . . 1975: Best finish, T-5 Magnolia Classic . . . Money winnings \$1,568—206th . . . Career earnings: \$130,409.

HILL, Mike—Born January 27, 1939 in Jackson, Mi. ... 5'9-1/2" ... 170 ... Lives in Jackson, Mi. ... Married, wife's name Sandra; three children ... Attended Jackson Junior College and Arizona State University ... Turned pro in 1967 ... Joined Tour 1968 ... Won 1970 Doral-Eastern Open and 1972 San Antonio-Texas Open ... 1968: \$30,892—55th; 1969: \$16,239—97th; 1970: \$56,693-32nd; 1971: \$48,188-53rd; 1972: \$67,067—33rd; 1973: \$44,635—70th; 1974: \$76,802—28th ... 1975 Best finish, 4 Phoenix Open, T-4 Tucson Open ... Missed 12 weeks, injury ... Money winnings: \$41,696—63rd ... Career earnings: \$367,385.

HINKLE, Lon—Born July 17, 1949 in Flint, Mich. . . . 6'2" . . . . 205 . . . Lives in Santee, Calif. . . . Graduated 1972 from San Diego State University, B.A. . . . Won 1970 Coronado City (Calif.) Amateur . . . 1972 PCAA Conference, tied for first . . . Graduate of 1972 Qualifying School . . . Best Year 1973, \$7,539—164th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-8 Byron Nelson Golf Classic . . . Money winnings: \$8,420—1620th

HINSON, Larry—Born August 5, 1944 in Gastonia, N.C. . . . 6'2" . . . 155 . . . Lives in Douglas, Ga. . . . Married, wife's name Marion; three children . . . 1968 Phys. Ed. graduate from East Tennessee State University . . . 1968 College Division NCAA title . . . 1970 Ben Hogan Award winner . . Turned pro 1968 and joined Tour . . won 1969 Gr. New Orleans Open . . . Playoff record 1-1 . . 1968: \$3,968—159th; 1969: \$54,267—36th; 1970: \$120,897—8th; 1971: \$48,604—52nd; 1972: \$48,237—53rd; 1973: \$54,056—57th . . 1975: Best finish, 2 San Antonio, Texas Open (lost playoff to Don January) . . . Total three Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$41,843—62nd . . . Career earnings: \$377,547.

HISKEY, Babe—Born November 21, 1938 in Burley, Idaho . . . 6' . . . 185 . . . Lives in Galena Park, Tex. . . . Married, wife's name Eunice; three children . . . Graduated from University of Houston in 1961, B.S., and joined Tour . . . Won 1965 Cajun Classic, 1970 Sahara Invitational, 1972 National Team (Played with Kermit Zarley) . . . Career playoff record, 1-0 . . . Best year 1972, \$49,489—51st . . . Appeared in Top 60 1972 . . . 1975: Best finish, T-14 New Orleans Open . . . Money winnings: \$5,955—158th . . . Career earnings: \$188,754.

HUMPHRIES, Earl—Born September 29, 1950 in Alexandria, La. . . . 6'4" . . . 190 . . . Lives in Alexandria, La. . . . Married, wife's name Dana . . . 1973 graduate of Louisiana State University, majoring in political science . . . Awarded 1969 Outstanding College Athlete of America while at LSU . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

### J

JACOBS, John—Born March 18, 1945 in Los Angeles, Calif. . . . 6'2" . . . . 210 . . . Lives in La Jolla, Calif. . . . Turned pro in 1967 . . . First year on Tour 1968 . . . Best Year 1972, \$22,971—96th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-5 Magnolia Classic . . . Money winnings: \$6,725—150th.

JACOBS, Tommy—Born February 13, 1935 in Denver, Colo.... 5'10".... 160 ... Lives in San Diego, Calif.... Married, wife's name Sally; two children ... Turned pro in 1956, first year on Tour 1957 ... Winner of four Tour tournaments ... Member of 1965 Ryder Cup Team ... Member of the PGA Tournament Committee, 1964, 1965, 1966, Chairman 1965 and 1966 ... Career playoff record 2-2 ... Best year, 1964, \$37,072—12th ... Appeared in Top 60: 1958 through 1964, 1966 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

JAECKEL, Barry—Born February 14, 1949 in Los Angeles, Calif. . . . 5'10-1/2" . . . 160 . . . Lives in Los Angeles . . . Attended Santa Monica College . . . Turned pro in 1971 . . . Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School . . . 1968 Southern California Amateur champion . . . 1971 runner-up in Pacific Coast Amateur and semi-finalist in Trans-Miss . . . 1972 French Open champion . . . 1975: Best finish, T-10 B.C. Open . . . Money winnings: \$8,883—133rd.



Babe Hiskey



Jim Jamieson



George Johnston



Grier

JAMIESON, Jim—Born April 21, 1943 in Kalamazoo, Mich. . . . 5'10" . . . . 210 . . . Lives in Tarpon Springs, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Donna; two children . . . Attended Oklahoma State University . . . 1972 World Cup team . . . Turned pro in 1968 . . . Joined Tour 1969 . . . Won 1972 Western Open . . . 1969: \$6,747—146th; 1970: \$31,050—74th; 1971: \$40,804—63rd; 1972: \$109,532—15th; 1973: \$67,925—41st; 1974: \$49,518—58th . . . 1975 Best finish, T-16 Pensacola Open . . . Money winnings: \$4,997—161st . . . Career earnings: \$294,295.

JOHNSON, George—Born December 8, 1938 in Columbus, Ga.... 5'10".... 180... Lives in Atlanta, Ga.... Married, wife's name La June... Turned pro in 1964... First year on Tour 1969... Won 1971 Azalea Open and 1973 Pine Tree Open on Second Tour... Best year 1971, \$39,893—65th... 1975: Best finish, T-7 Western Open, total three Top Ten finishes... Money winnings: \$16,236—

111th ... Career earnings: \$157,756.

JOHNSON, Howie — Born September 8, 1925 in St. Paul, Minn. . . . 6'2" . . . 195 . . . Lives in Palm Springs, Calif. . . . Married, wife's name Suzy; four children . . . Attended University of Minnesota . . . Turned pro in 1965 and joined Tour . . . Won 1958 Azalea and 1959 Baton Rouge . . . Career playoff record, 1-1 . . . Best year 1970, \$66,508—26th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1957 through 1960, 1964 through 1965, 1969 through 1970 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour . . . Career earnings: \$280,896.

JOHNSTON, BIII—Born January 2, 1925, in Donora, Pa. . . 5'10" . . 160 . . Lives in Scottsdale, Ariz . . . Married, wife's name JoAnne; four children . . . Graduated from University of Utah in 1950, B.S. (Marketing) . . . Turned pro in 1950, first year on Tour 1951 . . . Best year 1971, \$10,940—133rd . . .

Appeared in Top 60: 1958-1960 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

JOHNSTON, Ralph—Born November 18, 1941 in Brooklyn, N.Y....5'11"... 175... Lives in New Smyrna Beach, Fla.... Married, wife's name Ann Carol; two children... Graduated from Texas A. & M. in 1965, B.S. degree... Turned pro in 1968... First year on Tour 1971... Best year 1971, \$37,947—67th... 1975; Best finish, 4 Tallahassee, T-4 San Antonio, Texas Open, total three Top Ten finishes

... Money winnings: \$20,846 – 102nd ... Career earnings: \$114,722.

JONES, Grier—Born May 6, 1946 in Wichita, Ks.... 5'10" .... 165 ... Lives in Wichita, Ks.... Married, wife's name Jane; five children ... 1968 graduate of Oklahoma State University ... 1968 NCAA Champion, 1968 Tour Qualifying School Medalist, 1969 Rookie of the Year ... Turned pro and joined Tour in 1968 ... Won 1972 Hawaiian Open and 1972 Robinson Fall Golf Classic ... Playoff record 2-0 ... 1968: \$1,313—223rd; 1969: \$37,194—50th; 1970: \$55,913—36th; 1971: \$30,929—72nd; 1972: \$140,177—4th; 1973: \$83,871—31st; 1974: \$54,861—50th ... 1975 Best finish, T-17 Jacksonville, T-18 U.S. Open ... Money winnings: \$15,719—112th ... Career earnings: \$405,026.

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KARL, Richie—Born September 28, 1944 in Johnson City, N.Y... 5'11"... 170 ... Lives in Endicott, N.Y... Married, wife's name Natalie; two children ... Attended Florida State University ... Turned pro in 1970 ... Joined Tour 1971 ... 1965 and 1966 Alaska Amateur Champion ... Won 1974 B.C. Open (playoff) ... Playoff record 1-0 ... Best year: 1974, \$32,372—81st ... 1975 Best finish, T-30 Tournament of Champions ... Money winnings: \$5,497—159th.

KELLEY, Spike—Born October 8, 1947 in Shawnee, Okla.... 5'9"... 175... Lives in Shawnee, Okla.... Attended University of Oklahoma... Turned pro in 1970... Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School... Won 1975 Buick Open on Second Tour... Best year 1974, \$7,746—154th... 1975; Best finish, T-2

Tallahassee total two Top Ten finishes ... Money winnings: \$7,563-143rd.

KNIGHT, Dwaine—Born October 14, 1947 in Panama City, Fla. . . . . 5'10-1/2" . . . 145 . . . Lives in Albuquerque, N.M. . . Married, wife's name Linda . . . Graduated from University of New Mexico in 1970 (Business Admin.) . . Turned pro in 1971, and joined Tour 1972 . . . Best year 1973, \$4,130—199th . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.







Bruce Lietzke



John Lister



Lyn Lott

KOCH, Gary—Born November 21, 1952 in Baton Rouge, La. . . . 5'11" . . . . 165 . . . Lives in Temple Terrace, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Donna . . . 1974 graduate of University of Florida, majoring in public relations . . . Turned pro in 1975 . . . As amateur, major victories were 1969 Florida Open, 1970 U.S. Juniors, 1973 Trans-Mississippi, 1973 Florida Intercollegiates . . three-time collegiate All-America . . . Won eight collegiate titles . . . Member 1973 and 1975 U.S. Walker Cup teams and 1974 World Amateur Cup team . . . Special Interests, reading, music . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

### L

LEACH, Ray—Born June 12, 1950 in San Antonio, Tex....6'... 170... Lives in Novato, Calif.... 1974 graduate of Brigham Young University, majoring in advertising, public relations... Turned pro in 1972... As amateur, was runner-up 1966 USGA Juniors and 1969 NCAA; third in 1970 NCAA... Earned All-America honors... Special Interests, snow skiing and fishing... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

LEE, Stan—Born September 1, 1952 in Heber Springs, Ark.... 6'2"... 195... Lives in Baton Rouge, La... Married, wife's name Leanna... 1975 graduate of Louisiana State University, majoring in finance... As amateur, won 1974 Southwestern Amateur, 1973 and 1974 Cotton States Amateur, six times won Arkansas State Amateur, runner-up 1975 Southern Amateur... Earned All-America honors at LSU... Special Interests, hunting... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

LESLIE, Perry—Born December 31, 1942 in Shreveport, La. . . . 6' . . . 205 . . . Lives in Springfield, Mo. . . . Married, wife's name Linda . . . Graduated from Lincoln University in 1966 with B.S. degree . . . Turned pro in 1969 . . . First year on Tour 1974 . . . Won 1975 Mini-Kemper Open on Second Tour . . . . 1975: Best finish, T-24 Magnolia Classic . . . Money winnings: \$5,440—160th.

LIETZKE, Bruce—Born July 18, 1951 in Kansas City, Ks. . . . 6'2" . . . 190 . . . Lives in Beaumont, Tex. . . Attended University of Houston . . . Turned pro in 1974 . . . Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School . . . 1971 Texas Amateur champion . . . 1973 2nd Team All-American . . . 1975: Best finish, 4 Westchester Classic and T-4 San Antonio-Texas Open, total 5 Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$30,780—74th.

LIND, David—Born June 3, 1949 in Philadelphia, Pa. . . 6'2" . . . 165 . . . Lives in Glen Ellyn, III. . . . 1971

B.A. from Duke University . . . Turned pro in 1974 . . . Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School . . 1971 Chicago Amateur champion . . . 1975: Best finish, T-25 Walt Disney Team Championship with Tony Cerda . . . Money winnings: No money won on major Tour.

LISTER, John—Born March 9, 1947, in Temuka, New Zealand ... 6'1" ... 175 ... Lives in Timaru, New Zealand ... Represented New Zealand in three World Cup tournaments 1969, 1971, 1972 ... Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1971 ... Best year 1973, \$24,601 for 100th ... 1975: Best finish, T-4 Western Open, total three Top Ten finishes ... Money winnings: \$22,447—95th ... Career earnings: \$105,730.

LOTZ, Dick—Born October 15, 1942 in Oakland, Calif. . . . 5'8" . . . 175 . . . Lives in Hayward, Calif. . . . Married, wife's name Sharon; three children . . . Graduated from San Mateo Jr. College in 1963 (Business) . . . Turned pro in 1963, first year on Tour 1964 . . . Former member PGA Tour Policy Board . . . Winner of 1969 Alameda Open, 1970 Monsanto Open, 1970 Kemper Open . . . Best year, 1970, \$15,023 for 6th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1969 and 1970 . . . 1975: Best finish, T-7 Phoenix Open Money winnings; \$7,360—145th . . . Career earnings; \$270,250.

Open ... Money winnings: \$7,360 — 145th ... Career earnings: \$270,250.

LUNDSTROM, David—Born June 7, 1947 in Galesburg, III. ... 6' ... 175 ... Lives in Crosby, Tex. ...

Graduated from Bradley University with degree in PE ... Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1975 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.









Dick Lotz

Fred Marti

Jim Masserio

Bob Menne

### M

MC CULLOUGH, Mike—Born March 21, 1945, in Coshocton, Oh. . . . 5'9" . . . 160 . . . Lives in Coshocton, Oh. . . . Married, wife's name Cheryl; one child . . . Graduated from Bowling Green University, 1968, B.S. . . . Won 1970 Ohio State Amateur, 1970 West Palm Beach Open . . . Graduate of 1972 Qualifying School . . . Won 1974 Mini-Kemper on Second Tour . . . Best year 1974, \$31,961 – 83rd . . . 1975.

Best finish, 3 Magnolia Classic, total two Top Ten finishes ... Money winnings: \$17,706—109th.

McDONALD, Pat—Born April 23, 1950 in Trona, Calif. ... 5'10-1/2" ... 170 ... Lives in Ridgecrest,
Calif. ... Attended United States International University in San Diego ... Turned pro in 1972 ...
Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School ... 1969 N.A.I.A. 2nd Team All-American ... 1975:
No money won on major Tour.

McGINNIS, Tommy—Born November 27, 1947 in Memphis, Tenn. . . . 6' . . . 160 . . . Lives in Memphis, Tenn. . . Attended University of Tennessee . . . Turned pro in 1971 . . . Graduate of 1972 Fall Qualifying School and in 1973, won \$11,209 for 144th place, best finish being tie seventh, B.C. Open . . . Won \$4,700 for 177th place in 1974 . . . Won 1974 O'Hara Open at Fallbrook, California on second Tour . . . Won 1965 National Jaycees . . . Won twice on Canadian Tour in 1971 . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School .

McNICKLE, Artie—Born September 29, 1945 in Atlanta, Ga. . . . 6'2" . . . 180 . . . Lives in Sacramento, Calif. . . . Graduated from University of Calif., Berkeley 1969, with degree in Communication and Public Policy . . . Won 1970 Northern California Best Ball . . . Graduate of 1972 Qualifying School . . . Best year, 1973, \$12,821—136th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-43 Magnolia Classic . . . Money winnings: \$1.645—204th.

MALLON, Bill—Born February 2, 1952 in Paterson, N.J....5'10"... 168... Lives in Vero Beach, Fla.... 1973 graduate of Duke University, majoring in mathematics and physics... As amateur, won 1972 and 1975 New England Amateur, 1973 and 1974 Massachusetts Amateur, 1975 Middle Atlantic Amateur... Turned pro in 1975... Special Interests, physical fitness and kinesiology... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

MANCUSO, Chipper—Born December 17, 1946, in Brooklyn, N.Y.... 6'... 175... Lives in Phoenix, Az... Married, wife's name Karen; one child... Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1972... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

MARTI, Fred—Born November 15, 1940 in Houston, Tex.... 6'2"... 200 ... Lives in Baytown, Tex.... Married, wife's name Sherryl; three children ... Attended University of Houston ... 1963 National Collegiate champion and All-American ... Turned pro in 1964, first year on Tour 1964 ... Best year 1971, \$58,740—39th ... Appeared in Top 60: 1968 through 1969, 1971 through 1972 ... 1975: Best finish, T-14 San Antonio-Texas Open ... Money winnings: \$11,024—122nd ... Career earnings: \$278,914

MARVEL, Mike—Born April 21, 1945, in Indianapolis, Ind. ... 6'1" ... 170 ... Lives in Hollywood, Fla. ... Married, wife's name Pam ... Attended William Jewell College ... Turned pro 1970, first year on Tour 1975 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

MASSENGALE, Don—Born April 23, 1937 in Jacksboro, Tex.... 6'1"... 195... Lives in Conroe, Tex.... Married, wife's name Judy; two children... Turned pro in 1960 and joined Tour... Winner of 1966 Bing Crosby National Pro-Am and 1966 Canadian Open... Career playoff record, 0-1... Appeared in Top 60: 1962, 1966, 1967... Best year 1966, \$38,425—26th... 1975: Best finish, T-48 Greater Greensboro, Open... Money winnings: \$845—231st... Career earnings: \$193,857

Greater Greensboro Open . . . Money winnings: \$845—231st . . . Career earnings: \$193,857.

MASSERIO, James—Born October 13, 1948 in Pittsburgh, Pa. . . . 6' . . . 170 . . . Lives in Pittsburgh, Pa. . . . Married, wife's name Gigi . . . Attended Memphis State and Point Park College . . . 1965 National Junior champion . . . 1969 Pennsylvania State Open champion . . . All-American 1970 . . . Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School . . . 1975: Best finish, T-5 Kemper Open, total two Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$22,188—98th.



Allen Miller



Bobby Mitchell



Mike Morley



Larry Nelson

MELNICK, John—Born November 26, 1951 in Berwick, Pa.... 5'10-1/2"... 170... Lives in St. Simons Island, Ga.... Married, wife's name Jeanne... 1974 graduate of Georgia Southern College, majoring in recreation... Turned pro in Spring of 1974... As amateur, won Pennsylvania State Jaycee (1968) and Scholastic (1969) titles... Attended Georgia Southern on Chris Schenkel Scholarship... Special Interests, travelling... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

MENNE, Bob—Born February 19, 1942 in Gardner, Mass... 6'... 175... Lives in Lawrence, Mass...

Married, wife's name Kathy; one child... Attended University of Miami, Fla... Turned pro 1965...

Joined Tour 1970... Won 1974 Kemper Open (playoff)... Playoff record 1-1... 1970: \$33,038—69th; 1971: \$4,528—175th; 1972: \$12,793—129th; 1973: \$12,451—139th; 1974: \$61,682—40th...

1975 Best finish, T-16 B.C. Open... Money winnings: \$10,423—125th... Career earnings: \$132,-144.

METZ, Craig—Born March 14, 1942 in McAlester, Okla....5'11"....210....Lives in Scottsdale, Ariz.... Graduated from East Texas State University in 1966 with B.S. degree in Bio/Phys Ed....Turned pro in 1966, first year on Tour 1971... Winner of 1964 and 1965 N.A.I.A.... Best year 1972, \$2,141— 244th....1975: No money won on major Tour.

MILLER, Allen—Born August 10, 1948 in San Diego, Calif. . . . 5'10" . . . 175 . . . Lives in Pensacola, Fla. . . . 1970 Business Ad. graduate from University of Georgia . . . 1969 and 1971 Walker Cup team . . . 1970 Canadian Amateur Champion . . . Turned pro and joined Tour in 1971 . . . Won 1974 Tallahassee Open . . . 1971: \$94—470th; 1972: \$20,602—101st; 1973: \$48,972—62nd; 1974: \$35,-220—75th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-9 Hawaiian Open . . . Money winnings: \$31,640—71st . . . Career

earnings: \$133,761.

MITCHELL, Bobby—Born February 23, 1943, in Chatham, Va. . . . 6' . . . 185 . . . Lives in Danville, Va. . . .

Married, wife's name Dorothy; two children . . . 1965 Virginia Open champion . . . Turned pro in 1959, first year on Tour 1966 . . . Won 1971 Cleveland Open, 1972 Tournament of Champions . . . Career playoff record, 1-0 . . . Best year 1972, \$113,719—11th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1969, 1971, 1972 . . . . 1975: Best finish, T-3 Del Webb Sahara Invitational, total three Top Ten finishes . . . Money win-

nings: \$28,862—79th ... Career earnings: \$391,100.

MOLINA, Florentino—Born December 30, 1938 in Rio Cuarto, Cordoba, Argentina ... 6'2" ... 175 ...

Lives in Buenos Aires, Argentina ... Married, wife's name Monica Delago; two children ... Turned pro in 1957 ... Won PGA Argentine in 1970, and Argentine Open 1971 and 1973 ... Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School ... Won 1975 Pine Tree Open on Second Tour ... 1975: Best finish, T-7 Western Open ... Money winnings: \$8,669—134th.

MORAN, Paul—Born June 5, 1938, in Putnam, Conn. . . . 5'8" . . . 159 . . . Lives in Blue Ridge, Ga. . . . Married, wife's name Mary; four children . . Attended Merrimack College . . . Turned pro in 1962, first year on Tour 1969 . . Best year 1972, \$18,865—112th . . . 1975; Best finish: T-39 Atlanta Classic . . . Money winnings: \$1,260—215th.

MORLEY, Michael—Born June 17, 1946, in Morris, Minn. . . . 6'1" . . . 165 . . . Lives in Minot, N.D. . . . Married, wife's name Janis . . . Attended Arizona State University . . . Turned pro in 1969, first year on Tour 1970 . . Won 1973 Shreveport Classic and Foxfire Open on Second Tour . . . 1975: Best finish: 2 Magnolia Classic and T-2 Jacksonville Open, total three Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$41,102—64th . . . Career earnings: \$112,266.

### N

NELSON, Larry—Born September 10, 1947, in Fort Payne, Ala.... 5'9".... 155... Lives in Kennesaw, Ga.... Graduated from Kennesaw Junior College... Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School... 1975: Best finish: T-4 Byron Nelson Golf Classic and Sammy Davis, Jr., Greater Hartford Open, total five Top Ten finishes... Money winnings: \$39,810—66th.

NEVIL, Dwight—Born August 25, 1944 in Altun, Ok. . . . 5'8" . . . 178 . . . Lives in Montgomery, Ala. . . . Married, wife's name Elizabeth; one child . . . Attended North Texas State University . . . Turned pro in 1970 . . . Joined Tour 1971 . . . 1971: \$12,839—121st; 1972: \$35,384—72nd; 1973: \$51,410—59th; 1974: \$49,610—57th; 1975: Best finish, T-3 Pensacola Open . . . Money winnings: \$20,043—104th . . . Career earnings: \$214,930.

NEWQUIST, Dave—Born August 27, 1950 in Battle Creek, Mich. . . . 6'4" . . . . 175 . . . Lives in Scottsdale, Ariz. . . . Married, wife's name Pat; one child . . . Graduated from University of New Mexico with Business Degree in 1972 . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School . . . 1975: Best finish, T-27 Kaiser International Open . . . Money winnings: \$6,244—155th.

NIEPORTE, Tom—Born October 21, 1928 in Cincinnati, Oh. . . . 6'1" . . . 185 . . . Lives in Boca Raton, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Joan; nine children. Turned pro in 1954, first year on Tour 1957 . . . Won 1959 Rubber City Open, 1960 Azalea Open, 1967 Bob Hope Classic . . . Best year, 1959, \$17,911 for 18th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1957 through 1960 . . . 1975: Best finish, T-17 Florida Citrus Open . . . Money winnings: \$4,718—164th.

NIXON, Mike—Born September 16, 1946, in Nashville, Tenn. ... 6'3" ... 180 ... Lives in Nashville ... Graduated with B.B.A. Memphis State University in 1972 ... Turned pro in 1972, first year on Tour

1975 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

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O'NEILL, Dan—Born March 21, 1951 in Sayre, Pa. ... 5'6" ... 150 ... Lives in Jamestown, N.Y. ... Married, wife's name Linda ... Attended Penn State ... Turned pro in 1973 ... Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School ... 1972-1973 2nd Team All-American ... Runner-up in 1973 Canadian Amateur ... 1972 and 1973 Eastern Inter-Collegiate champion ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

### P

PACE, Roy—Born June 27, 1941, in Runge, Tex.... 6'1".... 160... Lives in Longview, Tex.... Married, wife's name Sandy... Graduated from Louisiana Tech. in 1964... Won 1971 Magnolia Classic... Best year 1974, \$39,952—69th... 1975: Best finish, 5 Phoenix Open, total two Top Ten finishes... Money winnings \$17.846—108th... Career earnings: \$130.810.

Money winnings \$17,846—108th ... Career earnings: \$130,810.

PARKER, Roger—Born March 10, 1947 in Dallas, Tex. ... 5'11" ... 195 ... Lives in Beaumont, Tex. ... Married, wife's name Cheryl ... Graduated Oklahoma State University with B.S. degree in 1970 ... Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1973 ... Best year, 1973 \$715—332nd ... 1975: Best finish,

67 Quad Cities Open ... Money winnings: \$124-291st.

PATE, Jerry—Born September 16, 1953 in Macon, Ga.... 6'... 165... Lives in Pensacola, Fla.... Married, wife's name Soozi... Turned pro in July 1975... Attended University of Alabama, majoring in marketing.... As amateur, won 1974 United States Amateur championship, 1974 Florida Amateur... Member 1974 World Amateur Cup Team and 1975 Walker Cup team... Earned All-America honors in 1975... Tied fifth in 1975 Pensacola Open... Tied 18th in 1975 U.S. Open... Special Interests, water skiing, hunting, fishing... Low Qualifier in 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

PAYNE, Bob—Born November 29, 1943 in Bluford, III. ... 6' ... 200 ... Lives in Mt. Vernon, III. ... Married, wife's name Sarah Jo; one child ... Attended Southern Illinois University ... Turned pro in 1963, first year on Tour 1969 ... Best year 1973, \$28,299—92nd ... 1975: Best finish, T-12 Greater

Milwaukee Open ... Money winnings: \$6,874-149th.

PEETE, Calvin—Born July 18, 1943 in Detroit, Mich. . . . 5'10" . . . 165 . . . Lives in South Bay, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Christine; three children . . . Turned pro in 1971 . . . Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School . . . 1974 Capital City Open (Maryland) . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.

- PFEIL, Mark—Born July 18, 1951 in Harvey, III.... 5'11".... 175... Lives in Palos Verdes Estates, Calif.... Married, wife's name Diana... Attended University of Southern California... Turned pro in 1974... As amateur, won 1972 and 1974 Pacific Coast Amateur, semi-finalists 1974 Trans-Mississippi... Member 1973 Walker Cup team... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- PILCHER, Johnny—Born November 2, 1952 in Gainsville, Tex. . . . 5'10" . . . 180 . . . Lives in Fort Worth, Tex. . . . Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.
- POOLEY, Don—Born August 27, 1951 in Phoenix, Ariz. . . . 6'2" . . . 175 . . . Lives in Riverside, Calif. . . . 1973 graduate of University of Arizona, majoring in business . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . Captained Arizona golf team . . . Won 1975 Florida PGA event at Disney World . . . Special Interests, all sports . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- PORTER, Joe—Born June 5, 1945 in Pasadena, Calif. . . . 5'10" . . . 200 . . . Lives in Scottsdale, Ariz. . . . Married, wife's name Beth . . . Graduated from Arizona State University in 1967, B.S. (Business Finance) . . . Turned pro in 1968, first year on Tour 1968 . . . Won 1973 United Airlines Open on Second Tour . . . 1975: Best finish, T-8 First NBC New Orleans Open and Tournament Players Championship, total three Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$19,819—105th.
- POTT, Johnny—Born November 6, 1935 in Cape Girardeau, Mo. . . . 6'1" . . . 185 . . . Lives in Ocean Springs, Miss. . . Married, wife's name Maryrose; four children . . Attended Louisiana State University . . Turned pro in 1956, first year on Tour 1957 . . . Won 1963 American Golf Classic, 1968 Bing Crosby National . . Member of Ryder Cup team in 1963, 1965, 1967 . . . Career playoff record, 2-5 . . . Best year 1965, \$50,896—14th . . . Appeared in Top 60 1958 through 1969 . . . 1975: Best finish, 60 Bing Crosby National Pro-Am . . . Money winnings: \$370—267th . . . Career earnings: \$371,396.



Dwight Nevil



Joe Porter



Victor Regalado



Bill Rogers

PURTZER, Tom—Born December 5, 1951 in Des Moines, Iowa . . . 6' . . . 1/U . . . Lives in Phoenix, Ariz. . . . Married, wife's name Jacqueline . . . Graduated from Arizona State in 1973 with Business degree . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School . . . 1972 Arizona State Amateur champion and Southwest Open champion . . . 1973 Broadmoor Men's Invitational champion . . . 1973 2nd Team All-American. Runner-up 1975 Thailand Open . . . 1975: Best finish, T-28 San Antonio-Texas Open . . . Money winnings: \$2,093—194th.

### R

RACHELS, Sammy—Born September 23, 1950 in DeFuniak Springs, Fla. . . . 5'11" . . . 160 . . . Lives in DeFuniak Springs . . Married, wife's name Pia; one child . . . Attended Chipola Jr. College and Columbus College . . Turned pro in 1972 . . . Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School . . . Twice Junior College All-American and twice N.A.I.A. All-American (national medalist in 1972) . . . 1975: Best finish, T-13 B.C. Open . . . Money winnings: \$8,534—135th.

RAWLEY, Zeno—Born July 4, 1946 in Blue Island, III. . . . 6'1" . . . 180 . . . Lives in Port St. Lucie, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Lynn . . . Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.

REASOR, Mike—Born December 4, 1941 in Seattle, Wash.... 6'... 175... Lives in Seattle, Wash.... Married, wife's name Caron... Graduated from Brigham Young University in 1967, B.S. (Education)... Turned pro in 1968, first year on Tour 1969... Won 1973 Fountain City Open on Second Tour... Best year 1972, \$19,157—109th... 1975: Best finish, T-9 Quad Cities Open... Money winnings: \$11,229—121st.

REGALADO, Victor—Born in Tijuana, Mex....5'10-1/2"....182...Lives in San Diego, Calif....Turned pro in 1971...Joined Tour 1972...Won 1974 Pleasant Valley Classic, 1970 Mexican Amateur, 1972 Mexican PGA, 1972 and 1973 Mexican Masters, 1968 and 1970 World Amateur team for Mexico, 1972 and 1973 World Cup team for Mexico...1973: \$9,512—154th; 1974: \$61,848—39th... 1975: Best finish, T-2 Walt Disney Team Championship with Curtis Sifford, T-4 Sammy Davis, Jr., Greater Hartford Open... Money winnings: \$25,833—85th.

RHYAN, Dick—Born November 28, 1935, in Columbus, Oh. . . . 5'7-1/2" . . . 180 . . . Lives in Columbus, Oh. . . . Married, wife's name Beverly; one child . . . Attended Ohio State University . . . Turned pro in 1957, first year on Tour 1964 . . . Best year 1972, \$20,290—106th . . . 1975; Best finish, T-18 New Orleans Open and Walt Disney Team Championship with Ross Randall . . . Money winnings: \$8,302—137th

RISCH, Bob — Born August 4, 1947 in Los Angeles, Calif. . . . 6'1" . . . 195 . . . Lives in Diamond Bar, Calif. . . . Married, wife's name Becky . . . Attended El Camino College and the University of Southern Calif. . . . All-American at U.S.C. in senior year. United States Public Links champion in 1970. 1970 California State Amateur champion . . . Turned pro in 1970, graduated from 1974 Qualifying School

... 1975: Best finish, T-26 First NBC New Orleans Open ... Money winnings: \$3,386—172nd.

ROBERTSON, Ken—Born December 27, 1946, in Pinehurst, N.C. ... 6' ... 170 ... Lives in Fayetteville, N.C. ... Attended Fayetteville Tech. ... Turned pro in 1966, first year on Tour 1975 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

ROGERS, Bill—Born September 10, 1951 in Waco, Tex.... 6'... 150 ... Lives in Texarkana, Tex.... Married, wife's name Beth... Graduated from University of Houston 1973... Member of U.S. Walker Cup Team 1973... Winner of Southern Amateur 1972... Member First Team College All-American... Turned pro in 1973... Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School ... 1975: Best finish, 4 Southern Open, total two Top Ten finishes... Money winnings: \$29,302—78th.

## S

SABO, Ed-Born March 1, 1949 in Newark, Oh. . . . 6'1" . . . 165 . . . Lives in Decatur, Ga. . . . Married, wife's name Barbara Sue . . . Graduated in 1974 from Georgia State with a B.S. in Urban Life . . . Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.









John Schroeder

Bob Shaw

Tom Shaw

Charles Sifford

SANUDO, Cesar—Born October ?6, 1943 in Navejoa, Mex... (U.S. Citizen)... 5'10"... 175... Lives in San Diego, Calif.... Attchded Grossmont Jr. College and Lamar Tech University... Turned pro in 1966, first year on Tour 1969... Winner of 1970 Azalea... Best year 1972, \$33,017—75th... 1975: Best finish, T-37 Bing Crossy National Pro-Am... Money winnings: \$2,130—193rd... Career Earnings: \$104,393.

SCHROEDER, John—Born November 12, 1945 in Great Barrington, Mass. . . . 5'10-1/2" . . . 165 . . . Lives in La Jolla, Calif. . . Graduated in 1968 B.B.A. from University of Michigan . . . Married, wife's name Kathleen; one child . . . Turned pro in 1969 and joined Tour . . . Won 1973 U.S. Professional Match Play . . . Best year 1973, \$67,257—42nd . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1973 . . . 1975; Best finish, 2 Southern Open, total two Top Ten finishes . . . Money winnings: \$25,520—86th . . . Career earnings: \$204.811.

SHAW, Bob — Born December 24, 1944 in Sydney, Australia ... 6' ... 200 ... Lives in Tallahassee, Fla. ... Married, wife's name Sarah; one child ... Turned pro in 1965, first year on Tour 1969 ... Won 1972 Tallahassee Open ... Won 1968 New Zealand PGA ... Best year 1972, \$25,183—91st ... 1975: Best finish, T-8 San Antonio Texas Open ... Money winnings: \$6,024—156th.

SHAW, Tom—Born December 13, 1942 in Wichita, Ks.... 5'10".... 180... Lives in Inverrary, Fla.... Married, wife's name Joy; two children... Graduated from University of Oregon in 1963, B.S., B.A.... Turned pro in 1963, first year on Tour 1963... Won 1969 Doral Open, 1969 Avco Classic, 1971 Bing Crosby, 1971 Hawaiian Open... Best year 1971, \$96,220—15th... Appeared in Top 60: 1969, 1970, 1971... 1975: Best finish, 4 Bob Hope Desert Classic, total five Top Ten finishes... Money winnings: \$39,948—65th... Career earnings: \$327,478.

SHILLINGTON, Brian—Born January 9, 1947 in Winnepeg, Canada ... 5'11" ... 175 ... Lives in Santa Barbara, Calif. ... Married, wife's name Linda ... Turned pro in 1968, first year on Tour 1975 ... 1975: No money won on major Tour.

SIFFORD, Charles—Born June 3, 1923 in Charlotte, N.C.... 5'7"... 185 ... Lives in Bedford Heights, Oh. ... Married, wife's name Rose; two children ... Turned pro in 1948, first year on Tour 1959 ... Won 1967 Hartford Open, 1969 Los Angeles Open, 1971 Sea Pines (2d Tour) ... Best year 1967, \$47,025—25th ... Appeared in Top 60 1960 through 1969 ... 1975: Best finish, T-48 Atlanta Classic and PGA Championship ... Money winnings: \$1,080—220th ... Career earnings: \$336,044.

SIFFORD, Curtis—Born May 6, 1942 in Charlotte, N.C.... 6'1"... 187... Lives in Los Angeles, Calif.... Married, wife's name Madeline; one child.... Attended Los Angeles City College... Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1969... Won 1974 Children's Memorial Hospital Pro-Am on Second Tour... Best year 1973, \$21,751—106th... 1975: Best finish, T-2 Disney World Team Play with Victor Regalado, 13 Bob Hope Desert Classic... Money winnings: \$7,001—148th.

SIKES, R. H.—Born March 6, 1940 in Paris Ark.... 6'1".... 150... Lives in Springdale, Ark.... Graduated from University of Arkansas... Turned pro and joined Tour in 1964... 1963 NCAA Champion... 1961 and 1962 Public Links Champion... Won 1964 Sahara Invitational, 1966 Cleveland Open... Career playoff record, 0-1... Best year 1966, \$67,348—8th... Appeared in Top 60: 1964 through 1970... 1975: Best finish, T-51 Del Webb Sahara Invitational... Money winnings: \$633—241st... Career Earnings: \$336,329.

SMITH, Dave—Born March 29, 1946 in Long Beach, Calif....5'10"... 155... Lives in Ocean Springs, Miss.... Attended Baylor University... Turned pro in 1969, first year on Tour 1975... 1975; No money won on major Tour.

SMITH, David—Born January 14, 1950 in Hattiesburg, Miss.... 5'9".... 165... Lives in Hattiesburg, Miss.... Married, wife's name Bert... 1972 graduate of University of Southern Mississippi, majoring in business... Turned pro in 1972... Was runner-up in 1974 Metropolitan (New York) Open... Special Interests, football, industrial arts, architecture... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

SPRAY, Steve—Born December 16, 1940 in Des Moines, Iowa . . . 6'1" . . . 172 . . . Lives in Albuquerque, N.M. . . . Married, wife's name Carol; two children . . . Graduated from Eastern New Mexico University in 1965, B.B.A. . . . Turned pro in 1964, first year on Tour 1965 . . . Won 1969 San Francisco Open . . . Best year 1970, \$32,653—70th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1967 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour . . . Career earnings: \$138,930.

- STANTON, Bob—Born January 20, 1946 in Sydney, Australia . . . 6' . . . 165 . . . Lives in Biloxi, Miss. . . . Married, wife's name Sherry . . . Attended Cleveland State (Australia) . . . Turned pro 1965 . . . Joined Tour 1967 . . . 1967: \$11,112—92nd; 1968: \$20,550—80th; 1969: \$32,289—52nd; 1970: \$56,213—34th; 1971: \$4,691—174th; 1972: \$4,766—191st; 1973: \$3,934—202nd; 1974: \$45,215—62nd . . . 1975: Best finish, T-8 Kemper Open . . . Money winnings: \$29,737—76th . . . Career earnings: \$204,-255.
- STARKS, Nate—Born June 20, 1940 in Brownwood, Ga. . . . 5'7-1/2" . . . . 150 . . . Lives in St. Petersburg, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Matilda; one child . . . Won 1965 North-South Open . . . Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School . . . Best year 1974, \$14,277—126th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-16 Magnolia Classic . . . Money winnings: \$9,508—128th.
- STEVENS, Johnny—Born August 17, 1942 in Wichita, Kan. . . 6'4" . . 195 . . Lives in Wichita . . . Married, wife's name Marjorie; three children . . . Graduated in 1964 from Wichita State with B.A. . . . Turned pro in 1967 . . Graduated from Fall 1967 Qualifying School . . . Best year, 1969, \$7,589—140th . . . 175: No money won on major Tour.
- STROBLE, Bobby—Born December 4, 1944 in Doughety, Ga. . . . 6' . . . 205 . . . Lives in Albany, Ga. . . . Turned pro in 1970 . . . Won several events, such as the 1974 Ted Rhodes Open in Nashville . . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

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- TABAR, Greg—Born May 9, 1949 in Cincinnati, Oh. . . . 5'11" . . . 195 . . . Lives in Cincinnati . . . Married, wife's name Patricia; one child . . . Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.
- TALLACH, Ed—Born January 9, 1946 in Oak Park, III. . . . 6' . . . 200 . . . Lives in Arkadelphia, Ark. . . . Married, wife's name, Ellen; three children . . . Graduated in 1967 from North Central College with B.A. . . . Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.
  TAPIE, Alan—Born March 24, 1949 in Lynwood, Calif. . . . 6' . . . 160 . . . Lives in Newport Beach, Calif. . . .
- TAPIE, Alan—Born March 24, 1949 in Lynwood, Calif.... 6'... 160... Lives in Newport Beach, Calif.... Married, wife's name Genia... Attended University of Southern California... Turned pro in 1972... Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School... 1975: Best finish, 4 Magnolia Classic, total three Top Ten finishes... Money winnings: \$22,547—94th.
- TAYLOR, Steven—Born August 22, 1949 in Biloxi, Miss.... 5'11"... 155... Lives in Fair Oaks, Calif....
  Married, wife's name Vicky Lynn; two children... Turned pro in 1967, first year on Tour 1975...
  1975: No money won on major Tour.
- TEWELL, Doug.—Born August 27, 1949 in Baton Rouge, La.... 5'10".... 170... Lives in Edmond, Okla.... Married, wife's name Pamela Jean; two children... Graduated from Oklahoma State University in 1971 with B.S. degree... Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1975... 1975: Best finish, T-25 Walt Disney Team Championship with Mark Hayes... Money winnings: \$1,811—201st.
- THOMPSON, Rocky—Born October 14, 1943 in Shreveport, Louisiana ... 6' ... 175 . . . Lives in Wichita Falls, Tex. . . . Married . . . Graduated from University of Houston in 1962 with B.B.A. . . . Turned pro in 1964, first year on Tour 1964 . . . Best year, 1968, \$26,176—67th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-15 IVB-Philadelphia Golf Classic . . . Money winnings: \$3,076—181st . . . Career earnings: \$118,193.
- THORPE, Jim—Born February 1, 1949 in Roxboro, N.C. . . . 6' . . . 190 . . . Lives in Baltimore, Md. . . . Married, wife's name Marlene, two children . . . Attended Winston-Salem State . . . Turned pro in 1972 . . . Won several events such as the Cleveland Holiday Open and the Black Expo Open . . . Special Interests basketball, football and hunting . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.
- TOEPEL, John—Born May 16, 1944 in Madison, Wisc. . . . 6' . . . 168 . . . Lives in Gladwynn, Pa. . . . Married, wife's name Linda . . . Graduated from Purdue University in 1967 with B.S. . . . Turned pro in 1969, first year on Tour 1972 . . . Won Wisconsin State Open in 1969 . . . Best year, 1974, \$6,546—161st . . . 1975: Best finish, T-6 Tallahassee Open . . . Money winnings: \$4,902—163rd.
- TWITTY, Howard—Born January 15, 1949 in Phoenix, Arizona ... 6'5" ... 200 ... Lives in Phoenix ... Married, wife's name Linda ... 1972 B.B.A. from Arizona State ... Turned pro in 1973 ... Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School ... 1970 Sunnehanna Amateur and Porter Cup champion ... 1972 runner-up in the NCAA ... 1970 and 1972 1st Team All-American ... 1971—3rd Team All-American ... Won 1975 Thailand Open ... Runner-up in 1975 Spring Qualifying School ... 1975: Best finish, T-5 Quad Cities Open, total two Top Ten finishes ... Money winnings: \$8,211—139th.

### U

UNGER, Bob —Born July 14, 1943 in Milwaukee, Wisc. . . . 5'10" . . . 180 . . . Lives in Canoga Park, Calif. . . . Plays out of Indianapolis, Ind. . . . Married, wife's name Genny . . . 1972 Finance degree from University of California Northside . . . 1968 Wisconsin State Amateur champion . . . Runner-up in 1968 National Public Links . . . Won 1966 Scandinavian International Amateur . . Turned pro in 1969 . . . Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School . . . Best year 1974, \$15,633—122nd . . . 1975: Best finish, T-20 Phoenix Open . . . Money winnings: \$3,356—174th.



Curtis Sifford



Bob Stanton



Bobby Wadkins



Lanny Wadkins

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VERIATO, Steve—Born May 6, 1946 in Hilo, Hawaii ... 5'9" ... 135 ... Lives in Bryan, Tex. ... Married, wife's name Jean Newberry ... 1972 graduate of Texas A&M, majoring in business management ... Turned pro in 1973 ... As amateur, won 1971 Southwest Conference title, 1967 Jacksonville Naval Invitational, 1963 Hilo, Hawaii, Amateur ... Honorable Mention All-America 1971 and 1972 ... Special Interests, golf equipment repairing, hunting and fishing ... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School.

### W

- WADKINS, Bobby—Born July 26, 1951 in Richmond, Va. . . . 6'1" . . . 190 . . . Lives in Richmond, Va. . . . Married, wife's name Teryl . . . Attended East Tenn. State . . . Winner of Virginia State Amateur, Richmond Junior & Men's Champion; All-American 1972-1973 . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School . . . 1975: Best finish, T-7 Disney World Team Play with Lanny Wadkins, T-8 Tournament Players Championship . . . Money winnings: \$23,330—90th.
- WADKINS, Lanny—Born December 5, 1949 in Richmond, Va. . . . 5'8-1/2" . . . 160 . . . Lives in Advance, N.C. . . Married, wife's name Rachel; one child . . Attended Wake Forest University . . . 1970 U.S. Amateur Champion, 1970 World Amateur Team, 1969 and 1971 Walker Cup team, 1970 Western Amateur Champion . . . Turned pro and joined Tour in 1971 . . . Won 1972 Sahara Invitational, 1973 Byron Nelson Golf Classic and 1973 USI Classic . . . Playoff record 1-1 . . . 1971: \$15,921—111th; 1972: \$116,616—10th; 1973: \$200,455—5th; 1974: \$51,124—54th . . . 1975: Best finish, 3 NBC New Orleans Open . . . Money winnings: \$23,582—88th . . . Career earnings: \$395,610.
- WALKINGSTICK, Guy—Born April 27, 1949 in Seattle, Wash. . . 6'1" . . . 160 . . . Lives in Fort Worth, Tex. . . . Married, wife's name Jean; one child . . . Graduated in 1971 from University of Tulsa, degree in Marketing . . . Turned pro in 1972, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1975: No money won on major Tour.
- WEAVER, DeWitt—Born September 14, 1939 in Danville, Ky. . . . 5'11" . . . 185 . . . Lives in Sea Island, Ga. . . Married, wife's name Sheri; four children . . . Attended Southern Methodist University . . . Turned pro in 1963, first year on Tour 1964 . . . Won 1971 U.S. Professional Match Play, 1972 Southern Open . . . Best year 1971, \$76,256—24th . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1971-1973 . . . Career playoff record, 1-0 . . 1975: Best finish, T-9 Magnolia Classic . . . Money winnings: \$4,059—167th . . . Career earnings: \$244,975.
- WHITE, Carlton—Born February 26, 1949, in Beckley, W.Va. ... 6'1" ... 185 ... Lives in Neshanic, N.J. ... Married, wife's name Barbara ... Graduated from Ohio University in 1971 with B.S. Education ... Turned pro in 1972, first year on Tour 1975: Best finish, 66 U.S. Open ... Money winnings: \$800—T-233.
- WIECHERS, Jim—Born August 7, 1944 in Oakland, Calif. . . . 6'2" . . . 205 . . . Lives in Napa, Calif. . . . Married, wife's name Susan Pollard; one child . . . 1966 BSC degree from Santa Clara University . . . 1966 Western Amateur Champion . . . Turned pro in 1966 . . . Joined Tour 1967 . . . Playoff record 0-1 . . . 1967: \$3,727—131st; 1968: \$20,170—81st; 1969: \$40,100—44th; 1970: \$17,802—105th; 1971: \$40,110—64th; 1972: \$54,749—42nd; 1973: \$78, 986—32nd; 1974: \$52,383—53rd . . . 1975: Best finish, T-5 B.C. Open . . . Money winnings: \$22,138—99th . . . Career earnings: \$309,558.
- WILLIAMS, Evan—Born February 28, 1948 in Englewood, N.J.... 6'6".... 205... Lives in Leonia, N.J.... Graduated from Franklin College in 1971 with degree in Economics... Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1975... 1975: No money won on major Tour.
- WINTZ, Gary—Born October 13, 1948 in Daytona Beach, Fla. . . . 5'9" . . . 160 . . . Lives in Daytona . . . Married, wife's name Sharon . . . Graduated from University of South Florida, degree in Associates in Art . . . Turned pro in 1969, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1973 and 1974 leading money winner of Florida Winter PGA Club Tour . . . 1975: Best finish, T-10 Southern Open . . . Money winnings: \$6,-363—153rd.







Jim Wiechers



Bob Zender



Billy Ziobro

WYNN, Mike — Born October 22, 1944 in Little Washington, N.C. . . . 5'7" . . . 125 . . . Lives in Crittendon, Va. . . . Married, wife's name Mary; one child . . . Attended University of Houston . . . Turned pro in 1968, first year on Tour 1972 . . . Best year 1973, \$20,584—107th . . . 1975: Best finish, T-12 Houston Open . . . Money winnings: \$12,122—119th.

### Z

ZIOBRO, Billy—Born September 11, 1948 in Elizabeth, N.J. ... 5'10" ... 140 ... Lives in Cresskill, N.J. ... Graduated from University of Maryland in 1971, B.S. ... Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1972 ... Won 1973 Carlton Oaks Open, 1974 Mini Nelson and 1975 Little Crosby Pro-Am on Second Tour ... Best year 1973, \$24,006—103rd ... 1975: Best finish, T-32 Greater Greensboro Open and Houston Open ... Money winnings: \$3,368—173rd.

ZOELLER, Fuzzy—Born November 11, 1951 in New Albany, Ind. . . . 5'11" . . . 180 . . . Lives in New Albany, Ind. . . . Attended Edison Jr. C. C., 1971-1972 . . . Won Indiana State Amateur in 1973 . . . Winner of Florida Jr. College Championship . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . Graduate of 1974 Qualifying School . . . Was low qualifier with four-under par 572 and was one stroke ahead of second-place player . . . 1975: Best finish, T-14 Hawaiian Open and San Antonio-Texas Open . . . Money winnings: \$7,318—146th.

# 1975 MAJOR TOURNAMENT RESULTS

# PHOENIX OPEN

Phoenix C. C., Phoenix, Ariz. Par 36-35-71, 6,726 yards Purse: \$150,000 January 9-12, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Johnny Miller, John Mahaffey and Leonard Thompson had four-under par 67s to lead five others by one stroke. Second round—Miller opened a six-stroke lead as he equalled his own course record with a ten-under par 61 for a 36-hole total of 14-under par 128. Mike Hill, with a 63, was in second place at 134. Third round—Miller increased his lead to seven strokes at 17-under par 196, with Hill at 203.

CUT: 72 players at three-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** It was windy, clear and cool all week with temperatures rarely above the low 60s. It was considerably cloudy on Thursday.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-Forrest Fezler, 65, \$750. Team-Jim Dent, 52, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 55,000.

# JOHNNY MILLER . . . . . . 1 67-61-68-64-260 \$30,000.00

Jerry Heard.         2           Tommy Aaron.         3           Mike Hill.         4           Roy Pace.         5           J. C. Snead.         6           Tom Watson.         17           Butch Baird.         17           John Mahaffey.         17           Dick Lotz.         17           Gene Littler.         17           Ed Sneed.         12           Gary Groh.         T13           Bob Stanton.         T13	74-68-67-65—274 68-72-69-67—276 71-63-69-72—278 68-69-69-72—279 73-71-68-68—280 67-71-72-70—280 69-68-72-71—280 71-69-68-73-281 72-68-73-69—282 70-72-71-69—282	17,100.00 10,650.00 7,050.00 6,150.00 5,400.00 4,095.00 4,095.00 4,095.00 4,095.00 4,095.00 4,095.00 2,400.00 2,400.00	Lee Trevino. T34 John Schroeder T34 Dwight Nevil. T34 Chuck Courtney T34 Dale Douglass. T42 Orville Moody T42 Jack Ewing. T42 Larry Nelson. T42 Bobby Nichols. T42 Mike Mitchell. T42 Cesar Sanudo. T42 Bruce Cramptom. T42 Ben Kern. T42	73-70-72-71 — 286 69-72-71-74 — 286 69-72-71-74 — 286 70-73-74-69 — 286 71-71-72-73 — 287 71-72-71-73 — 287 72-73-67-75 — 287 72-72-69-74 — 287 72-72-75-72 — 287 72-70-74-71 — 287 71-74-71-71 — 287 70-70-76-71 — 287	725.62 725.62 725.62 725.62 459.70 459.70 459.70 459.70 459.70 459.70 459.70 459.70
David Graham T13	73-69-70-70 - 282	2,400.00	Jerry McGee T53	71-69-73-76—289	341.25
Hale Irwin T13	75-70-65-72-282	2,400.00	Bob Zender T53	70-70-73-76—289	341.25
Jim Ahem T13	69-69-72-72-282	2,400.00	Garry Hopkins T53	70-74-71-74—289	
Bob GoalbyT20	71-72-71-69-283	1,590.00	Dave Stockton T53	71-68-76-74—289	341.25
Bob Unger T20	71-69-74-69-283	1,590.00	Tom Kite	73-72-72-73—290 72-73-75-70—290	319.00
Mark Hayes T20	72-72-68-71-283		Bob Wynn T57	72-67-75-77 — 290	292.40
Mac McLendon T20	70-69-73-71-283		Tom Purtzer T59	71-71-73-76—291	292.40
Raiph Johnston T24	73-70-71-70-284		Don January T59	74-71-70-76-291	292.40
Rod Funseth T24	72-69-72-71-284		Wilf Homenuik T59 Billy Ziobro T59	74-69-73-75-291	292.40
Bobby Mitchell T24	74-67-70-73 — 284		Billy Ziobro	75-70-71-75—291	292.40
Forrest Fezler T24	73-70-74-67 — 284 72-70-68-74 — 284		Jim Marshall T64	75-70-72-75-292	266.50
Gibby Gilbert T24	67-71-75-72—285		Joe Porter	75-70-72-75—292	266.50
Len Thompson T29	72-69-73-71 — 285		Steve Cain T66	72-72-77-293	251.00
Tom Jenkins T29	72-70-71-72-285		Rik Massengale T66	71-74-74-74-293	251.00
Danny Edwards T29 Garv McCord T29	73-72-70-70—285		Miller Barber 68	71-71-77-75-294	240.00
Mike Reasor T29	68-74-68-75-285		Roger Maltbie T69	70-73-71-81-295	229.00
Chris Blocker T34	70-70-73-73-286		Frank Beard T69	74-71-74-76-295	229.00
Ron Cerrudo T34	74-70-69-73 - 286		Terry Diehl 71	71-74-77-75-297	
Rex Caldwell T34	72-70-73-71-286		Joe Inman72	71-74-78-78-301	
Dave Hill T34	70-69-75-72-286				

# **DEAN MARTIN TUCSON OPEN**

Tucson National G.C., Tucson, AZ Par 36-36-72, 7,305 yards Purse: \$200,000 January 16-19, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Johnny Miller birdied five of the final seven holes to secure the lead with a six-under par 66. As it turned out, he never relinquished that top spot the remainder of the week. Second round—Miller shot a 69 to lead John Mahaffey, who opened with a 67, by one at the halfway point. Third round—Miller increased his lead to three with a 67, as Mahaffey remained in second and Tom Watson, with a 67, moved into third. Miller and Mahaffey both birdied the first three holes on Sunday, but Johnny failed to falter, going eight under for the round through 12 holes. Miller finished with a 61 and a nine shot victory.

CUT: 72 players at two-over par 146.

WEATHER: Sunny and clear every day (70s).

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual—Ben Crenshaw, 66, \$750. Team—Miller Barber, 55, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 139,159

### JOHNNY MILLER . . . . . . 1 66-69-67-61-263 \$40,000.00

John Mahaffey 2	67-69-69-67-272	22,800.00	Lee Elder T36	68-73-72-74-287	942.00
Tom Watson3	72-67-67-67-273	14,200.00	Ron Cerrudo T36	73-67-77-70—287	942.00
Mike Hill	68-72-67-69-276	8,800.00	Tom Jenkins T36	70-76-71-70-287	942.00
Don Iverson, T4	67-74-66-69-276	8,800.00	Don January T41	73-71-71-73-288	700.00
Al Geiberger 6	71-69-69-69-278	7,200.00	Gary McCord T41	73-70-72-73-288	700.00
Bruce Crampton T7	71-72-70-66-279	5,900.00	Wally Armstrong T41	70-71-72-75 - 288	700.00
Tommy AaronT7	71-66-70-72-279	5,900.00	Bob Zender T41	72-70-72-74-288	700.00
Leonard Thompson T7	68-70-69-72-279	5,900.00	Bob Goalby T41	71-70-75-72-288	700.00
Arnold Palmer 10	72-71-67-70-280	5,000.00	Roger Maltbie T41	72-74-70-72-288	700.00
Chuck Courtney T11	72-70-71-68-281	4,050.00	Larry Hinson T41	71-73-72-72-288	700.00
Rik Massengale T11	69-70-73-69-281	4,050.00	Jim SimonsT48	73-73-68-75-289	512.50
Dave Stockton T11	71-68-71-71-281	4,050.00	Mark Hayes T48	70-67-76-76-289	512.50
Gene Littler T11	70-70-67-74-281	4,050.00	Mike Mitchell T48	69-75-74-71-289	512.50
Rod Funseth T15	69-73-74-66-282	3,300.00	Andy North T48	71-75-74-69-289	512.50
Joe Inman T15	71-66-75-70-282	3,300.00	Mike Wynn T52	71-73-72-74-290	450.00
Homero Blancas T17	74-70-71-68-283	2,800.00	Jerry Heard T52	75-68-72-75-290	450.00
Bob E. Smith T17	73-72-68-70-283	2,800.00	Miller Barber T52	68-74-75-73-290	450.00
Steve Melnyk T17	70-68-72-73-283	2,800.00	Tom Purtzer T52	73-73-71-73-290	450.00
Jerry McGee T20	71-75-69-69-284	2,048.00	Dave Newquist T52	74-71-73-72-290	450.00
Chris Blocker T20	69-74-71-70-284	2,048.00	Jim Dent	70-75-73-72-290	450.00
Bob Eastwood T20	71-73-69-71-284	2,048.00	Victor Regalado T52	72-73-75-70-290	450.00
Lee Trevino T20	68-75-70-71-284	2,048.00	Peter Oosterhuis T59	70-75-72-74-291	405.00
J. C. Snead T20	71-74-67-72-284	2,048.00	Bobby Mitchell T59	76-70-73-72-291	405.00
Ralph Johnston T25	67-74-73-71-285	1,510.00	Artie McNickle T61	70-76-72-74-292	380.00
Dave Eichelberger T25	74-72-68-71-285	1,510.00	Ed Sneed T61	73-72-73-74-292	380.00
Billy Casper T25	71-73-69-72-285	1,510.00	Gary Sanders T61	73-70-72-77-292	380.00
Don Bies T25	73-69-71-72-285	1,510.00	John Schroeder T64	69-76-73-75-293	345.00
Dave Hill T25	69-73-71-72-285	1,510.00	Jim Wittenberg T64	72-73-75-73-293	345.00
Bobby Wadkins T25	73-70-70-72-285	1,510.00	Gay Brewer T64	72-73-75-73-293	345.00
Tom Shaw T31	72-70-73-71-286	1,186.00	Labron Harris T64	69-76-75-73-293	345.00
Bob Stanton T31	69-73-74-70-286	1,186.00	Bill Garrett 68	73-70-79-72-294	320.00
Lou Graham T31	68-73-72-73-286	1,186.00	Larry Nelson 69	72-74-76-73-295	310.00
Randy Erskine T31	73-70-74-69 — 286	1,186.00	Ben Kern 70	74-69-81-74-298	300.00
Butch Baird T31	73-73-71-69 - 286	1,186.00	Ross Randall	72-73-75-79-299	
Jim Hardy T36	70-74-71-72-287	942.00	Bryan Abbott	70-73-85-75-303	
Jim Wiechers T36	73-72-71-71-287	942.00			

# BING CROSBY NATIONAL PRO-AM

Pebble Beach C. C., 6,815 yards Cypress Point Club, 6,317 yards Spyglass Hill G. C., 6,810 yards Pebble Beach, Calif. All par 72s

**LEADERS:** First round—Hubert Green and Larry Ziegler shared the lead with 66s to lead three others by one stroke, including Gene Littler. **Second round**—Gene Littler and Tom Watson assumed the lead at 139. **Third round**—Littler opened up a four-stroke lead after 54 holes with a 68. His 207 led Tom Watson's 211 by 4 strokes.

Purse: \$185,000

January 23-26, 1975

CUT: After 54 holes: 72 players at 223 (Note: only the low 60 and ties played the final round. 61st to 70th shared equally in money and were exempt for Hawaiian Open.)

**WEATHER:** Unlike past Crosby events, weather was clear and sunny all week, temp. in high 60s. Sunday, cooler with wind.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$30,000. Team only - Bruce Devlin, 260, \$3,000.

ATTENDANCE: 80,000.

# GENE LITTLER . . . . . 1 68-71-68-73-280 \$37,000,00

Hubert Green 2	66-75-74-69-284	21,090.00	Dick Lotz T30	72-76-69-78-295	1,099.43
Tom Kite3	70-76-69-70-285	13,135.00	Labron Harris T30	75-71-74-75-295	1,099.43
Lou Graham 4	72-70-70-75-287	8,695.00	Allen Miller	72-70-75-78-295	1,099.43
Forrest Fezler 5	71-73-72-72-288	7,585.00	Billy Casper T30	74-75-73-73-295	1,099.43
Jack Nicklaus T6	71-74-72-72-289	5.318.67	Joe Inman T30	76-71-75-73-295	1,099.42
Dave Hill	76-72-69-72-289	5,318.67	Cesar Sanudo T37	69-71-78-78-296	887.50
Rik Massengale T6	72-71-74-72-289	5.318.67	Don Iverson T37	74-74-74-74-296	887.50
Len Thompson T6	74-71-71-73-289	5.318.67	Mike Hill T39	73-70-75-79-297	758.00
Johnny Miller T6	71-74-70-74-289	5,318.66	George ArcherT39	71-73-76-77-297	758.00
Bruce Devlin	73-71-69-76-289	5.318.66	Jim Simons T39	71-75-75-76-297	758.00
Ray Floyd T12	75-69-74-72-290	3,700.00	Jim Weichers T39	73-69-80-75-297	758.00
Rod Curl T12	71-72-70-77 — 290	3,700.00	Bob Wynn T39	75-77-70-75-297	758.00
Tom Weiskopf T14	75-70-71-75-291	3.237.50	Larry Nelson T44	74-71-74-79-298	628.50
Bob Stanton T14	73-69-73-76-291	3.237.50	Bobby Nichols T44	74-72-75-77-298	628.50
	71-74-73-74-292		Don Bies	74-72-73-80-299	555.50
Gary GrohT16 Hale IrwinT16	77-67-75-73-292		Tim Collins T46	79-75-68-77-299	555.50
Jerry McGeeT16	69-75-72-76-292		Steve Melnyk T48	73-74-71-82-300	474.25
Gibby Gilbert T16	72-73-71-76-292		Bob E. Smith T48	71-74-74-81-300	474.25
	74-69-70-79 - 292		Ross Randall T48	68-75-77-80-300	474.25
Roy Pace T16	69-70-72-81 - 292		Curtis Sifford T48	73-75-73-79-300	474.25
Tom Watson T16 Mac McLendon T22	73-77-71-72-293		Al Geiberger T52	75-72-75-79-301	439.50
Rod Funseth T22	73-73-70-77 - 293		Terry Diehl T52	73-76-73-79-301	439.50
Jack Ewing T24	77-71-71-75-294		Tom EvansT54	74-69-76-84-303	421.00
Mike Morley T24	73-77-70-74-294		David Glenz T54	73-73-74-83-303	421.00
George Knudson . T24	73-72-72-77 - 294		Bobby Heins 56	73-76-73-82-304	407.00
	70-74-76-74-294		Jim Hardy T57	73-75-74-83-305	393.50
Kermit Zarley T24	71-72-71-80-294		Phil Rodgers T57	71-76-75-83-305	393.50
Roger Maltbie T24	75-72-70-77—294		Orville Moody59	74-72-74-87 - 307	379.00
Dale Douglass T24	66-74-78-77 — 295		Johnny Pott 60	73-74-75-86-308	370.00
Larry Ziegler T30	68-74-76-77 — 295		John Schroeder 61	71-76-75-87-309	361.00
Andy North T30	00-14-10-11-23	1,035.40	001111001110000111111111111111111111111	The same was the same	

# **HAWAIIAN OPEN**

Waialae C. C., Honolulu, Hawaii Par 36-36-72, 7, 154 yards

Purse: \$220,000 January 30-February 2, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Al Geiberger led with a six-under par 66. Six tied at 67. Second round—Geiberger shot a 69 (9 birdies and no bogies in 36 holes). Arnold Palmer moved into a tie for second with three others one stroke behind. Third round—Forrest Fezler's 68 pushed him into the lead after 54 holes. Palmer stayed one behind at 11-under 205 and Lou Graham's tournament low 65 tied him with Palmer.

CUT: 79 players (one amateur) at two-over par 146.

**WEATHER:** Clear and warm Wednesday; rain on and off all of Thursday; very windy Friday; 1.5 inches of rain overnight Friday-Saturday caused cancellation of Saturday's round. Though eventually sunny, course was under water; Sunday started sunny, showers and severe sea squalls, play suspended 1:15 p.m., resumed at 1:52 p.m. (37 min. delay); Monday, sunny, warm and clear.

**PRO-AMATEUR:** \$7,500. Individual-Littler and Casper, 65, S675 each. Team-DeWitt Weaver, 55, S750.

ATTENDANCE: 45,000

# GARY GROH..... 1 68-68-70-68-274 \$44,000.00

Al Geiberger 2 Arnold Palmer 3 Bruce Crampton	69-67-69-71-276	25,080.00 15,620.00 9,680.00	Gil Morgan T37 Ron Cerrudo T37 Bob E. Smith T37	72-72-69-72—285 75-70-70-70—285 67-74-69-75—285	990.00 990.00 990.00
Lou GrahamT4	69-71-65-72-277	9.680.00	J. C. Snead T42	72-71-72-71-286	792.00
Forrest Fezler6	69-67-68-74-278	7.920.00	Dave Newquist T42	73-70-72-71-286	792.00
Bill Rogers	69-71-71-68-279	6,765.00	George ArcherT42	68-74-75-69-286	792.00
Dick Crawford T7	72-70-66-71-279	6,765.00	Bob MitchellT42	73-71-73-69-286	792.00
Tom Kite	69-74-69-68-280	5,060.00	Gary Sanders T46	72-72-70-73-287	586.15
Dale Douglass T9	69-74-69-78-280	5,060.00	Don Iverson T46	70-71-71-75-287	586.15
Eddie Pearce T9	67-69-72-72-280	5,060.00	Alan Tapie T46	69-71-72-75-287	586.14
John Mahaffey T9	69-72-68-71-280	5,060.00	Tohru Nakamura T46	70-74-71-72-287	586.14
Allen Miller	67-72-69-72-280	5,060.00	Tom Evans T46	69-68-74-76-287	586.14
Ben Crenshaw T14	72-73-68-68-281	3,300.00	Don Bies T46	72-71-75-69-287	586.14
Hale IrwinT14	73-72-68-68-281	3,300.00	Bob Wynn T46	70-74-74-69-287	586.14
Tom WeiskopfT14	69-70-73-69-281	3,300.00	Masashi Ozaki T53	68-75-73-72-288	500.50
Jack Nicklaus T14	68-74-70-69-281	3,300.00	Wally Armstrong T53	75-71-70-72-288	500.50
Fuzzy Zoeller T14	70-72-69-70-281	3,300.00	Ed Sneed T53	71-72-74-71-288	500.50
Mac McLendon T14	70-70-68-73-281	3,300.00	Jim Wiechers T53	75-68-74-71-288	500.50
Tom Watson T14	69-72-68-72-281	3,300.00	Rod Funseth 57	72-73-73-71-289	473.00
Charles Coody T21	67-74-72-69-282	2,090.00	Rod CurlT58	70-73-70-77 - 290	434.50
Victor Regalado T21	71-72-70-69-282	2,090.00	Randy Erskine T58	72-71-72-73-290	434.50
Tom Shaw T21	72-71-70-69—282	2,090.00	Ray Carras co T58	72-73-70-75 - 290	434.50
Larry Hinson T21	73-69-70-70—282	2,090.00	George Knudson T58	72-72-74-72-290	434.50
Brian AllinT21	67-71-70-74-282	2,090.00	Richie Karl T58	71-71-76-72-290	434.50
	69-74-71-69-283	1,529.00	John Jacobs T58	71-73-76-70-290	434.50
	72-70-72-69-283	1,529.00	Fred Marti T64	71-74-70-76-291	374.00
	73-70-70-70-283	1,529.00	Dan EdwardsT64	70-71-75-75-291	374.00
	71-71-71-70-283	1,529.00	Jim Dent	75-71-71-74-291	374.00
	71-70-73-69-283	1,529.00	Jim Simons T64	73-73-71-74-291	374.00
	72-70-68-73-283	1,529.00	Mike Mitchell T64	74-72-73-72-291	374.00
	74-68-69-72-283	1,529.00	Bob Murphy T69	67-77-75-73-292	335.50
	70-71-70-72-283	1,529.00	Bob Heins T69	73-73-73-73-292	335.50
Bruce Devlin T34		1,188.00	David Glenz T71	73-73-75-72-293	
Lyn Lott	69-75-68-72-284	1,188.00	Roger Maltbie T71	76-70-74-73-293	
	70-73-69-72-284	1,188.00	Jack Ewing T73	71-71-75-77-294	
Peter Oosterhuis T37	69-77-67-72—285	990.00	Alan Yamamoto T73	73-72-74-75-294	(am)
Grier Jones T37	69-73-71-72—285	990.00	Pete Brown 75	71-72-76-76-295	

# **BOB HOPE DESERT CLASSIC**

Bermuda Dunes C.C., 6,778 yards La Quinta C.C., 6,911 yards Palm Desert, Calif. All par 72s Indian Wells C.C., 6,542 yards Tamarisk C.C., 6,969 yards Purse: \$160,000 February 5-9, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Johnny Miller continued his superb play with an opening round 64, to lead Tom Jenkins by 2. Second round—Miller gained a three-stroke lead over Tom Shaw and Mac McLendon with a 69-133. Third round—Don Bies fired a 66 for a 54-hole 204, which gave him a stroke edge over Miller and Tom Shaw. Fourth round—Miller 66 for a 72-hole total of 271 opened up a three-stroke lead over Jerry Heard.

CUT: 72 players at two-over par 290 (72 holes).

WEATHER: Warm and sunny all week with some cloudiness.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$21,000. Individual-J.C. Snead, 54 for four days, \$1,000.

ATTENDANCE: 98,800

### JOHNNY MILLER . . . . . . 1 64-69-72-66-68-339 \$32,000.00

Bob Murphy 2	74-67-67-68-66-342	18,240.00	George Cadle T36	71-73-69-70-73-356	721.14
Jerry Heard 3	68-70-68-68-69-343	11,360.00	Peter Oosterhuis. T36	72-72-72-68-72-356	721.14
	70-66-69-71-69-345	7,520.00	David Glenz T36	71-75-69-68-73-356	721.14
Pat Fitzsimons T5	73-73-67-67-66-346	6,160.00	Jim Colbert T36	74-73-73-66-70-356	721.14
	70-67-69-69-71-346	6,160.00	Kermit Zarley T36	75-74-67-71-69-356	721.14
	68-68-71-74-66-347	4,920.00	Gary Groh T43	72-69-71-72-73-357	576.00
	75-68-66-68-70-347	4,920.00	Roger Maltbie T43	70-73-69-72-73-357	576.00
	71-67-66-72-72-348	4,160.00	Terrance Dill 45		528.00
	68-69-69-70-72-348	4,160.00	Mike McCullough. T46	72-75-69-69-75-360	426.29
	68-69-73-74-65-349	3,520.00	Jerry Barber T46	69-70-75-71-75-360	426.29
	70-68-71-70-70-349	3,520.00	Bob Eastwood T46	76-69-70-70-75-360	426.29
	72-70-71-68-69-350	3,040.00	Allen Miller T46	71-74-71-71-73-360	426.29
Tom Jenkins T14	66-71-71-75-68-351	2,720.00	Art Wall	71-72-74-71-72-360	426.28
	73-71-70-72-65-351	2,720.00	Buddy Allin T46	68-72-70-77-73-360	426.28
Dave Stockton T14	73-69-69-71-69-351	2,720.00	Grier Jones T46	70-73-76-69-72-360	426.28
Bobby Wadkins, T17	73-69-67-73-70-352	2,240.00	Bob Unger T53	75-69-67-74-76-361	356.00
	72-68-69-72-71-352	2,240.00	Randy Erskine T53	70-69-77-71-74-361	356.00
Mike Reasor T17	69-72-67-71-73-352	2,240.00	Labron Harris T53	78-77-67-66-73-361	356.00
Arnold Palmer. T20	68-72-71-72-70-353	1,638.40	Ron Cerrudo T53		356.00
	74-71-72-66-70-353	1,638.40	Bob Goalby T53		356.00
	69-68-75-69-72-353	1,638.40	Larry Wise T53	71-78-71-70-71—361	356.00
	72-67-73-68-73-353	1,638.40	Tom Evans T59		304.00
	69-69-73-69-73-353		Bob Wynn T59	73-72-72-70-75—362	304.00
	76-72-65-71-70-354	1,184.00	Ray Carrasco T59		304.00
	72-71-70-71-70-354	1,184.00	Dennie Meyer T59		304.00
	70-73-72-69-70-354		Fuzzy Zoeller T59		304.00
Ray Floyd T25	74-70-68-71-71-354	1,184.00	Danny Edwards T59		304.00
Jerry McGee T25	70-71-69-73-71-354	1,184.00		73-73-72-71-73-362	304.00
	68-71-69-73-73-354		Jim Langley T66	74-71-69-73-76-363	256.00
	69-70-74-72-69-354		Bobby Nichols T66	69-72-69-77-76-363	256.00
	73-70-71-71-70-355		Lyn Lott T66	73-72-70-73-75 - 363	256.00
	69-72-69-72-73-355			78-70-68-73-74-363	256.00
	75-69-70-69-72-355		George Johnson T66	71-71-76-71-74-363	256.00
	73-69-69-70-74-355		John Lister 71	72-71-71-75-75-364	
Larry Ziegler T36	76-70-69-69-72-356	721.15	Gil Morgan 72	73-70-72-74-77 — 366	
	71-70-71-72-72-356				

# **ANDY WILLIAMS SAN DIEGO OPEN**

Torrey Pines C. C., North course San Diego, Calif. Par 36-36-72, 6,667 yards

Purse: \$170,000 February 13-16, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Peter Oosterhuis, on the North course, eagled his final hole for a 66 and one-stroke lead over Mark Hayes, Artie McNickle and John Schroeder. Second round—Billy Casper, Rod Funseth and John Lister took 36-hole lead ty two strokes over Phil Rodgers and Ray Floyd. Oosterhuis skied to a 76. Third round—Rod Funseth had 31 on front side and 38 on back but took one-stroke lead over Ray Floyd with his 69. Floyd had a 68.

CUT: 86 players at two-over par 146.

WEATHER: Chilly and breezy all four days.

**PRO-AMATEUR:** \$10,000. South course—Individual-Brian Allin, 68, \$500. Team-Jim Wiechers, 58, \$450. North Course—Individual-John Schlee, 68, \$450. Team-Billy Casper, 57, \$500.

ATTENDANCE: 87,000

# J. C. SNEAD . . . . . 1 69-71-71-68-279 \$34,000.00 Won Playoff with Birdie on 4th Extra Hole

Ray FloydT2	68-71-68-72-279	15,725.00	George Johnson T36	70-71-72-77-290	663.68
Bobby Nichols T2	71-69-68-71-279	15,725.00	Curtis Sifford T36	74-69-75-72-290	663.68
Rod Funseth 4	70-67-69-74-280	7,990.00	Phil Rodgers T36	68-71-72-79-290	663.68
Tom Kite 5		6,970.00	Roy Pace T36	73-73-72-72-290	663.68
Hale Irwin		5,525.00	Roger Maltbie T49	71-74-71-75-291	409.15
John Mahaffey T6		5,525.00	Bob Allard T49	74-72-71-74-291	409.15
Billy Casper	69-68-72-73-282	5,525.00	Jim Jamieson T49	71-75-71-74-291	409.14
Pat Fitzsimons T9	71-74-71-68-284	4.250.00	Don January T49	72-74-72-73-291	409.14
	71-71-72-70-284	4.250.00	Gay Brewer, Jr T49	75-70-74-72-291	409.14
Leonard Thompson. T9		4,250.00	Mike Hill	73-71-75-72-291	409.14
Bob MurphyT12	71-70-71-73-285	3,187.50	Eddie Pearce T49	72-70-75-74-291	409.14
Dave StocktonT12		3,187.50	Terry Diehl T56	74-68-75-75-292	352.84
Mark Hayes T12	67-73-70-75-285	3,187.50	Grier Jones T56	72-74-71-75-292	352.84
Bob Wynn T12	70-71-68-76-285	3,187.50	Ben Crenshaw T56	69-73-76-74-292	352.83
Johnny Miller T16	73-73-70-70-286	2,380.00	John Lister T56	68-69-74-81-292	352.83
	67-76-72-71-286	2,380.00	Mike Morley T56	70-70-71-81-292	352.83
Lou GrahamT16	68-73-73-72-286	2,380.00	Jim Dent	71-75-74-72-292	352.83
George ArcherT16	73-69-70-74-286	2,380.00	Bill Rogers T62	72-72-72-77 - 293	293.25
Jim Masserio T16	71-70-71-74-286	2,380.00	Frank Beard T62	74-69-72-78-293	293.25
Bob E. Smith T21	72-72-71-287	1,572.50	Rod Curl	74-70-71-78-293	293.25
Gene Littler T21	71-71-75-70-287	1,572.50	Gary Sanders T62	75-71-71-76-293	293.25
Miller Barber T21	73-73-71-70—287	1,572.50	Ken Venturi T62	74-72-72-75-293	293.25
Danny Edwards T21	72-72-68-75—287	1,572.50	John Jacobs T62	73-72-74-74-293	293.25
Rik Massengale T21	72-70-69-76—287	1,572.50	Chuck Courtney T62	70-74-76-73 - 293	293.25
Al Geiberger T21	71-70-70-76—287	1,572.50	Bobby Mitchell T62	70-76-72-75-293	293.25
Bobby Wadkins T27	68-74-75-71-288	1,258.00	Bob Dickson T70	73-72-71-78-294	42.50
John Abendroth T27	72-72-69-75—288	1,258.00	Billy ZiobroT70	72-73-70-79-294	42.50
Jerry McGee T27	71-73-68-76—288	1,258.00	Artie McNickle T70	67-77-73-77 - 294	42.50
Bruce Fleisher T30	73-72-71-73—289	1,032.67	Ron Cerrudo T70	76-70-74-74-294	42.50
Bruce Crampton T30	68-75-71-75—289	1,032.67	George Knudson T70	71-74-76-73-294	42.50
	71-75-71-72—289	1,032.67	Doug Sanders T70	74-72-77-71-294	42.50
	76-70-73-70-289	1,032.66	Mike McCullough . T76	73-72-74-76-295	
	69-71-69-80-289	1,032.66	Pete Brown T76	71-74-74-76-295	
	69-74-73-74-290	663.70	Tom Jenkins T76	71-73-77-74-295	
	72-74-69-75-290	663.70	Jack Ewing T79	73-73-71-79-296	
	73-71-72-74—290	663.70	Jim Marshall T79	70-74-76-76-296	
	70-72-74-74—290	663.69	Bob Unger 81	71-75-73-78-297	
	72-69-75-74—290	663.69	Don Bies	70-76-74-78-298	
provide a second	73-71-71-75—290	663.69	Homero Blancas T82	77-69-76-76-302	
	73-72-72-73—290	663.68	Fuzzy Zoeller 85	75-71-80-78-304	
	66-76-72-76—290	663.68	Allen Miller	70-75-77-WD	
Terrance Dill T36	12-11-11-16-290	663.68			

# **GLEN CAMPBELL LOS ANGELES OPEN**

Riviera C. C., Pacific Palisades, CA Par 35-36-71, 6,847 yards Purse: \$150,000 February 20-23, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Lee Trevino shot a five-under par 66 for a one-stroke lead over Tom Watson, Tom Weiskopf, Bob Unger and Ed Sneed. Second round—Dale Douglass took the lead with a 69 at five-under par 137. He led by three over Tom Kite, Victor Regalado and Tom Watson. Third round—Pat Fitzsimons shot course record seven-under par 64, to open a six-stroke lead with 205 total. Dale Douglass and Tom Kite were at 211.

CUT: 76 players at seven-over par 149.

**WEATHER:** Sunny every day. Breezy on Thursday. Very strong gusty winds on Friday with cold early in morning. Still windy Saturday. Calmer on Sunday.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual-Tom Kite and Billy Casper, 67, \$450 each. Team-Tom Kite,

53, \$500.

ATTENDANCE: 105,000

# PAT FITZSIMONS ..... 1 70-71-64-70-275 \$30,000.00

Tom Kite 2	71-69-71-68-279	17 100 00	Doug Sanders T38	71-75-75-72-293	615.00
Jack Nicklaus 3	69-75-71-65-280	10.650.00	Gibby Gilbert T38	76-71-72-74-293	615.00
Hale Irwin T4		6.600.00	Bill Rogers T38	68-79-75-71-293	615.00
Tom Weiskopf T4		6,600.00	Jimmy Powell T38	69-75-78-71-293	615.00
Tom WatsonT6	67-73-72-71-283	4.668.75	Bob Unger T38	67-77-73-76-293	615.00
Jerry McGee T6	70-73-70-70 - 283	4.668.75	Lou Graham T38	72-76-76-69-293	615.00
Billy Casper	69-74-71-69-283	4,668.75	Tom Nieporte T45	72-74-76-72-294	450.00
Jim Dent	69-73-71-70-283	4,668.75	Andy NorthT45	70-75-74-75-294	450.00
Dave Stockton T10	68-75-69-72-284	3,600.00	Alan Tapie T45	72-76-74-72-294	450.00
Dale Douglass T10		3,600.00	Chuck CourtneyT45	70-75-71-78-294	450.00
John Mahaffey T12	74-73-60-60-285	2,900.00	Rocky Thompson T49	70-75-76-74295	373.00
Bob E. Smith T12	71-76-69-69-285	2,900.00	Ray Floyd T49	69-77-76-73-295	373.00
Gene LittlerT12		2,900.00	Ron Funseth T49	74-75-74-72-295	373.00
Dick Crawford T15		2.325.00	Spike Kelley T49	70-77-78-70-295	373.00
Ed Sneed T15	67-76-76-68-287	2.325.00	Grier Jones	72-75-73-76-296	341.25
Johnny Miller T15	72-73-68-74-287	2.325.00	Jim Masserio T53	70-76-76-74-296	341.25
Bruck Fleisher T15	72-76-72-67 - 287	2.325.00	Gay Brewer T53	70-73-79-74-296	341.25
Bob GoalbyT19	72-71-74-71-288	1,725.00	Kermit Zarley T53	75-74-73-74-296	341.25
Jim Wiechers T19	70-74-79-79-988		John Buczek T57	70-76-75-76-297	311.25
Jim SimonsT19			Mike McCullough T57	74-72-77-74-297	311.25
Brian Allin			Joe Porter	72-76-75-74-297	311.25
Rik Massengale T23			Bob Zender T57	73-75-77-72-297	311.25
J. C. Snead T23	70-77-73-69-289	1,365.00	Jack Ewing T61	72-74-74-78-298	281.25
Arnold Palmer T25			Jerry Heard T61	74-74-73-77 - 298	281.25
Leonard Thompson T25			Bobby Greenwood, T61	71-76-76-75-298	281.25
Mark Hayes T25	68-75-76-71-290		Dwight Nevil T61	71-76-78-73-298	281.25
George Cadle T25	71-78-70-71 - 290	1,155.00	Art Wall 65	70-78-74-78-300	263.00
Bob WynnT25	72-74-75-69-290		Rex Caldwell T66	72-75-78-76-301	251.00
A-Craig Stadler (am)	68-75-76-71-290	)	Ken Still	74-75-76-76-301	251.00
Victor Regalado T30			Terry Diehl 68	72-75-76-79-302	240.00
Ben Crenshaw T30			Ben Kern	77-71-76-79-303	229.00
John Jacobs T3			Lanny Wadkirs T69	70-75-81-77 - 303	229.00
Mike Hill T3	75-71-71-74-291	952.50	A-James Ruziecki	75-73-79-76-303	
Orville Moody T3			Billy Ziobro T72	73-76-76-79-304	
Mike Morley T3			Mike Shea T72	72-75-80-77 - 304	
Lee TrevinoT3			A-Ken Riley 74		
Lyn Lott			Bobby Nichols 75		
Curtis Sifford T3	8 76-72-71-74-293	615.00	Don January 76		
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# JACKIE GLEASON INVERRARY **GOLF CLASSIC**

Inverrary C. C., Lauderhill, Fla. Par 36-36-72, 7,128 yards

Purse: \$260,000 February 27-March 2, 1975

LEADERS: First round—Bob Stanton shot a course record eight-under par 64 to lead by three shots over eight players, including Jack Nicklaus. Second round-Eddie Pearce added a 64 to hold a oneshot edge over Stanton and three over Arnold Palmer, who posted a 66. Third round-Nicklaus' 66 gave him a one-shot edge over Pearce.

CUT: 77 players at par 144.

**WEATHER:** Sunny, warm every day; light rain late Sunday and windy. **PRO-AMATEUR:** \$7,500. Individual-Jack Nicklaus 63, \$750. Team-Julius Boros, 54, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 123,855

### BOB MURPHY..... 1 68-71-66-68-273 \$52,000.00

Eddie Pearce 2	67-64-72-71-274	29,640.00	Rod Curl		1,092.00
Jack Nicklaus3	67-69-66-73-275	18,460.00	Tom Shaw	68-70-76-73—287	1,092.00
Miller Barber 4	67-70-71-68-276	12,220.00	Ken Still T39	70-71-72-74—287	1,092.00
Lee Trevino	70-70-71-66-277	10,010.00	Joe Carr T43	72-71-72-73—288	910.00
Hale Irwin	69-66-72-70-277	10,010.00	Doug Sanders T43	67-73-71-77 — 288	910.00
Arnold Palmer T7	68-66-71-74-279	7,995.00	Danny Edwards T43	72-71-74-71—288	910.00
Tom WeiskopfT7	72-68-66-73-279	7,995.00	Ray Floyd T46	71-73-69-76—289	692.72
Gene Littler T9	70-66-72-72-280	6,240.00	Victor Regalado T46	71-71-72-75—289	692.72
Charles CoodyT9	68-69-71-72-280	6,240.00	Sam SneadT46	73-68-73-75-289	692.72
Rik Massengale T9	68-74-65-73-280	6,240.00	Bill Rogers	67-71-74-77 — 289	692.71
Tom Kite	68-67-70-75-280	6,240.00	Forrest Fezler T46	73-68-72-76—289	692.71
Bruce Crampton T13	73-68-71-69-281	4,680.00	Dick Rhyan T46	70-72-73-74—289	692.71
Tom Watson T13	72-70-69-70-281	4,680.00	Bob Payne T46	74-69-73-73-289	692.71
Bob E. Smith T13	70-69-70-72-281	4,680.00	J. C. Snead T53	74-68-73-75-290	559.00
Mike Morley T16	70-71-73-68-282	3,770.00	Rick Rhoads T53	71-69-73-77-290	559.00
Terry Diehl T16	67-73-71-71-282	3,770.00	Art Wall	70-73-70-77-290	559.00
Bob Stanton T16	64-68-78-72-282	3,770.00	Mark Hayes T53	73-70-74-73-290	559.00
Gary Groh T16	71-71-68-72-282	3,770.00	Bobby Walzel T53	73-69-74-74-290	559.00
Bert Yancey T20	72-69-72-70-283	2,990.00	Jim SimonsT53	68-74-74-74-290	559.00
Ed Sneed T20	69-71-70-73-283	2,990.00	Dale DouglassT53	71-72-75-72-290	559.00
Jim Wiechers T22	69-72-73-70-284	2,444.00	Mac McLendon T53	72-72-74-72-290	559.00
Jerry McGee T22	71-72-72-69-284	2,444.00	Joe Inman	68-75-73-74-290	559.00
Bobby Nichols T22	72-65-72-75-284	2,444.00	Leonard Thompson T62	71-71-73-76-291	481.00
Larry Hinson T25	73-70-70-72-285	1,885.00	Jim Barber T62	68-72-79-72-291	481.00
Nate Starks T25	73-68-72-72-285	1,885.00	Don January T62	72-70-75-74-291	481.00
Lyn Lott	72-71-70-72-285	1,885.00	John Buczek T65	72-72-69-79-292	435.50
Mike Hill	72-70-73-70-285	1,885.00	Pat Fitzsimons T65	70-68-75-79-292	435.50
Buddy Allin T25	70-72-71-72-285	1,885.00	Julius Boros T65	69-72-69-82-292	435.50
Bruce Devlin T25	68-74-69-74-285	1,885.00	Tom Nieporte T65	72-72-78-70-292	435.50
Bobby Mitchell T25	69-72-71-73-285	1,885.00	Lee Elder69	72-70-77-74-293	403.00
Bob Zender T25	71-73-71-70-285	1,885.00	Hubert Green 70	72-72-76-74-294	390.00
Mason Rudolph T33	72-72-70-72-286	1,373.67	Steve Melnyk	71-71-76-77-295	
Joe Porter T33	67-73-75-71-286	1,373.67	Phil Rodgers	69-74-73-80-296	
Butch Baird T33	69-73-71-73-286	1,373.67	Al Kelley, Jr	71-72-73-81-297	
Rod Funseth T33	72-72-72-70-286	1,373.66	Richard Crawford	72-72-75-78-297	
Lou Graham T33	67-70-73-76-286	1,373.67	Dwight Nevil	69-74-73-82-298	
Homero Blancas T33	73-71-73-69-286	1,373.66	Roy Pace	72-71-79-77-299	
Dave Hill	72-72-69-74-287	1,092.00	John Elliott	73-70-79-78-300	

# **FLORIDA CITRUS OPEN**

Purse: \$200,000

March 6-9, 1975

Rio Pinar C. C., Orlando, Fla. Par 36-36-72, 6,929 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Chuck Courtney led with a six-under per 66. Second round—Lee Trevino and Hale Irwin came on to assume the 36-hole lead by one stroke over Larry Hinson. They were at 9-under par 135. Third round—Trevino's third round 70 put him at 205, 11-under par, two strokes ahead of Ben Crenshaw.

CUT: 73 players at one-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** Clear and sunny all week with some wind. Temperatures in high 60s early in the week, increasing to low 80s.

**PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500.** Individual-Ed Pearce and Chi Chi Radriguez, 66, \$675 each. Team-Bud Allin, 54, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 100,830

### LEE TREVINO . . . . . 1 69-66-70-71-276 \$40,000.00

Hale Irwin 2	68-67-74-68-277	22.800.00	Lee Elder T33	72-72-71-73-288	991.11
Ben Crenshaw3		14,200.00	Art Wall	71-71-72-74-288	991.11
Charlie Coody 4		9,400.00	Bob Murphy T33	72-70-72-74-288	991.11
Forrest Fezler T5	71-74-69-67-281	7,266.67	David Graham T33	75-69-69-75-288	991.11
Rik Massengale T5	68-71-72-70-281	7,266.67	Terry Diehl T42	72-72-76-69-289	660.00
Bruce Devlin T5	72-71-66-72-281	7,266.66	Al Geiberger T42	71-74-74-70-289	660.00
John Schlee T8	72-72-69-69-282	5,225.00	Mac McLendon T42	72-72-74-71-289	660.00
Larry ZieglerT8	71-70-72-69-282	5,225.00	Arnold Palmer T42	72-69-75-73-289	660.00
Tom Watson T8	70-69-73-70-282	5,225.00	Hubert Green T42	71-72-73-73-289	660.00
Larry HinsonT8	68-68-74-72-282	5,225.00	Allen Miller	71-73-72-73-289	660.00
Kermit Zarley T12	73-68-73-69-283	3,640.00	Andy North T42	71-73-71-74-289	660.00
Bruce Crampton T12	68-70-75-70-283	3,640.00	Rocky Thompson T49	69-75-74-72-290	492.00
Pat FitzsimonsT12	67-73-73-70-283	3,640.00	Bobby Mitchell T49	71-74-72-73-290	492.00
Peter Oosterhuis T12	73-70-68-72-283	3,640.00	Gene Littler	69-73-74-74-290	492.00
Jim Colbert T12	68-71-71-72-283	3,640.00	Joe Inman, Jr T49	72-70-74-74-290	492.00
Barney Thompson. T17	72-72-71-69-284	2,800.00	Mike Reasor T49	68-75-73-74-290	492.00
Tom Nieporte T17	70-71-72-71-284	2,800.00	Dan Sikes 54	72-72-75-72-291	460.00
Steve Melnyk T17	74-70-67-73-284	2,800.00	Dwight Nevil T55	70-73-76-73-292	445.00
Bobby Cole T20	70-68-76-71-285	2,048.00	Juan Rodriguez T55	69-73-75-75-292	445.00
Butch Baird T20	71-68-75-71-285	2,048.00	Jim Ahem	70-72-78-73-293	395.00
Gil Morgan T20	73-69-71-72-285	2,048.00	Ken Still	74-71-77-71-293	395.00
Mark Hayes T20	67-71-73-74-285	2,048.00	Dean Refram T57	74-70-76-73—293	395.00
Mike Morley T20	72-71-70-72-285	2,048.00	Rod Funseth T57	70-74-76-73—293	395.00
Chuck Courtney T25	66-76-74-70-286	1,540.00	Bill Rogers T57	74-70-75-74—293	395.00
Gibby Gilbert T25	72-72-71-71-286	1,540.00	Roy Pace T57	71-72-74-76—293	395.00
Grier Jones T25	71-73-70-72-286	1,540.00	Bobby Walzel T57	71-71-75-76—293	395.00
George KnudsonT25	71-72-71-72-286	1,540.00	Nate StarksT57	71-72-73-77 — 293	395.00
Jim Dent	68-71-70-77-286	1,540.00	Babe Hiskey T65	73-71-77-73-294	345.00
Rod Curl	70-70-72-75—287	1,300.00	Ron Smith, Jr T65	69-74-76-75-294	345.00
Bob Wynn T30	72-67-72-76-287	1,300.00	Leonard Thompson T67	76-69-76-74—295	252.00
Miller Barber T30	70-70-70-77 - 287	1,300.00	Lanny Wadkins T67	71-71-77-76—295	252.00
Danny Edwards T33	71-73-77-67 — 288	991.12	Larry Nelson T67	73-71-75-76—295	252.00
Buddy Allin T33	75-69-73-71-288		Tommy Aaron T67	72-72-74-77 — 295	252.00
Bobby Wadkins T33	72-73-72-71 - 288		Dick Rhyan T67	73-72-74-76—295	252.00
Dave Hill			Jerry Heard 72	72-72-81-71-296	
Victor Regalado T33	70-73-73-72-288	991.11	Gary Sanders 73	72-71-81-74—298	

# **DORAL-EASTERN OPEN**

Doral C. C., Miami, Fla. Par 36-36-72, 7,065 yards Purse: \$150,00 March 13-16, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Gary McCord and Wally Armstrong posted four-under par 68s to le lead five others—including Jack Nicklaus by one. Second round—McCord and Armstrong each had two-under par 70s to maintain their lead with six-under par 138s. They led Nicklaus by one and Mike Hill by two. Third round—Forrest Fezler birdied two of the last three holes to tie Nicklaus for third round lead at eight-under par 208. Fezler had 67, Nicklaus, with bogey at 16, a 69. They led Bruce Crampton by one. **CUT:** 72 players at two-over par 146.

**WEATHER:** Sunny and warm through first two rounds. Showers hit course early Saturday morning. Heavy rain hit near end of day. Sunday was warm. It was windy all four days.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-Gay Brewer, 66, \$750. Team-Jim Colbert and Brian Allin, 58, \$675.

ATTENDANCE: 55,220

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st Fezler T2	71-70-67-71-279	13 875 00	Bobby Mitchell	T29	69-73-71-74-287

Forrest Fezler T2	71-70-67-71-279	13,875.00	Bobby MitchellT29	69-73-71-74-287	821.54
Bert YanceyT2	71-72-69-67-279	13,875.00	J. C. Snead T29	72-71-70-74-287	821.54
Johnny Miller 4	72-69-72-67-280	7,050.00	Larry ZieglerT29	73-72-68-74-287	821.53
Brian Allin	70-72-70-69-281	5,775.00	Julius Boros T29	72-74-72-69-287	821.53
Bruce Crampton T5	73-69-68-71-281	5,775.00	Dave Hill	73-72-71-72-288	481.88
Steve Melnyk T7	72-71-70-69-282	4,612.50	Gary Groh T42	75-70-70-73-288	481.88
Mike Hill	69-71-72-70-282	4,612.50	Jim Barber T42	74-71-71-72-288	481.88
Wally Armstrong T9	68-70-77-68-283	3,325.00	Florentina Molina T42	71-75-68-74-288	481.87
Tom Jenkins T9	73-69-70-71-283	3,325.00	Harry Toscano T42	73-73-70-72-288	481.88
Rod Curl	70-72-70-71-283	3,325.00	Pete Brown T42	74-71-71-72-288	481.87
Lee Trevino T9	70-71-71-71-283	3,325.00	Bobby Cole T42	70-76-71-71-288	481.87
Joe Porter	72-70-69-72-283	3,325.00	Gary Sanders T42	72-73-73-70-288	481.87
John Lister	72-71-69-71-283	3,325.00	Gibby Gilbert T50	74-70-72-73-289	352.43
Fred Marti T15		2,400.00	Ken Still T50	72-71-73-73-289	352.43
Ben Crenshaw T15	72-73-69-70-284	2,400.00	Kermit Zarley T50	75-69-70-75-289	352.43
Jim Dent	69-72-72-71-284	2,400.00	Jerry Heard T50	72-72-74-71-289	352.43
Larry Nelson T18	69-74-72-70-285	1,875.00	Dick Rhyan T50	74-71-73-71-289	352.43
Al Geiberger T18	73-70-71-71-285	1,875.00	Doug Sanders T50	72-73-74-70-289	352.43
Gary McCordT18	68-70-75-72-285	1,875.00	Ray Floyd	72-72-76-69-289	352.42
Bob Dickson , T18	74-72-71-68-285	1,875.00	Ralph Johnston T57	72-72-73-73-290	319.00
Bobby Walzel T22	72-71-72-71-286	1,277.15	John Toepel T57	70-74-74-72-290	319.00
Randy Erskine T22		1,277.15	Bobby Wadkins T59	70-75-71-75-291	303.50
Gil Morgan T22	74-70-71-71-286	1,277.14	David Graham T59	72-74-71-74-291	303.50
Don Iverson T22	74-69-70-73-286	1,277.14	Gardner Dickinson T61	75-71-71-75-292	289.00
Larry Mancour T22	74-70-74-68-286	1,277.14	Dave Stockton T61	70-74-76-72-292	289.00
Jim Colbert T22	73-72-73-68-286	1,277.14	Lyn Lott	72-73-72-76-293	255.00
Babe Hiskey T22	74-69-76-67 — 286	1,277.14	Bryan Abbott T63	73-72-73-75-293	255.00
Barney Thompson. T29	74-69-73-71-287	821.54	Curtis Sifford T63	72-72-75-74-293	255.00
Mike Morley T29	71-72-72-72-287	821.54	Tom Weiskopf T63	71-73-69-80-293	255.00
Butch Baird T29		821.54	Rocky Thompson . T63	73-72-74-74-293	255.00
Bob Eastwood T29	76-69-72-70-287	821.54	Tom Evans T63	73-73-73-74-293	255.00
Ed Sneed T29	73-71-71-72-287	821.54	Ben Kern	74-71-75-73-293	255.00
Charles Coody T29	74-67-72-74-287	821.54	Ron Smith, Jr 70	75-71-78-71-295	225.00
Roger Maltbie T29	72-73-69-73-287	821.54	Mike McCullough . T71	72-73-72-79-296	
Bill Rogers T29	74-71-69-73-287	821.54	Andy North T71	73-72-75-76-296	

# **GREATER JACKSONVILLE OPEN**

Deerwood Club, Jacksonville, Fla. Par 36-36-72, 7,143 yards Purse: \$150,000 March 20-23, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Barney Thompson and Mac McLendon led with five-under par 67s. Second round—Barney Thompson added a 66 to take the 36-hole lead, at 133. Third round—Mike Morley fired a 65 to tie the course record and take the lead. Arnold Palmer was in second place after each of the first three rounds.

CUT: 79 players at two-over par 146.

WEATHER: Hot and humid, temperature in the high 70s and low 80s all week. Little wind.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$15,000. Deerwood: Individual-Ben Crenshaw, Tommy Aaron, 68, \$675 each. Team-Andy North, 54, \$750. Baymeadows: Individual-Mike Morley, 67, \$750. Team-Tim Collins, 58, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 68,500

### LARRY ZIEGLER . . . . . 1 73-69-69-65-276 \$30,000.00

Mac McLendon T2	67-72-71-68-278	13,875.00	Tex Simon T35	69-76-68-74-287	647.00
Mike Morley		13.875.00	Dale Douglass T35	72-69-72-74-287	647.00
Lou Graham 4		7,050.00	Mike McCullough . T35	73-71-69-74-287	647.00
Andy North		5,450.00	Jim Simons T35	72-71-68-76-287	647.00
	71-73-66-70-280	5,450.00	Jim Marshall T35	71-71-69-76-287	647.00
Tom Shaw	70-67-72-71-280	5,450.00	Dick Rhyan T46	74-70-74-70-288	414.00
Bobby Cole	69-69-74-69-281	3.765.00	John Toepel T46	75-71-69-73-288	414.00
Joe Inman	70-68-73-70-281	3,765.00	David Barber T46	73-73-69-73-288	414.00
Bob Dickson T8	68-71-71-71-281	3.765.00	Bob Stanton T46	75-70-70-73-288	414.00
Ben CrenshawT8	68-73-69-71-281	3.765.00	Gil Morgan T46	70-74-71-73-288	414.00
Jerry McGee T8	70-68-71-72-281	3,765.00	Kermit Zarley T51	70-75-77-67-289	360.00
Larry Hinson 13	71-70-69-72-282	2.850.00	Gibby Gilbert T51	75-71-73-70-289	360.00
Ray FloydT14	71-69-75-68-283	2.550.00	Jim Dent	68-71-76-74-289	360.00
Dave StocktonT14	69-69-75-70-283	2.550.00	Roger Maltbie T54	73-71-74-72-290	333.75
Steve Melnyk T14	74-67-69-73-283	2,550.00	Victor Regalado T54	70-72-74-74-290	333.75
Danny Edwards T17	72-70-74-68-284	1,808.58	Don January T54	73-71-72-74-290	333.75
Grier Jones T17	68-76-71-69-284	1,808.57	Ken Still	72-74-70-74-290	333.75
Bob Eastwood T17	73-70-70-71-284	1,808.57	George Johnson T58	71-75-75-70-291	300.00
Lee Elder T17	68-73-71-72-284	1,808.57	Randy Feather T58	73-73-74-71-291	300.00
Mike Wynn T17	70-72-69-73-284	1,808.57	Buddy Allin T58	76-70-73-72-291	300.00
Barney Thompson, T17	67-66-77-74-284	1,808.57	Hubert Green T58	71-71-74-75-291	300.00
A-Jerry Pate T17	70-68-71-75-284		Bob Wadkins T58	69-72-73-77 - 291	300,00
Arnold Palmer T17	68-68-73-75-284	1,808.57	David Graham T63	71-73-74-74-292	273.50
Bob Menne T24	74-71-72-68-285	1,159.29	Hale Irwin	73-72-72-75-292	273.50
Bruce Crampton T24	72-69-75-69-285	1,159.29	Bob Goalby T65	73-72-75-73-293	247.60
Perry Leslie T24	72-73-71-69-285	1,159.29	Marion Heck T65	69-75-75-74-293	247.60
DeWitt Weaver T24	72-70-72-71-285	1,159.29	Jim Colbert T65	74-72-73-74-293	247.60
Mike Hill	73-69-70-73-285	1,159.28	Dave Marr T65	73-72-74-74-293	247.60
Tom Jenkins T24	72-70-70-73-285	1,159.28	Larry Nelson T65	74-71-73-75-293	247.60
Bob Charles T24	73-72-66-74-285	1,159.28	Bob E. Smith T70	71-74-75-74-294	75.00
Jerry Heard T31	72-74-73-67-286	909.50	Miller Barber T70	71-74-74-75-294	75.00
Chuck Courtney T31	74-69-70-73-286	909.50	Tom Evans T70	73-73-74-74-294	75.00
Fred Marti T31	70-73-69-74-286	909.50	Randy Erskine 73	73-71-72-79-295	
Tom Weiskopf T31	71-71-69-75-286	909.50	Jerry Castigliano 74	72-72-74-78-296	
Gary McCord T35	73-71-76-67-287	647.00	Mike Shea T75	75-70-77-75-297	
Joe Porter T35		647.00	Curtis Sifford T75	73-71-76-77—297	
Ron Cerrudo T35		647.00	Julius Boros T75	72-73-76-76—297	
Bobby Mitchell T35		647.00	Steve Spray T75	75-71-74-77 — 297	
Peter Oosterhuis T35	72-66-75-74-287	647.00	Dick Mast 79	75-71-77-77—300	
Dan Sikes T35		647.00			

# **SEA PINES HERITAGE CLASSIC**

Purse: \$200,000

March 27-30, 1975

Harbour Town Golf Links, Hilton Head Island, SC Par 36-35-71, 6,655 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Jack Nicklaus posted a five-under par 66 to take a three-stroke lead over Hale Irwin, Andy North, Tom Kite, Bruce Crampton and Don January. Second round—Nicklaus turned in a course record 31-32—63 and took a six-stroke lead over Tom Weiskopf, 129 to 135. Tom Kite and Hale Irwin were at 137. Third round—Tom Weiskopf had three-under par 68 while Nicklaus had a 74 and they were tied at 203. Nicklaus bogeyed last hole to drop back into tie.

CUT: 78 players at eight-over par 150.

**WEATHER:** Gusty and high winds on Thursday with slight chill. Warmer Friday but still windy. Calmer Saturday, but there still were gusty winds.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-Hubert Green, 66, \$750. Team-Dave Stockton, 56, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 40,000 (all-time high)

	JACK NICKLAUS 1	66-63-74-68-271	\$40,000.00
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Tom Weiskopf2		22,800.00	Lou Graham T38	71-73-75-72-291	880.00
Charles Coody3		14,200.00	Bob GoalbyT38	74-72-70-75-291	880.00
John Mahaffey 4		9,400.00	Bob E. Smith T43	78-72-71-71-292	760.00
Bruce Crampton T5		7,700.00	Jerry Heard T43	75-67-76-74-292	760.00
Tom Kite		7,700.00	Charles Courtney T45	77-73-71-72-293	640.00
Mac McLendon:7		6,400.00	Gardner Dickinson . T45	76-72-73-72-293	640.00
John Schlee 8	73-70-68-72-283	5,900.00	Steve Melnyk T45	78-71-72-72-293	640.00
George ArcherT9		4,800.00	Don Iverson T45	78-68-69-78-293	640.00
Miller Barber T9	72-66-74-72-284	4,800.00	Ray Floyd T49	75-71-75-73-294	506.00
Don January T9	69-70-69-76-284	4,800.00	Forrest Fezler T49	71-71-79-73-294	506.00
Hale Irwin	69-68-72-75-284	4,800.00	David Graham T49	73-74-74-73-294	506.00
Tom Watson T13	74-68-72-71-285	3,600.00	Ed Sneed T49	76-72-72-74-294	506.00
Lee Trevino T13	73-67-74-71-285	3,600.00	Ben Crenshaw T49	74-71-72-77-294	506.00
Gary Player T13	71-70-70-74-285	3,600.00	Bert Yancey T54	76-73-75-71-295	460.00
Jerry McGee 16		3,200.00	Mike Hill T54	73-73-76-295	460.00
Mason Rudolph T17	74-71-74-68-287	2,500.00	Dave Stockton T54	72-71-76-76-295	460.00
Marty Fleckman T17	74-72-72-69-287	2,500.00	Allen Miller T57	73-76-76-71-296	425.00
Gibby Gilbert T17		2,500.00	Ken Still	75-70-79-72-296	425.00
Pat Fitzsimons T17		2,500.00	Andy North T57	69-74-78-75-296	425.00
Brian Allin T17-		2,500.00	Bob Charles T57	77-72-73-74-296	425.00
Eddie PearceT17	72-71-70-74-287	2,500.00	Jim Dent	79-69-75-74-297	380.00
Arnold Palmer T23	74-75-71-68-288	1,688.00	Bob Dickson T61	73-75-74-75-297	380.00
Peter Oosterhuis T23	72-69-77-70-288	1,688.00	Bob Menne T61	74-68-81-74-297	380.00
Dale Hayes T23	75-71-72-70-288	1,688.00	Billy Ziobro T61	75-73-74-75-297	380.00
Doug Ford T23	74-70-72-72-288	1,688.00	Dave Marr	76-72-73-76-297	380.00
Bob Stanton T23	75-70-70-73-288	1,688.00	Dan Sikes T66	79-71-71-77-298	345.00
Al Geiberger T28	75-72-73-69-289	1,301.43	Bruce Devlin T66	71-75-73-79-298	345.00
Rod Funseth T28	72-71-77-69-289	1,301.43	Leonard Thompson T68	75-72-77-75-299	325.00
Hubert Green T28	73-71-74-71-289	1,301.43	Terry Wilcox T68	79-71-75-74-299	325.00
Bob Wynn T28	76-71-71-71-289	1,301.43	Jim Jamieson T70	71-78-77-74-300	203.34
Joe Inman T28	74-76-67-72-289	1,301.43	Mark Hayes T70	79-71-76-74-300	203.33
Gary McCord T28	74-71-71-73-289	1,301.43	Jim Ferree	74-76-73-77-300	203.33
Kermit Zarley T28	74-69-71-75-289	1,301.42	Roy Pace T73	80-70-78-73-301	200.00
George Knudson T35	71-75-74-70-290	1,030.00	Don Massengale T73	75-74-79-73-301	
Rod Curl T35		1,030.00	Mike Schluster 75	75-72-78-81 - 306	
Larry Ziegler T35		1,030.00	Bruce Fleisher 76	75-75-80-79-309	
Bob Murphy T38		880.00	Richie Karl77	75-75-75-85—310	
Jim Colbert T38		880.00	Grier Jones 78	79-68-DISQ	
A-Jerry Pate T38	78-71-73-69-291			, 5 55 5,54	

# **GREATER GREENSBORO OPEN**

Purse: \$225.000

April 3-6, 1975

Sedgefield C. C., Greensboro, NC Par 36-35-71, 6,643 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Tom Weiskopf took the lead with a shattering 54 amid 50 mph winds and 40 degree temperatures. He was three ahead of Dave Hill as only 14 players were at par or better. **Second round**—With par golf, Weiskopf continued his lead over Hill, but now widened to five strokes. Weiskopf: 135 (-7); Hill: 140 (-2). Only ten players were at par or better through 36 holes. **Third round**—Despite a 73, Weiskopf held on to a four stroke lead over Ken Still. Weiskopf was at a six-

under 207 and only six others managed par or better through 54 holes. **CUT:** 78 players at eight-over par 150.

**WEATHER:** Warm, sunny breezy on Wednesday. 25mph winds with gusts to 50mph on Thursday, with cloudy skies and temperatures in the 40s. Friday was sunnier, with a little less wind but continued cold temperatures. Sunny and slightly warmer Saturday and Sunday.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual-Bob Charles, 65, \$500. Team-Lou Graham and Rod Funseth,

TOM WEISKOPE 1 64-71-72-68-275 \$45,000.00

54, \$450 each.

ATTENDANCE: 164,100

TOM W	EISKOPF	1 64	-11-12-00-213	\$45,000.00	
Al Geiberger2	71-75-66-66-278	25,650.00	Bobby Cole T40	69-74-76-73-292	945.00
Jerry McGee 3	77-67-68-68-280	15,975.00	Don January T42	74-74-70-75-293	852.50
Lee Trevino 4	71-70-72-68-281	10,575.00	Ron Cerrudo T42	72-74-72-75-293	852.50
Dave Hill		9.225.00	Florentino Molina T44	76-74-77-67-294	720.00
Ken Still	74-68-69-72-283	7.650.00	Eddie PearceT44	76-74-72-72-294	720.00
	72-70-70-71-283	7.650.00	Gibby Gilbert T44	72-76-72-74-294	720.00
M. Bembridge 8	72-73-70-69-284	6,650.00	Gene Littler T44	75-72-73-74-294	720.00
Steve MelnykT9	77-70-70-68-285	5.625.00	Terry Wilcox T48	77-72-74-72-295	562.50
Graham MarshT9	73-70-72-70-285	5,625.00	Mac McLendon T48	73-77-71-74-295	562.50
Mason Rudolph T9	73-72-70-70-285	5,625.00	Mike Morley T48	75-71-75-74-295	562.50
Lou GrahamT12	72-71-73-70-286	4,218.75	Bobby Mitchell T48	76-73-71-75-295	562.50
Lee Elder T12	75-73-70-69-286	4,218.75	Don Massengale T48	72-71-76-76-295	562.50
Tony Jacklin T12	74-70-71-71-286	4,218.75	Bert Yancey T48	71-76-72-76-295	562.50
Juan Rodriguez T12	73-69-73-71-286	4,218.75	Joe Inman T54	71-75-78-72-296	495.00
Rod Funseth T16	76-72-70-69-287	3,262.50	Jim Simons T54	76-74-76-70-296	495.00
Forrest FezlerT16	75-70-70-72-287	3,262.50	Bob Wynn T54	74-76-73-73-296	495.00
Rik Massengale T16	73-75-67-72-287	3,262.50	Tom Kite T54	71-78-71-76-296	495.00
Wally Armstrong T16	72-76-67-72-287	3,262.50	Jim Dent	75-74-71-76-296	495.00
Arnold Palmer T20	77-73-72-66-288	2,305.00	Len Thompson T59	71-79-76-71-297	441.25
Tom Watson T20	76-69-74-69-288	2,305.00	Don Iverson T59	78-71-75-73-297	441.25
Don Bies T20	77-70-72-69-288	2,305.00	Phil Rodgers T59	75-73-74-75-297	441.25
Mike Wynn T20	77-68-72-71-288	2,305.00	Dale Douglass T59	75-70-74-78-297	441.25
Jerry Heard T20	70-72-72-74-288	2,305.00	Jim Wiechers T63	77-73-74-74-298	395.00
Mike McCullough . T25	72-73-75-69-289	1,837.50	Gary McCord T63	78-70-76-74—298	395.00
Gil Morgan T25	79-66-71-74-289	1,837.50	George Knudson T63	75-75-73-75-298	395.00
Bobby Nichols T27		1,595.00	Roy Pace	76-72-72-78—298	395.00
Perry Leslie T27		1,595.00	Bob Charles T67	76-70-81-72—299	365.00
Brian Allin	70-76-72-72-290	1,595.00	George Archer T67	76-73-75-75—299	365.00
Miller Barber T27	73-71-73-73-290	1,595.00	Doug Ford 69	76-74-74-76—300	350.00
Gary Groh T27	75-71-69-75-290		Ken Venturi T70	73-77-78-73—301	113.34
George Johnson T32	75-74-73-69-291	1,195.00	Ed SneedT70	77-72-76-76-301	113.33
Peter Oosterhuis T32		1,195.00	Allen Miller T70	77-73-73-78-301	113.33
Billy Ziobro T32	72-69-78-72-291	1,195.00	Dave Eichelberger, T73	74-74-78-76-302	
Bob E. Smith T32	73-71-74-73-291		Sam AdamsT73	71-74-80-77 — 302	
Billy Casper T32	79-70-70-72-291	1,195.00	Danny Edwards 75	76-74-73-80 — 303	
Randy Erskine T32	72-74-72-73-291	1,195.00	Bob Eastwood 76	74-75-84-76—309	
Bob Menne T32	75-72-71-73-291		Ray Floyd	75-74-WD	
Doug Sanders T32	78-70-70-73-291		John Mahaffey	75-75-WD	
Gary Player T40	76-70-77-69-292	945.00			
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# THE MASTERS TOURNAMENT

Augusta National G. C., Augusta, Ga. Par 36-36-72, 7,020 yards

Purse: \$242,750 April 10-13, 1975

**LEADERS:** Bobby Nichols had a five-under par 67 to take a one-stroke lead over Allen Miller and Jack Nicklaus. *Second round*—Nicklaus shot a 67, took a five-stroke lead with a nine-under par 135. At 140 were Arnold Palmer, Billy Casper and Tom Watson. *Third round*—Tom Weiskopfs' six-under par 66, gave him a nine-under par score of 207, while Nicklaus, after a 73, was at 208 and Johnny Miller at 211.

CUT: 46 players at four-over par 148.

**WEATHER:** Rain, misty and foggy nearly all day Thursday. Rain Friday morning, clearing in the afternoon. Sunny and pleasantly warm Saturday and Sunday.

### JACK NICKLAUS . . . . . 1 68-67-73-68-276 \$40,000.00

Johnny Miller T2	75-71-65-66-277	21,250.00	Gene Littler T22	72-72-72-74-290	2,275.00
Tom WeiskopfT2	69-72-66-70-277	21,250.00	Maurice Bembridge T26	75-72-75-69-291	2,000.00
Hale Irwin	73-74-71-64-282	12,500.00	Miller Barber T26	74-72-72-73-291	2,000.00
Bobby Nichols T4	67-74-72-69-282	12,500.00	Jerry Heard T26	71-75-72-73-291	2.000.00
Billy Casper 6	70-70-73-70-283	7,500.00	Dave Stockton T26	72-72-73-74-291	2.000.00
Dave Hill	75-71-70-68-284	6.000.00	Victor Regalado T30	76-72-72-72-292	1.950.00
Hubert Green T8		4,500.00	Ray Floyd T30	72-73-79-68-292	1,950.00
Tom Watson T8	70-70-72-73-285	4,500.00	A-George Burns T30	72-72-76-72-292	
J. C. Snead T10		3.600.00	Gary Player T30	72-74-73-73-292	1,950.00
Tom Kite T10	72-74-71-69-286	3.600.00	Bert Yancey T30	74-71-74-73-292	1,950.00
Lee Trevino T10		3.600.00	Ben Crenshaw T30	72-71-75-74-292	
Larry Ziegler T13		3.250.00	Forrest Fezler T30	76-71-71-74-292	1,950.00
Arnold Palmer T13		3,250.00	A-Jerry Pate 37	71-75-78-69-293	1,000.00
Art Wall T15		2.900.00	Tommy Aaron T38	71-75-76-72-294	1.850.00
Rod Curl		2,900.00	Gary Groh T38	72-76-71-75-294	1,850.00
Bruce Devlin T15		2,900.00	Lou Graham T40	72-72-77-74-295	1,800.00
Bobby Cole T15		2,900.00	Charles Coody T40	72-75-75-73-295	1,800.00
Allen Miller T15		2.900.00	Bob Murphy 42	70-72-80-74-296	1,750.00
Brian AllinT20		2,550.00	Masashi Ozaki T43	73-73-83-68-297	1,700.00
	74-73-79-73-289	2,550.00	Lu Liang-Huan T43	73-74-78-72-297	
Hugh Baiocchi T22		2,275.00	Homero Blancas		1,700.00
Pat Fitzsimons T22		2,275.00		72-69-79-77 297	1,700.00
Graham Marsh T22			Richie Karl46	72-75-79-76—302	1,650.00
Granami MarSH 122	15-10-14-11-290	2,275.00			

# **PENSACOLA OPEN**

Purse: \$125,000

April 17-20, 1975

Pensacola C.C., Pensacola, Fla. Par 35-36-71, 6,679 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Andy North with a seven-under par 64 had one-stroke lead over Mike Wynn, Bruce Crampton, Bert Greene and Charles Coody. **Second round**—Don Iverson (67-66) took a two-stroke lead after 36 holes, at nine-under par 133. Jerry McGee was at 135. **Third round**—McGee moved into the lead at 12-under par 201 after second straight 66, and Wally Armstrong was one-stroke back. Bruce Crampton and Roger Maltbie were at 205. Iverson dropped into tie for fifth after two-over 73, with seven under 206.

CUT: 80 players at one-over par 143.

**WEATHER:** Partly cloudy but sunny first two days. Cloudy and rainy Saturday, sometimes heavy. Play was suspended for 34 minutes (3:28 pm to 4:02 pm) by rain. Sunday it was overcast and there were a few showers.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual-Gibby Gilbert and Labron Harris, 66, \$450 each. Amateur Jerry Pate also had 66. Team-Doug Sanders, 55, \$500.

ATTENDANCE: 35,000

### JERRY MC GEE . . . . . 1 69-66-66-70-271 \$25,000.00

Wally Armstrong 2	70-66-66-71-273	14.250.00	Danny Edwards T37	69-74-67-72-282	563.85
Dwight NevilT3	71-69-69-65-274	6.625.00	David Glenz T37	72-71-66-73-282	563.85
Bruce Crampton T3	65-72-68-69-274	6.625.00	Fred Marti T44	70-72-73-68-283	438.00
Miller Barber T3	67-69-70-68-274	6,625.00	Lon Hinkle	71-71-72-69-283	438.00
Jerry Pate (Am) 6	69-71-69-66-275	9,451115	Bert Greene T44	65-72-71-75-283	438.00
Bobby Mitchell T7	73-70-67-66-276	4.062.34	Phil Rodgers T47	69-73-73-69-284	345.20
Bob Murphy T7	69-73-67-67-276	4.062.33	Ross RandallT47	72-70-72-70-284	345.20
Dan Sikes	72-69-66-69-276	4,062.33	Fuzzy Zoeller T47	75-68-72-69-284	345.20
Charles Coody T10	65-71-73-68-277	2,770.84	Gil Morgan T47	75-68-72-69-284	345.20
Doug Sanders T10	73-64-71-69-277	2,770.84	Dave Eichelberger. T47	70-68-75-71-284	345.20
Lou GrahamT10	68-70-70-69-277	2.770.83	Bobby Walzel T52	68-74-73-70-285	278.00
Andy North T10	64-73-70-70-277	2,770.83	Lyn Lott	69-73-72-71-285	278.00
Lee ElderT10	70-68-69-70-277	2,770.83	Gay Brewer T52	71-70-72-72-285	278.00
Roger Maltbie T10	69-67-69-72-277	2.770.83	Tom Aaron T52	70-73-70-72-285	278.00
Billy Casper T16	71-71-70-66-278	1,937.50	Bob Eastwood T52	68-70-73-74-285	278.00
Jim Jamieson T16	70-70-70-68-278	1,937.50	Jack Ewing T52	70-71-70-74-285	278.00
John Mahaffey T16	68-72-69-69-278	1,937.50	Gary Player T52	70-70-70-75-285	278.00
Graham Marsh T16	68-68-70-72-278	1.937.50	Bryan Abbott T52	67-74-70-74-285	278.00
Bruce Devlin T20	69-67-73-70-279	1,385.00	Larry Hinson T52	73-67-70-75-285	278.00
Bob Stanton T20	71-69-68-71-279	1,385.00	Tom Jenkins T52	73-68-69-75-285	278.00
Sam AdamsT20	67-70-71-71-279	1,385.00	Jim Simons T62	72-71-71-72-286	237.34
Kermit Zarley T20	73-64-70-72-279	1,385.00	Marion Heck T62	72-71-71-72-286	237.33
Don Iverson T20	67-66-73-73-279	1,385.00	Leonard Thompson T62	73-69-70-74-286	237.33
Rik Massengale T25	72-71-71-66-280	985. 17	Bob Wynn	69-74-74-70-287	218.67
Randy Erskine T25	72-71-71-66-280	985.17	Tom Shaw T65	71-70-73-73-287	218.67
Laurie Hammer T25	72-71-71-66-280	985.17	Ralph Johnston T65	68-71-71-77 - 287	218.66
John Jacobs T25	69-71-72-68-280	985.17	Victor Regalado T68	69-73-75-71-288	196.75
Richard Crawford. T25	71-71-70-68-280	985.16	Labron Harris T68	73-70-73-72-288	196.75
Bob Charles T25	71-67-69-73-280	985.16	Terry Small T68	71-72-73-72-288	196.75
Ben Crenshaw T31	70-71-72-68-281	759.17	George Johnson T68	70-70-73-75—288	196.75
Peter Oosterhuis T31	72-70-71-68-281	759.17	Artie McNickle T72	73-69-76-71-289	
Jim Wiechers T31	72-69-71-69-281	759.17	Dick Rhyan T72	73-69-75-72-289	
Hubert Green T31	72-69-69-71-281	759.17	Bobby Phillips T72	70-71-74-74-289	
Homero Blancas T31	70-69-70-72-281	759.16	John Schroeder T72	74-69-73-73—289	
Florentino Molina T31	70-68-69-74-281	759.16	John Gustin T76	72-71-71-77-291	
Mike Wynn T37	65-73-75-69-282	563.86	Ron Cerrudo T76	74-69-74-74-291	
Pat Fitzsimons T37	67-74-72-69-282	563.86	Wayne Yates 78	70-72-77-73-292	
Allen Miller T37	70-71-71-70-282	563.86	Nate Starks 79	73-69-73-78-293	
Alan Tapie T37		563.86	Jim Colbert 80	71-72-75-76-294	
David Graham T37		563.86			

# MONY TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS

La Costa C. C., Carlsbad, Calif. Par 36-36-72, 6,855 yards

Purse: \$200,000 April 24-27, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Jim Colbert's seven-under par 65 led Al Geiberger by two. Second round—Geiberger's second straight 67 gave him 10-under 134 and a three-stroke margin over Lee Trevino who had a second day 65. Colbert was at 138. Third round—Geiberger's third-day 70 for 12-under 204 kept him three in front of Trevino and four ahead of Colbert at 208.

WEATHER: Mostly sunny and slightly breezy every day.

ATTENDANCE: 57,700

# AL GEIBERGER . . . . 1 67–67–70–73—277 \$40,000.00 Won Playoff on first extra hole over Gary Player with birdie.

Gary Player 2	72-70-68-67-277	23,700.00	Dave Hill T17	70-77-71-74-292	4.053.00
Lee Trevino 3	72-65-70-71-278	14,812.00	J. C. Snead T17	71-69-76-76-292	4.053.00
Jim Colbert 4	65-73-70-71-279	9,503.00	Hubert Green 19	71-80-71-71-293	3.783.00
Brian Allin	73-69-70-72-284	7,792.50	Bobby Nichols T20	70-74-77-73-294	3.512.50
Hale Irwin	70-73-71-70-284	7,792.50	Gary Groh T20	75-73-70-76-294	3,512.50
Gene Littler	69-72-74-70-285	6,667.50	Forrest Fezler T22	78-72-74-71-295	3,152.50
Tom Watson T7	69-75-71-70-285	6,667.50	Larry Ziegler T22	71-74-73-77 - 295	3,152.50
Jack Nicklaus T9	70-72-71-74-287	5,945.00	Victor Regalado 24	78-72-72-74-296	2.882.00
Dave Stockton T9	72-71-71-73-287	5,945.00	Miller Barber T25	71-75-77-76-299	2,632.00
Pat Fitzsimons T11	74-72-74-68-288	5,104.00	Ed Sneed T25	79-72-72-76-299	2.632.00
Tom Weiskopf T11	71-76-70-71-288	5,104.00	Terry Diehl T27	75-77-73-75-300	2.309.00
Bob Murphy T11	74-73-69-72-288	5,104.00	Bob MenneT27	75-76-74-75-300	2,309.00
Jerry McGee 14	71-75-75-69-290	4,683.00	Allen Miller T27	71-75-76-78-300	2.309.00
Johnny Miller T15	74-75-77-65-291	4,413.00	Richie Karl30	73-75-74-80-302	2.060.00
Rod Curl	75-70-72-74-291	4.413.00			2,220.00

# TALLAHASSEE OPEN

Purse: \$60,000

April 24-27, 1975

Killearn G. & C.C., Tallahassee, Fla. Par 36-36-72, 7,124 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—With 67s and at 5 under par—Steve Melnyk, Ralph Johnston, John Toepel, Bob Shaw, Bobby Mitchell and Rik Massengale. Second round—Massengale (67-67) took a two-stroke lead after 36 holes at 10 under par. John Toepel hung in with 67-69—136, 8-under par at 2nd place alone, and at 137-7 under par were Bobby Mitchell, Ralph Johnston and Steve Melnyk. Third round—Rik Massengale maintained his lead with a 68—202 putting him at 14-under par and a 4-shot lead over Ralph Johnston who had a 69 for 206-10 under and holding 2nd place alone. Bert Yancey moved into contention with a third round 68—207—9 under par. HOLE-IN-ONE: Friday—Jim Jamieson-14th hole par 3—210 yds—4 iron. Saturday—Nate Starks-11th hole—par 3—176 yds—5 iron.

CUT: 74 players at one-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** Windy at times for the first 2 days with temperatures in the mid-70s and under ideal playing conditions. Saturday and Sunday, warm and sunny. Temperature in mid-80s and humid.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual-Joe Inman, Eddie Pearce, John Jacobs, 67, \$416.66 each. Team-Ray Floyd, 54, \$500.

ATTENDANCE: 20,000

Spike Kelly         T2           Bert Yancey         T2           Ralph Johnston         .4           Bob Charles         .5           Sam Adams         .76           John Toepel         .76           Bob Panasiuk         .78           Terry Dill         .78           Bobby Mitchell         .78           Pete Brown         .78           Ray Floyd         .712           Mark Hayes         .712           John Schroeder         .712           John Schroeder         .712           Don Iverson         .716           Randy Erskine         .716           Peter Oosterhuis         .716           Jim Dent         .716           Larry Wise         .720           Nate Starks         .720           David Graham         .720           Dan Sikes         .724           Jim Jamieson         .724           Joe Porter         .724           Bobby Walzel         .724	69-70-69-68-276 69-70-68-69-276 67-70-69-72-278 71-69-70-67-280 67-69-75-69-280 67-69-75-69-281 70-71-69-71-281 71-69-69-72-281 71-69-69-72-281 71-70-69-69-282 71-70-71-69-282 71-70-71-69-283 71-72-70-70-283 71-72-70-70-283 71-72-70-70-283 71-72-70-70-284 71-71-74-69-284 71-71-74-69-285 70-72-71-70-285 71-72-70-70-285 71-72-70-70-285 71-72-70-70-285 71-72-70-70-285 71-72-70-70-285 71-72-70-70-285 71-72-70-70-285 71-74-70-70-285 71-74-70-285 71-74-70-285 71-74-70-285	5,550.00 5,550.00 2,820.00 2,460.00 2,040.00 2,040.00 1,567.50 1,567.50 1,567.50 1,125.00 1,125.00 1,125.00 870.00 870.00 870.00 870.00 636.00 636.00 636.00 645.34 445.34 445.33 445.33	Jack Ewing         T33           Larry Stubblefield         T40           Dwight Nevil         T40           Wally Armstrong         T40           Florentino Molina         T40           Bunky Henry         T40           Richard Crawford         T40           Lon Hinkle         T40           Gil Morgan         T40           Alan Tapie         T40           Jay Horton         49           Roy Pace         50           Austin Straub         T51           Joe Data         T51           John Jacobs         T51           Mike Long         T51           Rich Bassett         T56           Mike Wynn         T56           Ron Cerrudo         T58           Eddie Pearce         T58           Ross Randall         T58           Bob Shaw         T61           Ben Kern         T61           Laurie Hammer         T61           Bob Payne         T61	74-69-67-76 — 286 73-72-74-68 — 287 73-72-72-70 — 287 70-72-74-71 — 287 71-72-72 — 287 70-71-74-72 — 287 73-71-70-73 — 287 73-72-69-73 — 287 75-69-69-74 — 287 71-73-70-74 — 288 71-73-70-74 — 288 72-70-78-69 — 289 71-72-74-73 — 290 75-70-72-73 — 290 72-71-73-74 — 290 72-73-72-74 — 291 73-70-69-79 — 291 73-70-69-79 — 291 73-70-67-72-73 — 292 73-72-71-76 — 292 73-72-71-76 — 292 74-71-75-293 74-71-74-74 — 293 73-70-74-76 — 293 68-75-75-75 — 293 73-71-72-77 — 293	310.28 210.00 210.00 210.00 210.00 210.00 210.00 210.00 210.00 150.00 141.00 141.00 141.00 130.50 130.50 123.00 123.00 111.00 111.00
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		445.34	Laurie Hammer T61		
Joe PorterT24					
Bobby WalzelT24					
Frank Conner T24	71-70-73-71—285	445.33	Jim Bullard T66	73-72-75-74-294	100.50
Mike ReasorT24	72-69-72-72-285	445.33	Bill Rogers T66	72-70-78-74-294	100.50
Ed Dougherty T24	70-71-71-73 — 285	445.33	Rick Richards 68	76-66-76-77 — 295 74-71-76-75 — 296	96.00
Larry Nelson T24	69-74-67-75-285	445.33	Bob Wadkins T69		61.00
Monty Kaser T33	73-70-76-67 — 286	310.29	Bob Wallace T69	73-71-75-77 - 296	61.00
Mike Morley T33	71-74-73-68-286	310.29	Bob Eastwood T69	73-72-74-77 — 296 74-70-76-77 — 297	01.00
Sammy Rachels T33	69-73-75-69-286	310.29	John Schamp 72	71-74-74-81 — 300	
Gibby Gilbert T33	73-71-72-70-286	310.29	Rich Bland		
Mason Rudolph T33	71-68-76-71 - 286	310.28	Perry Leslie 74	73-70-75-83-301	
Jim Wiechers T33	72-72-70-72-286	310.28			

# **HOUSTON OPEN**

Purse: \$150,000

May 1-4, 1975

Woodlands C. C., Houston, Tex. Par 36-36-72, 6,929 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Lee Trevino and David Graham shared the lead with 66s. Dale Douglass, Jerry McGee, Ed Pearce and Alan Tapie were second at 67. Second round—Lee Trevino stood alone with a 69 for 135, while Douglass (67-70) and Pearce (67-70) shared second at 137. Third round—Bruce Crampton's 66 moved him into the lead with a 12-under total of 204. Gil Morgan closed to second with a 67-205. Trevino's 73 left him four back of Crampton.

CUT: 83 players at even par.

**WEATHER:** Rain and high winds forced cancellation of Wednesday's Pro-Am. Thursday and Friday were hot and muggy with temperatures in the middle 80s. Saturday was cloudy and hot with an occassional cooling breeze. Sunday was partly cloudy and breezy.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$10,000. The pro-am was rained out-all players received equal shares of

\$102.04.

ATTENDANCE: 80,000

BRUCE	CRAMPTON	1	68-70-66-69-2	273 \$30,000	
Gil Morgan 2	70-68-67-70-275	17, 100,00	Gary Wintz T41	69-75-70-73-287	510.00
Joe Inman	68-70-71-67-276		Pete BrownT41	69-70-74-74-287	510.00
John Schroeder 4	68-72-67-71-278	7,050.00	Jim Colbert T41	69-69-75-74-287	510.00
Tom Kite	70-71-70-68-279	5,193.75	Larry Wise T41	74-70-69-74-287	510.00
Lionel Herbert T5	69-71-70-69-279	5,193.75	Lou Graham T41	68-72-72-75-287	510.00
Larry Nelson T5	68-71-70-70-279	5,193.75	Al Geiberger T41	73-67-72-75—287	510.00
Eddie Pearce T5	67-70-71-71-279	5,193.75	Joe Porter T49	74-68-75-71-288	373.00
Alan Tapie	67-71-73-69-280	3,900.00	Rod Funseth T49	70-72-73-73-288	373.00
Roger Maltbie T9	69-70-70-71-280	3,900.00	Jim Jamieson T49	69-75-71-73-288	373.00
Lee Trevino 11	66-69-73-74-282	3,450.00	John Schlee T49	72-71-69-76-288	373.00
Tommy Aaron T12	70-71-74-68-283	2.571.43	Arnold Palmer T53	74-70-76-69-289	322.56
Charles Coody T12	69-71-74-69-283	2,571,43	Jim Marshall T53	69-74-75-71-289	322.56
Bobby Nichols T12	70-74-70-69-283	2.571.43	Mike Reasor T53	70-72-77-70-289	322.56
Rik Massengale T12	71-70-73-69-283	2,571.43	Bob Dickson T53	71-73-73-72-289	322.56
Mike WynnT12	68-70-75-70-283	2.571.43	Lon Hinkle	70-72-74-73-289	322.56
Peter Oosterhuis T12	72-71-69-71-283	2,571.43	Bob E. Smith T53	72-71-73-73-289	322.55
Gene Littler T12	69-73-70-71-283	2,571.42	Mike Mitchell T53	69-73-72-75-289	322.55
Terry Diehl T19	70-73-73-68-284	1,605.00	Allen Miller T53	70-69-74-76-289	322.55
Bill Rogers T19	70-73-71-70-284	1,605.00	Ralph Johnston T53	69-70-73-77 - 289	322.55
Wally Armstrong T19	70-70-73-71-284	1,605.00	Roy Pace T62	69-74-74-73-290	273.75
George Johnson T19	71-72-70-71-284	1,605.00	Jim Wiechers T62	72-71-73-74-290	273.75
George Knudson T19	71-73-68-72-284	1,605.00	Ben Kern	72-72-71-75-290	273.75
Bobby Mitchell T19	71-71-70-72-284	1,605.00	Bob Charles T62	69-74-72-74-290	273.75
Mike Morley T25	70-71-74-70-285	1,110.00	Julius Boros T66	72-72-79-69-292	150.00
Richard Crawford T25	72-71-71-71-285	1,110.00	Don Iverson T66	69-73-77-73-292	150.00
Jerry McGee T25	67-71-74-73-285	1,110.00	Florentino Molina T66	73-71-74-74-292	150.00
Grier Jones T25	70-74-69-72-285	1,110.00	Juan Rodriguez T66	73-71-74-74-292	150.00
David Graham T25	66-73-73-73-285	1,110.00	Bert Greene T66	71-69-76-76-292	150.00
Butch Baird T25	69-71-72-73-285	1,110.00	Artie McNickle T66	68-71-77-76-292	150.00
Don JanuaryT25	71-69-72-73-285	1,110.00	John Mahaffey T66	71-71-74-76-292	150.00
John Lister T32	72-69-78-67-286	778.34	Laurie Hammer T66	77-66-72-77 - 292	150.00
Leonard Thompson T32	71-69-76-70-286	778.34	Fuzzy Zoeller T74	72-72-76-74-294	
Bruce Devlin T32	73-71-73-69-286	778.34	Jim Dent	72-72-77-73-294	
Billy Ziobro T32	71-70-74-71-286	778.33	Bob Shaw T74	68-75-73-78-294	
Dave Stockton T32	70-74-70-72-286	778.33	Spike Kelley T74	70-71-74-79-294	
J. C. Snead T32	70-71-72-73-286	778.33	Perry Leslie	71-70-76-78-295	
Bob Eastwood T32	71-68-73-74-286	778.33	Frank Conner T78	71-72-75-77-295	
Tom Evans T32	70-71-70-75-286	778.33	Bobby Wadkins T80	68-75-76-77-296	
Bert Yancey T32	70-69-71-76-286	778.33	Terry Alsup T80	69-75-74-78-296	
Andy North T41	70-72-74-71-287	510.00	Austin Straub 82	70-71-80-76-297	
Dale Douglass T41	67-70-78-72-287	510.00	Jack Ewing 83	72-70-78-85 - 305	

# BYRON NELSON GOLF CLASSIC

Purse: \$175,000

May 8-12, 1975

Preston Trail G. C., Dallas, Tex. Par 35-36-71, 6,983 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Bruce Crampton birdied the final hole for five-under par 66 and one-stroke lead over Ben Crenshaw, Babe Hiskey, Bob E. Smith and Don Bies. Second round—Larry Nelson's 65 gave him an eight-under par 134 and a one-stroke lead over Smith and Watson. Crampton and Dwight Nevil were at 136. Watson and Jack Ewing equaled Brian Allin's 1974 course record, eight-under 63. Third round—Bob Eastwood (65), Rod Funseth (66) and Crampton (67) shared the lead at 10-under par 203. Miller Barber, Smith and Watson at 204. HOLES-IN-ONE: Pete Brown, No. 4, on Thursday; Forrest Fezler, No. 13, on Friday; Joe Inman, No. 13, on Saturday.

CUT: 73 players at one-over par 143.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, Friday and Saturday, hot and humid. Sunday, play suspended at 11:57 with 16 groups on course, nine still to tee off. Play finally postponed at 2:32 by rain, and thunderstorms. Final round set Monday, which turned out to be beautiful, sunny day.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$10,000. Preston Trail-\$5,000, Individual-Johnny Miller, 64, \$500. Team-Tom Watson, 52, \$500. Bent Tree—\$5,000, Individual-Bobby Mitchell, 69, \$500. Team-Larry Nelson, 59, \$500.

ATTENDANCE: 100,000

### TOM WATSON . . . . . 1 72-63-69-65-269 \$35,000.00

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Bob E. Smith 2			Joe InmanT35	68-71-70-72-281	844.00
Jack Ewing 3		12,425.00	Johnny Miller T35	68-70-69-74-281	844.00
Larry Nelson T4		7,700.00	Roy Pace	69-68-70-74-281	844.00
Rod FunsethT4		7,700.00	Bobby ColeT41	71-71-71-69—282	594.50
Dwight Nevil		5,950.00	Don Bies T41	67-70-74-71—282	594.50
Bruce Crampton T6		5,950.00	Peter Oosterhuis T41	72-66-73-71-282	594.50
Lon Hinkle T8	69-71-68-67-275	4,392.60	Rod CurlT41	68-73-70-71-282	594.50
Mike Morley T8	71-71-65-68-275	4,392.60	Randy Erskine T41	70-70-71-71-282	594.50
George Knudson T8	68-69-68-70-275	4,392.60	Tom Shaw T41	72-69-68-73-282	594.50
Miller Barber T8	68-69-67-71-275	4,392.60	Fuzzy Zoeller T41	70-71-67-74-282	594.50
Bob Eastwood T8	73-65-65-72-275	4,392.60	Ben Crenshaw T41	67-70-70-75-282	594.50
B. R. McLendon T13	69-69-72-66-276	3,062.50	Hale Irwin T49	69-71-73-70-283	446.50
Danny Edwards T13	69-72-68-67-276	3,062.50	Dan Sikes T49	71-71-70-71-283	446.50
Richard Crawford T13	71-67-70-68-276	3,062.50	John Schlee T51	73-68-70-73-284	424.50
Leonard Thompson T13	74-68-65-69-276	3,062.50	Frank Conner T51	72-66-70-76-284	424.50
Allen Miller T17	72-66-71-68-277	2,362.50	Jim Masserio T53	73-68-75-69-285	380.75
David Graham, T17	71-72-66-68-277	2,362.50	Bob Wynn	73-70-72-70-285	380.75
Ed Sneed T17	71-70-68-68-277	2,362.50	Alan Tapie T53	73-68-74-70-285	380.75
Bruce Fleisher T17	68-71-68-70-277	2,362.50	Mike Reasor T53	68-70-76-71-285	380.75
Jerry McGee T21	73-68-70-67-278	1,580.15	Ron Cerrudo T53	73-69-73-70-285	380.75
Forrest Fezler T21	69-69-71-69-278	1,580.15	Bob Dickson T53	70-67-75-73-285	380.75
Gene Littler T21	71-70-69-68-278	1,580.14	Grier Jones T53	71-70-71-73-285	380.75
Jim Dent	68-71-70-69-278	1,580.14	Florentino Molina T53	68-73-70-74-285	380.75
Gil Morgan T21	71-71-66-70-278	1,580.14	Bryan Abbott T61	72-71-73-70-286	332.67
Charles Coody T21	68-69-70-71-278	1,580,14	Babe Hiskey T61	67-74-73-72-286	332.67
Steve MelnykT21	68-72-66-72-278		Eddie Pearce , T61	70-69-71-76-286	332.66
Brian Allin T28	69-70-72-68-279		Jerry Heard 64	72-69-74-72-287	315.00
Jim Simons T28	69-70-70-70-279	1,190.20	Jim Jamieson T65	69-74-73-72-288	293.25
Dick RhyanT28	73-69-67-70-279		Bob ZenderT65	68-72-75-73-288	293.25
Hubert Green T28	69-70-69-71-279		Tom Jenkins T65	71-71-71-75-288	293.25
Dave Stockton T28	68-71-69-71-279		Mike Wynn	71-69-74-74-288	293.25
Tommy Aaron T33			Butch Baird 69	72-70-77-70-289	271.00
Andy NorthT33			Monty Kaser T70	72-69-78-71-290	131.50
Ralph Johnston T35			George Cadle T70	73-70-71-76-290	131.50
Tom Evans T35			Bill Rogers	72-71-73-76-292	
Bobby Mitchell T35			Mark Hayes T72	71-72-75-74-292	
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# FIRST NBC NEW ORLEANS OPEN

Lakewood C. C., New Orleans, La. Par 36-36-72, 7,080 yards

Purse: \$150,000 May 15-18, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Billy Casper and Larry, Nelson shared the lead over five players tied at 68, with first round 67s. Gary Wintz made a hole-in-one, the first of his career. Second round—Casper continued his lead through 36 holes with a 68 for 135. He led Peter Oosterhuis and Torn Shaw by one. Third round—Casper gained a four stroke lead over Peter Oosterhuis with a 66, which included four straight birdies on the back nine (holes 12-15). Through 54 holes, Casper was at 201.

CUT: 76 players at one-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** Severe rain Wednesday. Overcast and humid Thursday through Saturday. Temperatures in the 80s. Sunday, clearer though hazy. Continued warm but with slight breeze.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-Lionel Hebert, 65, \$750. Team-Bob Stanton, Leonard Thompson, Frank Beard, 56, \$625 each.

ATTENDANCE: 43,000

### BILLY CASPER ..... 1 67-68-66-70-271 \$30,000.00

Peter Oosterhuis 2	68-68-69-68-273	17,100.0C	Juan Rodriguez T40	74-70-74-69-287	570.00
Lanny Wadkins 3	69-68-70-69-276	10,650.00	Grier Jones T40	72-73-71-71-287	570.00
Bob Wynn 4	71-66-70-70-277	7,050.00	Larry Nelson T40	67-71-76-73-287	570.00
Don January T5	69-72-71-66-278	5,450.00	Victor Regalado T40	75-69-71-72-287	570.00
Larry Hinson T5	73-70-67-68-278	5,450.00	DeWitt Weaver T40	71-71-72-73-287	570.00
Steve Melnyk T5	69-69-68-72-278	5,450.00	Roger Maltbie T40	75-70-69-73-287	570.00
David Graham T8	70-69-73-67-279	4,075.00	Julius Boros T46	73-70-74-71-288	406.17
Joe Porter	74-66-71-68-279	4,075.00	Richard Crawford T46	71-72-74-71-288	406.17
Tom Shaw T8	69-67-73-70-279	4,075.00	Ron Cerrudo T46	72-67-75-74-288	406.17
Dale Douglass T11	73-67-69-71-280	3,300.00	Chuck Courtney T46	73-70-71-74-288	406.17
George Knudson T11	70-70-69-71-280	3,300.00	Gary Sanders T46	68-74-71-75-288	406.16
Rod Funseth 13	70-67-72-72-281	2,850.00	John Abendroth T46	71-71-69-77-288	406.16
Bob E. Smith T14	72-66-73-71-282	2,475.00	Larry Ziegler T52	73-69-77-70-289	333.75
Mac McLendon T14	71-70-71-70-282	2,475.00	Dwight Nevil T52	71-73-75-70-289	333.75
Babe Hiskey T14	72-69-70-71-282	2,475.00	Tom Jenkins T52	74-71-74-70-289	333.75
Lee Trevino T14	72-70-67-73-282	2,475.00	Mike Mitchell T52	73-71-73-72-289	333.75
Jim ColbertT18	71-70-73-69-283	1,621.88	Jim Masserio T52	72-73-73-71-289	333.75
Danny Edwards T18	68-69-76-70-283	1,621.88	Tom WatsonT52	73-70-72-74-289	333.75
Buddy AllinT18	71-70-72-70-283	1,621.88	Nate StarksT52	70-73-72-74-289	333.75
Allen Miller T18	68-71-73-71-283	1,621.88	Pat Fitzsimons T52	73-71-71-74-289	333.75
Dick RhyanT18	71-71-70-283	1,621.87	Gay BrewerT60	74-71-73-72-290	281.34
Mike Morley T18	68-72-71-72-283	1,621.87	Kermit Zarley T60	70-74-73-73-290	281.34
Eddie Pearce T18	70-69-72-72-283	1,621.87	John Lister T60	75-70-72-73-290	281.33
Fred MartiT18	71-67-69-76-283	1,621.87	Marty Fleckman T60	71-73-72-74-290	281.33
Bill Rogers T26	73-68-75-68-284	1,087.50	Bruce Fleisher T60	73-70-71-76-290	281.33
Dave Hill T26	69-72-74-69 - 284	1,087.50	Roy Pace T60	71-71-70-78-290	281.33
Alan Tapie T26	70-70-74-70-284	1,087.50	Mike Reasor T66	74-71-74-72-291	243.75
John JacobsT26	72-70-72-70-284	1,087.50	Doug Ford T66	73-72-72-74-291	243.75
Bob RischT26	75-70-69-70-284	1,087.50	Tom Evans T66	76-69-70-76-291	243.75
Charles Coody T26	71-70-69-74-284	1,087.50	Mike Wynn T66	71-72-70-78-291	243.75
Lionel Hebert T32	70-74-74-67 — 285	849.00	Bob Dickson T70	71-74-73-74-292	112.50
Tony Jacklin T32	73-71-72-69 — 285	849.00	Curtis Sifford T70	70-73-71-78-292	112.50
Bob Murphy T32	73-66-72-74-285	849.00	Lou Graham T72	75-69-72-77-293	
Randy Erskine T32	69-68-73-75-285	849.00	Gary Wintz T72	72-72-71-78-293	
Jim Dent	71-68-69-77-285	849.00	Florentino Molina T72	72-72-78-71-293	
Bob Eastwood T37	71-72-74-69-286	705.00	Gary McCord 75	69-74-72-79-294	
Ed Sneed T37	72-68-75-71-286	705.00	Freddie Haas 76	76-69-77-76-298	
Dave Newquist T37	71-73-70-72-286	705.00			

# **DANNY THOMAS MEMPHIS CLASSIC**

Purse: \$175,000

May 22-25, 1975

Colonial C. C., Memphis, Tenn. Par 36-36-72, 7,173 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—John Mahaffey, Andy North and Tom Weiskopf took the lead with 65s. Jack Nicklaus and Larry Hinson shared second at 66. Second round—Mahaffey's 68 gave him a two-shot lead over Gene Littler (67-68-135) and an additional stroke over Weiskopf (65-71-136) and Nicklaus (66-70-136). Third round—Mahaffey and Littler pulled away from Nicklaus and Weiskopf by five shots. Littler's 69 totaled 204 as did Mahaffey's 71. HOLE-IN-ONE—Hubert Green, four iron at 15 on Friday. Tom Weiskopf's 30 on the front nine on Sunday is a course record. Gene Littler's total of 270 is both a course and tournament record.

CUT: 76 players at two-over par 146.

**WEATHER:** All five days of the tournament were sunny and warm with temperatures in the upper 80s and low 90s. Sunday was breezy.

**PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500.** Larry Ziegler captured both the individual and team first with a 64 and a 56, respectively. The 64 represents a competitive course record. He totaled \$1,500.

ATTENDANCE: 146,330. (all-time record)

Bob E. Smith ..... T30 71-68-74-75-288 954.45

# GENE LITTLER ..... 1 67-68-69-66-270 \$35,000.00

John Mahaffey2	65-68-71-71-275	19,950.00	Gil Morgan T30	68-71-72-77 288	954.45
Tom Weiskopf T3	65-71-73-68-277	10.325.00	Curtis Sifford T41	71-71-76-71-289	564.90
Jack Nicklaus T3	66-70-73-68-277	10.325.00	Terry Diehl T41	68-78-71-72-289	564.90
Jim Simons T5	69-70-72-70-281	6.737.50	George Cadle T41	73-72-72-72-289	564.90
Tom Kite	67-73-70-71-281	6.737.50	Hubert Green T41	73-72-72-72-289	564.90
Tom Watson 7	69-72-73-68-282	5,600.00	Dick Rhyan T41	72-72-73-289	564.90
Jim Dent 8	72-70-74-67 - 283	5,163.00	Lyn Lott	68-76-72-73-289	564.90
Lee Trevino T9	74-67-73-70-284	3,750.00	Larry Hinson T41	66-71-78-74-289	564.90
Gibby Gilbert T9	72-71-71-70-284	3.750.00	Andy North T41	65-74-74-76-289	564.90
Joe Inman	71-72-71-70-284	3,750.00	Bob Dickson T41	72-73-69-75-289	564.90
Roy Pace	74-70-69-71-284	3,750.00	Ed Sneed T41	71-71-71-76-289	564.90
Don January T9	73-71-69-71-284	3.750.00	Rex Caldwell T51	73-72-74-71-290	415.75
John ListerT9	68-71-73-72-284	3,750.00	Joe Porter T51	72-71-72-75-290	415.75
Ray Floyd	69-74-69-72-284	3,750.00	Ben Kern	71-74-70-75-290	415.75
Leonard Thompson T16	69-70-76-70-285	2,712.50	Buddy Allin T51	73-69-72-76-290	415.75
John Schlee T16	72-74-67-72-285	2,712.50	Jim Masserio 55	70-71-73-77-291	394.00
Eddie PearceT18	71-75-71-69-286	2,275.00	Nate StarksT56	73-72-74-73-292	372.00
Gary McCord T18	73-72-68-73-286	2,275.00	Marion Heck T56	71-72-75-74-292	372.00
Gary Player T18	68-71-73-74-286	2,275.00	David Glenz T56	76-69-73-74-292	372.00
Jack Ewing T21	73-73-72-69-287	1,511.00	Jim Wiechers T56	74-67-73-78-292	372.00
Lou GrahamT21	73-72-73-69-287	1,511.00	Ron Cerrudo T60	73-73-76-71-293	332.60
Dwight Nevil T21	73-69-74-71-287	1,511.00	Roger Maltbie T60	75-70-75-73-293	332.60
Don Bies T21	70-72-72-73-287	1,511.00	Victor Regalado T60	74-72-75-72-293	332.60
Chuck Courtney T21	72-68-73-74-287	1,511.00	Jim Colbert T60	73-72-73-75-293	332.60
Mark Hayes T21	67-75-71-74-287	1,511.00	Bert Weaver T60	70-69-77-77 — 293	332.60
Dan Sikes T21	71-71-72-73-287	1,511.00	B. R. McLendon T65	70-73-78-73-294	297.67
Allen MillerT21	72-72-69-74-287	1,511.00	Gary Groh	73-72-73-76-294	297.67
Dave Hill	71-70-69-77-287	1,511.00	Bobby Mitchell T65	73-70-72-79 — 294	297.66
Pat Fitzsimons T30	73-69-76-70-288	954.46	Jim Jamieson T68	73-73-72-77 — 295	275.50
Frank Conner T30	69-70-79-70-288	954.46	Bill Rogers	71-70-74-80 - 295	275.50
Al Geiberger T30	74-68-74-72-288	954.46	Terry Small T70	73-73-78-72-296	65.75
Billy Casper T30	71-74-70-73-288	954.45	Mike Mitchell T70	74-68-77-77 — 296	65.75
Dave Stockton T30	69-74-73-72-288	954.46	Larry White T70	72-71-77-76-296	65.75
Danny Edwards T30	73-73-70-72-288	954.46	Barney Thompson . T70	74-71-73-78—296	65.75
Dale Douglass T30	73-67-74-74-288	954.45	Bob Wallace 74	69-74-73-81-297	
John Schroeder T30		954.45	Bob StoneT75	70-73-79-77 — 299	
J. C. Snead T30	72-71-70-75-288	954.45	Tom Evans T75	73-71-77-78-299	

#### ATLANTA GOLF CLASSIC

Atlanta, C. C., Atlanta, Ga. Par 36-36-72, 6,883 yards

Purse: \$225,000 May 29-June 1, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Billy Casper, Joe Inman and Hale Irwin took the lead with 66s, two strokes ahead of the field. Second round—Hale Irwin continued to lead with a 69 for 135. However, Miller Barber's brilliant 64 put him in a tie with Irwin. (That 64 tied the course record, a feat equalled by Peter Oosterhuis in the second round, after an opening 77.) Irwin and Barber led by two. Third round—Irwin's 68 gave him sole possession of the lead, three strokes ahead of Charles Coody.

CUT: 78 players at one-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** Very hot and humid all week. Temperatures in 80s and 90s. Skies overcast all week until Sunday. One rain suspension: Wednesday, 3:13 to 4:25.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-Hale Irwin and Jim Colbert, 64, \$675 each. Team-Jim Colbert, 54, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 82,450

#### HALE IRWIN . . . . . 1 66-69-68-68-271 \$45,000.00

Tom Watson2	71-71-65-68-275	25 650 00	Grier Jones T39	69-73-74-71-287	832.22
Charlie Coody3	71-68-67-70-276		Paul Moran T39	73-71-72-71-287	832.22
Miller BarberT4	71-64-73-69-277	9,300.00	J. C. Snead T39	74-71-70-72-287	832.22
Jack NicklausT4	68-73-67-69-277	9,300.00	Gary Player T39	73-71-71-72-287	832.22
Johnny Miller T4	68-71-68-70-277	9,300.00	David Graham T39	71-73-71-72-287	832.22
Jim Colbert	70-74-68-67-279	6,925.00	George Cadle T39	73-72-69-73-287	832.22
Jim Dent	70-68-69-72-279	6,925.00	Lyn Lott	70-72-69-76-287	832.22
John Schlee T9	71-74-67-68-280	5,625.00	Charlie SiffordT48	72-71-75-70-288	562.50
Billy Casper T9	66-73-70-71-280	5,625.00	Forrest Fezler T48	73-71-72-72-288	562.50
Gibby Gilbert T9	75-65-70-70-280	5,625.00	Joe Porter T48	76-69-70-73—288	562.50
Jerry McGee T12	72-73-70-67 - 282	4,218.75	John Mahaffey T48	71-72-72-73—288	562.50
Lee Trevino T12	69-76-67-70-282	4,218.75	Marion Heck T48	71-74-69-74-288	562.50
Kermit Zarley T12	73-71-67-71-282	4,218.75	Lee Elder T48	71-72-70-75—288	562.50
Leonard Thompson T12	68-75-67-72-282	4,218.75	Randy Erskine T54	72-73-74-70-289	489.17
Peter Oosterhuis T16	77-64-75-67-283	2,925.00	Cesar SanudoT54	74-70-75-70-289	489.17
Jerry Heard T16	71-68-76-68-283	2,925.00	Bill Rogers	72-72-74-71-289	489.17
Terry Diehl T16	74-68-71-70-283	2,925.00	Ed Sneed T54	75-70-71-73-289	489.17
Bob Murphy T16	71-70-72-70-283	2,925.00	Dave Stockton T54	73-71-71-74-289	489.16
Mark Hayes T16	73-70-68-72-283	2,925.00	Bob GoalbyT54	69-72-73-75-289	489.16
Joe Inman T16	66-76-70-71-283	2,925.00	Gary McCord T60	74-69-73-74-290	442.50
Larry HinsonT16	70-67-74-72-283	2,925.00	Dave Hill	71-71-72-76-290	442.50
Rod Funseth T23	71-71-73-69-284	1,991.67	Bobby Mitchell T62	74-69-78-70-291	405.00
Tom Kite	71-72-72-69-284	1,991.67	Bob Eastwood T62	75-67-79-70-291	405.00
Lou Graham T23	69-72-72-71-284	1,991.66	Bob Menne T62	72-72-74-73-291	405.00
Tom Weiskopf T26	74-67-76-68-285	1,596.43	Larry Ziegler T62	74-71-71-75-291	405.00
Gil Morgan T26	70-71-73-71-285	1,596.43	Gardner Dickinson . T66	74-71-75-72-292	360.00
Eddie Pearce T26	73-69-71-72-285	1,596.43	Rik Massengale T66	70-72-74-76-292	360.00
Dale Douglass T26	71-69-73-72-285	1,596.43	Rod Curl T66	73-69-74-76-292	360.00
Jim Masserio T26	74-67-71-73—285	1,596.43	Bobby Cole T66	73-72-72-75-292	360.00
Allen Miller T26	70-70-71-74-285	1,596.43	Dave Newquist T66	70-73-73-76-292	360.00
Ray Floyd T26	70-71-69-75—285	1,596.42	Richard Crawford T71	73-72-71-77-293	
Bruce Crampton T33	75-70-72-69-286	1,190.84	Jim Wiechers T71	74-71-76-72-293	
Gene Littler T33	74-70-72-70-286	1,190.84	Bob E. Smith T71	69-75-75-74-293	
Ben Crenshaw T33	71-74-71-70-286	1,190.83	Don Iverson	69-73-73-78-293	
Nate Starks T33	70-70-74-72-286	1,190.83	Bruce Fleisher75	73-71-76-74-294	
Don Bies	74-69-69-74-286	1,190.83	John Lister 76	72-73-74-77-296	
Jack Ewing T33	68-72-70-76-286	1,190.83	David Glenz 77	71-74-74-79-298	
Danny Edwards T39	69-74-76-68-287	832.23	Mike Mitchell78	72-73-80-76-301	
Bobby Nichols T39	72-71-75-69-287	832.23			

#### KEMPER OPEN

Purse: \$250,000

June 5-8, 1975

Quail Hollow C. C., Charlotte, NC Par 36-36-72, 7,160 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Ray Floyd headed the first round scoring a 65. Two strokes behind at 67 were Bobby Mitchell and rookie, Roger Maltbie. **Second round**—Floyd's 71 gave him a two-shot margin over Dan Sikes (71-67-138). **Third round**—Gary Player took the lead after firing a 69 for 208. Bobby Nichols' 69 enabled him to share the second position with Floyd (73) at 209.

CUT: 78 players at three-over par 147.

**WEATHER:** All tournament rounds were played under brilliant sunshine. Temperatures ranged in the middle and upper 80s. The wind was not much of a factor except for the third round when an occasional gust arose.

**PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500.** Ed Sneed won individual honors with a 67. Larry Ziegler topped the team competition with a 53. Both collected \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 75,400

#### RAY FLOYD . . . . . 1 65-71-73-69-278 \$50,000.00

John Mahaffey T2	71-69-71-70-281	23 125 00	Tony Jacklin T41	73-74-75-69-291	807.50
Gary PlayerT2	69-70-69-73-281		Dick LotzT41	75-68-75-73-291	807.50
Jerry Heard4	71-70-69-72-282		Hale Irwin T41	73-74-71-73-291	807.50
Peter Oosterhuis T5	70-73-69-71-283	9.083.34	Dave Stockton T41	72-74-72-73-291	807.50
Bob Murphy	68-72-72-71-283	9.083.33	Jerry McGeeT41	75-70-73-73-291	807.50
Jim Masserio T5	71-70-69-73—283	9,083.33	Jim Dent	68-77-72-74-291	807.50
Steve Melnyk T8	71-68-74-71-284	6.531.25	Rik Massengale T41	71-73-72-75-291	807.50
Bob Stanton T8	70-75-69-70-284	6,531.25	Bert Yancey T41	70-76-70-75-291	807.50
David Graham T8	73-68-71-72-284	6.531.25	Jim Jamieson T41	72-75-69-75-291	807.50
Bobby Nichols T8	71-69-69-75-284	6.531.25	Bob Charles T41	73-74-68-76-291	807.50
Charles Coody T12	72-72-74-67 — 285	4,687.50	Lou Graham T51	75-70-80-67 - 292	600.00
Don BiesT12	70-71-73-71 — 285	4,687.50	Bob Eastwood T51	72-75-73-72-292	600.00
Roger MaltbieT12	67-77-70-71 - 285	4,687.50	B. R. McLendon T51	72-73-73-74-292	600.00
Mark Hayes T12	70-70-72-73-285	4,687.50	Jim Wiechers T54	69-73-74-77 — 293	562.67
George Knudson T16	74-72-71-69-286	3,500.00	Randy Erskine T54	73-70-73-77 — 293	562.67
Bob Wynn T16	73-72-71-70-286	3,500.00	John Toepel T54	72-71-73-77 — 293	562.66
Danny Edwards T16	69-75-72-70-286	3,500.00	Tom Jenkins T57	72-73-77-72-295	500.00
Leonard Thompson T16	73-73-70-70-286	3,500.00	Tom Shaw	74-73-75-72-294	500.00
Joe Inman T16	73-71-69-73-286	3,500.00	Terry Diehl T57	71-75-74-74-294	500.00
Hubert Green T21	73-73-73-68-287	2,375.00	Jim SimonsT57	72-75-74-73-294	500.00
Gene Littler T21	71-71-75-70-287	2.375.00	Ed Furgol	69-77-74-74 - 294	500.00
Larry Hinson T21	75-70-71-71-287	2,375.00	Dave Newquist T57	73-74-71-76-294	500.00
Miller Barber T21	69-70-76-72—287	2,375.00	Dale Douglass T57	70-74-70-80-294	500.00
Dan SikesT21	71-67-73-76—287	2.375.00	John Lister T64	74-71-77-73-295	443.50
Rod FunsethT26	73-68-77-70—288	1,737.50	Julius Boros T64	73-71-78-73-295	443.50
Alan Tapie T26	72-70-74-72-288	1,737.50	Homero Blancas T66	76-70-76-74-296	412.67
Bill Rogers T26	73-74-70-71-288	1,737.50	Marion Heck T66	73-74-75-74-296	412.67
Lanny Wadkins T26	73-73-71-71-288	1.737.50	Dick Rhyan T66	68-71-79-78-296	412.66
Terrance DillT26	73-73-70-72-288	1,737.50	Joe Porter T69	69-78-76-74-297	381.00
Bobby Mitchell T26	67-73-75-73—288	1,737.50	Juan Rodriguez T69	72-73-75-77 - 297	381.00
Don January T26	72-71-72-73-288	1,737.50	Greg TrompasT71	72-74-76-76-298	
Larry Ziegler T26	72-70-72-74-288	1,737.50	Allen Miller T71	73-73-75-77 - 298	
Ed Sneed T34	70-72-72-75—289	1,350.00	Frank Beard T71	74-72-75-77-298	
Chuck CourtneyT34	71-72-71-75-289	1,350.00	Labron Harris T74	75-72-78-76-301	
Rod Curl T34	75-71-67-76-289	1.350.00	John Jacobs T74	76-69-81-75-301	
Gary McCord T37	72-74-76-68-290	1,150.00	Bruce Cramptor	71-73-WD	
Bobby Cole T37	73-72-75-70-290	1,150.00	Lee Elder	72-75-77-WD	
Victor Regalado T37	73-70-76-71-290	1,150.00	Jack Ewing	70-75-WD	
Kermit Zarley T37	73-69-73-75-290	1,150.00			
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#### **IVB-PHILADELPHIA GOLF CLASSIC**

Whitemarsh Valley C. C., Chestnut Hill, Pa. Par 36-35-71, 6,687 yards

Par 36-35-71, 6,687 yards

June 12-15, 1975

LEADERS: First round—Lou Graham opened with a 65 for a two-shot lead over Jerry Heard and

Purse: \$150,000

Third round—Jenkins continued to lead with a 203 total. Five back were Jim Simons, Johnny Miller, Allen Miller and Bob Wynn.

CUT: 73 players survived the 36-hole cut, at a score of 146 (+4). However, due to weather conditions and the need for a 36 hole final on Monday, only the low 50 players and ties competed Monday. The

George Johnson. Second round-Tom Jenkins fired a 65 for 134 total and five shots over Jim Dent.

number came to 61 competitors at 145(+3). **WEATHER:** Sunny, hot, humid Wednesday. Downpour Thursday cancelled play, and flooding Friday prevented play, despite sunny weather. Hot and humid Saturday and Sunday for the first two rounds. Continued hot and humid Monday but overcast with rain late in the day.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-Ray Flord, 63, \$750. Team-Ray Floyd and Jim Wiechers, 54, \$675 each

ATTENDANCE: 54,451

#### TOM JENKINS . . . . . 1 69-65-69-72-275 \$30,000.00

Johnny Miller 2	71-69-68-68-276	17,100.0C	Grier Jones T37	72-70-73-74-289	645.00
Bob Wynn 3	73-70-65-69-277	10,650.0C	Dave Newquist T37	72-71-69-77-289	645.00
Jim Simons4	69-71-68-71-279	7,050.0C	Kermit Zarley T37	70-74-72-73-289	645.00
Buddy Allin 5	71-70-69-70-280	6,150.0C	Lanny Wadkins T37	73-71-69-76-289	645.00
Gary Groh	73-71-71-66-281	4,485.0C	Bob Murphy T37	72-73-74-70-289	645.00
Jerry McGee T6	69-72-68-72-281	4,485.0C	George Johnson T44	67-76-71-76-290	441.43
Don Bies	71-71-71-68-281	4,485.0C	Jim Wiechers T44	73-70-76-71-290	441.43
Tom Shaw	70-71-70-70-281	4,485.0C	Dave Eichelberger . T44	70-73-74-73-290	441.43
J. C. Snead T6	69-72-69-71-281	4,485.0C	John Lister T44	71-73-72-74-290	441.43
Allen Miller 11	71-71-66-74-282	3,450.0C	Jim Masserio T44	71-71-77-71-290	441.43
Dave Hill T12	74-69-70-70-283	2,900.0C	Bob Payne T44	70-75-73-72-290	441.43
Randy Erskine T12	74-68-73-68-283	2,900.0C	Tony Jacklin T44	70-75-73-72-290	441.42
Mark Hayes T12	70-72-68-73-283	2,900.00	Bert Yancey T51	71-72-72-76-291	363.50
Terrance DillT15	70-73-71-70-284	1,956.67	Joe Porter	72-72-75-291	363.50
Don JanuaryT15	71-73-70-70-284	1,956.67	Alan Tapie	68-76-76-72-292	349.00
Gary Player T15	74-70-70-70-284	1,956.67	Bill Casper T53	71-74-73-74-292	349.00
Frank Beard T15	72-70-71-71-284	1,956.67	Wally Armstrong T55	72-72-74-75-293	333.50
Danny Edwards T15	72-70-71-71-284	1,956.67	Jerry Heard T55	67-77-71-78-29	333.50
Bobby Cole T15	73-72-67-72-284	1,956.67	Fuzzy Zoeller57	71-71-79-73-294	323.00
Rocky Thompson T15	70-75-70-69-284	1,956.66	Terry Diehl58	71-74-74-76-295	315.00
Jim Colbert T15	71-74-68-71-284	1,956.66	Dick Lotz 59	70-75-75-77-297	307.00
Jim Dent	72-67-72-73-284	1,956.66	Mason Rudolph 60	74-69-77-78-298	300.00
Bill Rogers 24	72-72-69-72-285	1,320.00	Pete BrownT61	73-70-77-WD	199.08
John Schlee T25	69-73-75-69-286	1,132.50	The following players did	d not compete in the fi	nal 36-
Ken Still T25	70-72-70-72-286	1,132.50		de the 36-hole cut:	
Gary Wintz T25	73-71-72-70-286	1,132.50	Dick Smith T61	72-74-146	199.08
Nate Starks T25	71-70-75-70-286	1,132.50	Jim Barber T61	73-73-146	199.08
Dave GlenzT25	71-74-70-71-286	1,132.50	Art Wall	75-71-146	199.08
Hubert Green T25	70-70-76-70-286	1,132.50	Mike Reasor T61	75-71-146	199.08
Joe Inman T31	70-73-72-72-287	930.00	Dwight Nevil T61	73-73-146	199.08
Dale Douglass T31	72-72-74-69-287	930.00	Dan Sikes T61	73-73-146	199.08
Marion Heck T31	72-73-73-69-287	930.00	Tom Kite	70-76-146	199.08
Larry Wise T34	72-71-73-72-288	810.00	Rik Massengale T61	73-73-146	199.08
Lou Graham T34	65-77-75-71-288	810.00	Forrest Fezler T61	75-71-146	199.07
Monty Kaser T34	70-75-70-73-288	810.00	Terry Small T61	75-71-146	199.07
Bobby Walzel T37	71-73-72-73-289	645.00	Jim Ahern T61	74-72-146	199.07
Bob Dickson T37	71-72-74-72-289	645.00	Ben Kern	70-76-146	199.07

#### U.S. OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Medinah C. C., Medinah, III. Par 36-35-71, 7,032 yards Purse: \$236,200 June 19-22, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Pat Fitzsimons and Tom Watson each had four-under par 67s and led Jim Wiechers by one stroke. Second round—Watson has a 68 for a nine-under par 135, to tie the Open record for low 36-hole score. Ben Crenshaw (70-68) was second at 138. Third round—Frank Beard moved into the lead with 74-69-67 at three-under par 210. Watson had 78 to fall into tie with Pat Fitzsimons for second at even-par 213. Beard made-up 11 strokes in third day, as he was eight in back of Watson when round started and finished three ahead of him. HOLES-IN-ONE—Pat Fitzsimons, first day, 187-yard No. 2, with 6 iron.

CUT: 67 players at seven-over par 149.

**WEATHER:** Friday, thunderstorm hit early in afternoon and play suspended at 1:40. Resumed at 2:20 for 40-minute delay. Every day was hot and humid, with temperatures in low 90 range. Brief suspension late Sunday due to lightning.

ATTENDANCE: 97,345

#### LOU GRAHAM . . . . . 1 74-72-68-73-287 \$40,000.00 Graham won 18-hole playoff, 71-73.

John Mahaffey 2	73-71-72-71-287		Don January T29 Tom Weiskopf T29	72-75-73-75—295 75-71-74-75—295	1,193.33
Bob Murphy T3	74-73-72-69—288		Lee TrevinoT29	72-69-75-79-295	1.193.33
Hale Irwin	74-71-73-70 — 288		Lanny Wadkins T38	69-77-77-73-296	1.040.00
Ben Crenshaw T3	70-68-76-74-288		Johnny Miller T38	75-72-76-73-296	1,040.00
Frank Beard T3	74-69-67-78 — 288		Julius Boros T38	72-77-72-75—296	1.040.00
Jack NicklausT7	72-70-75-72—289 69-73-72-75—289	7,500.00 7.500.00	John Schlee T38	75-73-72-76-296	1,040.00
Peter Oosterhuis T7			Al Geiberger T38	72-72-74-78-296	1.040.00
Arnold Palmer T9	69-75-73-73-290	5,000.00	Dave Stockton T43	73-73-77-74-297	985.00
Tom Watson T9	67-68-78-77-290		Gary Player T43	75-73-72-77 — 297	985.00
Pat Fitzsimons T9	67-73-73-77 — 290	5,000.00	Doug Sanders T45	75-73-76-74-298	955.00
Andy NorthT12	75-72-72-72-291 76-71-72-72-291	2,800.00	Dick Rhyan T45	74-70-77-77 — 298	955.00
Ray Floyd T12	68-73-76-75-292	2,000.00	Gibby Gilbert T45	71-76-74-77 — 298	955.00
Jim WiechersT14	71-74-71-76-292	2,025.00	Bob E. Smith T45	78-71-72-77-298	955.00
Rik Massengale T14	72-72-71-77 — 292	2.025.00	Bob Stanton T49	77-72-78-72-299	905.00
Joe Inman, Jr T14	75-71-70-76-292	2,025.00	Bob GilderT49	76-71-77-75-299	905.00
Eddie Pearce T14	69-73-79-72-293	1,675.00	J. C. Snead T49	76-73-75-75-299	905.00
Grier Jones T18	73-74-73-73 — 293		Beau Baugh T49	77-72-73-77 - 299	905.00
Gary GrohT18 Terrance DillT18	72-69-77-75—293		Gene Littler T49	74-73-73-79-299	905.00
	74-73-68-78-293		Gary Robinson T49	72-72-76-79-299	905.00
Hubert Green T18	79-70-72-72-293		Lance Tenbroeck . T49	71-74-79-75-299	(am)
Jerry PateT18	74-69-72-78-293	27770	Wally Armstrong T56	73-74-77-76-300	865.00
Jay Haas T18	71-77-72-74-294		Lynn Janson T56	71-73-78-78-300	865.00
Dale Douglass T24	73-71-75-75-294		Frank Conner T58	72-72-76-81-301	845.00
Kermit Zarley T24 Brian Allin T24	76-70-73-75-294	1,452.00	Bob Panasuik T58	76-71-76-78-301	845.00
Forrest Fezier T24	73-75-71-75-294	1,452.00	Marty Fleckman 60	71-77-79-76-303	830.00
Miller Barber T24	74-71-71-78-294		Bill Rogers 61	75-73-81-75-304	820.00
Tommy Aaron T29	73-71-82-69-295		Jack Ewing 62	76-73-77-79-305	810.00
Jerry Heard T29	77-67-78-73-295		Jack Connelly T63	75-74-78-79-306	800.00
Nate Starks T29	75-72-76-72 - 295		Bob Goalby T63	72-74-80-80-306	800.00
Steve Melnyk T29	75-73-74-73 — 295		Mike Reasor 65	72-74-82-80-308	800.00
Ed Sneed T29	75-74-73-73-295		Carlton White 66	74-75-76-86-311	800.00
David Graham T29	71-76-74-74-295		Stanton Altgelt 67	76-72-87-77-312	
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#### **WESTERN OPEN**

Butler National G. C., Oak Brook, III. Par 36-35-71, 7,002 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—David Graham's course record 65 put him three shots ahead of Arnold Palmer. Second round—George Johnson fired a 66 for a 139 total and a shot lead over Hale Irwin. Third round—Hale Irwin and Johnson were tied with 210 totals, shooting 71 and 72 respectively. January, Simons, Molina, Brewer and Sneed were tied for second, four shots back.

Purse: \$200,000

June 26-29, 1975

CUT: 75 players at nine-over par 151.

**WEATHER:** The Wednesday Pro-Am was shortened to nine holes due to rain. Thursday was hot, humid and overcast. Friday's round was washed out with 50% of the field having completed play. A tremendous amount of lightning preceded the stcrm, hospitalizing Lee Trevino, Jerry Heard and Bobby Nichols. They were released 36 hours later. In fact, Heard opted to continue play. Saturday's round was also cancelled because of wet conditions. Sunday and Monday (36 holes) were clear and warm, temperatures in the upper 80s.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Rain forced nine hole, double Pro-Am. Individual-Tom Weiskopf, 34,

Bobby Cole, 33, \$375 each. Team-Hale Irwin and J. C. Snead, 28, \$375.

ATTENDANCE: 63,000

#### HALE IRWIN . . . . . 1 71-68-71-73-283 \$40,000.00

Bobby Cole2	74-71-70-69-284	22,800.00	Art Russell T38	72-73-75-77 - 297	900.00
Ed Sneed 3	71-74-69-73-287		Roy Pace T38	76-75-73-73-297	900.00
Jerry HeardT4	69-74-72-73-288	8,266.67	DickRhyan T41	77-72-77-72-298	800.00
John Lister	76-75-65-72-288	8,266.67	Kermit Zarley T41	77-74-72-75-298	800.00
Gibby Gilbert T4	71-71-73-73-288	8,266.66	Lee Elder T43	74-73-81-71-299	720.00
Gay Brewer	75-70-69-75 — 289	5,460.00	Charles Coody T43	71-79-73-76-299	720.00
Jim Simons	71-73-70-75-289	5,460.00	Gil Morgan 45	74-72-73-81-300	660.00
Al Geiberger	71-73-76-69-289	5,460.00	Monty Kaser T46	74-74-75-78-301	565.00
Florentino Molina T7	70-73-71-75-289	5,460.00	Doug Tewell T46	72-77-81-71-301	565.00
George JohnsonT7	72-66-72-79 - 289	5,460.00	Jim Colbert T46	78-73-77-73-301	565.00
Tom Watson T12	78-71-69-72-290	3,428.58	Bob GoalbyT46	77-74-70-80-301	565.00
David Graham T12	65-81-69-75-290	3,428.57	Peter Oosterhuis T50	75-74-76-77 - 302	490.00
Bert Yancey T12	73-73-72-72-290	3,428.57	J. C. Snead T50	78-72-74-78-302	490.00
John Schlee T12	71-71-75-73-290	3,428.57	Maurice Bernbridge T50	75-75-76-75-302	490.00
Tom Kite	72-70-74-74-290	3,428.57	Dwight Nevil T53	75-74-77-77-303	460.00
Miller Barber T12	71-72-75-72-290	3,428.57	David Glenz T53	73-76-78-76-303	460.00
Wally Armstrong T12	72-70-74-74-290	3,428.57	Jim Masserio T53	77-74-75-77-303	460.00
Ril Massengale T19	74-75-70-72-291	2,500.0C	Larry Wise T56	78-71-81-74-304	435.00
Ken Still	74-71-74-72-291	2,500.0C	Bob Wallace T56	77-73-73-81-304	435.00
Arnold Palmer T21	68-79-73-72-292	1,960.0C	Don Bies	71-75-77-82-305	405.00
Mac McLendon T21	72-74-76-70-292	1,960.00	Ron Cerrudo T58	78-72-76-79-305	405.00
Don Iverson T21	75-70-73-74-292	1,960.00	Tom Shaw T58	75-75-80-75-305	405.00
Eddie Pearce T21	72-72-76-72-292	1,960.00	Labron Harris T58	74-77-78-76-305	405.00
George Knudson T25	74-75-71-73-293	1,630.00	Dale Douglass T62	75-74-76-81-306	360.00
Danny Edwards T25	73-72-75-73-293	1,630.00	Mason Rudolph T62	72-77-75-82-306	360.00
Don January 27	73-71-70-80-294	1,540.00	Marion Heck T62	73-76-78-79-306	360.00
Bruce DevlinT28	79-69-72-75-295	1,330.00	Andy North T62	78-73-76-79-306	360.00
Homero Blancas T28	74-74-71-76-295	1,330.00	Bob Stanton T62	75-75-80-76-306	360.00
Tony JacklinT28	72-74-72-77 — 295	1,330.00	Gary Wintz T67	69-78-79-82-308	315.00
Jim WiechersT28	77-72-72-74-295	1,330.00	Butch Baird T67	76-73-75-84-308	315.00
Julius Boros T28	74-69-78-74-295	1,330.00	Jim Dent	75-75-77-81-308	315.00
	74-77-72-72 - 295	1,330.00	Doug Ford T67	74-77-76-81-308	315.00
Market Control of the	72-76-72-76-296	1,055.00	Phil Rodgers T71	79-71-79-80-309	
	76-72-73-75—296	1,055.00	Jim Jamieson T71	75-75-82-77-309	
	73-73-76-74-296	1,055.00	Mike McCullough 73	75-73-79-83-310	
	75-74-76-71-296	1,055.00	Lionel Hebert 74	74-75-78-85-312	
Mike Morley T38	77-73-71-76-297	900.00	Garry Hopkins 75	73-77-81-82-313	

#### **GREATER MILWAUKEE OPEN**

Tuckaway C. C., Franklin, Wisc. Par 36-36-72, 7,010 yards

Purse: \$130,000 July 2-5, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Miller Barber led with a 7-under par 65. Bob Zender, Art Wall and Andy North were two strokes back at 67. Second round—Art Wall scored his second 67 for 134. His 10-under par total led Ken Still and Gibby Gilbert by one. Third round—Art Wall fired his third straight 67 for a 15-under par 201. He led Gibby Gilbert by three. A group of six players were tied at 205, four back, including Gary McCord, who fired a 65 with two eagles on the front nine.

CUT: 82 players at one-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** Tuesday through Saturday, hot and humid with temperatures in 80s. Thursday's play delayed one hour—12:27-1:30, then suspended at 7:00 until 8:30 Friday, with 27 players still on the course. (Third round play began at 11:00 am off the two tees.)

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual-Gibby Gilbert, Sam Snead, Lee Elder, 66, \$416.67 each.

Team-Ken Still, 56, \$500. ATTENDANCE: 35,375

#### ART WALL . . . . . 1 67-67-67-70-271 \$26,000.00

				the annual result	
Gary McCord 2	69-71-65-67-272	14,820.00	Bob Risch T40	69-74-70-72-285	494.00
Rod Curl 3	69-70-66-68-273	9,230.00	Tom Shaw T40	69-70-72-74-285	494.00
Dave Hill	68-68-69-69-274	5,720.00	Labron Harris T40	69-73-69-74-285	494.00
Gibby Gilbert T4	69-66-69-70-274	5,720.00	Mike Hill	71-72-73-70—286	367.25
Dave Stockton 6	68-71-68-68-275	4,680.00	George Johnson T46	68-74-71-73—286	367.25
Ken Still 7	68-67-70-71-276	4,160.00	Homero Blancas T46	71-68-73-74-286	367.25
Lee Elder	69-69-70-69-277	3,672.50	Bruce Devlin T46	73-68-71-74-286	367.25
Mark Hayes T8	71-68-66-72-277	3,672.50	Jack Spradlin T50	74-71-72-70—287	299.12
Lionel Hebert T10	69-71-68-70-278	3,120.00	Bob Greenwood T50	73-72-73-69-287	299.11
Roger MaltbieT10	72-67-68-71-278	3,120.00	Bobby Mitchell T50	72-73-71-71-287	299.11
Bob Payne T12	71-71-70-67-279	2,296.67	George Cadle T50	72-69-74-72-287	299.11
Andy NorthT12	67-70-74-68-279	2,296.67	Don Iverson T50	72-70-72-73-287	299.11
Miller BarberT12	65-71-73-70-279	2,296.67	Phil Rodgers T50	71-72-71-73-287	299.11
Maurice Bembridge			Bruce Lietzke T50	74-70-69-74-287	299.11
T12	73-68-67-71-279	2,296.67	Bob E. Smith T50	69-71-72-75-287	299.11
Alan Tapie T12	69-70-68-72-279	2,296.66	Doug Tewell T50	70-71-71-75-287	299.11
Mac McLendon T12	68-71-66-74-279	2,296.66	John Toepel T59	70-74-72-72-288	253.40
Jim ColbertT18	72-67-72-69-280	1,690.00	Gil Morgan T59	71-73-71-73-288	253.40
Tom Jenkins T18	68-71-71-70-280	1,690.00	Dave Eichelberger . T59	71-72-72-73-288	253.40
Jim Simons T18	71-70-66-73-280	1,690.00	Ed Sneed T59	71-70-73-74-288	253.40
Bob Stanton T21	70-70-73-68-281	1,202.50	Larry Ziegler T59	69-73-71-75-288	253.40
Ed Dougherty T21	72-71-69-69-281	1,202.50	Fred Marti T64	72-73-75-69 — 289	217.67
Ron CerrudoT21	73-70-69-69-281	1,202.50	Larry Wise T64	71-73-76-69-289	217.67
Dan SikesT21	70-70-70-71-281	1,202.50	Roy Pace	72-73-71-73-289	217.67
Rik Massengale T21	72-70-66-73-281	1.202.50	Jeff Steinberg T64	73-72-73-71 — 289	217.67
Bob DicksonT21	71-72-64-74-281	1,202.50	Dwight Nevil T64	73-70-72-74-289	217.66
Julius Boros T27	75-68-70-69-282	884.00	Jim Ahern	72-72-71-74-289	217.66
Jim Masserio T27	71-72-70-69-282	884.00	Bob Erickson70	71-73-75-71-290	195.00
Mike McCullough T27	74-69-70-69-282	884.00	Dick Rhyan T71	73-72-77-69-291	
Sam Snead T27	68-71-72-71-282	884.00	Steve Melnyk T71	72-73-71-75-291	
Terry Diehl T27	74-70-67-71-282	884.00	Paul Moran T71	72-70-74-75-291	
Rex Caldwell T27	71-71-69-71-282	884.00	Tony Chomenko T71	73-72-70-76-291	
Leonard Thompson T27	69-71-69-73-282	884.00	Bob UngerT71	71-71-72-77 - 291	
Barney Thompson . T34		685.75	Lyn Lott	72-70-77-73-292	
Grier Jones T34		685.75	Butch Baird T76	73-72-73-74-292	
Bob Zender T34			Rick Rhoads T78	69-74-76-74-293	
Terrance Dill T34			Bert Greene T78	69-76-69-79-293	
Ralph Johnston T38			Curtis Sifford T80	71-74-74-75-294	
Terry Small T38			Tony Jacklin T80	72-70-73-79-294	
Chuck Courtney T40			Dick Lotz 82	74-71-77-73-295	
John Lister T40					
Bobby Wadkins T40		10.000.000			
BUDDY WAUKIIS 140	12 12 11 10 200	70.7.00			

### ED McMAHON-JAYCEES QUAD CITIES OPEN

Purse: \$75,000

July 10-13, 1975

Oakwood C. C., Coal Valley, III. Par 35-36-71, 6,305 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Howard Twitty led with a five-under par 66. Second round—Dave Eichelberger then opened up a five-stroke lead over the field through 36 holes with a ten-under par total of 132. Third round—Eichelberger continued to lead at 204, nine-under par and three strokes ahead of the field. Roger Maltbie was seven strokes back at 211.

CUT: 72 players at four-over par 146.

**WEATHER:** Hot and humid early in week, then hot and clear. Rain delays: Friday, 11:45-2:00 and Sunday, 11:45-1:20.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual-Larry Nelson and Jim Jamieson, 68, \$450.00 each. Team-Homero Blancas, Jim Jamieson, 57, \$450.00 each.

ATTENDANCE: 25,000

#### ROGER MALTBIE . . . . . 1 74-65-72-64-275 \$15,000.00

Dave Eichelberger 2	67-65-72-72-276	8,550.00	Bob Payne T35	71-74-71-72-288	377.50
Mark Hayes 3	70-68-70-69-277	5,325.00	Babe Hiskey T39	75-70-75-69-289	314.50
Gary McCord 4	72-66-70-70-278	3,525.00	Sammy Rachels T39	70-71-76-72-289	314.50
Homero Blancas T5	70-67-73-69-279	2,725.00	John Lister T39	70-74-73-72-289	314.50
Howard Twitty T5	66-73-68-72-279	2,725.00	Barney Thompson . T39	69-74-70-76-289	314.50
Terrance Dill	67-71-69-72-279	2,725.00	Victor Regalado T43	72-73-75-70-290	262.00
Tony Cerda	73-73-68-66-280	2,213.00	Tom Jenkins T43	73-71-75-71-290	262.00
Bruce Lietzke T9	69-70-74-68-281	1,725.00	Bob Zender T43	70-72-74-74-290	262.00
Mike Reasor	71-70-70-70-281	1,725.00	Bob Shaw T46	70-73-78-70-291	191.60
Ralph Johnston T9	71-69-72-69-281	1,725.00	Doug Tewell T46	71-74-75-71-291	191.60
Dave Stockton T9	69-70-70-72-281	1,725.00	Dick Lotz T46	74-71-75-71-291	191.60
Frank Beard T9		1,725.00	Labron Harris T46	76-70-74-71-291	191.60
Sam Snead 14		1,350.00	Bert Greene T46	72-71-75-73-291	191.60
Dave Hill T 15		1,237.50	Lyn Lott	74-71-74-72-291	191.60
Mike Morley T15		1,237.50	Bob Risch T46	73-72-73-73-291	191.60
Tom EvansT17	73-70-70-71-284	1,087.50	George Johnson T46	72-73-72-74-291	191.60
Fred MartiT17	74-69-70-71-284	1,087.50	Wayne Yates T46	72-73-71-75-291	191.60
Richard Crawford T19	73-70-74-68 — 285	831.00	Jim SimonsT46	71-74-70-76-291	191.60
Grier JonesT19	69-74-73-69-285	831.00	Jim King T56	75-71-75-71-292	163.00
Allen Miller T19	69-74-73-69 — 285	831.00	Dick Rhyan T56	73-71-76-72-292	163.00
Bob Eastwood T19		831.00	Pete BrownT58	72-71-77-73-293	154.00
Butch Baird T19	74-69-70-72-285	831.00	Greg Trompas T58	75-70-75-73-293	154.00
Barry Jaeckel T24	71-71-73-71-286	615.25	Frank Conner T58	73-72-74-74-293	154.00
Ed Sneed T24	73-68-73-72-286	615.25	John Abendroth T61	72-73-74-75-294	140.75
Bobby Wadkins T24	75-71-68-72-286	615.25	Monty Kaser T61	74-72-72-76-294	140.75
Rick RhoadsT24	73-70-71-72—286	615.25	Bob Allard T61	71-72-74-77-294	140.75
George Cadle T28	78-67-74-68—287	488.29	Billy Ziobro T61	70-76-71-77-294	140.75
Jack Spradlin T28	75-69-74-69 — 287	488.29	Mike Mitchell T65	71-71-77-76-295	129.50
	71-72-74-70-287	488.29	Richie Karl	71-75-74-75-295	129.50
Joe PorterT28	73-70-72-72-287	488.29	Roger Parker 67	71-71-80-74-296	124.00
Ross Randall T28	73-72-71-71-287	488.28	Bobby Greenwood 68	71-73-78-75-297	120.00
	75-66-74-72-287	488.28	Byron Comstock 69	72-73-72-81-298	116.00
Larry Nelson T28	70-69-71-77 — 287	488.28	Steve Cain 70	75-71-76-77 - 299	113.00
	73-73-71-71-288	377.50	Duke Butler71	75-70-75-81-301	
Takashi Murakami . T35	72-73-72-71 — 288	377.50	Doug Sanders72	71-74-76-WD	
Jim Barber T35	73-72-70-73—288	377.50			

#### PLEASANT VALLEY CLASSIC

Pleasant Valley C.C., Sutton, Mass. Par 36-35-71, 7,119 yards

Purse: \$200,000 July 17-20, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Rod Curl's 66 gave him a stroke lead over Miller Barber. Second round—Lee Elder fired a 67 for a total of 135 and a one-shot margin over Lee Trevino at the end of two rounds. Third round—Danny Edwards stood alone when he carded a 69 for a 207 total. Mac McLendon, Curl, Ben Crenshaw and Elder were one back.

CUT: 74 players at two-over par 144.

**WEATHER:** Wednesday through Saturday was hot and humid with mostly clear skies—temperatures in the high 80s and low 90s. Saturday was windy with gusts up to 25 mph. Sunday was overcast and hot.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Charles Coody won the individual prize of \$750 with a course record 64.

Team-Bob Murphy, 53, \$750. ATTENDANCE: 125,237

#### ROGER MALTBIE . . . . . 1 72-71-67-66-276 \$40,000

Mac McLendon 2	70-68-70-69-277	22.800	Mike Reasor T30	71-73-69-72-285	1,114.00
Jim Simons T3	69-70-74-65-278	9.750.00	Dave Hill T40	71-72-74-69-286	800.00
Brian Allin	70-67-72-69-278	9,750.00	Sammy Rachels T40	71-70-74-71-286	800.00
Miller Barber T3	67-74-69-68-278	9,750.00	Ralph Johnston T40	72-70-71-73-286	800.00
Ben Crenshaw T3	69-68-71-70-278	9.750.00	Allen Miller T40	71-70-72-73-286	800.00
Lee Trevino	70-66-74-70-280	6.150.00	Gary Sanders T44	73-71-73-70-287	660.00
George Knudson T7	69-69-72-70-280	6,150.00	Fred Marti T44	73-71-72-71-287	660.00
Al GeibergerT9	70-71-70-70-281	4,600.00	Homero Blancas T44	70-69-71-77-287	660.00
Hale Irwin	70-68-73-70-281	4,600.00	David Glenz T47	72-70-74-72-288	511.43
George JohnsonT9	69-68-72-72-281	4,600.00	Gibby Gilbert T47	73-70-74-71-288	511.43
Lee Elder	68-67-73-73-281	4,600.00	Bob Benson T47	72-72-73-71-288	511.43
Rod Curl	66-71-71-73-281	4,600.00	Bob Goalby	70-70-75-73-288	511.43
Steve Melnyk T14	71-72-70-69-282	3,400.00	Ken Still	72-72-72-72-288	511.43
Gary McCord T14	70-74-69-69-282	3,400.00	Juan Rodriguez T47	72-71-71-74-288	511.43
Chuck CourtneyT14	68-71-70-73-282	3,400.00	Victor Regalado T47	73-67-72-76-288	511.42
Peter Oosterhuis T17	70-74-71-68-283	2,600.00	Bobby Wadkins T54	73-69-77-70-289	425.00
Art Wall	69-71-74-69 - 283	2,600.00	Bert Greene T54	74-70-75-70-289	425.00
Bruce Crampton T17	75-69-69-70-283	2,600.00	Roy PaceT54	72-70-75-72-289	425.00
Jim Masserio T17	73-70-69-71-283	2,600.00	Artie McNickle T54	73-68-76-72-289	425.00
Mark Hayes T17	69-71-72-71-283	2,600.00	Tom Shaw T54	73-71-73-72-289	425.00
Mike Hill	69-73-75-67-284	1,667.50	Bob Allard	74-70-72-73-289	425.00
Takashi Murakami . T22	73-70-73-68-284	1,667.50	Frank Conner T54	71-72-72-74-289	425.00
Mason Rudolph T22	73-68-74-69-284	1,667.50	Bob WynnT54	73-71-71-74-289	425.00
Larry Nelson T22	70-71-74-69-284	1,667.50	Eddie Pearce T62	68-72-79-71 - 290	375.00
Lyn Lott	74-70-70-70-284	1,667.50	Mike McCullough T62	71-70-78-71290	375.00
Grier Jones T22	72-71-70-71-284	1,667.50	Mike WynnT64	75-67-75-74 — 291	350.00
Dave Stockton T22	70-69-73-72-284	1,667.50	Dale Douglass T64	71-73-74-73—291	350.00
Danny Edwards T22	70-68-69-77 - 284	1,667.50	Bob Unger	73-69-75-74-291	350.00
Leonard Thompson T30	69-74-74-68-285	1,114.00	Jim Marshall T67	70-73-76-73-292	325.00
Dan Sikes	72-71-73-69-285	1,114.00	Barry Jaeckel T67	73-69-75-75-292	
Ed DoughertyT30	72-71-72-70-285	1,114.00	Butch Baird T69	73-71-76-73-293	
Bob Stanton T30	70-71-74-70-285	1,114.00	Phil Rodgers T69	71-70-78-74-293	
Jim Wiechers T30	71-71-72-71-285	1,114.00	Florentino Molina 71	74-70-75-75-294	
Bob Murphy T30	73-67-74-71-285	1,114.00	Julius Boros72	70-72-76-78-296	
Frank Beard T30	73-70-72-70-285	1,114.00	Bobby Mitchell 73	71-71-75-80-297	
Dave Eichelberger . T30	70-70-73-72-285	1,114.00	Dwight Nevil 74	71-73-76-80-300	
Lanny Wadkins T30	72-67-73-73-285	1,114.00			

#### **CANADIAN OPEN**

Royal Montreal G.C., Ile Bizard, Canada Par 35-35-70, 6,628 yards

Purse: \$200,000 (Canadian Funds) July 24-27, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Jack Nicklaus and Tcm Weiskopf set course record five-unoer par 65s, to lead Gary Player, David Graham, John Schlee, Bob E. Smith, Pat Fitzsimons and Mike McCullough by two. Second round—Gay Brewer, with two straight 68s, tied Nicklaus for the 36-hole lead (65-71), while Ken Still was one back at 137. David Graham was at 138 and Tom Weiskopf at 139. Third round—Brewer and Nicklaus remained tied after three rounds with four-under par 206, while Weiskopf moved into the runner-up spot with a 68 and was one back at 207.

CUT: 71 players at four-over par 144.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, severe storm late in afternoon, play suspended at 3:58 and resumed at 7 pm. Play halted for day at 8:45 with three groups still on course. They completed play Friday morning. Friday, high winds, with gusts from 27 to 35 mph most of day. Saturday, windy with sunny skies. Sunday, partly cloudy.

ATTENDANCE: 65,750

#### TOM WEISKOPF . . . . 1 65-74-68-67-274 \$40,000.00 Weiskopf WON sudden-death playoff with birdie, first extra hole.

Jack Nicklaus 2			Bob Zender T35	68-74-71-72-285	965.00
Gay Brewer3	68-68-70-69-275	14,200.0C	Butch Baird T35	70-72-71-72-285	965.00
Arnold Palmer 4	68-73-69-67-277	9,400.00	Gary McCord T35	73-71-69-72-285	965.00
Bruce Crampton5	74-68-67-69-278	8,200.00	Grier Jones T35	71-73-69-72-285	965.00
J. C. Snead 6	73-68-72-66-279	7,200.00	Tony Jacklin T41	69-74-73-70-286	700.00
Gary Player	67-73-73-67-280	5,675.00	Jerry Heard T41	71-71-73-71-286	700.00
Bob Wynn	69-74-69-68-280	5,675.00	Mark Hayes T41	69-74-72-71-286	700.00
Lee Trevino T7	71-72-68-69-280	5,675.00	Bob E. Smith T41	67-76-72-71-286	700.00
Ken Still	70-67-74-69 — 280	5,675.00	Lou Graham T41	73-70-71-72-286	700.00
Charles Coody T11	70-70-75-66-281	3,920.00	Jimmie Bullard T41	70-71-71-74-286	700.00
Ray Floyd T11	70-73-72-66-281	3,920.00	Frank Conner T41	68-73-70-75-286	700.00
George Knudson T11	68-74-71-68-281	3,920.00	Mike Hill T48	73-71-73-70-287	512.50
Roger MaltbieT11	72-72-69-68-281	3,920.00	Lyn Lott	68-74-74-71-287	512.50
Tom Watson T11	72-71-68-70-281	3,920.00	Julius Boros T48	70-70-74-73-287	512.50
Leonard Thompson T16	68-75-72-67-282	2,600.00	Curtis Sifford T48	71-71-71-74-287	512.50
John SchleeT16	67-75-71-69-282	2,600.00	Gene Littler T52	69-75-73-71-288	465.00
Larry Ziegler T16	68-73-71-70-282	2,600.00	Jim SimonsT52	73-70-73-72-288	465.00
David Graham T16	67-71-73-71-282	2,600.00	Ed Sneed T52	71-71-72-74-288	465.00
Don Bies	73-71-68-70-282	2,600.00	Richard Crawford T52	71-71-70-76-288	465.00
Johnny Miller T16	70-74-68-70-282	2,600.00	Mike WynnT56	71-72-74-72-289	415.00
Gibby Gilbert T16	70-70-69-73-282	2,600.00	Jim Masserio T56	71-73-72-73-289	415.00
Lanny Wadkins T23	70-72-72-69 — 283	1,688.00	Sammy Rachels T56	70-73-73-73-289	415.00
Terry Diehl T23	70-73-70-70-283	1,688.00	Bob GoalbyT56	70-72-73-74-289	415.00
Bruce Lietzke T23	70-72-69-72-283	1,688.00	Andy North T56	72-71-72-74-289	415.00
Hubert Green T23	68-71-71-73-283	1,688.00	Bob Panasiuk T56	69-75-70-75-289	415.00
Tom Kite	68-73-70-72-283	1,688.00	Bobby Wadkins 62	72-71-71-76-290	380.00
Mike McCullough T28	67-72-78-67 - 284	1,301.43	Gary Cowan T63	69-74-76-72-291	(am)
Miller Barber T28	70-70-76-68-284	1,301.43	Dave Newquist T63	69-73-79-70-291	360.00
Fred MartiT28	69-71-75-69-284	1,301.43	Bob Rose T63	73-71-74-73-291	360.00
Dale Douglass T28	71-72-72-69-284	1,301.43	Peter Oosterhuis T63	70-73-72-76-291	360.00
Rik Massengale T28	74-70-71-69-284	1,301.43	Florentino Molina T67	68-74-78-72-292	335.00
Rod Curl T28	73-69-72-70-284	1,301.43	Roy Pace T67	69-75-72-76-292	335.00
Pat Fitzsimons T28	67-73-71-73-284	1,301.42	Perry Leslie 69	72-72-73-76-293	320.00
Bobby Nichols T35	71-71-74-69—285	965.00	Joe Inman 70	69-75-74-76-294	310.00
Barry Jaeckel T35	68-74-73-70-285	965.00	Dan Halldorson 71	74-70-79-75-298	300.00

#### **WESTCHESTER CLASSIC**

Westchester C. C., Rye, NY Par 36-36-72, 6,614 yards Purse: \$250,000 July 31-Aug. 3, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Rik Massengale's opening 65 netted him a one-shot lead over Tom Weiskopf. Second round—Tom Weiskopf shot a 63 which gave him a seven-stroke bulge over Gene Littler, Julius Boros, Jerry Pate and Richard Crawford. Third round—Weiskopf's 72 left him two in front of Pat Fitzsimons who closed the gap with a 66.

CUT: 71 players at even par 144.

**WEATHER:** The entire week was hot and humid. Skies were clear but hazy conditions presided. Temperatures hovered near the 100 mark.

**PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500.** Don Bies captured the individual prize of \$750.00 with a 65. Tom Weiskopf made \$750.00 with his team score of 55.

ATTENDANCE: 57,000

#### GENE LITTLER . . . . . 1 68-68-69-66-271 \$50,000 Littler WON playoff with a par 4 on the first extra hole

Julius Boros 2	70-66-70-65-271	28,500.00	Bob Murphy T36	71-73-72-69-285	1,076.34
Tom Weiskopf 3	66-63-72-71-272	17,750.00	Don January T36	73-71-72-69 — 285	1,076.34
Bruce Lietzke4	70-71-66-67-274	11,750.00	Dale Douglass T36	70-74-71-70-285	1,076.33
Pat Fitzsimons 5	67-70-66-73-276	10,250.00	Andy North T36	70-74-71-70-285	1,076.33
Tom Shaw	72-71-67-67-277	8,125.00	Bob Stanton T36	73-69-72-71-285	1,076.33
Jerry Heard T6	73-70-67-67-277	8,125.00	Bob Wynn T36	71-73-70-71-285	1,076.33
Hale Irwin	72-65-71-69-277	8,125.00	Bobby Walzel T36	71-72-70-72 - 285	1,076.33
Dan Sikes T9	72-71-69-66-278	6,000.00	Bert Greene T36	69-68-72-76 - 285	1,076.33
Rik Massengale T9	65-74-72-67-278	6,000.00	Jim SimonsT45	73-70-73-70-286	750.00
George Cadle T9	71-69-69-69-278	6,000.00	Bob Charles T45	70-71-72-73-286	750.00
Art Wall	72-68-69-69-278	6,000.00	Jim Colbert T45	73-68-71-74-286	750.00
Tom Watson 13	68-71-69-71-279	4,750.00	Bob E. Smith T45	72-70-69-75-286	750.00
Frank BeardT14	73-65-74-68-280	4,125.00	Don Bies	71-73-74-69-287	615.00
Terry Diehl T14	71-67-71-71-280	4,125.00	Grier Jones T49	70-74-74-69-287	615.00
Charles CoodyT14	71-67-71-71-280	4,125.00	Mason Rudolph T49	72-71-72-72-287	615.00
Lyn Lott T14	71-68-68-73-280	4,125.00	Johnny Miller T49	69-74-71-73-287	615.00
Mark Hayes T18	70-69-73-69-281	3,250.00	David Graham T49	71-72-69-75-287	615.00
Ed Dougherty T18	70-70-72-69-281	3,250.00	Dennis Myer T54	77-67-74-70-288	562.67
Jerry Pate T18	67-69-74-71-281	3,250.00	Brian Allin T54	68-75-73-72-288	562.67
George Burns T21	77-67-71-67-282	2,257.15	George Knudson T54	73-71-73-71-288	562.66
Tommy Aaron T21	67-72-75-68-282	2,257.15	Tony Jacklin T57	76-67-72-74-289	525.00
Terrance Dill T21	71-67-74-70-282	2,257.14	Bert Yancey T57	71-73-72-73-289	525.00
Tom Kite	71-72-70-69-282	2,257.14	Phil Rodgers T57	74-70-71-74-289	525.00
Sammy Rachels T21	73-68-69-72-282	2,257.14	Bob Erickson T60	71-73-76-70-290	468.67
John Mahaffey T21	72-69-67-74-282	2,257.14	Homero Blancas T60	70-74-77-69-290	468.67
Rod Funseth T21	68-69-70-75-282	2,257.14	Ross RandallT60	74-70-76-70-290	468.67
Bruce Crampton T28	71-72-73-67-283	1,700.00	Mike WynnT60	72-72-74-72-290	468.67
Jim Dent	75-69-71-68-283	1,700.00	Bobby ColeT60	71-69-76-74-290	468.66
Joe Inman T28	69-70-74-70-283	1,700.00	Mike Hill	70-70-73-77 — 290	468.66
Richard Crawford . T28	69-67-74-73-283	1,700.00	Lionel Hebert 66	74-69-74-74-291	425.00
Ben Crenshaw T28	69-70-70-74-283	1,700.00	Bill Collins 67	71-73-78-70-292	413.00
Bruce Devlin T33	69-75-70-70-284	1,412.67	Bob Dickson 68	69-75-75-74-293	400.00
Gibby Gilbert T33	73-68-71-72-284	1,412.67	Gary Groh T69	71-72-77-75-295	
Ken Still T33	71-73-66-74-284	1,412.66	Gardner Dickinson . T69	69-75-79-72-295	381.00
John Toepel T36	73-70-73-69-285	1,076.34	Larry Ziegler 71	72-71-70WD	

#### **PGA CHAMPIONSHIP**

Firestone C. C., Akron, OH Par 35-35-70, 7,180 yards

Purse: \$225,000 August 4-10, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Mark Hayes recorded a 67 to lead Bob Benson and Larry Hinson by one. Second round—Bruce Crampton vaulted into the 36-hole lead after a course record and PGA record of 63 for 134, six under. Hale Irwin's 65 (with a hole-in-one on the 12th hole) put him second at 137 and Hayes, Jack Nicklaus and Bob Wynn were at 138. Third round—Nicklaus' 67 put him into an eight-stroke swing at 205, while Crampton slipped to a 75 for 209.

CUT: 71 players at eight-over par 148.

WEATHER: Hot and humid all week, cloudy and overcast on Sunday. Sunday delays: 12:25-12:47. ATTENDANCE: 69,373

#### JACK NICKLAUS . . . . . 1 70-68-67-71-276 \$45,000.00

Bruce Crampton 2			Arnold PalmerT33	73-72-73-73-291	1,215.00
Tom Weiskopf 3		16,000.00	Jimmy Powell T33	73-68-76-74-291	1,215.00
Andy North 4	72-74-70-65-281	10,500.00	Gary PlayerT33	72-70-73-76-291	1,215.00
Billy Casper T5	69-72-72-70-283	8,662.50	Julius Boros T40	71-73-78-70-292	812.86
Hale Irwin	71-65-73-73-283	8,662.50	Jerry McGee T40	73-74-73-72-292	812.86
Dave Hill	71-71-74-68-284	6,917.50	Bob Stanton T40	71-73-74-74-292	812.86
Gene Littler	76-71-66-71-284	6,917.50	Peter Oosterhuis T40	74-72-72-74-292	812.86
Tom Watson9	70-71-71-73-285	6,075.00	Tom Shaw T40	75-72-71-74-292	812.86
Ben Crenshaw T10	73-72-71-70-286	4,467.86	Bobby Cole T40	71-74-71-76-292	812.85
Leonard Thompson T10	74-69-72-71-286	4,467.86	Butch Baird T40	72-69-74-77-292	812.85
Ray Floyd T10	70-73-72-71-286	4,467.86	Mike Morley 47	70-72-75-76-293	585.00
John Schlee T10	71-68-75-72-286	4,467.86	Charlie Sifford T48	74-72-75-73-294	517.50
Bud Allin T10	73-72-70-71-286	4,467.86	Tom Jenkins T48	72-75-73-74-294	517.50
David Graham T10	72-70-70-74-286	4,467.85	Jim Dent	70-71-77-77-295	433.94
Don JanuaryT10	72-70-71-73-286	4,467.85	Art Wall	70-74-74-77-295	433.94
Dale Douglass T17	74-72-74-67 — 287	2,925.00	Bruce Devlin T50	70-73-75-77 - 295	433.93
Gibby Gilbert T17	73-70-77-67 - 287	2,925.00	Forrest Fezler T50	75-72-71-77-295	433.93
Steve Melnyk T17	71-72-74-70-287	2,925.00	Jimmy Wright T54	73-74-76-73-296	428.57
Gil Morgan T17	73-71-71-72-287	2,925.00	Fred Wampler T54	69-74-80-73-296	428.57
Mike Hill T17	72-71-70-74-287	2,925.00	Eddie Pearce T54	74-73-77-72-296	428.57
Chi Chi Rodriguez . T22	73-72-74-69-288	2,115.00	Ed Sneed T54	72-75-74-75-296	428.57
Mark Hayes T22	67-71-75-75-288	2,115.00	George Johnson T54	73-74-74-75-296	428.57
Ed DoughertyT22	69-70-72-77 - 288	2,115.00	Lou Graham T54	73-71-74-78-296	428.57
Jerry Heard T25	75-70-70-74-289	1,800.00	M. Ver Brugge T60	72-68-84-73-297	428.57
Mac McLendon T25	73-71-70-75-289	1,800.00	Robert Benson T60	68-77-80-72-297	428.57
Bob Murphy T25	75-68-69-77 - 289	1,800.00	Lee Trevino T60	73-72-78-74-297	428.57
Bob Wynn T28	69-69-80-72-290	1,531.00	Roger Watson T60	73-73-76-75-297	428.57
Jim ColbertT28	79-66-72-73-290	1,531.00	Victor Regalado T60	74-69-74-80-297	428.57
John Mahaffey T28	71-70-75-74-290	1,531.00	Homero Blancas T65	72-76-78-72-298	428.57
J. C. Snead T28	73-67-75-75-290	1,531.00	Ron Letellier T65	76-72-75-75-298	428.57
Larry Hinson T28	68-73-72-77-290	1,531.00	Rolf Deming T67	74-73-83-70-300	428.57
Al Geiberger T33	70-70-80-71-291	1,215.00	Dennis Meyer T67	72-74-74-80-300	428.57
Bobby Nichols T33	72-75-72-72-291	1,215.00	Paul Moran 69	79-69-78-76-302	428.57
Tom Kite	77-71-72-71-291	1,215.00	Dow Finsterwald T70	75-73-76-81-305	428.57
Gay Grewer T33	74-74-71-72-291	1,215.00	Al ChandlerT70	71-75-78-81-305	428.57
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#### SAMMY DAVIS JR. GREATER HARTFORD OPEN

Wethersfield C. C., Wethersfield, CT Par 35-36-71, 6,598 yards

Purse: \$200,000 August 14-17, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Dennis Meyer fired a 64 to lead Austin Straub and Don Bies by one shot. Second round—Bies and Hubert Green shared the lead with 131's. Third round—Bies took sole possession of the lead with a 67 for a total of 198 for a one-shot lead over Green. **CUT:** 76 players at even par 142.

**WEATHER:** Thursday and Friday were sunny and warm with temperatures in the 80s. Saturday was rainy in the morning and continued overcast through Sunday's final round.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual-Don Bies, Lanny Wadkins, 64, \$450.00 each. Team-Charles Sifford, Tony Jacklin, 53, \$450.00 each.

ATTENDANCE: 94,000

#### DON BIES . . . . . 1 65-66-67-69-267 \$40,000.00 Bies won sudden death playoff with birdie 4 on second extra hole

			T 01 T04	68-67-69-75-279	988.57
Hubert Green 2	66-65-68-68-267 2		Tom Shaw T34	71-68-73-68-280	760.00
J. C. Snead 3	66-68-67-67-268 1		Allen Miller	72-68-72-68-280	760.00
Larry Nelson T4	00.00.01.00	8,800.00	Peter Oosterhuis T41	73-69-69-69-280	760.00
Victor Regalado T4	69-68-65-67-269	8,800.00	Leonard Thompson T41	67-71-71-71-280	760.00
Homero Blancas6	67-69-68-66-270	7,200.00	Bob GoalbyT41	70-70-72-69-281	540.00
Johnny Miller T7	69-67-68-67-271	6,150.00	Bert Greene T45		540.00
Andy North	66-69-67-69-271	6,150.00	George Knudson T45	70-71-72-68-281	540.00
Gary Player	69-68-69-66-272	5,200.00	Rick Rhoads T45	69-69-73-70-281	540.00
Ray Floyd T9	67-69-71-65-272	5,200.00	Bob Eastwood T45	68-72-72-69-281	540.00
Jim Simons T11	71-69-70-63-273	4,400.00	Bobby Cole T45	70-69-71-71-281	540.00
Mike Hill	66-71-68-68-273	4,400.00	Doug FordT45	69-70-70-72-281	540.00
Jerry Heard T13	67-69-73-65-274	3,400.00	Larry Ziegler T45	72-70-68-71-281	540.00
Joe Inman T13	68-70-67-69-274	3,400.00	Billy Ziobro T45	70-69-69-73-281	-
Lee Trevino T13	72-65-68-69-274	3,400.00	Bobby Walzel T45	69-69-70-73-281	540.00
David Glenz T13	66-71-66-71-274	3,400.00	Bob Erickson T54	71-70-73-68-282	445.00
Al Geiberger T13	69-69-64-72-274	3,400.00	Bob Unger	71-68-74-69-282	445.00
Art Wall	71-69-72-63-275	2,400.00	Jay Horton T54	71-69-71-71-282	445.00
Dennis MeyerT18	64-73-72-66-275	2,400.00	Tony Jacklin T54	73-69-69-71-282	445.00
Bob Menne T18	69-68-68-70-275	2,400.00	Perry Leslie 58	70-72-72-69-283	420.00
Don January T18	68-68-69-70-275	2,400.00	Sammy Rachels T59	68-71-72-73-284	400.00
Terrance DillT18	70-66-67-72-275	2,400.00	Nate StarksT59	70-71-70-73-284	400.00
Austin Straub T23	65-71-72-68-276	1,725.00	Ron Cerrudo T59	71-71-67-75-284	400.00
Dave Stockton T23	69-67-70-70-276	1,725.00	Laurie Hammer T62	68-73-75-69-285	350.00
Rod Curl T23	70-70-69-67-276	1,725.00	Bob Benson T62	70-70-74-71—285	350.00
Sam Adams T23	71-69-67-69-276	1,725.00	Mike Morley T62	70-69-74-72-285	350.00
Bob Murphy T27	70-69-71-67-277	1,480.00	George Cadle T62	73-68-72-72-285	350.00
Lanny Wadkins T27	73-69-66-69-277	1,480.00	Jim Wiechers T62	71-71-70-73-285	350.00
Jerry McGee T27	69-70-68-70-277	1,480.00	Richard Crawford T62	69-72-68-76-285	350.00
Bob Zender T30		1,270.00	Ed Dougherty T62	69-70-69-77-285	350.00
Ken Still T30		1,270.00	Artie McNickle T69	71-70-73-72-286	152.50
Tim Collins T30		1,270.00	Gary Groh T69	71-70-73-72-286	152.50
Barney Thompson . T30		1,270.00	George Archer T69	68-73-70-75-286	152.50
Bob Shaw		988.58	Bobby Heins T69	69-73-67-77 — 286	152.50
Randy Feather T34		988.57	Labron Harris 73	70-71-70-77 — 288	
Bob Wynn T34	The same of the sa		Chuck Courtney 74	70-68-78-73-289	
Chi Chi Rodriquez . T34			Mike Long	68-73-75-74-290	
Steve Melnyk T34			Ras Allen76	71-71-76-76-294	
Lou Graham T34					
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#### **TOURNAMENT PLAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP**

Colonial C. C., Fort Worth, Tex. Par 35-35-70, 7,160 yards

Purse: \$250,000 August 21-24, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Al Geiberger opened with 66 to hold a one-shot lead over Jack Nicklaus, Hale Irwin and Bob Dickson. Second round—Geiberger's 68 gave him a 134 total and a two-shot advantage over Dave Stockton, Hubert Green and Dickson. Third round—Geiberger widened his lead to three shots over Stockton when he carded a 67 for a 201 total and a new 54-hole Colonial record. **CUT:** 73 players at seven-over par 147.

**WEATHER:** Every day was sunny, hot and humid with temperatures near 100. A sudden electrical storm forced cancellation of the remainder of the second round at 5:15 pm. Play was resumed at 7:30 am on Saturday and completed at 8:55.

**PRO-AMATEUR:** \$10,000. Colonial C.C.—Individual-Al Geiberger, 63, \$500. Team-Al Geiberger, 50, \$500. Ridgelea C.C.—Individual-Tommy Aaron, 66, \$500. Team-DeWitt Weaver, 51, \$500.

ATTENDANCE: 90,000

#### AL GEIBERGER . . . . 1 66-68-67-69-270 \$50,000

Dave Stockton 2	72-64-68-69-273	28,500.00	Bruce Crampton T34	75-72-69-74-290	1.262.50
Hubert Green 3	71-65-70-69-275	17,730.00	Bob Payne T34	70-71-74-75-290	1,262.50
Bob Murphy T4	73-69-71-68-281	10,333.34	Ron Cerrudo T40	74-73-74-70-291	975.00
Bob DicksonT4	67-69-72-73-281	10,333.33	Julius Boros T40	73-73-74-71-291	975.00
Mason Rudolph T4	69-70-72-70-281	10,333.33	Tom Kite	72-70-77-72-291	975.00
Hale Irwin 7	67-72-72-72-283	8,000.00	Larry Ziegler T40	69-71-76-75-291	975.00
Tom Watson T8	73-69-75-67 - 284	6,791.67	Jerry McGeeT40	72-73-69-77 - 291	975.00
Joe Porter	72-72-68-72-284	6,791.67	Ralph Johnston T45	72-73-76-71-292	730.00
Bobby Wadkins T8	76-69-68-71-284	6,791.66	Sammy Rachels T45	71-76-72-73-292	730.00
Bill Rogers T11	69-70-76-70-285	5,062.50	Tom Shaw T45	71-72-76-73-292	730.00
Gene Littler T11	73-71-70-71-285	5,062.50	Mike Wynn T45	68-74-77-73-292	730.00
Brian Allin T11	68-73-71-73-285	5,062.50	Mike McCullough T45	72-74-70-76-292	730.00
John Mahaffey T11	69-75-69-72-285	5,062.50	Allen Miller T50	71-73-81-68-293	600.00
Billy Casper T15	73-68-73-72-286	4,000.00	Dale Douglass T50	75-71-74-73-293	600.00
John Lister T15	72-71-71-72-286	4,000.00	Lee Trevino T50	75-70-75-73-293	600.00
John Schlee T15	69-68-76-73-286	4,000.00	Don January T50	74-72-73-74-293	600.00
Gibby Gilbert T18	72-71-74-70-287	3,250.00	Bobby Nichols T50	74-70-74-75-293	600.00
Leonard Thompson T18	74-73-69-71-287	3,250.00	Jim Wiechers T55	68-73-78-69-294	537.60
Jack NicklausT18	67-75-70-75-287	3,250.00	Nate Starks T55	75-72-73-74-294	537.60
Roger MaltbieT21	71-71-75-288	2,206.25	Ben Crenshaw T55	73-72-74-75-294	537.60
Don Iverson T21	74-71-73-70-288	2,206.25	Mac McLendon T55	74-72-73-75-294	537.60
	72-73-73-70-288	2,206.25	Spike Kelley T55	70-76-72-76-294	537.60
Ray Floyd T21	73-72-72-71-288	2,206.25	Bobby Cole T60	74-72-75-74-295	481.25
Randy Erskine T21	71-69-76-72-288	2,206.25	Pat Fitzsimons T60	77-70-73-75-295	481.25
Mike Hill	76-69-70-73-288	2,206.25	George Cadie T60	73-69-76-77-295	481.25
Gary Player	71-72-72-73-288	2,206.25	Lyn Lott	74-69-74-78-295	481.25
Jerry Heard T21	77-69-69-73-288	2,206.25	Bob Eastwood T64	75-70-79-72-296	437.34
Lou Graham T29	75-71-73-70—289	1,625.00	Lionel Hebert T64	72-74-77-73-296	437.33
Mike Morley T29	71-75-71-72-289	1,625.00	Danny Edwards T64	73-72-73-78-296	437.33
Miller Barber T29	71-72-75-71-289	1,625.00	Ed Dougherty T67	72-75-73-77 - 297	406.50
Tom Weiskopf T29	75-71-70-73-289	1,625.00	David Graham T67	70-75-75-77 - 297	406.50
Charles Coody T29	73-70-68-78-289	1,625.00	Bruce Devlin 69	73-73-79-298	387.00
	71-73-76-70-290	1,262.50	Babe Hiskey 70	73-73-80-73-299	375.00
	71-73-74-72-290	1,262.50	Tommy Aaron 71	72-74-76-78-300	
	69-76-72-73-290	1,262.50	Tim Collins T72	75-71-80-75-301	
Dan Sikes	73-72-72-73 - 290	1,262.50	Larry Nelson T72	73-74-77-77 - 301	

#### B. C. OPEN

En-Joie G. C., Endicott, NY Par 37-34-71, 6,815 yards Purse: \$175,000 August 29-Sept. 1, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Andy North took the lead with a competitive course record 63. His back nine of 27 tied a PGA record. Butch Baird, Don Iverson and George Burns were 2 shots back. **Second round**—Baird's 67 gave him a two-shot cushion over Iverson and Mike McCullough. **Third round**—Baird retained a two-shot margin over Iverson with a 71.

CUT: 70 players at one-over par 143.

WEATHER: The first round was delayed 43 minutes at 2:02 pm due to lightning and rain. The three

following days were overcast and cool with slight showers.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-Lee Elder, 66, \$750. Team-Lee Elder, 53, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 37,500

#### DON IVERSON . . . . . 1 66-69-71-68-274 \$35,000.00

Jim ColbertT2	69-69-69-68-275	16.187.50	Victor Regalado T34	72-73-69-73-285	883.50
David Graham T2	68-68-71-68-275		Bob Shaw T34	67-69-74-75-285	883.50
Terry Diehl 4	69-69-71-66-276	8,225.00	Bobby Wadkins T34	68-70-72-75-285	883.50
Jerry McGee T5	69-72-70-66-277	6.358.34	Terrance Dill T40	68-71-76-71-286	669.50
Jim Wiechers T5	72-67-71-67-277	6,358.33	Howard Twitty T40	67-75-73-71-286	669.50
Hubert Green	70-69-71-67-277	6.358.33	Lanny Wadkins T40	72-70-71-73-286	669.50
Sam Snead T8	69-73-69-67-278	4.944.00	Dan Sikes T40	72-70-70-74-286	669.50
Butch BairdT8	66-67-71-74-278	4.944.00	Jim Ahern	74-67-77-69-287	559.50
Gary McCord T10	70-70-71-68-279	4,025.00	Richie Karl T44	67-72-76-72-287	559.50
Barry Jaeckel T10	72-68-68-71-279	4.025.00	Allen Miller	73-67-73-73-287	559.50
Mark Hayes T10	71-69-68-71-279	4.025.00	Wally Armstrong T44	70-71-71-75-287	559.50
Mac McLendon T13	69-74-69-68-280	3,150.00	Joe Inman T48	71-71-76-70-288	432.58
Dave Stockton T13	69-73-69-69-280	3,150.00	Greg Trompas T48	69-73-76-70-288	432.57
Sammy RachelsT13	71-69-70-70-280	3,150.00	George Knudson T48	70-72-73-73-288	432.57
Bob Menne T16	71-70-72-72-281	2.537.50	Curtis Sifford T48	68-74-73-73-288	432.57
Lee Elder T16	70-68-73-68-281	2.537.50	Frank Conner T48	71-72-72-73-288	432.57
Alan Tapie T16	68-72-71-70-281	2.537.50	Tommy AaronT48	73-70-72-73-288	432.57
Mike McCullough T16	68-67-72-74-281	2.537.50	Art Wall	73-69-72-74-288	432.57
David Glenz T20	69-71-73-69-282	1,792.00	Rod Funseth T55	72-70-75-72-289	372.00
Bob Benson T20	73-68-71-70-282	1.792.00	Jay Horton T55	71-72-78-68-289	372.00
Andy NorthT20	63-74-71-74-282	1,792.00	Danny Edwards T55	73-68-75-73 - 289	372.00
Kermit Zarley T20		1,792.00	Artie McNickle T55	71-72-74-72-289	372.00
Mike WynnT20		1,792.00	Bob Eastwood T55	71-72-71-75-289	372.00
Bobby Walzel T25		1,374.00	Leonard Thompson T55	70-69-72-78-289	372.00
Ed Sneed T25		1,374.00	Larry Hinson T61	73-70-73-74-290	319.50
Ken Still		1,374.00	Mike Reasor T61	73-70-73-74-290	319.50
Perry Leslie T25		1,374.00	Dan Halldorsor T61	70-71-74-75-290	319.50
Bob Wynn T29		1,137,80	Steve Melnyk T61	71-72-72-75-290	319.50
George Burns T29	- 196 (J. 1922) - 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1,137.80	Dale Douglass T61	71-71-71-77-290	319.50
Jim Simons T29		1,137.80	Ralph Johnstom T61	75-66-72-77-290	319.50
Bob Zender T29			Ed Dougherty T67	68-75-74-75-292	284.50
Bob DicksonT29			Dave Newquis T67	73-69-73-77 - 292	284.50
Larry Nelson T34			Bert Greene 69	73-68-75-78-294	271.00
Bill Rogers T34			Ray Floyd	69-72-74-WD	
Bob E. Smith T34					
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#### **SOUTHERN OPEN**

Purse: \$100,000

September 4-7, 1975

Green Island C. C., Columbus, GA Par 35-35-70, 6,791 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—John Schroeder and Mac McLendon tied for the lead with openings of 65. Terry Dill and Leonard Thompson were one stroke back 66. Second round—Schroeder's 66 gave him a two-stroke lead over Alan Tapie (67-66-133). Third round—Schroeder retains his lead as he fired a 68 for a 199 total and one stroke in front of Hubert Green (68-66-66).

CUT: 82 players at four-over par 144.

**WEATHER:** Thursday and Friday temperatures in the 90s, hot and humid. Saturday was slightly cooler, temperatures in the high 80s with light showers starting about 3:30 and continued for remainder of the day. Sunday brought light drizzles early part of the day, overcast and clearing remainder of the day.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-David Graham, 64, \$750. Team-George Johnson, Bruce Devlin, Larry Hinson, 54, \$625.00 each.

ATTENDANCE: 13,100

#### HUBERT GREEN . . . . . 1 68-66-64-264 \$20,000.00

John Schroeder 2	65-66-68-68-267	11,400.00	Howard Twitty T40	72-70-70-70-282	341.00
Terrance Dill 3	66-69-69-68-272	7,100.00	Bobby Wadkins T40	72-68-71-71-282	341.00
Bill Rogers4	70-69-63-71-273	4,700.00	Hugh RoyerT40	75-67-69-71-282	341.00
Gibby Gilbert 5	69-68-69-68-274	4,100.00	David Graham T40	67-72-71-72-282	341.00
Ben Crenshaw 6	68-69-70-68-275	3,600.00	Roy Pace T40	73-69-69-71-282	341.00
Larry Nelson	70-71-70-65-276	2,950.00	Rod Funseth T40	71-71-68-72-282	341.00
J. C. Snead T7	68-68-72-68-276	2,950.00	George Cadle T40	70-68-70-74-282	341.00
George BurnsT7	70-65-71-70-276	2,950.00	Danny Edwards T50	68-71-75-69-283	237.50
Gary Wintz T10	70-72-68-67-277	2,120.00	Butch Baird T50	71-70-73-69-283	237.50
Mark Hayes T10	70-65-74-68-277	2,120.00	Gary Groh T50	72-72-69-70-283	237.50
B. R. McLendon T10	65-69-71-72-277	2,120.00	John Toepel T50	68-71-72-72-283	237.50
Allen Miller T10	70-69-68-70-277	2,120.00	Curtis Sifford T50	70-74-68-71-283	237.50
Alan Tapie T10	67-66-70-74-277	2,120.00	Dave Eichelberger . T50	72-72-66-73-283	237.50
Mike McCullough . T15	71-69-71-67-278	1,400.00	Bob Dickson T56	75-69-72-68-284	207.50
Don Iverson T15	69-69-71-69-278	1,400.00	Bob E. Smith T56	69-74-72-69-284	207.50
Wally Armstrong T15	73-69-68-68-278	1,400.00	Forrest Fezler T56	73-71-71-69-284	207.50
Jim DentT15	71-68-70-69-278	1,400.00	Larry Ziegler T56	71-73-71-69-284	207.50
Leonard Thompson T15	66-72-70-70-278	1,400.00	Jim King T56	71-73-70-70-284	207.50
Larry Hinson T15	67-72-68-71-278	1,400.00	Dwight Nevil T56	71-69-70-74-284	207.50
Kermit Zarley T15	68-68-69-73-278	1,400.00	Nate StarksT62	71-73-71-70-285	187.50
Jim WiechersT22	70-72-70-67-279	940.00	Jack Ewing T62	68-73-72-72-285	187.50
Mike ReasorT22	71-71-69-68-279	940.00	Tom Purtzer T64	70-69-77-70-286	172.50
Larry Ringer T22	70-70-70-69-279	940.00	Bob Shaw	73-70-72-71-286	172.50
Tom Evans T25	72-70-72-66-280	740.00	Ras Allen T64	73-70-70-73-286	172.50
Rod Curl T25	71-69-71-69-280	740.00	Bruce Fleisher T64	76-67-69-74-286	172.50
Bob Zender T25	73-71-66-70-280	740.00	Richard Mast T68	71-73-72-72-288	157.50
Barry Jaeckel T25	72-67-70-71—280	740.00	Sammy Rachels T68	72-71-72-73-288	157.50
Ken Still T25	68-73-67-72-280	740.00	Frank Conner T70	75-69-73-72-289	37.50
Ross Randall T25	71-66-70-73—280	740.00	Bob Menne	69-74-73-73-289	37.50
Jim Colbert T25	67-71-70-72—280	740.00	Frank Beard T70	72-72-73-289	37.50
George Archer T32	69-71-72-69-281	530.00	Wayne Yates T70	72-70-71-76-289	37.50
Juan Rodriguez T32	71-69-73-68-281	530.00	Jim Ahern 74	72-70-72-76-290	
Tom Shaw T32	69-70-72-70-281	530.00	Bud Dudley T75	72-72-70-77 - 291	(am)
Don January T32	73-68-70-70 — 281	530.00	Dave Lind T75	69-72-77-73-291	
Roger Watson T32	70-71-68-72-281	530.00	Mike Wynn 77	72-72-75-74-293	
Tom Kite	70-71-68-72-281	530.00	Bruce Devlin 78	72-71-73-78-294	
Bert Greene T32	72-70-67-72-281	530.00	Fuzzy Zoeller T79	74-68-77-76-295	
Bruce Lietzke T32	71-68-69-73-281	530.00	Jack Spradlin T79	70-71-79-75-295	
Dave Newquist T40	72-71-72-67—282	341.00	Lee Elder	71-73-77-WD	
Tommy Aaron T40	77-64-72-69 — 282	341.00	Miller Barber	70-68-80-WD	
Mike Morley T40	71-70-71-70—282	341.00			

#### **WORLD OPEN**

Pinehurst C. C., Pinehurst, NC Par 35-36-71, 7,007 yards

Purse: \$200,000 September 11-14, 1975

LEADERS: First round—Lee Elder posted a six-under par 65 and had a two-stroke lead over Danny Edwards, Rod Funseth, Pat Fitzsimons and Tom Weiskopf. Larry Nelson had a hole-in-one at the 203yard 15th (4 iron). Second round-Pat Fitzsimons took the lead with a 67-69-136, six-under par, while Howard Twitty and Rod Funseth were tied for second at 137. Third round - Weiskopf moved into the lead with birdies at 15, 16 and 17 for a 68 and a seven-under par 206. Fitzsimons was at 207 and Ed Sneed at 208.

CUT: 74 players at four-over par 146.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, clear early, clouding up in afternoon, and then a 26-minute rain delay late in afternoon (5:09 to 5:35). Friday, partly cloudy then cloudy late in day with light rain just at finish. Saturday, rain in early morning, clearing by noon and sunny in afternoon. Sunday, beautiful.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$10,000. Individual-John Mahaffey, 65, \$1,000. Team-Buck Adams, 54, \$1,000.

ATTENDANCE: 42,500

#### JACK NICKLAUS . . . . . 1 70-71-70-69-280 \$40,000.00 Won Playoff with Par, first extra hole

Billy Casper 2	70-72-68-70-280 2	22 800.00	Jerry McGee T39	73-72-76-70-291	740.00
Tom Weiskopf 3	67-71-68-75-281 1		Dale Hayes-So Af T39	73-73-73-72-291	740.00
Pat Fitzsimons 4		9.400.00	Hubert Green T39	75-71-72-73-291	740.00
Ed Sneed 5	68-70-70-75 - 283	8,200.00	Terrance Dill T39	70-75-72-74-291	740.00
John Schlee	68-72-73-71-284	6,225.00	Frank Beard T39	74-71-72-74-291	740.00
John Mahaffey T6	70-71-70-73-284	6,225.00	Al Geiberger T39	72-71-73-75-291	740.00
Rod Funseth	67-70-74-73-284	6,225.00	Gary Wintz T39	75-69-71-76-291	740.00
Larry Nelson T6	70-71-69-74-284	6.225.00	Bob Murphy T39	70-73-72-76-291	740.00
Bruce Lietzke T10	72-72-71-70-285	4,240.00	Mike Hill	69-72-74-76-291	740.00
Kermit Zarley T10	71-69-74-71-285	4,240.00	Curtis Strange T48	73-71-75-73-292	(am)
Bob Zender T10	72-71-71-71-285	4.240.00	Peter Oosterhuis T48	72-73-72-75-292	540.00
Wally Armstrong . T10	69-72-71-73-285	4.240.00	Bob Dickson T50	76-70-76-71-293	476.25
Howard Twitty T10	69-68-73-75-285	4.240.00	Tommy Horton-Eng T50	75-70-76-72-293	476.25
Bobby Wadkins T15	70-70-73-73—286	3.300.00	George Cadle T50	73-73-74-73-293	476.25
Lee Elder T15	65-74-73-74-286	3,300.00	Alan Tapie	72-73-74-74-293	476.25
Lanny Wadkins T17	71-70-75-71-287	2.411.43	Nate Starks	70-72-76-75 - 293	476.25
Lee Trevino T17	69-73-74-71-287	2.411.43	Bob E. Smith T50	69-76-73-75-293	476.25
Juan Rodriguez T17	74-69-72-72-287	2.411.43	Bert Greene T50	73-71-74-75-293	476.25
Lou Graham T17	69-72-74-72 - 287	2.411.43	Gibby Gilbert T50	71-74-71-77 — 293	476.25
Rik Massengale T17	71-74-70-72 - 287	2,411.43	Butch Baird T58	70-76-74-74-294	415.00
Charles Coody T17	73-71-71-72-287	2.411.43	Sam Snead T58	72-74-73-75-294	415.00
J. C. Snead T17	73-69-71-74-287	2,411.42	Bruce Fleisher T58	72-73-74-75-294	415.00
Don Bies 24	74-69-70-75-288	1,760.00	Jerry Heard T58	72-73-72-77-294	415.00
Miller Barber T25	74-71-74-70-289	1,480.00	Eamon Darcy-Ire T62	73-73-76-73-295	385.00
Joe Inman	79-67-71-72-289	1,480.00	Roger Watson T62	71-74-75-75—295	385.00
Don January T25	72-72-73-289	1,480.00	Hale Irwin	71-75-75-75-296	365.00
Tom Kite	70-69-75-75-289	1,480.00	Tom Purtzer	70-75-75-76-296	365.00
Terry Diehl T25	73-72-70-74-289	1,480.00	Don Iverson	75-70-79-73-297	335.00
Danny Edwards T25	67-72-75-75-289	1,480.00	Eddie Pearce T66	72-74-75-76-297	335.00
Mac McLendon T25	71-71-71-76-289	1,480.00	Jim Dent	68-77-74-78-297	335.00
Johnny Miller T32	73-71-76-70-290	1,082.86	Rod Curl	68-77-72-80-297	335.00
Dan SikesT32	71-73-75-71-290	1,082.86	David Graham 70	73-72-77-76-298	310.00
Jack Ewing T32	74-72-73-71-290	1,082.86	Ken Still	75-71-77-76-299	300.00
Lyn Lott T32		1,082.86	O'Dell Massey72	73-73-79-82-307	
Ben Crenshaw T32			Allen Miller WD	72-72-77 — WD	
Mark Hayes T32			Forrest Fezler WD	73-72WD	
Bruce Crampton T32					

#### SAHARA INVITATIONAL

Sahara-Nevada C.C., Las Vegas, NV Par 36-35-71, 6,800 yards

Purse: \$135,000 September 25-28, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Miller Barber's eight-under par 30-33—63 gave him a one-stroke lead over Bob Wynn, while Tom Evans and Bob Shaw were two strokes back. Second round—Six players were tied for lead at eight-under par 134—Wally Armstrong, Miller Barber, Dave Hill, Rik Massengale, Bobby Mitchell and Bob Wynn. Bruce Crampton, three back at 137, had a seven-under par 28 on the back nine. Third round—Hill, Massengale and Mitchel remained tied at 12-under par 201, with Crampton, Wynn and George Cadle at 202.

CUT: 73 players at even par 142.

WEATHER: Beautiful every day, clear, sunny and warm.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$15,000. Two-Day Totals: individual, Tom Kite, 129, \$500. Team, Greg Powers, 111, \$500. Las Vegas C. C: Tuesday—Individual, Tom Kite, John Schlee, Jerry Heard, Ken Still, all 67, \$193.75. Team, Nate Starks and Juan Rodriquez, 56, \$225. Wednesday—Individual, Jim Dent and Greg Powers, 64, \$225. Team, Greg Powers, 53, \$250. Sahara-Nevada C.C: Tuesday—Individual, Mac McLendon, 63, \$250. Team, Tommy Aaron, Phil Rodgers and Hubert Green, all 56, \$208.34 (last two 33 cents). Wednesday—Individual, Tom Kite 62, \$250. Team, Bob Dickson, Emil Schodeller, Don Iverson, Chuck Courtney and Jack Ewing, all 57, \$180.

#### DAVE HILL . . . . . 1 68-66-67-69-270 \$27,000.00 Won Playoff with par 5, first extra hole

Rik Massengale 2	70-64-67-69-270	15,390.00	Ben Crenshaw T32	73-68-72-66-279	731.00
Joe Inman	67-70-67-67-271	7,965.00	Jerry Heard T39	70-69-71-70-280	539.67
Bobby Mitchell T3	70-64-67-70-271	7,965.00	Bob Stanton T39	71-67-72-70-280	539.67
Don January T5	70-66-70-66-272	4,674.50	Bob Shaw T39	65-74-70-71-280	539.67
Charles Coody T5	70-69-65-68-272	4,674.50	Gay Brewer T39	69-72-70-69-280	539.67
Bruce Crampton T5	72-65-65-70-272	4,674.50	Miller Barber T39	63-71-75-71-280	539.66
George CadleT5	69-66-67-70-272	4,674.50	Homero Blancas T39	70-72-70-68-280	539.66
Gary McCord T9	67-70-71-65-273	3,375.00	Jim Masserio T45	68-71-71-71-281	384.67
Chuck Courtney T9	68-68-68-69-273	3,375.00	Larry Ziegler T45	73-68-69-71-281	384.67
Bob Wynn T9	64-70-68-71-273	3,375.00	Dwight Nevil T45	71-71-69-70-281	384.67
Bobby Wadkins T12	70-67-71-66-274	2,531.25	Jerry McGee T45	72-68-69-72-281	384.67
Hubert Green T12	71-70-67-66-274	2,531.25	Gary Groh T45	69-73-70-69-281	384.66
Lyn Lott	69-72-64-69-274	2,531.25	Art Wall	69-71-75-66-281	384.66
Al GeibergerT12	69-68-68-69-274	2,531.25	R. H. Sikes T51	71-69-72-70-282	327.50
Alan Tapie T16	68-72-69-66-275	2,092.50	Butch Baird T51	69-73-70-70-282	327.50
Gibby Gilbert T16	73-67-69-66-275	2,092.50	Bob Zender T53	72-68-70-73-283	293.63
Pat Fitzsimons T18	71-71-68-66-276	1,508.15	Gary Wintz T53	71-69-71-72-283	293.63
Jim Simons T18	75-66-70-65-276	1,508.15	Bruce Fleisher T53	66-73-72-72-283	293.63
Tony Jacklin T18	69-70-70-67-276	1,508.14	Leonard Thompson T53	71-69-72-71-283	293.63
Danny Edwards T18	72-67-70-67-276	1,508.14	Jack Ewing T53	70-71-71-71-283	293.62
Bob Dickson T18	67-68-71-70-276	1,508.14	Jim Dent T53	69-68-75-71-283	293.62
Tom Watson T18	71-70-67-68-276	1,508.14	Lionel Hebert T53	72-70-70-71-283	293.62
David Graham T18	72-65-66-73-276	1,508.14	Bruce Devlin T53	70-70-74-69-283	293.62
Dale Douglass 25	74-68-67-68-277	1,120.00	Jim Jamieson T61	70-72-69-73-284	253.00
Mike Hill T26	69-71-70-68-278	978.84	Tom Evans T61	65-72-75-72-284	253.00
Frank Beard T26	68-69-73-68-278	978.84	Ralph Johnston T61	70-70-68-76-284	253.00
Wally Armstrong T26	69-65-75-69-278	978.83	John Schroeder T61	67-72-77-68-284	253.00
Don Bies	69-71-69-69-278	978.83	Marty Fleckman 65	66-75-71-73-285	236.00
Mark Hayes T26	70-70-72-66-278	978.83	Tom Shaw T66	71-69-75-71-286	226.50
Ken Still T26	70-66-71-71-278	978.83	Nate Starks T66	73-68-75-70-286	226.50
Tome Kite	71-69-70-69-279	731.00	Larry Nelson T68	72-67-74-75-288	209.67
John Mahaffey T32	70-68-72-69-279	731.00	Allen Miller T68	67-74-72-75-288	209.67
Ed Sneed T32	69-73-68-69-279	731.00	Dow Finsterwald T68	70-68-76-74-288	209.67
	72-69-68-70-279	731.00	Dave Eichelberger 71	68-74-73-74-289	
B. R. McLendon T32		731.00	Mike Reasor 72	71-71-76-72-290	
Lanny Wadkins T32	71-71-70-67-279	731.00	Gardner Dickinson 73	71-69-77-81-298	

#### KAISER INTERNATIONAL OPEN

Purse: \$175,000

Oct. 1-5, 1975

Silvarado Country Club, North and South Courses
Par: North – 36-36 – 72, 6,828 yards
South – 35-37 – 72, 6,619 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Gene Littler and Chuck Courtney fired 65's to lead Bobby Wadkins by one stroke. Second round—Don January's course record tieing 64 gave him a 134 total and a one-stroke lead over Johnny Miller, Marty Fleckman, Lee Trevino and Gene Little. Third round—Miller was alone at the top with a 13-under 203 total. Rod Curl, who carded a course record tieing 64, and Gene Littler trailed by one.

CUT: 71 players at even par 144.

WEATHER: Beautiful every day, cloudless, warm and dry.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$10,000 overall. Pro-Am held on Wednesday on both courses. North Course—Jerry Heard, Allen Miller and Bobby Cole shared individual honors with 69's, \$416.67 (Cole 66 cents). Larry Ziegler won the team with a 55, \$500.00. South Course—Al Geiberger's 67 won the individual prize of \$500.00. Richard Crawford, Charles Coody and Lee Elder shared the team title and netted \$416.67 (Elder 66 cents).

ATTENDANCE: 71,322 (tournament record).

#### JOHNNY MILLER . . . . . . 1 68-67-68-69-272 \$35,000.00

	70 07 04 74 075	10.050.00	Gary McCord T-33	70-71-74-70 - 285	904.86
Rod Curl 2	73-67-64-71-275	9,275.00	Lanny Wadkins T-33	70-73-72-70-285	904.85
Lee Trevino T-3	70-65-72-69-276	9,275.00	Larry Nelson T-33	67-76-72-70-285	904.85
Marty Fleckman T-3	68-67-71-70-276	9,275.00	Mike Morley T-40	69-70-74-73-286	734.50
Gene Littler T-3	65-70-69-72-276	6.300.00	Jack Spradlin T-40	72-71-74-69-286	734.50
Jack Nicklaus 6	72-67-69-69-277		Lon Hinkle 42	76-68-71-72-287	682.00
Tony CerdaT-7	69-70-73-66-278	5,381.50	Doug Tewell T-43	69-71-73-75-288	531.25
Bruce Lietzke T-7	70-70-68-70-278	5,381.50	Mike Hill T-43	68-74-72-74-288	531.25
Jerry Heard T-9	73-67-72-67 - 279	4,200.00	Alan Tapie T-43	71-71-73-73-288	531.25
Lou Graham T-9	69-70-72-68-279	4,200.00	Jimmy Wittenberg . T-43	73-68-74-73-288	531.25
Don January T-9	70-64-75-70-279	4,200.00	George Johnson T-43	72-71-72-73-288	531.25
Gibby Gilbert T-9	68-71-68-72-279	4,200.00		74-70-71-73—288	531.25
Butch BairdT-13	74-66-73-68-281	2,975.00	Andy North T-43 Ken Still T-43	70-74-72-72-288	531.25
John Mahaffey T-13	69-74-70-68 - 281	2,975.00	Dick Lotz T-43	71-71-70-76-288	531.25
Bobby Mitchell T-13	69-71-72-69 - 281	2,975.00	Gay Brewer 51	68-70-80-71-289	429.00
Chuck Courtney T-13	65-75-71-70-281	2,975.00	Dwight Nevil T-52	71-73-71-75-290	402.60
Charles Coody T-13	72-70-68-71-281	2,975.00		71-72-73-74-290	402.60
Pat Fitzsimons T-18	70-71-72-69 - 282	2,024.17	George Knudson T-52 Bob E. Smith T-52	72-71-76-71 - 290	402.60
Bobby Walzel T-18	69-73-70-70-282	2,024.17	Bruce Fleisher T-52	72-72-75-71-290	402.60
Jerry McGeeT-18	70-71-71-70-282	2,024.17		73-70-77-70-290	402.60
Don Bies T-18			Monty Kaser T-52	73-71-72-75-291	358.80
David Glenz T-18			Bob Risch T-57	71-72-74-74-291	358.80
Buddy Allin T-18	72-70-68-72-282		Dave Stockton T-57	73-71-73-74-291	358.80
Ralph Johnston T-24	70-68-74-71 — 283	1,464.34	Frank Beard T-57	71-73-74-73-291	358.80
Al Geiberger T-24	73-69-71-70 — 283	1,464.33	Kermit Zarley T-57	71-73-74-73-291	358.80
George Cadle T24	68-74-70-71-283		Terry Diehl T-57	69-72-76-75—292	333.00
Homero Blancas T-27	73-69-72-70-284		Ron Cerrudo 62	69-75-73-76-293	324.00
Lyn Lott			Jim Simons 63		306.34
Dave Newquist T-27			Forrest Fezler T-64	70-74-72-78-294	306.34
Miller Barber T-27			Gardner Dickinson . T-64	71-72-74-77 — 294	306.33
John Jacobs T-27	72-69-69-74-284		R. H. Sikes T-64		284.50
Tom Jenkins T-27			Ed Sneed T-67	71-72-75-78—296	284.50
Bob Zender T-33	3 71-72-70-72-285		Allen Miller T-67	72-72-75-77 — 296	267.00
Barry Jaeckel T-33			Jay Horton T-69		100 m (000 00 20 0)
Gil Morgan T-33	3 73-69-73-70-285		Dick Rautman T-69	72-68-82-80-302	267.00
Bobby Wadkins T-33	8 66-70-78-71-285	904.86	Mac McLendon	72-70-74-WD	

#### SAN ANTONIO TEXAS OPEN

Woodlake Country Club Par 36-36-72, 7,038 yards

Purse: \$125,000 October 16-19, 1975

**LEADERS:** First round—Miller Barber and Gil Morgan shot 66's for a one-stroke lead over Ross Randall and Ralph Johnston. Second round—Morgan's 134 left him one shot in front of Johnston. Third round—Four players were tied for the lead at nine-under par, 207—Miller Barber, Charles Coody, Larry Hinson and Richard Crawford. Four players were one shot behind—Ralph Johnston, Barry Jaeckel, Rod Funseth and Gary McCord.

CUT: 73 players at even par, 144.

**WEATHER:** Sunny, warm and cloudless every day. Thursday morning was somewhat overcast with gusts up to 20 mph. The wind was a factor each day—5 to 15 mph.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500 purse. Bruce Lietzke took the individual prize of \$750 with a competitive course record of 63. Mark Hayes won the team event and \$750 with a 55.

ATTENDANCE: 18,000.

#### DON JANUARY . . . . . . 1 71-67-71-66—275 \$25,000.00 (Won playoff with birdie 2 on the second extra hole)

Larry Hinson 2	70-73-64-68-275	14,250.00	Kurt Cox	70-72-70-73-285	590.57
Gil Morgan 3	66-68-75-68-277	8,875.00	Mike Shea T35		590.57
Bruce Lietzke T-4	70-71-70-67-278	5,166.67	Rex Caldwell T35	72-67-71-75-285	590.57
Ralph Johnston T-4	67-68-73-70-278	5,166.67	Doug Sanders T35		590.57
Miller Barber T-4	66-71-70-71-278	5,166.66	George CadleT-42	75-69-70-72-286	438.00
Mike McCullough 7	73-67-70-69-279	4,000.00	Jack Ewing T-42	73-68-74-71-286	438.00
Bob Shaw T-8		3,137.40	Bob E. Smith T-42	75-69-71-71-286	438.00
Bobby Cole T-8		3,137.40	Dick RhyanT-42		438.00
Richard Crawford T-8	68-69-70-73-280	3,137.40	Homero Blancas T-42		438.00
Charles Coody T-8	68-69-70-73-280	3,137.40	Dave Eichelberger T-47		328.80
Rod Funseth T-8	73-69-66-72-280	3,137.40	Ken Still T-47		328.80
Lon Hinkle 13	71-66-73-71-281	2,375.00	Lionel Hebert T-47		328.80
Andy North T-14	68-73-73-68-282	1,692.50	Dwight Nevil T-47		328.80
Fred Marti T-14	73-69-71-69-282	1,692.50	Dick Lotz T-47		328.80
Jim Masserio T-14	71-70-71-70-282	1,692.50	Gibby Gilbert T-52		293.67
Fuzzy Zoeller T-14	70-70-72-70-282	1,692.50	Babe Hiskey T-52		293.67
Victor Regalado T-14	72-70-73-67 - 282	1,692.50	Cesar Sanudo T-52		293.66
Lee Trevino T-14	71-70-69-72-282	1,692.50	Ross Randall T-55		275.00
Bob Payne T-14	70-71-69-72-282	1,692.50	Wayne Fenack T-55		275.00
Steve Melnyk T-14	70-70-70-72-282	1,692.50	Dan Sikes T-55		275.00
Tommy AaronT-14	71-67-71-73-282	1,692.50	Ron Cerrudo T-58	73-68-74-75-290	249.80
Gary McCord T-14		1,692.50	Perry Leslie T-58	71-71-69-79-290	249.80
Gary Wintz T-24	71-69-73-70-283	1,024.75	Terry Diehl T-58		249.80
John Mahaffey T-24		1,024.75	Jimmy Wittenberg T-58	69-70-78-73-290	249.80
Mark Hayes T-24		1,024.75	Wally Armstrong T-58	69-70-78-73 - 290	249.80
Barry Jaeckel T-24		1,024.75	Doug Tewell T-63	68-70-79-74-291	225.00
Bob Stanton T-28		813.15	Barney Thompson T-63		225.00
Tom Purtzer T-28		813.15	Mike Morley T-63	70-73-80-68-291	225.00
Juan Rodriguez T-28		813.14	Howard Twitty T-66	72-70-73-77 - 292	206.00
Ben Crenshaw T-28		813.14	Bobby Walzel T-66	71-70-76-75-292	206.00
Peter Oosterhuis T-28		813.14	Ed Dougherty T-66	70-72-79-71-292	206.00
Mike Hill T-28		813.14	Bob Eastwood 69	71-71-75-76-293	194.00
Dale Douglass T-28		813.14	David Shuster T-70	74-67-76-77-294	93.50
Randy Erskine T-35		590.58	Curtis Sifford T-70	70-70-78-76-294	93.50
Bob Risch		590.57	Bruce Fleisher 72	69-72-77-77 - 295	
Dave NewquistT35	72-70-71-72-285	590.57	Ken Merscheim73	73-71-78-75-297	

## WALT DISNEY WORLD NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista, Fla. Palm Course: Par 72, 6,951 Yards Magnolia Course: Par 72, 7,162 Yards. Purse: \$200,000 Oct. 23-26, 1975

**LEADERS:** First Round: The teams of Gibby Gilbert-Bobby Mitchell and Bryan Abbott-Jimmy Wittenberg had 10-under par 62s to lead eight teams that had 63. Second Round: Three teams were tied at 18-under par 126, as Andy North-Don Padgett and Jim Colbert-Dean Refram joined Abbott-Wittenberg. Third Round: Colbert-Refram with 63-63-62—188, 28-under par, led Abbott-Wittenberg (62-64-65) and Mason Rudolph-Dan Sikes (64-66-61) by three.

CUT: 44 teams at 12-under par 132 (Disney cut was to 44 teams).

PRO-AMATEUR: Magnolia. Pro-Team. Johnny Miller and Grier Jones, 61, S250 each. Pro-Amateur Team-Tom Kite and Danny Edwards, 56, S250 each. Palm. Pro-Team-Ron Cerrudo and Jim Wiechers, 61, S250 each. Pro-Amateur Team-Tom Jenkins and Billy Ziobro, 55, S250 each.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, clear and sunny. Friday, cloudy in afternoon with brief shower late in day. Saturday, cloudy early, clear in afternoon. Sunday, warm and sunny.

#### Jim Colbert Dean Refram... 1 63-63-62-64-252 \$20,000.00 each

Dear Hondin	0 00 02			
John Schlee	10,504.00	Ray Floyd		1,000.00
Bobby Cole	10,504.00	John Jacobs 24	63-68-69-64 - 264	1,000.00
Victor Regalado	10.504.00	Bob Allard		875.20
Curtis Sifford T2 66-65-62-62-255	10.504.00	David Glenz T25	65-64-68-68 - 265	875.20
Bobby Mitchell	5.336.00	Bob Benson		875.20
Gibby Gilbert 4 62-66-66-63-257		Ed Dougherty T25	67-64-68-66-265	875.20
Johnny Miller	4,372.00	Ron Cerrudo		875.20
Grier Jones		Jim Wiechers T25	68-64-67-66-265	875.20
Mason Rudolph	4.372.00	Doug Tewell		875.20
Dan Sikes		Mark Hayes T25	65-66-70-64-265	875.20
J. C. Snead	3,492.00	David Lind		875.20
Sam Snead T7 65-65-66-63-259		Tony CerdaT25	65-67-70-63-265	875.20
Bobby Wadkins	3,492.00	Danny Edwards		738.67
Lanny Wadkins T7 65-66-63-65-259		Tom Kite	65-66-68-67-266	738.67
Jim Dent	2.837.34	Tommy Aaron		738.67
George Johnson T9 66-66-65-63-260		Charles Coody T30	66-66-67-67-266	738.67
Brian Allin	2.837.33	Bobby Nichols		738.66
Al Geiberger T9 68-61-65-66-260		Gay Brewer T30	64-66-66-70-266	738.66
Bryan Abbott	2,837.33	Don Iverson		480.00
Jimmy Wittenberg T9 62-64-65-69-260		Sam Adams T33	63-66-69-69 - 267	480.00
Homero Blancas	2.005.34	Joey Dills		480.00
Jerry Heard T12 63-64-70-64-261	2,005.34	Pete Brown T33	65-67-67-68-267	480.00
Bob Zender	2,005.34	Bob Shaw		480.00
Joe Porter T12 66-64-68-63-261		Roger Parker T33	67-65-67-68-267	480.00
Jim Masserio	2,005.33	Juan Rodriguez		480.00
Larry Nelson T12 67-64-66-64-261	2,005.33	Jesus Rodriguez., T33	65-65-66-71-267	480.00
Gil Morgan	2,005.33	Bob Eastwood		480.00
Spike Kelley T12 64-64-71-62-26	1 2,005.33	Butch Baird T37	63-66-69-70 - 268	-
Bruce Lietzke	2,005.33	Terry Diehl		
Bill Rogers T12 65-67-67-62-26	1 2,005.33	Lyn Lott	67-64-69-68 - 268	
Miller Barber	2,005.33	Steve Melnyk		
Don January T12 64-65-66-66-26	1 2,005.33	Dave Eichelberger T37	66-65-70-67 - 268	
Ed Sneed	1,477.34	Jack Spradlin		
Jerry McGee T18 63-69-66-64-26	2 1,477.34	Bob Risch T37	67-64-69-68-268	3 -
Andy North	1,477.33	Gary Wintz		
Don Padgett T18 64-62-68-68-26:	2 1,477.33	Bob Unger T37	66-65-70-67-268	, –
Ross Randall	1,477.33	Jerry Castigliano		
Dick Rhyan T18 65-64-65-68-26	2 1,477.33	Jimmie Bullard 42	65-67-67-71-270	) –
Richard Eller	1,146.67	Lee Elder		
Greg Powers T21 64-67-66-66—26	3 1,146.67	Albert Green 43	3 70-62-72-68 - 27	2 –
Gardner Dickinson	1,146.67	Nate Starks		
Frank Beard T21 65-67-64-67-26	3 1,146.67	Bobby Heins 44	65-67-69-72-27	3 -
John Mahaffey	1,146.66			
Tom Watson T21 68-64-67-64-26	3 1,146.66			

#### **BRITISH OPEN**

#### Carnoustie, Scotland

July 9-12, 1975

TOM WATSON, U.S 1 71			00
(Play-off: Watson 7	l; Nev	wton 72)	
Jack Newton, Australia	. 2	69-71-65-74-279	\$14,400.00
Bobby Cole, S. Africa	T3	72-66-66-76-280	8,154.00
Jack Nicklaus, U.S	. T3	69-71-68-72-280	8,154.00
Johnny Miller, U.S	T3	71-69-66-74-280	8,154.00
Graham Marsh, Australia	6	72-67-71-71-281	7,200.00
Peter Oosterhuis	. T7	68-70-71-73-282	6,780.00
Neil Coles	. T7	72-69-67-74-282	6,780.00
Hale Irwin, U.S	9	69-70-69-75-283	5,360.00
George Burns, U.S.	T10	71-73-69-71-284	5,099.00
John Mahaffey, U.S	T10	71-68-69-76-284	5,099.00
Bob Charles, N. Zealand	T12	74-73-70-69-286	4,200.00
Paul Leonard, Ireland	T12	70-69-73-74-286	4,200.00
Andries Oosthuizen, S. Africa	T12	69-69-70-78-286	4,200.00
Tom Weiskopf, U.S.	15	73-72-70-72-287	3,480.00
Arnold Palmer, U.S.	T16	74-72-69-73-288	2,760.00
Alan Tapie, U.S.	T16	70-72-67-79-288	2,760.00
Maurice Bembridge.	T16	75-73-67-73-288	2,760.00
Lon Hinkle, U.S.	T19	76-72-69-72-289	1,848.00
Bernard Gallacher	T19	72-67-72-78-289	1,848.00
Tommy Horton		72-71-71-75-289	1,848.00
Sam Torrance	T19	72-74-71-72-289	1,848.00
OTHER U.S. FIN	IISHER	s	
Danny Edwards	T23	70-74-71-75-290	\$1,710.00
Ray Floyd	T23	71-72-76-71-290	1,710.00
David Graham	T28	74-70-72-75-291	729.00
Hubert Green	T32	72-73-70-77-292	672.00
Gary Player	T32	75-71-73-73-292	672.00
Lee Trevino	T40	76-69-73-75-293	620.00
Bill Brask	T47	74-71-72-78-295	446.00
Bill Garrett	T47	76-72-75-295	446.00
Lou Graham	T47	73-72-74-76-295	446.00
Eddie Pearce	52	72-75-70-79-296	420.00
John Jacobs	T53	72-76-73-76-297	420.00

#### WORLD SERIES OF GOLF

Firestone C. Akron, OH	c.		Purse September	\$77,500 6-7, 1975
	TOM WATSON 1 6	9-71-140	\$50,000	
Jack Nicklaus		2	72-70-142	\$15,000.00
I om Weiskopf		3	75-70-145	7,500.00
Lou Graham	*************	4	76-71-147	5.000.00

#### 1975 SECOND TOUR RESULTS

#### SUN CITY OPEN

South Golf Club,				Purse: \$1	8: \$10,000	
Sun City, Ariz.				January 8-9,	8-9, 1975	
Bob Risch         1           Mike Wynn         2           Artie McNickle         T3           Rick Rhoads         T3           Randy Erskine         5           George Cadle         T6	67-72—139 71-70—141 74-68—142 67-75—142 73-70—143 72-72—144	\$2,000.00 1,140.00 633.50 633.50 486.00 368.50	Labron Harris	68-76 — 144 73-71 — 144 73-71 — 144 72-73 — 145 71-74 — 145	368.50 368.50 368.50 284.00 284.00	

#### YUMA OPEN

Yuma G. & C. C., Yuma, AZ			Purse: \$10,0 January 17-18, 19			
Dave Shuster         1           Dick Crawford         2           Jim Ferriell         3           Fred Marti         T4           Mike Shea         T4           Curtis Sifford         T4	69-69 - 138 72-67 - 139 69-71 - 140 69-73 - 142 71-71 - 142 72-70 - 142	\$2,000.00 1,100.00 800.00 517.50 517.50 517.50	Dick Goetz T4 Andy Thompson T8 Bobby Walzel T8 Barney Thompson T8 Jeff Van Waggenen T8	72-70 — 142 71-72 — 143 72-71 — 143 74-69 — 143 73-70 — 143	517.50 345.00 345.00 345.00 345.00	

PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS: Individual-Dick Crawford, Curtis Sifford, Jeff Van Waggenen, 68, \$125.00 each. Team-Dick Crawford, 58, \$150.00.

#### LITTLE CROSBY PRO-AM

Irvine C.C., Newpo	ort Beach,	Calif.	Ja	Purse: \$1 nuary 24-25	
Billy Ziobro         1           Bunky Henry         T2           Perry Leslie         T2           Ken Merscheim         T2           Pat Fitzsimons         T2           Mike Shea         T2	71-67—138 71-71—142 71-71—142 71-71—142 70-72—142 75-67—142	\$1,700.00 591.67 591.67 591.67 591.67 591.66	Eddie Merrins T2 Gil Morgan T8 Marty Fleckman T8 Max Anderson T8 Lyn Lott T8	73-69 — 142 72-71 — 143 73-70 — 143 71-72 — 143 70-73 — 143	591.66 362.50 362.50 362.50 362.50

#### CORONA NATIONAL OPEN

Corona National G Corona, Calif.	i.C.,		Ja	nuary 30-31	
Brian Abbott 1 Jimmy Powell T2 Bill Greenleaf T2 Jim Masserio T2 Tom Jenkins T2 Sam Adams T6	69-67 — 136 71-66 — 137 71-66 — 137 68-69 — 137 69-68 — 137 70-68 — 138	\$2,000.00 767.50 767.50 767.50 767.50 450.00	David Barber	70-68 — 138 72-67 — 139 70-70 — 140 73-68 — 141 70-71 — 141	450.00 390.00 360.00 315.00

#### HOPE OF TOMORROW OPEN

#### Palm Desert C.C., Palm Desert, Calif.

Purse: \$12,000 February 5-7, 1975

Rik Massengale       1         Steve Spray       T2         Al Mengert       T2         Mike Wynn       T2         Barney Thompson       5	67-72-67—206 67-69-70—206 70-67-69—206	1,066.67 1,066.67 1,066.67	Mike Morley	71-69-68—208 70-69-69—208 68-72-69—209	558.34 558.33 558.33 425.00
barriey mompson 5	68-68-71-207	700.00	Randy Geiselman T9	73-68-68-209	425.00

PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS: Individual-Sam Adams, 67, \$150.00. Team-Richard Mast, 57, \$150.00.

#### PINE TREE OPEN

Pine Tree G. C., Kernersville, NC				Purse: \$1 March 26-27,	
Florentino Molina	67-67 — 134 65-72 — 137 70-68 — 138 70-69 — 139 70-69 — 139 68-72 — 140 72-69 — 141	\$2,000.00 1,100.00 800.00 585.00 585.00 480.00 334.29	Greg Trompas	72-69 — 141 71-70 — 141 70-71 — 141 68-73 — 141	334.29 334.29 334.29 334.28 334.28

#### MAGNOLIA CLASSIC

Hattiesburg C.C., Hattiesburg, Miss.	Purse: \$35,000
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Bob Wynn         1           Mike Morley         2           Mike McCullough         3           Alan Tapie         4           Sam Adams         75           Bunky Henry         75           John Jacobs         75           Snike Kelley         2	69-67-69-67-272 66-64-68-70-273 66-69-69-68-274 71-69-69-69-278 71-69-68-70-278 70-68-68-72-278	3,990.00 2,485.00 1,761.00 1,358.67 1,358.67	Bob Zender T9 Gary Sanders T9 Gil Morgan T9 Jim Masserio T9 Randy Erskine T9 Tom Evans T9 DeWitt Weaver T9	70-71-68-71 — 280 68-72-69-71 — 280 74-70-68-68 — 280 68-70-73-69 — 280 71-67-72-70 — 280	801.4 801.4 801.4 801.4 801.4
Spike Kelley8	70-68-68-72-278	1,358.66	DeWitt Weaver T9	70-67-73-70-280	801.

PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS: Individual-Babe Hiskey, 65, \$250.00. Team-Bob Zender, 53, \$250.00.

#### MINI-KEMPER OPEN

Carmel C. C., Charlotte, NC				Purse: \$1 June 3,	
Perry Leslie         1           Mike Wynn         2           Wilf Homenuik         T3           Dick Mast         T3           Bob Leaver         5	67 68 69 69 70	\$3,000.00 1,650.00 1,065.00 1,065.00 825.00	Gary Sanders T6 Curtis Sifford T6 Rick Richards T8 Fuzzy Zoeller T8 Florentino Molina T8	71 71 72 72 72	675.00 675.00 540.00 540.00 540.00

#### **BUICK OPEN**

Flint Elks C. C., Grand Blanc, MI				Purse: \$2 June 19-21	
Spike Kelley         1           Randy Erskine         T2           J:m Marshall         T2           Mike McCullough         T2           Jim Barber         T5	70-72-66 — 208 74-70-65 — 209 70-72-67 — 209 70-70-69 — 209 72-72-66 — 210	\$4,200.00 1,683.34 1,683.33 1,683.33 950.00	Mike Wynn	72-71-69—212 73-75-65—213	950.00 800.00 725.00 650.00 650.00

PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS: Individual-Tim Collins, 68, \$200.00. Team-Bob Risch, 58, \$200.00.

#### JR. SAMMY DAVIS OPEN

Farmington Woods C. Avon, CT	C.,			Purse: \$1 August 8-9,	
Donat Calling 1	66	\$1,000.00	Bob Unger	71	154.29
Randy Erskine 1	68	550.00	Mike Mitchell T8	71	154.29
Roy Pace	69	400.00	John Kennedy T8	71	154.29
David Glenz 3	70	258.75	Bob Zender T8	71	154.29
Gary Wintz	70	258.75	Jim KingT8	71	154.28
Billy Ziobro	70	258.75	Curtis Sifford T8	71	154.28
Jim Wittenberg T4 Sam Adams T4	70	258.75	Bruce Lietzke T8	71	154.28

PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS: Individual-Pete Brown, 66, \$250.00. Team-Pete Brown, 61, \$250.00.

# PGA TOUR STATISTICS AND RECORDS

# 1975 TOURNAMENT SUMMARY

RUNNERS-UP Jerry Heard John Mahaffey	Hubert Green	Al Geiberger	Bob Murphy	T-Ray Floyd, T-Bobby Nichols	Tom Kite	Eddie Pearce	Hale Irwin	T-Forrest Fexier T-Bert Yancey	T-B. R. McLendon T-Mike Morley	Tom Weiskopf	Al Geiberger	T-Johnny Miller	idoveis i iii	Wally Armstrong	Gary Player	T-Spike Kelley T-Bert Yancey	Gil Morgan	Bob E. Smith	Peter Oosterhuis	John Mahaffey	Tom Watson	T-John Mahaffey
<b>MONEY</b> \$30,000 40,000	37,000	44,000	32,000	34,000	30,000	52,000	40,000	30,000	30,000	40,000	45,000	40,000	000	25,000	40,000	12,000	30,000	35,000	30,000	35,000	45,000	20,000
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WINNER Johnny Miller* Johnny Miller*(2)	Gene Littler	Gary Groh**	Johnny Miller (3)	J. C. Snead b extra hole. Nichols elimi	Pat Fitzsimons**	Rob Murphy	I se Trevino	Jack Nicklaus	Larry Ziegler	lack Nicklaus (2)	Tom Weiskonf	Jack Nicklaus (3)		Jerry McGee**	Al Geiberger hole).	Rik Massengale**	Brice Crampton	Tom Watson	Billy Casper	Gene Littler (2)	Hale Irwin	Ray Floyd
COURSE Phoenix CC Tucson National	Pebble Beach, Spyglass,	Waialae CC	Bermuda Dunes, Indian Wells,	Torrey Planta Control of the Control	(Woll playon will blind on the	Hiviera	Invertary Gaco	Doral CC	Deerwood Club		Harbour Lown Links	Augusta National		Pensacola CC	LaCosta CC (Won with birdie on 1st extra hole)	Killearn CC		Woodlands CC	Presion Italiac	Carlain CC	Colonial	Quail Hollow CC
TOURNAMENT Phoenix Open Dean Martin-Tucson	Bing Crosby	Hawaiian Open	Bob Hope Classic	Williams-San Diego		Campbell-Los Angeles	Gleason-Inverrary	Florida Citrus Doral-Eastern	11. Greater Jacksonville		Heritage Classic	Greater Greensboro The MASTERS		Pensacola Open	16. Tournament-Champions	17. Tallahassee Open			Byron Nelson	New Orleans	Dan Thomas-Memphis	Atlanta Classic Kemper Open
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Johnny Miller	John Mahaffey	Bobby Cole	Gary McCord	Dave Eichelberger	B. R. McLendon	Jack Nicklaus	Julius Boros	Bruce Crampton	Hubert Green	Dave Stockton	T-Jim Colbert	I -David Graham	John Schroeder	Jack Nicklaus	Billy Casper	Rik Massengale	Rod Curl	Larry Hinson	John Schlee/	Bobby Cole Victor Regalado/ Curtis Sifford
30,000	40,000	40,000	26,000	15,000	40,000	40,000	50,000	45,000	40,000	50,000	35,000		20,000	20,000	40,000	27,000	35,000	25,000	20,000	20,000
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275	287	283	271	275	276	274	27.1	276	267	270	274		264	140	280	270	272	275		252
Tom Jenkins**	Lou Graham 73).	Hale Irwin (2)	Art Wall	Roger Maltbie**	Roger Maltbie (2)	Tom Weiskopf (2) iirst extra hole).	Gene Littler (3) t extra hole).	Jack Nicklaus (4)	Don Bies** second extra hole).	Al Geiberger (2)	Don Iverson**		Hubert Green	Tom Watson earnings).	JackNicklaus (5) t extra hole).	Dave Hill textra hole).	Johnny Miller	Don January second extra hole).	Jim Colbert	Dean Refram
Whitemarsh CC	Medinah CC (Won 18-hole playoff, 71 to 73)	Butler National	Tuckaway CC	Oakwood CC	Pleasant Valley	Royal Montreal Tom Wei (Won playoff with birdie on first extra hole)	Westchester CC Gene (Won playoff with par on first extra hole)	Firestone CC	Wethersfield CC Don Bies** (Won playoff with birdie on second extra hole)	Colonial CC	EnJoie CC	(	Green Island CC	Firestone CC (Money won NOT Official in earnings).	Pinehurst CC (Won playoff with par on first extra hole)	Sahara-Hevada CC (Won playoff with par on first extra hole).	Silverado CC	Woodlake CC Don January (Won playoff with birdie on second extra hole)	Walt Disney World	Magnolia & Palm courses
24. IVB-Philadelphia	25. U.S. OPEN	Western Open	Greater Milwaukee			Canadian Open	31. WestchesterClassic	PGA CHAMPIONSHIP		TOURNAMENT PLAYERS	B. C. Open	(		World Series of Galf	37. World Open	Sahara Invitational	39. Kaiser International	San Antonio Texas Open	41. Disney Team Play	
24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29	30	31.	32.	33.	34	35.	0	36		37.	38.	39	40	41	

# (Money won NOT Official in earnings)

NOTE: \*Johnny Miller either led or was tied for lead at end of each round through Phoenix and Dean Martin-Tucson. \*Denotes First Tour Victory.

#### **SECOND TOUR**

	TOURNAMENT	WINNER	SCORE	MARGIN	MONEY
1.	Sun City Open	Bob Risch	139	2	\$2,000
2.	Yuma Open	Dave Shuster	138	1	2,000
3.	Little Crosby Pro-Am	Billy Ziobro	138	4	1,700
4.	Corona National Open	Brian Abbott	136	1	2,000
5.	Hope of Tomorrow Open	Rik Massengale	206	Playoff	2,400
	Pine Tree Open	Florentino Molina	134	3	2,000
	Magnolia Classic	Bob Wynn	270	2	7,000
8.	Mini Kemper Open	Perry Leslie	67	1	3,000
9.	Buick Open	Spike Kelley	208	1	4,200
10.	Jr. Sammy Davis Open	Randy Erskine	66	2	1,000

# 1975 FOREIGN EVENTS WON BY PGA TOUR MEMBERS

**British Open** Spanish Open **British Penfold PGA** Swiss Open Italian Open Australian Open South African Open Scandinavian Open **Thailand Open Piccadilly World Match Play** Taiheiyo Club Masters, Japan Wills Masters, Australia Kerrygold, Ireland **British Order of Merit** Lancombe, Paris, France Mexican Open Phoenix Dunlop-Japan South African PGA

**Tom Watson Arnold Palmer Arnold Palmer Dale Hayes** Billy Casper Jack Nicklaus **Gary Player** George Burns **Howard Twitty** Hale Irwin Gene Littler **David Graham** George Burns **Dale Hayes Gary Player** Lee Trevino **Hubert Green Dale Hayes** 

#### 1975 MONEY WINNERS

Official Money shall be awarded to individual prize winners in major tournaments and such other events as the Tournament Policy Board may designate, even if part of the tournament is canceled provided; however, that Official Money shall not be awarded in any team competition or a pro-am tournament (but Official Money will be awarded in a major tournament for individuals even if held concurrently with a pro-am tournament). The scale of Official Money will be determined from time to time by the Tournament Policy Board.

1	Jack Nicklaus	\$298,149	56	John Schlee		44,337
2		226,118		Wally Armstrong		44,078
	Tom Weiskopf	219,140		Art Wall		43,589
	Hale Irwin	205,380	59	Gary McCord		43,028
	Gene Littler	182,883		Gil Morgan		42,772
	Al Geiberger	175,693	61	Bobby Cole	6	42,441
	Tom Watson	153,795	62	Larry Hinson	Φ	41,843
	John Mahaffey	141,471		Mike Hill		41,696
	Lee Trevino	134,206		Mike Morley		41,102
	Bruce Crampton	132,532	65	Tom Shaw		39,948
11.	Bob Murphy	127,471		Larry Nelson		39,810
12.	Hubert Green	113,569		Julius Boros.		36,311
	Ray Floyd	103,627	68	Dale Douglass		34,583
	Billy Casper	102,275		Jim Dent		33,649
	Lou Graham	96,425		George Knudson		32,554
	Jerry McGee	93,569		Allen Miller		31,640
	J. C. Snead	91,822		Ken Still		31,413
	Tom Kite	87,045	73	Bert Yancey		31,290
	Charles Coody	86.812	74	Bruce Lietzke		30,780
	Pat Fitzsimons	86,181	75	Terry Diehl		30,691
21.	Miller Barber	81,993		Bob Stanton		29,737
22.	Jerry Heard	81,687	77.	Tommy Aaron		29,612
	Roger Maltbie	81,035	78	Bill Rogers		29,302
	Dave Hill	80.533	79.	Bobby Mitchell		28,862
	Rik Massengale	77,079	80.	Danny Edwards		27,301
	B. R. Mac McLendon	76,971	81.	Lee Elder		26,809
27.	Gary Player	73,943	82	Bruce Devlin		26,627
28.	Dave Stockton	72,885	83.	Terry Dill.		26,065
	Don Bies	69,968	84.	Kermit Zarley		25,897
	Don January	69.034	85	Victor Regalado		25,833
	Gary Groh	68,296	86	John Schroeder		25,520
	Ben Crenshaw	63,528	87.	Bob Dickson		24,408
	Brian Allin	60,326		Lanny Wadkins		23,582
	Peter Oosterhuis	59,935	89	Gay Brewer		23,498
	Rod Curl	59,599	90.	Bobby Wadkins		23,330
36.	Arnold Palmer	59,017		Mason Rudolph		23,084
	Don Iverson	56,559		Butch Baird		23,033
	Gibby Gilbert	56,279	93.	Chuck Courtney		22,840
39.	Eddie Pearce	54,595		Alan Tapie		22,547
40.	Larry Ziegler	54,265		John Lister		22,447
	Joe Inman, Jr	53,225		Frank Beard		22,433
42.	Bob Wynn	52,414		Homero Blancas		22,419
43.	Forrest Fezler	52,157		Jim Masserio		22,188
44.	David Graham	51,642		Jim Wiechers		22,138
45.	Jim Colbert	50,111	100.	Dan Sikes		22,127
46.	Bobby Nichols	49.835	101.	Dick Crawford		21,630
	Mark Hayes	49,297		Ralph Johnston		20,846
48.	Leonard Thompson	48,748	103.	Jack Ewing		20,726
49.	Rod Funseth	48,453	104.	Dwight Nevil		20,043
50.	Jim Simons	47,724	105.	Joe Porter		19,819
51.	Ed Sneed	46,634	106.	Lyn Lott		18,522
52.	Tom Jenkins	45,267		George Cadle		18,481
53.	Andy North	44,729	108.	Roy Pace		17,846
54.	Bob E. Smith	44,720	109.	Mike McCullough		17,706
55.	Steve Melnyk	44,707		Bob Eastwood		16,683

#### 1975 Money Winners (cont'd.)

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111.	George Johnson	\$ 16,236	17	9.	Ross Randall	\$ 3,086
	Grier Jones	15,719	18	10.	Bob Benson	3,082
	Randy Erskine	15,297	18	11.	Rocky Thompson	3,076
	Bob Zender	15,114			Phil Rodgers	2,972
	Juan Rodriguez	13,955			Larry Wise	2,964
	Marty Fleckman	13,399	18	14.	Bob Panasuik	2,827
	Dave Eichelberger	12,780	18	35.	Orville Moody	2,813
	David Glenz	12,186			Chris Blocker	2,773
	Mike Wynn	12,122			Monty Kaser	2,771
	Maurice Bembridge	11,436			Dale Hayes	2,428
	Mike Reasor	11,229			Hugh Baiocchi	2,275
	Fred Marti	11,024			Ben Kern	2,243
	Tony Jacklin	10,824			Jumbo Ozaki	2,200
	Lionel Hebert	10,647	19	92.	Mike Mitchell	2,197
	Bob Menne	10,423			Cesar Sanudo	2,130
	Graham Marsh	9,837			Tom Purtzer	2,093
	George Archer	9,777	19	95.	Takashi Murakami	2,045
	Nate Starks	9,508			John Abendroth	1,977
	Ed Dougherty	9,373			Gardner Dickinson	1,976
	Ron Cerrudo	9,363			Austin Straub	1,866
	Bobby Walzel	9,362			Jimmy Powell	1,830
	Bob Goalby	9,039			Tim Collins	1,825
	Barry Jaeckel	8,883			Doug Tewell	1,811
	Florentino Molina	8,669			Rick Rhoads	1,714
	Sammy Rachels	8,534			Lu Liang-Huan	1,700
	Lon Hinkle	8,420		200	Artie McNickle	1,645
	Dick Rhyan	8,302			Laurie Hammer	1,596
	Sam Snead	8,285			Bunky Henry	1,568
	Howard Twitty	8,211			Jim Barber	1,539
	Barney Thompson	7,991	20	08.	Isao Aoki	1,529
	Bruce Fleisher	7,773			Jack Spradlin	1,521
	Tony Cerda	7,594	2	10.	Terry Small	1,470
	Spike Kelley	7,563			Roger Watson	1,343
144.	Doug Sanders	7,431	2	12.	Jim Hardy	1,335
145.	Dick Lotz	7,360	2	13.	Randy Feather	1,288
146.	Fuzzy Zoeller	7,318	2	14.	Larry Mancour	1,277
147.	Bob Charles	7,225			Paul Moran	1,260
	Curtis Sifford	7,001			Jay Horton	1,240
	Bob Payne	6,874			Jim Wittenberg	1,126
	John Jacobs	6,725			Bob Erickson	1,108
	Sam Adams	6,508			Bryan Abbott	1,092
	Tom Evans	6,389			Charles Sifford	1,080
	Gary Wintz	6,363			Bob Allard	974
	George Burns	6,344			Larry Ringer	940
	Dave Newquist	6,244			Joe Carr	910
	Bob Shaw	6,024			T-Beau Baugh	905
	Gary Sanders	6,008			T-Bob Gilder	905 905
	Babe Hiskey	5,955			T-Gary Robinson	900
	Richie Karl	5,497 5,440			Art Russell Bobby Heins	895
	PerryLeslie	4,997			Terry Wilcox	887
	Labron Harris	4,939			Lynn Janson	865
	John Toepel	4.902			Don Massengale	845
200000	Tom Nieporte	4,718			Jim Bullard	800
	Frank Conner	4,418			T-Stanton Altgelt	800
	Bert Greene	4,239			T-Jack Connelly	800
4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	DeWitt Weaver	4,059			T-Carlton White	800
	Jim Marshall	3,912			John Buczek	746
	Jim Ahern	3,771			Ray Carrassco	738
	Dennie Meyer	3,695			Bobby Greenwood	700
	Pete Brown	3,549			Tex Simon	647
	Bob Risch	3,386			Dow Finsterwald	638
	Billy Ziobro	3,368			R.H. Sikes.	633
	Bob Unger	3,356			Dave Marr	627
	Marion Heck	3,294			Dan Halldorson	619
	Jerry Pate	3,250			T-Kurt Cox	590
177.	Doug Ford	3,136			T-Mike Shea	590
178.	Rex Caldwell	3,094	2	46.	Greg Trompas	586

#### 1975 Money Winners (cont'd)

	Tohru Nakamura	\$ 586	272.	Hugh Royer	\$ 341
248.	Ron Smith, Jr	570	273.	Bert Weaver	 332
249.	Ed Furgol	500		Stan Stopa	322
250.	Bob Wallace	496	275.	Bill Garrett	320
251.	Harry Toscano	481	276.		280
252.	Tommy Horton	476	277.	Wayne Fenack	275
253.	T-Al Chandler	428	278.		267
253.	T-Rolf Deming	428	279.		256
253.	T-Ron Letellier	428	280.	Ras Allen	236
253.	T-Maurice Ver Brugge	428		Wayne Yates	229
253.	T-Fred Wampler	428	282.	Freddie Haas	227
253.	T-Jimmy Wright	428	283.	Rick Richards	219
259.	Jerry Barber	426	284.	Jeff Steinberg	217
260.	Wilf Homenuik	415	285.	Larry Stubblefield	210
261.		414	286.	Jim Ferree	203
262.	Bill Collins	413	287.	Dick Smith	199
263.	Ken Venturi	406	288.	John Schamp	172
264.	Dean Refram	395	289.	Mike Long	141
265.	Eamon Darcy	385	290.	Rich Bassett	130
266.	Jim King	370	291.	Roger Parker	124
267.	Johnny Pott	370	292.	Rich Bland	123
268.	Joe Data	368	293.	Bryon Comstock	116
269.	Steve Cain	364	294.	Dave Shuster	93
270.	Bob Rose	360	295.	Larry White	65
271.	Garry Hopkins	341	296.	Bob Stone	63
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#### **50 LEADERS IN CAREER MONEY WINNINGS**

1.	Jack Nicklaus	\$2,541,772.99	32.	Lou Graham	\$617.843.29
2.	Arnold Palmer	1,723,114.07		Sam Snead	611,887.63
3.	Billy Casper	1,581,606.62		Homero Blancas	593,148.66
4.	Lee Trevino	1,396,959.44	35.	Art Wall, Jr	585.837.66
5.	Bruce Crampton	1,323,400.33		Mason Rudolph	535,943.03
6.	Tom Weiskopf	1,224,854.80		Gardner Dickinson	533,795.83
	Gene Littler	1,203,541.74		J. C. Snead	530,693,66
8.	Gary Player	1,163,153.49	39.	Hubert Green	527,408.95
9.	Julius Boros	993,756.10		Bob Charles	524,302.19
10.	Miller Barber	989,702.34	41.	George Knudson	490,244,20
11.	Frank Beard	951,596.54	42.	Jim Colbert	464,491.13
12.	John Miller	947,152.59	43.	Kermit Zarley	463,927.39
	David Hill	922,233.87	44.	Dale Douglass	456,901.80
14.	Bobby Nichols	906,277.55		Ken Still	452,812.12
15.	David Stockton	814,483.50		Phil Rodgers	452,006.52
16.	George Archer	810,020.91	47.	Rod Funseth	450,558.15
	Al Geiberger	794,505.90		Bob Rosburg	435,498.01
18.	Dan Sikes, Jr	773,233.66	49.	Bob Lunn	426,643.36
	Doug Sanders	766,844.19		John Mahaffey, Jr	422,128.68
20.	Hale Irwin	760,055.93			
21.	Tommy Aaron	744,016.27		Next in Line	
22.	Gay Brewer	712,087.75	51.	Doug Ford	413,883.94
23.	Bob Murphy	708,392.47		Grier Jones	405,026,24
	Ray Floyd	697,588.24	53.	Lionel Hebert	404,917.59
25.	Bert Yancey	688,124.85	54.	John Schlee	404,426.54
	Bruce Devlin	660,455.78		Dow Finsterwald	401,022.50
27.	Charles Coody	660,115.99	56.	Lanny Wadkins	395,610.77
	Juan Rodriguez	650,157.51		Lee Elder	392,130.35
	Don January	630,190.84		Bobby Mitchell	391,100.86
30.	Bob Goalby	629,457.69	59.	Thomas Watson	390,106.54
31.	Jerry Heard	618,321.36		Billy Maxwell	375,598.05
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## THE TOUR'S MILLION DOLLAR WINNERS

NOTE: The Tour's Million-Dollar Winners are listed according to the date they earned their million dollars.

NAME	DATE/EVENT/POSITION	NO. EVE	NTS/WINS	FIRST MONEY
1-Arnold Palmer	July 21, 1968 PGA Championship Tied 2nd	368	52	May 29, 1955 Ft. Wayne Open Tied 25th—\$145.
2-Billy Casper	January 11, 1970 Los Angeles Open Winner	297	43	June 26th, 1955 Western Open Tied 30th—\$33,33
3-Jack Nicklaus	January 25, 1970 Bing Crosby Second	170	30	January 8, 1962 Los Angeles Open Tied 50th—\$33.33
4-Lee Trevino	May 20, 1973 Thomas-Memphis CI. Tied Second	176	15	June 20, 1966 U.S. Open Tied 54th—\$600.
5-Bruce Crampton	July 1, 1973 Western Open Tied 4th	420	14	February 25, 1957 Houston Open Tied 13th—\$693.75
* – Jack Nicklaus	December 1, 1973 Disney World Winner	76	21	January 25, 1970 Bing Crosby Second—\$11,840.83 towards 2nd million
6 – Gary Player	April 14, 1974 Masters Winner	269	17	March 31, 1957 Azalea Open Tied 25th—\$16.16
7-Tom Weiskopf	August 25, 1974 Westchester Classic Third	250	9	August 9, 1964 Western Open Tied 30th—\$487.50
8 – Gene Littler	September 1, 1974 Tournament Players Championship Fourth	487	25	August 1, 1954 Kansas City Open Tied 2nd—\$1,950.

<sup>\*</sup>On December 1, 1973, Jack Nicklaus earned his second million dollars in professional golf. This is golf's fastest both in length of times and in number of tournaments entered.

#### MISCELLANEOUS TOUR MONEY-WINNING RECORDS

#### Most Money Won in a Single Season:

\$353,021 - Johnny Miller - 1974 \$320,542 - Jack Nicklaus - 1972 \$308,362 - Jack Nicklaus - 1973

#### Most Money Won by a Rookie:

\$116,616—Lanny Wadkins—1972 \$105,595—Bob Murphy —1968

#### Most Money Won by a Second Year Professional:

\$200,455-Lanny Wadkins-1973

# PLAYERS EARNING \$100,000 OR MORE IN A SINGLE SEASON ON TOUR

Jack Nicklaus	Gary Player	Lanny Wadkins
1963-\$102,903	1969-\$123,897	1972-\$116,616
1964- 116,079	1970- 101,212	1973 — 200,455
1965- 154,346	1971- 120,916	Gene Littler
1966- 141,258	1972- 120,719	1969- 112,737
1967- 188,998	1974— 108,372	1974- 102.822
1968- 155,285	George Archer	1975— 182,883
1969 — 140,167	1968- 150,972	
1970 — 142,149	1969 - 101,762	Ray Floyd
1971 — 244,490		1969- 109,956
1972 320,542	1971 - 147,769	1974- 119,385
1973 — 320,342	1972— 145,027	1975— 103,627
	Doug Sanders	Dick Lotz
1974— 238,178 1975— 298,149	1966- 115,671	1970- 124,690
	1967— 109,455	Larry Hinson
Arnold Palmer	1972- 102,252	1970- 120,897
1963 — 130,835	Tom Weiskopf	Bobby Nichols
1964- 116,417	1968- 152,946	1970- 103,429
1966- 154,692	1971- 106,538	1974- 124,747
1967 — 184,065	1972- 129,422	Homero Biancas
1968 114,602	1973 — 245,463	1970- 100,994
1969- 105,128	1974- 127,529	D. Eichelberger
1970- 128,853	1975 — 219,140	1971- 108,312
1971- 209,603	Miller Barber	Tony Lema*
Billy Casper	1968- 105,845	1965- 108,869
1965 — 127,362	1971- 117,359	Tommy Aaron
1966- 145,723	1973- 184,014	1972- 118,924
1967 129,423	Julius Boros	Jim Jamieson
1968- 205,168	1967 — 126,785	1972- 109,532
1969- 104,689	1968- 148,310	Grier Jones
1970- 147,372	Dan Sikes	1972- 140,177
1971- 107,276	1967 — 111,508	B. Mitchell
1973- 129,474	1968- 108.330	
1975— 102,275	Bob Murphy	1972— 113,719
Lee Trevino	1968— 105,595	J. Rodriguez
1968- 132,127	1970 — 120,639	1972- 113,668
1969 112.417		Johnny Miller
1970— 157,037	1975— 127,471	1973- 127,833
1971 — 231,202	Bob Lunn	1974 - 353,021
	1968— 102,711	1975— 226,118
1972 214,805	1970- 101,685	John Schlee
1973 — 210,017	Dave Stockton	1973- 118,017
1974 - 203,422	1968- 100,432	Hubert Green
1975— 134,206	1970- 108,564	1973 — 114,397
Bruce Crampton	1974— 155,105	1974- 211,709
1968- 101,095	Dave Hill	1975- 113,569
1969- 118,955	1969- 156,423	John Mahaty
1970- 142,609	1970- 118,415	1973- 112,536
1971- 106,736	1974— 133,674	1974- 122,189
1972- 111,010	Bruce Devlin	1975- 141,471
1973 — 274,266	1970- 112,738	Forrest Fezler
1974- 131,356	1972- 119,768	1973- 106,390
1975- 132,532	Jerry Heard	J. C. Snead
Frank Beard	1970- 112.389	1973- 103,601
1967 - 105,778	1972- 137,198	1974- 164,486
1968- 101,986	1974- 145,788	Brian Allin
	Hale Irwin	1974- 137,950
1970- 124,690	1972- 111,539	Tom Watson
1971- 112,337	1973 — 130,388	1974— 135,474
Service Alexander	1974— 152,529	1974— 135,474
	1974— 152,529	
*Deceased	1070 200,000	Leonard Thompson
		1974— 122,349
		Rod Curl
		1974— 120,154
		Al Geiberger
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#### **PAST LEADING MONEY-WINNERS**

1934	Paul Runyan \$	6,767.00	1955	Julius Boros \$	63,121.55
	Johnny Revolta	9,543.00	1956	Ted Kroll	72,835.83
	Horton Smith	7,682.00	1957	Dick Mayer	65,835.00
		14,138.69	1958	Arnold Palmer	42,607.50
1938	Sam Snead	19,534.49	1959	Art Wall	53,167.60
1939	Henry Picard	10,303.00	1960	Arnold Palmer	75,262.85
1940		10,655.00	1961	Gary Player	64,540.45
1941	Ben Hogan	18,358.00	1962	Arnold Palmer	81,448.33
1942		13,143.00	1963	Arnold Palmer	128,230.00
1943	No Statistics Compiled		1964	Jack Nicklaus	113,284.50
		37,967.69	1965	Jack Nicklaus	140,752.14
1945	Byron Nelson (War Bonds)	63,335.66	1966	Billy Casper	121,944.92
		42,556.16	1967	Jack Nicklaus	188,998.08
1947		27,936.83	*1968	Billy Casper	205,168.67
1948		32,112.00	1969	Frank Beard	164,707.11
1949		31,593.83	1970	Lee Trevino	157,037.63
1950	Sam Snead	35,758.83	1971	Jack Nicklaus	244,490.50
1951	Lloyd Mangrum	26,088.83	1972	Jack Nicklaus	320,542.26
1952		37,032.97	1973	Jack Nicklaus	308,362.10
1953		34,002.00	1974	Johnny Miller	353,021.59
		65,819.81	**1975	Jack Nicklaus	298,149.17

<sup>\*</sup>TOTAL MONEY LISTED BEGINNING IN 1968 THROUGH 1974. \*\*OFFICIAL MONEY LISTED BEGINNING IN 1975.

#### **GROWTH OF TOUR PURSES**

YEAR	NO. OF EVENTS	TOTAL PURSE	YEAR	NO. OF EVENTS	TOTAL PURSE
1938	38	\$158,000	1957	32	\$ 820,360
1939	28	121,000	1958	39	1,005,800
1940	27	117,000	1959	43	1,187,340
1941	30	169,200	1960	41	1,187,340
1942	21	116,650	1961	45	1,461,830
1943	3	17,000	1962	49	1,790,320
1944	22	150,500	1963	43	2,044,900
1945	36	435,380	1964	41	2,301,063
1946	37	411,533	1965	36	2,848,515
1947	31	352,500	1966	36	3,704,445
1948	34	427,000	1967	37	3,979,162
1949	25	338,200	1968	45	5,077,600
1950	33	459,950	1969	47	5,465,875
1951	30	460,200	1970	55	6,751,523
1952	32	498,016	1971	63	7,116,000
1953	32	562,704	1972	71	7,596,749
1954	26	600,819	1973	75	8,657,225
1955	36	782,010	1974	57	8,165,941
1956	36	847,070	1975	51	7,895,450

#### 1975 TOURNAMENT TOTALS

MAJOR TOURNAMENTS41	TOTAL EVENTS51
SECOND TOUR EVENTS 10	
TOTAL PURSE	\$7,895,450

#### 1975 TOURNAMENT STATISTICS

LOW 9:-27 (7 under), Andy North, B.C. Open (back-nine par is 34). 28 (7 under), Bruce Crampton, Sahara. 29 (7 under), Hale Irwin, Phoenix. Tom Weiskopf, Westchester. 29 (6 under), Jim Simons, Hartford. 30 (6 under), Johnny Miller, Tucson and Masters. John Mahaffey & Tom Weiskopf, Memphis. Jack Ewing, Atlanta. Miller Barber, Sahara. Rod Curl, Kaiser.

LOW 18:-61 (11 under), Johnny Miller, Tucson. 61 (10 under), Johnny Miller, Phoenix.

LOW 36: - 128 (14 under), Johnny Miller, Phoenix. 129 (15 under), Tom Weiskopf, Westchester. 129 (13 under), Jack Nicklaus, Heritage.

LOW 54:- 196 (17 under), Johnny Miller, Phoenix. 198 (15 under), Don Bies, Hartford.

LOW 72:-260 (24 under), Johnny Miller, Phoenix. 263 (25 under), Johnny Miller, Tucson.

BIGGEST WINNING MARGIN: - 14 Strokes, Johnny Miller, Phoenix. 9 Strokes, Johnny Miller, Tucson.

HIGHEST WINNING SCORE: -287 (3 over), Lou Graham & John Mahaffey, tied, U.S. Open. 283 (1 under), Hale Irwin, Western.

BIGGEST 36-HOLE LEAD: -7 Strokes, Tom Weiskopf, Westchester. 6 Strokes, Johnny Miller, Phoenix. Jack Nicklaus, Heritage.

BIGGEST 54-HOLE LEAD: -7 Strokes, Johnny Miller, Phoenix.

BEST COME FROM BEHIND: -7 Strokes, Roger Maltbie, Quad Cities. Frank Beard made up 11 strokes in third round of U.S. Open (7 back when round started, 3 ahead when completed). John Mahaffey made up 6 strokes last day of U.S. Open to tie Lou Graham and lost playoff. Gary Player, T. of C., made up 6 Strokes last day to tie Al Geiberger and lost playoff.

LOW START BY WINNER: - 64 (8 under), Johnny Miller, Bob Hope Desert Classic.

HIGH START BY WINNER: -74 (3 over), Lou Graham, U.S. Open. 73 (1 over), Larry Ziegler, Jacksonville, 72 (1 over), Tom Watson, Byron Nelson; Roger Maltbie, Pleasant Valley.

LOW FINISH BY WINNER: -61 (11 under), Johnny Miller, Tucson.

HIGH FINISH BY WINNER: -73 (2 over), Lou Graham, U.S. Open; Hale Irwin, Western. 73 (1 over), Gene Littler, Crosby. 71 (1 over), Jack Nicklaus, PGA. 72 (1 over), Tom Jenkins, Philadelphia.

LOW 36-HOLE CUT: - 144 (even), Jackie Gleason-Inverrary, Houston, Westchester, San Antonio-Texas. Kaiser. 142 (even), Hartford. Sahara Invitational.

HIGH 36-HOLE CUT: - 151 (9 over), Western. 150 (8 over), Heritage, Greensboro.

MOST PLAYERS TO MAKE CUT: -86, Andy Williams-San Diego Open.

HOLES-IN-ONE (17): - Bobby Mitchell & Homero Blancas, Jacksonville. Jim Jamieson & Nate Starks, Tallahassee. Pete Brown, Forrest Fezler & Joe Inman, Byron Nelson. Gary Wintz, New Orleans. Hubert Green, Memphis. Pat Fitzsimons, U.S. Open. Carl Lohren & Gene Littler, Westchester. Hale Irwin, PGA. Ras Allen, Hartford. Bob Menne, B.C. Larry Nelson, World. Johnny Stevens, Disnev World

TWO EAGLES ONE ROUND: - Fuzzy Zoeller, Bob Hope. Ben Crenshaw, Florida Citrus. Gene Littler, Westchester. Gary McCord, Milwaukee.

DOUBLE EAGLE: - Lee Elder, Greensboro (Driver, 5 iron - 477 yards). Miller Barber, Canada (Driver, 3 wood - 525 yards).

MOST CONSECUTIVE BIRDIES: -6 by Johnny Miller, Masters.

5 by Tom Weiskopf & Bert Yancey, Doral-Eastern. Babe Hiskey, Byron Nelson. Jerry Heard, U.S. Open. Roger Maltbie, Quad Cities.

WIRE-to-WIRE LEADERS: - Johnny Miller, Tucson. Tom Weiskopf, Greensboro, Al Geiberger, TPC. (No ties involved)

MOST CONSECUTIVE ROUNDS AT PAR OR LESS: - 13 by John Mahaffey, Hawaii-4, Bob Hope-5, San Diego-4. 18 by Tom Weiskopf; Heritage-4, Greensboro-4, Masters-4, T of C-1. Johnny Miller's first eight rounds this year were in the 60s. 260 24-under par.

67 61 68 64 66 69 67 61 Tucson 263 25-under par.

MOST CONSECUTIVE HOLES WITHOUT 3 PUTT: -319 by Jerry McGee (Ningh green first day of Doral-Eastern to fourth green fourth day, Tournament of Champions).

MULTIPLE WINNERS: -5-Jack Nicklaus (Doral-Eastern, Heritage, Masters, PGA, World). 4-Johnny Miller. 3-Gene Littler. 2-Hale Irwin, Roger Maltbie, Tom Weiskopf, Al Geiberger.

FIRST-TIME WINNERS:- Gary Groh, Pat Fitzsimons, Jerry McGee, Rik Massengale, Tom Jenkins, Roger Maltbie, Don Bies, Don Iverson.

RAIN OUTS:-Hawaii, third round, played Sunday and Monday.

Byron Nelson, fourth round, played Monday

Philadelphia, first round twice, played 36 holes Monday.

Western, second round twice, played 36 holes Monday.

# ALL-TIME TOUR SCORING RECORDS

ALL INFORMATION BASED ON OFFICIAL PGA AND PGA-TPD CO-SPONSORED OR APPROVED EVENT.

Most consecutive victories:—11 by Byron Nelson, from Miami Four-ball, March 8-11, 1945, through Canadian Open, August 2-4, 1945: Tournament Site, Dates, Score, Purse—Miami Four Ball, Miami Springs Course, Miami, March 8-11, won 8-6, \$1,500; Charlotte Open, Myers Park Golf Glub, Charlotte, March 16-19, 272, \$2,000; Greensboro Open, Starmount Country Club, Greensboro, N.C., March 23-25, 271, \$1,333; Durham Open, Hope Valley Country Club, Durham, N.C., March 30-April 1, 276, \$1,333; Atlanta Open, Capital City Course, Atlanta, Ga., April 5-8, 263, \$2,000; Montreal Open, Islemere Golf and Country Club, Montreal, Ca., June 7-10, 268, \$2,000; Philadelphia Inquirer Invitational, Llarnech Country Club, Philadelphia, Pa., June 14-17, 269 \$3,333.33; Chicago Victory National Open, Calumet Country Club, Chicago, Ill., June 29-July 1, 275, \$2,000; PGA Championship, Moraine Country Club, Dayton, Ohio, July 9-15, 4-3, \$3,750; Tam O'Shanter Open, Tam O'Shanter Country Club, Chicago, Ill., July 26-29, 269, \$13,-600; Canadian Open, Thornhill Country Club, Toronto, Ca., August 2-4, 280, \$2,000. Winnings: \$34,849.33.

NOTE: Nelson won a 12th event in Spring Lake, N.J., which is not accounted official, as its \$2,500 total purse was below the PGA \$3,000 minimum.

#### Winners of three or more consecutive tour events:

4-Jackie Burke, Jr.-1952;

Feb. 14-March 9, Texas Open, Houston Open, Baton Rouge Open, St. Petersburg Open.

3—Byron Nelson in 1944, 1945-46; Sam Snead in 1945; Ben Hogan in 1946; Bobby Locke in 1947; Jim Ferrier in 1951; Billy Casper in 1960; Arnold Palmer in 1960, 1962; Johnny Miller in 1974

#### Most Victories in a single event:

- 8-Sam Snead-Greater Greensboro Open; 1938, 1946, 1949, 1950, 1955, 1956, 1960, 1965.
- 6-Sam Snead-Miami Open: 1937, 1939, 1946, 1950, 1951, 1955.
- 5—Walter Hagen—PGA Championship: 1921, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927. Western Open: 1916; 1921, 1926, 1927, 1932.

Ben Hogan—Colonial NIT: 1946, 1947, 1952, 1953, 1959. Arnold Palmer—Bob Hope Desert Classic: 1960, 1962, 1968, 1971, 1973.

#### Most Consecutive rounds under 70:

19-By Byron Nelson (1945).

#### Most tournaments won in one calendar year:

- 18-By Byron Nelson (1945)
- 10-By Sam Snead (1950).
- 8-By Arnold Palmer (1960); Johnny Miller (1974).
- 7-By Jack Nicklaus (1972-1973); Arnold Palmer (1962-1963); Sam Snead (1938).

#### Most consecutive tournaments in the money:

- 113-By Byron Nelson, during the 1940's.
- 91-Jack Nicklaus, from Kaiser International, October 1970 (when he missed it) through 1975.
- 72—By Dow Finsterwald, from Carling Golf Classic September 22-25, 1955, through Houston Invitational, February 20-24, 1958.

#### Most total money won in one calendar year: -\$353,021 by Johnny Miller in 1974.

Best Vardon trophy scoring average:

- 69.23 by Sam Snead (6,646 strokes, 96 rounds), in 1950.
- 69.30 by Ben Hogan (5,267 strokes, 76 rounds), in 1948.
- 69.37 by Sam Snead (5,064 strokes, 73 rounds), in 1949.
- Widest winning margin: 16 Strokes, Bobby Locke, 1948 Chicago Victory National Championship.
  - 14 Strokes, Ben Hogan, 1945 Portland Invitational.
  - 14 Strokes, Johnny Miller, 1975 Phoenix Open.
  - 13 Strokes, Byron Nelson, 1945 Seattle Open.
  - 12 Strokes, Arnold Palmer, 1962 Phoenix Open.
- Most birdies in a row:—8, by Bob Goalby, at Pasadena Golf Club, St. Petersburg, Florida, in fourth round of 1961 St. Petersburg Open.

## All-Time Scoring Records (cont'd.)

Fewest putts, one round:— 19, by Bill Nary, at El Paso C.C., El Paso, Tex., in third round of 1952 El Paso Open.

19, by Bob Rosburg, at Pensacola C.C., Pensacola, Fla., in third round of 1959 Pensacola Open.

19, by Randy Glover, at Keller G.C., St. Paul, Minn., in 4th round of 1965 St. Paul Open.

19, by Deane Beman, at Mesa Verde C.C., Costa Mesa, Ca., in 1st round of 1968 Haig Open.

Fewest putts, four rounds: - 102, Bert Yancey in 1966 Portland Open.

Consecutive Major Championships: -4-Walter Hagen in PGA Championship from 1924 thru 1927. Youngest winner: -Gene Sarazen, 20, in 1922 U.S. Open.

Oldest winner: - Sam Snead, 52 years, 10 months, 7 days (Greensboro Open, 1965).

Most Victories of career: -(PGA co-sponsored and/or approved tournaments only) - 84, Sam Snead - 62, Ben Hogan - 61, Arnold Palmer - 58, Jack Nicklaus - 54, Byron Nelson - 51, Billy Casper.

#### **Best Scoring Performances:**

- 72 Holes—257 (60-68-64-65), by Mike Souchak, at Brackenridge Park Golf Course, San Antonio, Texas, in 1955 Texas Open. 259 (62-68-63-66) by Byron Nelson, at Broadmoor Golf Club, Seattle, Wash., in 1945 Seattle Open.
- 54 Holes 189 (63-63-63), by Chandler Harper, at Brackenridge Park Golf Course, San Antonio, Texas, in last three rounds of 1954 Texas Open.
- 36 Holes 126 (62-64), by Johnny Palmer, at El Rio Country Club, Tucson, Arizona, in third and fourth rounds of 1948 Tucson Open.

126 (63-63), by Sam Snead, at Brackenridge Park Golf Course, San Antonio, Texas, in third and fourth rounds of 1950 Texas Open.

126 (63-63), by Chandler Harper, at Brackenridge Park Golf Course, San Antonio, Texas, in second and third rounds of 1954 Texas Open.

126 (64-62), by Tommy Bolt, at Cavalier Yacht and Country Club, Virginia Beach, Va., in first and second rounds of 1954 Virginia Beach Open.

126 (60-66), by Sam Snead, at Glen Lakes Country Club, Dallas, Texas, in second and third rounds of 1957 Dallas Open.

126 (61-65), by Jack Rule, Jr., at Keller Golf Club, St. Paul, Minn., in second and third rounds of 1963 St. Paul Open.

- 18 Holes—60, by Al Brosch, at Brackenridge Park Golf Course, San Antonio, Texas, in third round of 1951 Texas Open.
  - 60, by Bill Nary, at El Paso Country Club, El Paso, Texas, in third round of 1952 El Paso Open. 60, by Ted Kroll, at Brackenridge Park Golf Course, San Antonio, Texas in third round of 1954 Texas Open.
  - 60, by Wally Ulrich, at Cavalier Yacht and Country Club, Virginia Beach, Virginia, in second round of 1954 Virginia Beach Open.
  - 60, by Tommy Bolt, at Wethersfield Country Club, Hartford, Conn., in second round of 1954 Insurance City Open.
  - 60, by Mike Souchak, at Brackenridge Park Golf Course, San Antonio, Texas, in first round of 1955 Texas Open.
  - 60, by Sam Snead, at Glen Lakes Country Club, Dallas, Texas, in second round of 1957 Dallas Open.
- 9 Holes—27, by Mike Souchak, at Brackenridge Park Golf Course, San Antonio, Texas on second nine of first round, in 1955 Texas Open.
  - 27, by Andy North, at En-Joie Golf Club, Endicott, N.Y., on par 34 second nine of first round in 1975 B.C. Open.

### WINNERS OF A SINGLE EVENT THREE CONSECUTIVE TIMES

Willie Anderson	U.S. Open Championship	1903-1905
Walter Hagen*	2010	1924-1927
Ralph Guldahl	Western Open	
Gene Littler	Tournament of Champions	1955-1957
Billy Casper	Portland Open	
Arnold Palmer	Texas Open Phoenix Open	
Jack Nicklaus	Walt Disney World Golf Classic	

<sup>\*</sup>Hagen is the only player to win a single event four consecutive years.

## World Series of Golf Field to be Worldwide

The new World Series of Golf will be a 72-hole championship, contested over the South Course at Firestone Country Club in Akron, Ohio, September 2-5. It will have total prize money of \$300,000

The following players now will qualify for invitation to participate.

The winners in 1976 of:

- The Tournament Players Championship
- The Masters Tournament
- · The United States Open
- The PGA Championship
- The Canadian Open
- The Western Open
- The Western ope
- The British Open
- · The United States Amateur
- The British Amateur

The winner of the 1975 World Series of Golf (Tom Watson).

The winner of the 1975 World Cup individual championship.

The winner of the Winter Tour segment of the PGA Tour (which started with the 1975 Southern Open and continues through the Florida Citrus Open, March 4-7).

The winner of the Spring Tour segment (which starts with the Doral-Eastern Open and continues through the Kemper Open, June 10-13).

The winner of the Summer Tour segment (which starts with the United States Open and continues through the American Golf Classic, August 26-29).

The winners of two or more events on the Tour during the preceding 12-month period.

The five (5) leaders on the Tour's money list starting with the NBC Tucson Open and continuing through the American Golf Classic.

The five (5) leaders in Vardon Stroke Average starting with the NBC Tucson Open and continuing through the American Golf Classic.

The leaders in the Order of Merit from the Asian, Australian, British, Japanese and South African Tours.

The original World Series of Golf was designed to bring together the winners of the year's four major championships—United States and British Opens, the Masters and the PGA Championship. They played 36 holes, with \$50,000 to the winner. This competition began in 1962 and continued through last year.

# The New Tours — Winter, Spring, Summer

The PGA Tour schedule has been divided into three distinct segments to give the year new highlights and add continuity to the individual tournaments as they now are linked together with a meaningful purpose.

The three segments are known as the:

- WINTER TOUR, which started with the 1975 Southern Open and concludes with the Florida Citrus Open, March 4-7.
- SPRING TOUR, which starts with the Doral-Eastern Open and concludes with the Kemper Open, June 10-13.
- SUMMER TOUR, which starts with the United States Open and concludes with the American Golf Classic, August 26-29.

Points are awarded to eligible players through the first 10 places in each PGA Tour event. The player with the most points at the end of each segment is invited to the new World Series of Golf.

Points are awarded on the following basis: First place, 100 points; second, 57; third, 36; fourth, 22; fifth, 19; sixth, 17; seventh, 15; eighth, 13; ninth, 11; and tenth, 10.

# TOURNAMENT PLAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP

Year Winner 1974 Jack Nicklaus

Score 272

Runner-Up J. C. Snead

Atlanta CC, Atlanta, Ga.

1975 Al Geiberger

erger 270

Dave Stockton

Colonial CC, Forth Worth, Tex.

# FOR 1976

AARON, Tommy
BARBER, Miller(9)
BIES, Don
CASPER, Billy(7)
COODY, Charles
CRAMPTON, Bruce(9)
FITZSIMONS, Pat(9)
FLOYD, Ray(7)
GEIBERGER, AI(1)
GRAHAM, Lou(3)
GREEN, Hubert(9)
HEARD, Jerry(9)
HILL, Dave(9)
IRWIN, Hale
JANUARY, Don
KITE, Tom(9)
LITTLER, Gene(7)
MAHAFFEY, John
MALTBIE, Roger(9)
MASSENGALE, Rik
MC GEE, Jerry
MC LENDON, B. R. (9)
MILLER, Johnny
MURPHY, Bob. (7)
NICKLAUS, Jack
PLAYER, Gary. (2)
SNEAD, J. C
STOCKTON, Dave. (9)
TREVINO, Lee. (2)
WATSON, Tom
WEISKOPF, Tom

- 1. TPC Champions of last five calendar years.
- 2. PGA of America Champions of last five calendar years.
- 3. U. S. Open Champions of last five calendar years.
- 4. Masters Tournament Champions of last five calendar years.
- 5. British Open Champion of the last calendar year.
- 6. The leader in TPD official standings for each of the last five years.
- 7. Members of the last-named U. S. Ryder Cup Team (1975).
- Winners in the last calendar year of tournaments designated by the TPD—Atlantic Classic, Tournament Players Championship.
- 9. The 30 leaders in TPD Official Money in the last calendar year.

## PGA CHAMPIONSHIP

YEAR	WINNER	SCORE	RUNNERUP	PLAYED AT
1916	James M. Barnes	1 up	Jock Hutchinson	Siwanoy C.C., Bronxville, N.Y.
1017-	1918 No Championshi	ns Played -		
		6 & 5	Fred McLeod	Engineers C.C., Roslyn, L.I., N.Y.
1919	James M. Barnes		J. Douglas Edgar	Flossmoor C.C., Flossmore, III.
1920	Jock Hutchison	1 up		
1921	Walter Hagen	3 & 2	James M. Barnes	Inwood C.C., Far Rockaway, N.Y.
1922	Gene Sarazen	4 & 3	Emmet French	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
1923	Gene Sarazen	1 up (38)	Walter Hagen	Pelham C.C., Pelham, N.Y.
1924	Walter Hagen	2 up	James M. Barnes	French Lick C.C., French Lick, Ind.
1925	Walter Hagen	6 & 5	William Mehlhorn	Olympia Fields, Olympia Fields, III.
1926	Walter Hagen	5 & 3	Leo Diegel	Salisbury G.C., Westbury, L.I., N.Y.
			Joe Turnesa	Cedar Crest C.C., Dallas, Texas
1927	Walter Hagen	1 up		Five Farms C.C., Baltimore, Md.
1928	Leo Diegel	6 & 5	Al Espinosa	
1929	Leo Diegel	6 & 4	Johnny Farrell	Hillcrest C.C., Los Angeles, Calif.
1930	Tommy Armour	1 up	Gene Sarazen	Fresh Meadow C.C., Flushing, N.Y.
1931	Tom Creavy	2 & 1	Denny Shute	Wannamoisett C.C., Rumford, R.I.
1932	Olin Dutra	4 & 3	Frank Walsh	Keller G.C., St. Paul, Minn.
1933	Gene Sarazen	5 & 4	Willie Goggin	Blue Mound C.C., Milwaukee, Wisc.
	Paul Runyan	1 up (38)	Craig Wood	Park C.C., Williamsville, N.Y.
1934			Tommy Armour	Twin Hills C.C., Oklahoma City, Okla.
1935	Johnny Revolta	5 & 4		Pinehurst C.C., Pinehurst, N.C.
1936	Denny Shute	3 & 2	Jimmy Thomson	
1937	Denny Shute	1 up (37)	Harold McSpaden	Pittsburgh F.C., Aspinwall, Pa.
1938	Paul Runyan	8 & 7	Sam Snead	Shawnee C.C., Shawnee-on-
				Delaware, Pa.
1939	Henry Picard	1 up (37)	Byron Nelson	Pomonok C.C., Flushing, L.I., N.Y.
	Byron Nelson	1 up	Sam Snead	Hershey C.C., Hershey, Pa.
1940			Byron Nelson	Cherry Hills C.C., Denver, Colo.
1941	Vic Ghezzi	1 up (38)		Seaview C.C., Atlantic City, N.J.
1942	Sam Snead	2 & 1	Jim Turnesa	Seaview G.O., Atlantic Oity, N.S.
1943	No Championship Pla		WarII	Mark
1944	Bob Hamilton	1 up	Byron Nelson	Manito G. & C.C., Spokane, Wash.
1945	Byron Nelson	4 & 3	Sam Byrd	Morraine C.C., Dayton, Ohio
1946	Ben Hogan	6 & 4	Ed Oliver	Portland G.C., Portland, Ore.
1947	Jim Ferrier	2 & 1	Chick Harbert	Plum Hollow C.C., Detroit, Mich.
1948	Ben Hogan	7 & 6	Mike Turnesa	Norwood Hills C.C., St. Louis, Mo.
	Sam Snead	3 & 2	Johnny Palmer	Hermitage C.C., Richmond, Va.
1949		4 & 3	Henry Williams Jr.	Scioto C.C., Columbus, Ohio
1950	Chandler Harper		Walter Burkemo	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
1951	Sam Snead	7 & 6		Big Spring C.C., Louisville, Ky.
1952	Jim Turnesa	1 up	Chick Harbert	Big Spring C.C., Louisville, Ky.
1953	Walter Burkemo	2 & 1	Felice Torza	Birmingham C.C., Birmingham, Mich.
1954	Chick Harbert	4 & 3	Walter Burkemo	Keller G.C., St. Paul, Minn.
1955	Doug Ford	4 & 3	Cary Middlecoff	Meadowbrook C.C., Detroit, Mich.
1956	Jack Burke	3 & 2	Ted Kroll	Blue Hill C.C., Boston, Mass.
1957	Lionel Hebert	2 & 1	Dow Finsterwald	Miami Valley C.C., Dayton, Ohio
	Dow Finsterwald	276	Billy Casper	Llanerch C.C., Havertown, Pa.
1958			Jerry Barber	Minneapolis G.C., St. Louis Park,
1959	Bob Rosburg	277		Minn.
			Doug Sanders	
1960	Jay Hebert	281	Jim Ferrier	Firestone C.C., Akron, Ohio
1961	* Jerry Barber (67)	277	Don January (68)	Olympia Fields C.C., Olympia
				Fields, III.
1962	Gary Player	278	Bob Goalby	Aronomink G.C., Newtown Square, Pa.
1963	Jack Nicklaus	279	Dave Ragan Jr.	Dallas Athletic Club C.C., Dallas, Tex.
1964	Bobby Nichols	271	Jack Nicklaus	Columbus C.C., Columbus, Ohio
1904	Bobby Nichols	211	Arnold Palmer	
9 (1)		000		Laurel Valley C.C., Ligonier, Pa.
1965	Dave Marr	280	Billy Casper	Laurer valley O.O., Ligother, ra.
			Jack Nicklaus	Ohi-
1966	Al Geiberger	280	Dudley Wysong	Firestone C.C., Akron, Ohio
1967	<ul> <li>Don January (69)</li> </ul>	281	Don Massengale (71)	Columbine C.C., Littleton, Colo.
1968	Julius Boros	281	Bob Charles	Pecan Valley C.C., San Antonio,
1500	041140 20100		Arnold Palmer	Texas
4000	Day Flaved	276	Gary Player	NCR C.C., Dayton, Ohio
1969			Arnold Palmer	Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.
1970	Dave Stockton	279		Southern mis o.o., raida, orda.
			Bob Murphy	BOANS OF Balan Basah
1971	Jack Nicklaus	281	Billy Casper	PGA National G.C., Palm Beach
				Gardens, Fla.
1972	Gary Player	281	Tommy Aaron	Oakland Hills C.C., Birmingham,
1312	au. j		Jim Jamieson	Mich.
1070	Inck Nicklaus	277	Bruce Crampton	Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio
1973			Jack Nicklaus	Tanglewood G.C., Winston-Salem, N.C.
1974		276		Firestone C.C., Akron, Ohio
1975	Jack Nicklaus	276	Bruce Crampton	
WINNE	ER IN PLAYOFF, FIGURES IN	PARENTHESIS	S INDICATE PLAYOFF SCORE	S.

## PGA Championship (cont'd)

### RECAPITULATION

MOST VICTORIES - Walter Hagen, 5.

OTHER MULTIPLE WINNERS — Jack Nicklaus, 4; Gene Sarazen, 3; Sam Snead, 3; Jim Barnes, 2; Leo Diegel, 2; Paul Runyan, 2; Denny Shute, 2; Byron Nelson, 2; Ben Hogan, 2; Gary Player, 2.

WIDEST MARGIN OF VICTORY AT MATCH PLAY—Paul Runyan, 8 and 7, over Sam Snead, 1938.

LOWEST SCORE AT STROKE PLAY-Bobby Nichols, 271, 1964, Columbus (Ohio) C.C.

## **MASTERS**

Augusta National Golf Club Augusta, Georgia

	EAR	WINNER SC Horton Smith	ORE 284	RUNNERUP
0.7		Gene Sarazen	282	Craig Wood Craig Wood
		(Sarazen won playoff 144 to 149)	202	Craig wood
19	36	Horton Smith	285	Harry Cooper
19	37	Byron Nelson	283	Ralph Guldahl
19	38	Henry Picard	285	Ralph Guldahl, Harry Cooper
19	139	Ralph Guldahl	279	Sam Snead
19	40	Jimmy Demaret	280	Lloyd Mangrum
19	41	Craig Wood	280	Byron Nelson
19	42	Byron Nelson	280	Ben Hogan
		(Nelson won playoff 69 to 70)		
19	43	No Tournament - World War II		
19	44	No Tournament-World War II		
	45	No Tournament-World War II		
19	46	Herman Keiser	282	Ben Hogan
	47	Jimmy Demaret	281	Byron Nelson, Frank Stranahan
19	48	Claude Harmon	279	Cary Middlecoff
19	49	Sam Snead	282	Johnny Bulla, Lloyd Mangrum
19	50	Jimmy Demaret	283	Jim Ferrier
19	51	Ben Hogan	280	Skee Riegel
19	51	Sam Snead	286	Jack Burke, Jr.
19	53	Ben Hogan	274	Ed Oliver, Jr.
19	54	Sam Snead	289	Ben Hogan
		(Snead won playoff 70 to 71)		
	55	Cary Middlecoff	279	Ben Hogan
19	-	Jack Burke, Jr.	289	Ken Venturi
195		Doug Ford	283	Sam Snead
198	58	Arnold Palmer	284	Doug Ford, Fred Hawkins
198		Art Wall Jr.	284	Cary Middlecoff
196	60	Arnold Palmer	282	Ken Venturi
196	61	Gary Player	280	Charles R. Coe, Arnold Palmer
196	62	Arnold Palmer	280	Gary Player, Dow Finsterwald
		(Palmer won playoff 68-71-77)		
196	63	Jack Nicklaus	286	Tony Lema
196		Arnold Palmer	276	Dave Marr, Jack Nicklaus
196		Jack Nicklaus	271	Arnold Palmer, Gary Player
196	7.17	Jack Nicklaus	288	Tommy Jacobs, Gay Brewer, Jr.
		(Nicklaus won playoff 70-72-78)		
196		Gay Brewer, Jr.	280	Bobby Nichols
196	88	Bob Goalby	277	Roberto de Vicenzo
196		George Archer	281	Billy Casper, George Knudson, Tom Weiskopf
197	COTON IN	Billy Casper (Casper won playoff 69 to 74	279	Gene Littler
197		Charles Coody	279	John Miller, Jack Nicklaus
197		Jack Nicklaus	286	Bruce Crampton, Bobby Mitchell, Tom Weiskopf
197	73	Tommy Aaron	283	J. C. Snead
197		Gary Player	278	Tom Weiskopf, Dave Stockton
197	5	Jack Nicklaus	276	Johnny Miller, Tom Weiskopf

## **UNITED STATES OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

<b>YEAR</b> 1895		SCORE 36 Holes	RUNNERUP Willie Dunn	PLAYED AT Newport G.C., Newport, R.I.
1896	11010001101111110	36 Holes	Horace Rawlins	Shinnecock Hills G.C., Shinnecock Hills, L.I., N.Y.
1897	Joe Lloyd 162-	36 Holes	Willie Anderson	Chicago G.C., Wheaton, III.
1898		72 Holes	Alex Smith	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass.
1899		315	George Low	Baltimore C.C., Baltimore, Md.
1000	Willie Cillian		Val Fitzjohn W. H. Way	
1900	Harry Vardon	313	J. H. Taylor	Chicago G.C., Wheaton, III.
1901	15.100.100	331	Alex Smith (86)	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass.
1902		307	Stewart Gardner	Garden City G.C., Garden City, L.I., N.Y.
1903	* Willie Anderson (82)	307	David Brown (84)	Baltusrol G.C., Short Hills, N.J.
1904	Willie Anderson	303	Gil Nicholls	Glen View Club, Golf, III.
1905	Willie Anderson	314	Alex Smith	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass.
1906	Alex Smith	295	Willie Smith	Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, III.
1907	AlexRoss	302	Gil Nicholls	Philadelphia Cricket Club, Chestnut Hill, Pa.
1908	* Fred McLeod (77)	322	Willie Smith (83)	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass.
1909	George Sargent	290	Tom McNamara	Englewood G.C., Englewood, N.J.
1910		298	John McDermott (75)	Philadelphia Cricket Club, Chestnut
			MacDonald Smith (77)	
1911	* John McDermott (80)	307	Mike Brady (82)	Chicago G.C., Wheaton, III.
			George Simpson (85)	
1912	John McDermott	294	Tom McNamara	C.C. of Buffalo, Buffalo, N.Y.
1913	* Francis Ouimet (72)	304	Harry Vardon (77)	The Country Club, Brookline, Mass.
			Edward Ray (78)	Martin C. C. Blind Island III
1914	Walter Hagen	290	Charles Evans, Jr.	Midlothian C.C., Blue Island, III. Baltusrol G.C., Short Hills, N.J.
1915	Jerome Travers	297	Tom McNamara	Minikahda Club, Minneapolis, Minn.
1916	Charles Evans, Jr.	286	Jock Hutchison	Millikarida Cido, Millineapons, Millin.
	- 1918 No Championshi		Mike Brady (78)	Brae Burn C.C., West Newton, Mass.
1919 1920	* Walter Hagen (77) Edward Ray	301 295	Harry Vardon	Inverness C.C., Toledo, Ohio
			Jack Burke Leo Diegel	
			Jock Hutchison	a to the a a show there Md
1921	James M. Barnes	289	Walter Hagen Fred McLeod	Columbia C.C., Chevy Chase, Md
1922	Gene Sarazen	288	John L. Black Robert T. Jones, Jr.	Skokie C.C., Glencoe, III.
1923	* R.T. Jones Jr. (76)	296	B. Cruickshank (78)	Inwood C.C., Inwood, L.I., N.Y.
1924	Cyril Walker	297	Robert T. Jones Jr.	Oakland Hills C.C., Birmingham, Mich.
1925	* W.MacFarlane (147)	291	R.T. Jones (148)	Worcester C.C., Worcester, Mass.
1926	R.T. Jones Jr.	293	Joe Turnesa (70)	Scioto C.C., Columbus, Ohio
1927	* Tommy Armour (76)	301	Harry Cooper (79)	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa. Olympia Fields C.C., Matteson, III.
1928	Johnny Farrell (143)	294	R.T. Jones (144)	Winged Foot G.C., Mamaroneck, N.Y.
1929	*R.T. Jones Jr. (141)	294	Al Espinosa (164) MacDonald Smith	Interlachen C.C., Hopkins, Minn.
1930 1931	R.T. Jones Jr. *Billy Burke (149-148)	287 292	George Von Elm (149-149)	Inverness Club, Toledo, Ohio
1932	Gene Sarazen	286	Phil Perkins Bobby Cruickshank	Fresh Meadows C.C., Flushing, N.Y.
1933	Johnny Goodman	287	Ralph Guldahl	North Shore C.C., Glenview, III.
1933	Olin Dutra	293	Gene Sarazen	Merion Cricket Club, Ardmore, Pa.
1935	Sam Parks Jr.	299	Jimmy Thomson	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
1936	Tony Manero	282	Harry Cooper	Baltusrol C.C., Springfield, N.J.
1937	Ralph Guldahl	281	Sam Snead	Oakland Hills C.C., Birmingham, Mich.
1938	Ralph Guldahl	284	Dick Metz	Cherry Hills C.C., Denver, Colo.
1939			Craig Wood (68-70) Denny Shute (76-	Philadelphia C.C., Philadelphia, Pa.
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1940	*Lawson Little (70)	287	Gene Sarazen (73)	Colonial Club, Fort Worth, Texas
1941	Craig Wood	284	Denny Shute	Colonial Club, Fort Worth, Texas
1942	- 1945 No Championshi	ps Played -	- WOITU Wat II	

# United States Open Championship (cont'd.)

<b>YEAR</b> 1946	WINNER *Lloyd Mangrum	SCORE	RUNNERUP	PLAYED AT
	(72-72)	284	Vic Ghezzi (72-73) Byron Nelson (72-73)	Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio
1947	*Lew Worsham (69)	282		
1948	Ben Hogan	276	Sam Snead (70)	St. Louis C.C., Clayton, Mo.
1949	Cary Middlecoff	286	Jimmy Demaret	Riviera C.C., Los Angeles, Calif.
1343	Cary WilduleColl	200	Sam Snead	Medinah C.C., Medinah, III.
1950	*Ben Hogan (69)	287	Clayton Heafner	
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1951	Destines	007	George Fazio (75)	
	Ben Hogan	287	Clayton Heafner	Oakland Hills C.C., Birmingham, Mich.
1952	Julius Boros	281	Ed Oliver	Northwood C.C., Dallas, Texas
1953	Ben Hogan	283	Sam Snead	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
1954	Ed Furgol	284	Gene Littler	Baltusrol C.C., Springfield, N.J.
1955	* Jack Fleck (69)	287	Ben Hogan (72)	Olympic C.C., San Francisco, Calif.
1956	Cary Middlecoff	281	Ben Hogan	Oak Hill C.C., Rochester, N.Y.
1957	* Dick Mayer (72)	282	Cary Middlecoff (79)	Inverness Club, Toledo, Ohio
1958	Tommy Bolt	283	Gary Player	Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.
1959	Billy Casper	282	Bob Rosburg	Winged Foot G.C., Mamaroneck, N.Y.
1960	Arnold Palmer	280	Jack Nicklaus	Cherry Hills C.C., Denver, Colo.
1961	Gene Littler	281	Bob Goalby	Oakland Hills C.C., Birmingham,
			Doug Sanders	Mich.
1962	* Jack Nicklaus (71)	283	Arnold Palmer (74)	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
1963	* Julius Boros (70)	293	Jacky Cupit (73) Arnold Palmer (76)	The Country Club, Bookline, Mass.
1964	Ken Venturi	278	Tommy Jacobs	Congressional C.C., Washington, D.C.
1965	* Gary Player (71)	282	Kel Nagle (74)	Bellerive C.C., St. Louis, Mo.
1966	* Billy Casper (69)	278	Arnold Palmer (73)	Olympic Club, San Francisco, Calif.
1967	Jack Nicklaus	275	Arnold Palmer	Baltusrol C.C., Springfield, N.J.
1968	Lee Trevino	275	Jack Nicklaus	Oak Hill C.C., Rochester, N.Y.
1969	Orville Moody	281	Deane Beman	Champions G.C., Houston, Texas
	1000		Al Geiberger	- In the state of
			Bob Rosburg	
1970	Tony Jacklin	281		Hazeltine G.C., Chaska, Minn.
1971	*Lee Trevino (68)	280		Merion Golf Club, Ardmore, Pa.
1972	Jack Nicklaus	290		Pebble Beach G. L., Pebble Beach, Calif.
1973	Johnny Miller	279	John Schlee	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
1974	Hale Irwin	287		Winged Foot G.C., Mamaroneck, N.Y.
1975	*Lou Graham (71)	287		Medinah C.C., Medinah, III.
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	363		160	Andrew Strath	Prestwick, Scotland
	364	Tom Morris		Willie Park	Prestwick, Scotland
	365	Andrew Strath	162		
	366	Willie Park	169	David Park	Prestwick, Scotland
18	367	Tom Morris	170	Willie Park	Prestwick, Scotland
18	368	Tom Morris, Jr.	154	Tom Morris, Sr.	Prestwick, Scotland
18	369	Tom Morris, Jr.	157	Tom Morris, Sr.	Prestwick, Scotland
18	370	Tom Morris, Jr.	149	David Strath Bob Kirk	Prestwick, Scotland
18	371	No Championship Played			
10	372	Tom Morris, Jr.	166	David Strath	Prestwick, Scotland
			179	No Record	St. Andrews, Scotland
	373	Tom Kipp			
	374	Mungo Park	159	No Record	Musselburgh, Scotland
18	375	Willie Park	166	Robert Martin	Prestwick, Scotland
18	376	Robert Martin	176	David Strath	St. Andrews, Scotland
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18	377	Jamie Anderson	160	R. Pringle	Musselburgh, Scotland
	378	Jamie Anderson	157	Robert Kirk	Prestwick, Scotland
	379	Jamie Anderson	169	A. Kirkaldy J. Allan	St. Andrews, Scotland
10	380	Robert Ferguson	162	No Record	Musselburgh, Scotland
	381	Robert Ferguson	170	Jamie Anderson	Prestwick, Scotland
			171	Willie Fernie	St. Andrews, Scotland
	382	Robert Ferguson			Musselburgh, Scotland
		* Willie Fernie	159	Robert Ferguson	
	384	Jack Simpson	160	D. Rolland W. Fernie	Prestwick, Scotland
18	385	Bob Martin	171	Archie Simpson	St. Andrews, Scotland
18	386	David Brown	157	Willie Campbell	Musselburgh, Scotland
18	387	Willie Park, Jr.	161	Bob Martin	Prestwick, Scotland
	388	Jack Burns	171	B. Sayers	St. Andrews, Scotland
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1920	George Duncan	303	Alexander Herd	Deal, England
1921	* Jock Hutchison	296 (150)		9)St. Andrews, Scotland
1922	Walter Hagen	300	George Duncan James M. Barnes	Royal St. George's, England
1923	Arthur G. Havers	295	Walter Hagen	Troop Carlland
1924	Walter Hagen	301		Troon, Scotland
1925	James M. Barnes	300	Ernest Whitcombe Archie Compston	Hoylake, England Prestwick, Scotland
1926	Robert T. Jones, Jr.	291	Ted Ray	6
1927	Robert T. Jones, Jr.		Al Watrous	Royal Lytham, England
			Aubrey Boomer	St. Andrews, Scotland
1928	WalterHagen	292	Gene Sarazen	Royal St. George's, England
1929	Walter Hagen	292	Johnny Farrell	Muirfield, Scotland
1930	Robert T. Jones, Jr.	291	MacDonald Smith Leo Diegel	Hoylake, England
1931	Tommy D. Armour	296	J. Jurado	Carnoustie, Scotland
1932	Gene Sarazen	283	MacDonald Smith	Prince's, England
1933	* Denny Shute (149)	292	Craig Wood (154)	St. Andrews, Scotland
1934	Henry Cotton	283	S. F. Brews	Royal St. George's, England
1935	Alfred Perry	283	Alfred Padgham	Muirfield, Scotland
1936	Alfred Padgham	287	J. Adams	
1937	Henry Cotton	290	R. A. Whitcombe	Hoylake, England
1938	R. A. Whitcombe	295	The state of the s	Carnoustie, Scotland
1939	Richard Burton		James Adams	Royal St. George's, England
		290	Johnny Bulla	St. Andrews, Scotland
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1946	Sam Snead	290	Bobby Locke Johnny Bulla	St. Andrews, Scotland
1947	Fred Daly	293	R. W. Horne	Hoylake, England
		200	Frank Stranahan	noylake, England
1948	Henry Cotton	294	Fred Daly	
1949	*Bobby Locke	283 (135)		Muirfield, Scotland
1950	Bobby Locke		narry Bradshaw (147)	Royal St. George's, England
1951	Max Faulkner	279	Roberto De Vicenzo	Troon, Scotland
1952		285	A. Cerda	Portrush, Ireland
	Bobby Locke	287	Peter Thomson	Royal Lytham, England
1953	Ben Hogan	282	Frank Stranahan	Carnoustie, Scotland
			D. J. Rees	
			Peter Thomson	
			A. Cerda	
1954	Peter Thomson	283	S. S. Scott	Royal Birkdale, England
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			Bobby Locke	
1955	Peter Thomson	281	John Fallon	St. Andrews, Scotland
1956	Peter Thomson	286	Flory Van Donck	Hoylake, England
1957	Bobby Locke	279	Peter Thomson	
1958	Peter Thomson	278 (139)	Dave Thomas (143)	St. Andrews, Scotland
1959	Gary Player	284		Royal Lytham, England
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1960	Kel Nagle	278	Flory Van Donck Arnold Palmer	St Andrews S
1961	Arnold Palmer	284	Dai Rees	St. Andrews, Scotland
1962	Arnold Palmer			Royal Birkdale, England
		276	Kel Nagle	Troon, Scotland
1963	*Bob Charles	277	Phil Rodgers	Royal Lytham, England
1964	Tony Lema	279	Jack Nicklaus	St. Andrews, Scotland
1965	Peter Thomson	285	Brian Huggett	Southport, England
1966	Jack Nicklaus	282	Doug Sanders	Muirfield, Scotland
			Dave Thomas	
1967	Roberto De Vicenzo	278	Jack Nicklaus	Hoylake, England
1968	Gary Player	289	Jack Nicklaus	Carnoustie, Scotland
1969	Tony Jacklin	280	Bob Charles Bob Charles	Devell the E
	* Jack Nicklaus			Royal Lytham, England
1971	Lee Trevino	283 (72)		St. Andrews, Scotland
		278	Lu Liang Huan	Royal Birkdale, England
1972	Lee Trevino	278	Jack Nicklaus	Muirfield, Scotland
1973	Tom Weiskopf	276	Johnny Miller	Troon, Scotland
1974	Gary Player	282	Peter Oosterhuis	Royal Lytham, England
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	* Tom Watson	279 (71)	Jack Newton (72) NDICATE PLAYOFF SCORES	Carnoustia Scotland

# WINNERS OF MAJOR U.S. AMATEUR EVENTS

Year Match Play

#### NCAA Champions (Since 1949)

Year Winner

#### 1949 Harvie Ward, North Carolina 1950 Fred Wampler, Purdue 1951 Tom Nieporte, Ohio State 1952 Jim Vickers, Oklahoma 1953 Earl Moeller, Oklahoma State 1954 Hillman Robbins, Memphis St. 1955 Joe Campbell, Purdue 1956 Rick Jones, Ohio State 1957 Rex Baxter, Jr., Houston 1958 Phil Rodgers, Houston 1959 Dick Crawford, Houston 1960 Dick Crawford, Houston 1961 Jack Nicklaus, Ohio State 1962 Kermit Zarley, Houston 1963 R. H. Sikes, Arkansas 1964 Terry Small, San Jose State 1965 Marty Fleckman, Houston 1966 Bob Murphy, Florida 1967 Hale Irwin, Colorado 1968 Grier Jones, Okla. State 1969 Bob Clark, Los Angeles St. 1970 John Mahaffey, Houston 1971 Ben Crenshaw, Texas 1972 Ben Crenshaw, Texas Tom Kite, Texas 1973 Ben Crenshaw, Texas 1974 Curtis Strange, Wake Forest 1975 Jay Haas, Wake Forest

#### U.S. Amateur Champions (Since 1949)

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1949	Charles R. Coe	
1950	Sam Urzetta	
1951	Billy Maxwell	
1952	Jack Westland	
1953	Gene A. Littler	
1954	Arnold Palmer	
1955	E. Harvie Ward, Jr.	
	E. Harvie Ward, Jr.	
	Hillman Robbins, Jr.	
	Charles R. Coe	
	Jack W. Nicklaus	
	Deane R. Beman	
1961	Jack W. Nicklaus	
	Labron E. Harris, Jr.	
	Deane R. Beman	
	William C. Campbell	
	Stroke Play	Score
1965	Robert J. Murphy	291
1966	Gary Cowan	285
1967	Robert B. Dickson	285
1968	Bruce Fleisher	284
1969	Steven N. Melnyk	286
1970	Lanny Wadkins	*279
1971	Gary Cowan	280
1972	Vinny Giles	28
Year	Match Play	

#### U.S. Public Links Champions (Since 1949)

Year	Match Play
1949	Kenneth J. Towns
1950	Stanley Bielat
1951	Dave Stanley
1952	Omer L. Bogan
1953	Ted Richards, Jr.
1954	Gene Andrews
1955	Sam D. Kocsis
1956	James H. Buxbaum
1957	Don Essig, III
1958	Daniel D. Sikes, Jr.
1959	William A. Wright
1960	Verne Callison
1961	Richard H. Sikes
1962	Richard H. Sikes
1963	Robert Lunn
1964	William McDonald
	Arne Dokka
1966	Lamont Kaser

Year	Stroke Play Score
1967	Verne Callison 287
1968	Gene Towry 292
1969	J. M. Jackson 292
	Robert Risch 293
	Fred Haney 290
	Bob Allard 285
1973	Stan Stopa294
1974	Chas. Barenaba. 290

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NCAA Tournament began in 1897. Individual championship determined at match play prior to 1965 when 72-hole stroke-play format was adopted.

1973 Craig Stadler 1974 Jerry Pate

1975 Fred Ridley

## **The PGA Tour Long Drive Contest**

Colonial Country Club Fort Worth, Texas August 19, 1975

Each contestant was permitted to hit three golf balls, but the shot had to come to rest within the fairway to be measured. Jim Dent was the winner of the inaugural Long Drive Contest at the Atlanta Country Club, August 28, 1974, with a drive of 324 yards, eight inches.

The contest is held each year during the week of the Tournament Players Championship. The 1975 results were:

1. Jim Dent	317 yds. 3 ins. 316 yds. 4 ins.	Eddie Pearce     Randy Erskine	309 yds. 8 ins. 306 yds. 29 ins.
George Cadle     Evan Williams	314 yds. 26 ins.	8. Fuzzy Zoeller	305 yds. 0 ins. 304 yds. 22 ins.
Bruce Lietzke     Bob Wypp	313 yds. 33 ins. 312 yds. 13 ins.	Mike Nixon     Joe Porter	300 yds. 0 ins.

<sup>\*</sup>Record score for stroke play.

# **PAST WINNERS OF TOUR EVENTS**

T110001	1970 Dale Douglass 271	1963 *Jack Nicklaus 345
TUCSON	1971 Miller Barber 261	1964 *Thommy Jacobs 348
Year Winner Score	1972 Homero Blancas 273	1965 Billy Casper 348
1945 Ray Mangrum 268	1973 Bruce Crampton 268	
1946 Jimmy Demaret 268		1966 *Doug Sanders 349
1947 Jimmy Demaret 264		1967 Tom Nieporte349
1948 Skip Alexander 264	1975 Johnny Miller 260	1968 *Arnold Palmer 348
1949 Lloyd Mangrum 263	BING CROSBY	1969 Billy Casper 345
1950 Chandler Harper 267		1970 Bruce Devlin339
1951 Lloyd Mangrum 269	Year Winner Score	1971 *Arnold Palmer 342
1952 Henry Williams 274	1937 Sam Snead 68	1972 Bob Rosburg 344
1953 Tommy Bolt 265	1938 Sam Snead 139	1973 Arnold Palmer 343
1954 No Tournament	1939 Dutch Harrison 138	1974 Hubert Green 341
1955 Tommy Bolt 265	1940 Ed Oliver 135	1975 Johnny Miller 339
1956 Ted Kroll	1941 Sam Snead 136	SAN DIEGO
1957 D. Finsterwald 269	1942 Tie-Lloyd Mangrum	Year Winner Score
1958 Lionel Hebert 265	Leland Gibson 133	1952 Ted Kroll 276
1959 Gene Littler 266	1943-	1953 Tommy Bolt 274
1960 Don January 271	1946 No Tournaments	1954 # Gene Littler 274
1961 *Dave Hill 269	1947 Tie-Ed Furgol	1955 Tommy Bolt 274
1962 Phil Rodgers 263	George Fazio 213	1956 Bob Rosburg 270
1963 Don January 266	1948 Lloyd Mangrum 205	1957 Arnold Palmer 271
1964 Jack Cupit274	1949 Ben Hogan 208	1958 No Tournament
1965 Bob Charles 271	1950 Tie-Sam Snead	1959 Marty Furgol 274
1966 *Joe Campbell 278	Jack Burke, Jr.	1960 Mike Souchak 269
1967 Arnold Palmer 273	Smiley Quick	1961 *Arnold Palmer 271
1968 George Knudson 273	Dave Douglas 214	1962 *Tommy Jacobs 277
1969 Lee Trevino 271	1951 Byron Nelson 209	1963 Gary Player 270
1970 *Lee Trevino 275	1952 Jimmy Demaret 145	1964 Art Wall 274
1971 J. C. Snead 273	1953 Lloyd Mangrum 204	
1972 Miller Barber 273	1954 Dutch Harrison210	
1973 Bruce Crampton 277	1955 C. Middlecoff 209	
1974 Johnny Miller 272	1956 C. Middlecoff 202	
	1957 Jay Hebert 213	
	1958 Billy Casper 277	
PHOENIX	1959 Art Wall	
Year Winner Score	1960 Ken Venturi 286	3
1935 Ky Laffoon 281	1961 Bob Rosburg 282	1972 Paul Harney 275 1973 Bob Dickson 278
1936-	1962 *Doug Ford286	
1938 No Tournaments	1963 Billy Casper 285	1974 Bobby Nichols 275
1939 Byron Nelson 198	,	1975 *J. C. Snead 279
1940 Ed Oliver 205		LOS ANGELES
1941-		Year Winner Score
1943 No Tournaments	3 4 5 5 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	1926 Harry Cooper 279
1944 *H. McSpaden 273		1927 Bobby Cruikshank. 282
1945 Byron Nelson 274		1928 Mac Smith 284
1946 *Ben Hogan 273	3	1929 Mac Smith 285
1947 Ben Hogan 270	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	1930 Densmore Shute 296
1948 Bobby Locke 268	1971 Tom Shaw 278	1931 Ed Dudley 285
1949 *Jimmy Demaret 278	1972 *Jack Nicklaus 284	1932 Mac Smith 281
1950 Jimmy Demaret 269	1973 *Jack Nicklaus 282	1933 Craig Wood 281
1951 Lew Worsham 272	1974 Johnny Miller 208	1934 Mac Smith 280
1952 Lloyd Mangrum 274	1975 Gene Littler 280	1935 *Vic Ghezzi 285
1953 Lloyd Mangrum 272	HAWAIIAN	1936 Jimmy Hines 280
1954 *Ed Furgol272	Year Winner Score	1937 Harry Cooper 274
1955 Gene Littler 275	1965 Gay Brewer 281	1938 Jimmy Thomson 273
1956 C. Middlecoff 276	1966 Ted Makalena 271	1939 Jimmy Demaret 274
	1967 *Dudley Wysong 284	1940 Lawson Little282
1957 Billy Casper 271	1968 Lee Trevino 272	1941 Johnny Bulla281
1958 Ken Venturi 274		1942 *Ben Hogan 282
1959 Gene Littler 268	1969 Bruce Crampton 274 1970 No Tournament	1943 No Tournament
1960 *Jack Fleck 273		1944 H. McSpaden 278
1961 *Arnold Palmer 270		1945 Sam Snead 283
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1963 Arnold Palmer 273		1947 Ben Hogan 280
1964 Jack Nicklaus 271		1948 Ben Hogan 275
1965 Rod Funseth 274	1975 Gary Groh274	1949 Lloyd Mangrum 284
1966 Dudley Wysong 278	BOB HOPE	1950 *Sam Snead 280
1967 Julius Boros 272	Year Winner Score	1951 Lloyd Mangrum 280
1968 George Knudson272	1960 Arnold Palmer 338	1951 Tommy Bolt 289
1969 Gene Littler 263	1961 Billy Maxwell 345	1953 Lloyd Mangrum 280
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1956	Lloyd Mangrum 272		Hale Irwin 272	1964	Jack Nicklaus 279
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1957	Doug Ford280		Johnny Miller 276	1966	*Arnold Palmer 283
1958	F. Stranahan 275	1975	Jack Nicklaus271		Frank Beard 278
1959	Ken Venturi278	(	REENSBORO	1967	
1960	D. Finsterwald 280			1968	Don January 276
1961	Bob Goalby275	Year	Winner Score	1969	Gary Player 284
1962	Phil Rodgers268	1938	Sam Snead 272	1970	Frank Beard 273
1963	Arnold Palmer 274	1939	Ralph Guldahl 280	1971	Jack Nicklaus279
		1940	Ben Hogan 270	1972	*Bobby Mitchell 280
1964	Paul Harney 280	1941	Byron Nelson 276	1973	Jack Nicklaus 276
1965	Paul Harney 276	1942	Sam Byrd279	1974	Johnny Miller 280
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	*Charles Sifford 276	1945	Byron Nelson 271		
	*Billy Casper 276	1946	Sam Snead 270	Year	Winner Score
	*Bob Lunn	1947	Vic Ghezzi 286	1969	Chuck Courtney 282
		1948	Lloyd Mangrum 278	1970	Harold Henning 277
	*George Archer 270		Sam Snead 276	1971	Lee Trevino 273
1973	Rod Funseth 276		Sam Snead 269	1972	Bob Shaw 273
1974	Dave Stockton 276	1950		1973	Hubert Green 277
1975	Pat Fitzsimons 275	1951	Art Doering 279		Allen Miller 274
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1966	Lionel Hebert 279	1955	Sam Snead 273	- 1	NEW ORLEANS
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1968	Dan Sikes 274	1957	Stan Leonard 276	1939	Henry Picard 284
1969	Ken Still 278	1958	Bob Goalby275	1940	Jimmy Demaret 286
1970	Bob Lunn271	1959	D. Finsterwald 278		
1971	Arnold Palmer 270	1960	Sam Snead 270	1941	Henry Picard 276
1972	Jerry Heard276	1961	Mike Souchak 276	1942	Lloyd Mangrum 281
1973	Brian Allin 265	1962	Billy Casper 275	1943	No Tournament
1974	Jerry Heard273	1963	Doug Sanders 270	1944	Sammy Byrd 285
1975	Lee Trevino 276		*Julius Boros 277	1945	*Byron Nelson 284
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Year	Winner Score		*Doug Sanders 276	1948	Bob Hamilton 280
1962	Billy Casper 283	1967	George Archer 267	1949-	
	Dan Sikes 283	1968	Billy Casper 267		No Tournaments
1963		1969	*Gene Littler 274	1957	
1964	Bill Casper 277	1970	Gary Player271	1958	
1965	Doug Sanders 274	1971	*Bud Allin 275	1959	Bill Collins 280
1966	Phil Rodgers278		*George Archer 272	1960	D. Finsterwald 270
1967	Doug Sanders 275	1973	Juan Rodriguez 267	1961	Doug Sanders 272
1968	G. Dickinson275	1974	Bob Charles 270	1962	Bo Wininger 281
1969	Tom Shaw 276			1963	Bo Wininger 279
1970	Mike Hill 279	1975	Tom Weiskopf 275	1964	Mason Rudolph 283
1971	J. C. Snead 275		MAGNOLIA	1965	Dick Mayer 273
1972	Jack Nicklaus 276	Year	Winner Score	1966	Frank Beard 276
1973	Lee Trevino 276		*B. R. McLendon 269	1967	George Knudson 277
	Brian Allin 272	1968			George Archer 271
1974		1969	Larry Mowry 272	1968	
1975	Jack Nicklaus 276	1970	Chris Blocker271	1969	*Larry Hinson 275
	JACKSONVILLE	1971	Roy Pace 270	1970	
	Winner Score	1972	Mike Morley 269	1971	Frank Beard 276
Year	thunion -	1973	Dwight Nevil 268	1972	Gary Player279
1965	Bert Weaver 285	1974	Dwight Nevil 133	1973	*Jack Nicklaus 280
1966	Doug Sanders 273	1975		1974	Lee Trevino 267
1967	Dan Sikes 279			1975	
1968	Tony Jacklin 273		TOURNAMENT	1010	
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1970		Year		Year	Winner Score
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1972		1953		1948	
1973		1954	Art Wall	1949	
1974		1955	Gene Littler 280		
1975	Larry Ziegler 276	1956	Gene Littler 281	1950	
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		1958	Stan Leonard 275	1952	
Year		1959	Mike Souchak 281	1953	
1969	Arnold Palmer 283			1954	
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1970		1960	Jerry Barber 268	1955	
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1962	Bobby Nichols 278	1967	Dave Stockton 278	1907	
1963		1968	Billy Casper 275		The second secon
1964				1908	Willie Anderson 299
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1967	Frank Beard 274	1972	Jerry Heard275	1912	Mac Smith 299
1968	R. DeVincenzo 274	1973	Tom Weiskopf 276	1913	J. J. McDermott 295
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1971	*Unboy Gibert 282	1975	Host T.P.C.	1915	Tom McNamara 304
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1973	Bruce Crampton 277	Year	Winner Score	1918	No Tournament
1974	Dave Hill 276	1958	Billy Maxwell 267	1919	Jim Barnes 283
1975		1959	*Don Whitt	1920	
			*Tommy Bolt 273		Jock Hutchison 296
	BYRON NELSON	1961		1921	Walter Hagen 287
Year			C. Middlecoff 266	1922	Mike Brady 291
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1945		1964	Mike Souchak 270	1925	Mac Smith 281
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1947		1966	Bert Yancey 265	1926	Walter Hagen 279
1955	No Tournaments			1927	Walter Hagen 281
1956		1967	Dave Hill 272	1928	Abe Espinosa 291
		1968	Bob Lunn 268	1929	Tommy Armour 273
1000	A*Peter Thomson 267	1969	Dave Hill 265	1930	Gene Sarazen 278
1957	204	1970	Dave Hill 267	1931	
1968		1971	Lee Trevino 268	1932	Ed Dudley 280
1959	Julius Boros 274	1972	Lee Trevino 281		Walter Hagen 287
1960	*Johnny Pott 275	1973		1933	Mac Smith 282
1961	Earl Stewart, Jr 278		Dave Hill 283	1934	*Harry Cooper 274
1962	Billy Maywell	1974	Gary Player273	1935	John Revolta 290
1963		1975	Gene Littler 270	1936	Ralph Guldahl 274
			PHILADELPHIA	1937	*Ralph Guldahl 288
1964	Charles Coody271			1938	
1965	No Tournament	Year	Winner Score		Ralph Guldahl 279
1966	R. De Vicenzo 276	1963	Arnold Palmer 281	1939	Byron Nelson 281
1967	Bert Yancey 274	1964	Jack Nicklaus 276	1940	*Jimmy Demaret 293
1968		1965	Jack Nicklaus277	1941	Ed Oliver
1969	Miller Barber 270	1966		1942	Herman Barron276
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# QUALIFYING SCHOOL FOR APPROVED TOURNAMENT PLAYERS

The Qualifying School for Approved Tournament Players was initiated in 1965 as the procedure for accrediting new players for the Tour. Since that time, 318 men have received Ap-

proved Tournament Players membership cards through these schools.

In 1975, two Qualifying Schools were held, the first in June at the Bay Tree Plantation club in North Myrtle Beach, S.C. There were 233 applicants and 13 received their cards following 108 holes of competion and three days of classroom work. There were 380 applicants in the second school at Walt Disney World in Lake Buena Vista, Fla., and 25 received their playing privileges.

Classroom instruction covers such subjects as the Rules of Golf, Personal Development, the History of Golf and the PGA Tour, Contracts and Finances, Public and Press Relations and

an orientation about life on the Tour. A written examination follows.

### SUMMARY OF PREVIOUS QUALIFYING SCHOOLS

FALL 1965—Forty-nine were accepted to the PGA's first school and 17 were graduated to the Tour. John Schlee was leading qualifier with a score of 583 for 144 holes.

FALL 1966 – Class included 99 men and 32 were graduated. Harry Toscano was low qualifier with 572 for 144 holes.

FALL 1967—A class of 111, including several international stars, attended school. Thirty were graduated and Bobby Cole, of South Africa, was No. 1 graduate. He scored 572 over eight rounds.

SPRING 1968-Eighty-one were accepted and 15 were graduated. Bob Dickson led the

graduates with 569 for 144 holes.

FALL 1968—Seventy-nine attended the school and 30 were graduated. Grier Jones was leading qualifier with 571 for 144 holes. The American Professional Golfers also held a school and graduated 21, headed by Martin Roesink with 585 for 144 holes.

SPRING 1969 - Enrollment was 91 and 15 were graduated to the Tour after a 72-hole tourna-

ment. Bob Eastwood was low qualifier with 291.

FALL 1969—For the first time, a system of district tryouts at 54 holes was instituted. A total of 182 applications were accepted and 48 qualified for the School proper at the tryouts. Twelve were graduated to the Tour with Doug Olson being low, at 286, in the school's 72-hole tournament.

1970—Nine district tryouts, at 54 holes, reduced the field of 250 applicants to 60. A 72-hole tournament at Tucson, Arizona produced 18 approved players. Robert Barbarossa was

low qualifier with 279.

1971—A system of three regional tryouts at 72-holes was used. A total of 357 applications were accepted and 75 qualified for the school proper at the tryouts. Twenty-three were graduated to the Tour with Bob Zender being low qualifier with 425 for 108 holes. The school was held at PGA National Golf Club, Palm Beach Gardens, Florida.

1972—A record 468 applications were accepted. Eighty-one survived the three regional tryouts with 25 receiving playing privileges. Larry Stubblefield and John Adams were

low qualifiers with 434 for 108 holes.

1973—373 applications were accepted by the Division. 78 players survived the regional tryouts, and 23 players received playing privileges on Tour for one year. Ben Crenshaw was the low qualifier for 144 holes. His 558 was 18 under par, 12 strokes ahead of field.

1974 — There were 447 applicants. Three Regional Tryouts reduced the field to 78 candidates and 19 received credentials after completing course at the Silverado Country Club, Napa, Calif., and the Canyon Country Club, Palm Springs, Calif. Fuzzy Zoeller was low qualifier with 572 for his final 144 holes.

## The 1975 Qualifiers

Biographical data on these players can be found in the alphabetical listing of PGA Tour members in this book.

# The Spring School Bay Tree Plantation, North Myrtle Beach, S.C. June 9-14

Name	Home	Pos.	Scores
Joey Dills	Tulsa, Okla.	1	73 73 73 69 71 71-430
Howard Twitty	Phoenix, Ariz.	T2	66 75 72 75 75 68-431
Tom Purtzer	Phoenix, Ariz.	T2	72 74 73 70 73 69-431
Pat McDonald	Riverside, Calif.	T4	71 75 76 73 71 68-434
Barry Jaeckel	Los Angeles, Calif.	T4	72 71 72 72 75 72-434
Dan Elliott	Portland, Ore.	T6	74 75 72 70 72 72-435
David Lind	Glen Ellyn, III.	T6	74 74 71 69 72 75-435
Calvin Peete	South Bay, Fla.	8	68 74 78 69 74 73-436
Dan O'Neill	Jamestown, N.Y.	Т9	72 76 75 75 72 67-437
Bruce Lietzke	Beaumont, Tex.	Т9	72 74 74 73 71 73-437
Sammy Rachels	DeFuniak Springs, Fla.	Т9	71 74 74 75 72 71-437
Randy Feather	Jacksonville Beach, Fla.	T12	71 76 75 74 72 71-439
Antonio Cerda	Tlalpan, Mexico	T12	73 71 71 72 77 75-439

# The Fall School Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista, Florida November 3-8

Name	Home	Pos.		Sc	ores
Jerry Pate	Pensacola, Fla.	1	70 €		70 72 73-423
George Burns	Port Washington, N.Y.	2	68 7		70 71 70-425
Earl Humphries	Alexandria, La.	Т3	72 7		72 72 70-427
Gary Koch	Temple Terrace, Fla.	T3	72 6		73 71 71-427
Bobby Stroble	Albany, Ga.	T5	67 7		70 70 72-428
Steve Veriato	Bryan, Tex.	T5			69 71 71-428
Andy Bean	Lakeland, Fla.	7			74 73 70-430
Stan Lee	Baton Rouge, La.	T8			73 71 70-431
Bob Gilder	Corvallis, Ore.	T8			69 73 74-431
Don Pooley	Riverside, Calif.	10			70 69 76-432
Dale Hayes	Pretoria, South Africa	T11			72 69 71-433
John Harris	Tampa, Fla.	T11		2 71	
Tommy McGinnis	Memphis, Tenn.	T11			73 69 74-433
Ray Leach	Novato, Calif.	14			70 72 73-434
David Smith	Oyster Bay, N.Y.	15		2 76	
Bill Mallon	Vero Beach, Fla.	T 16			74 70 73-436
Jim Thorpe	Baltimore, Md.	T16			73 73 74-436
John Melnick	St. Simons Island, Ga.	T 16			72 73 73-436
Ted Goin	Stillwater, Okla.	T 16			75 71 73-436
Sandy Galbraith	Huntington Beach, Calif.	T16			74 73 77-436
Mark Pfeil	Redondo Beach, Calif.	T21			
Gar Hamilton	Indianapolis, Ind.	T21	72 7		74 72 71-437
Stan Altgelt	Dallas, Tex.	T21	72 7		79 71 72-437
Guy Cullins	Denton, Tex.	T21		200 6000	74 72 72-437
David Canipe	Fayetteville, N.C.	T21	70 7		68 72 74-437

## RYDER CUP MATCHES

The Ryder Cup Matches developed from a match played between representatives of the American and British Professional Golfers' Association in England in 1926. That unofficial match, incidentally, was won by the British 13½ to 1½.

Following this highly successful exhibition, Samuel A. Ryder, a wealthy British seed merchant, offered to donate a solid gold trophy bearing his name to be competed for in a series of matches between professionals of two nations.

In placing the Ryder Cup in competition, the donor set forth certain terms which were to be observed by the parties concerned so long as the matches are conducted. Included among these stipulations are the following:

The matches will be played every other year on a home-and-home basis;

- (2) While both parties must mutually agree on the specific dates for each match, the host team may select the site and will be responsible for such arrangements and details as are normally the function of a sponsoring group;
- (3) The Matches shall consist of two days of play with the first being devoted to foursomes and the second to single matches;
- (4) Each member of the competing teams must be a member of his country's PGA, and furthermore, must be a native born citizen of that country.

The matches were first officially played for the Ryder Cup in 1927 in the United States. They have been held continuously every other year since except for the period from 1937 when the exigencies of World War II forced their suspension.

From 1927 to date, the United States has won every Ryder Cup match played in this country. It also won on British soil in 1937, 1949, 1953, 1965, 1973 and 1975, to run its list of victories to 17 in the 21 matches. The British won at home in 1929, 1933 and 1957. The 1969 match in England resulted in the first tie of the series.

From the start of the series through the 1959 Ryder Cup matches, the competition was comprised of four foursomes matches one day and eight singles matches the other day, each at 36 holes.

In 1961, the format was changed to provide for four 18-hole foursomes the morning of the first day and four more that afternoon, then for eight 18-hole singles the morning of the second day and eight more that afternoon. As in the past, one point was at stake in each match, so the total number of points was doubled.

In 1963, for the first time, a day of four-ball matches augmented the program to add new interest to the overall competition. This brought the total number of points to 32.

### RYDER CUP MATCHES, 1927-1975

Voor	Played at	Date	F	esult		
1927 1929 1931 1933 1935 1937	Worcester Country Club, Worcester, Mass Moortown, England Scioto Country Club, Columbus, Ohio Southport & Ainsdale Courses, England Ridgewood Country Club, Ridgewood, N.J. Southport & Ainsdale Courses, England	June 3-4 April 27-28 June 26-27 June 26-27 Sept. 28-29 June 29-30	U.S. Britain U.S. Britain U.S. U.S.	9½ 7 9 6½ 9	Britian U.S. Britain U.S. Britain Britain	2½ 5 3 5½ 3 4
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1947 1949 1951 1953	Portland Golf Club, Portland, Oregon Ganton Golf Course, Scarborough, England Pinehurst Country Club, Pinehurst, N.C. Wentworth, England	Nov. 1-2 Sept. 16-17 Nov. 2-4 Oct. 2-3	U.S. U.S. U.S. U.S.	11 7 9½ 6½	Britain Britain Britain Britain	1 5 2½ 5½
1955 1957	Thunderbird Ranch and Country Club, Palm Springs, Calif. Lindrick Golf Club, Yorkshire, England	Nov.5-6 Oct. 4-5	U.S. Britain	8 7½	Britain U.S.	4 4½ 3½
1959 1961	Eldorado Country Club, Palm Desert, Calif. Royal Lytham and St. Anne's Golf Club,	Nov. 6-7	U.S.	81/2	Britain	91/2
1963 1965	St. Anne's-On-The-Sea, England East Lake Country Club, Atlanta, Georgia Royal Birkdale Golf Club, Southport, England	Oct. 13-14 Oct. 11-13 Oct. 7-9	U.S. U.S.	14½ 23 19½	Britain Britain Britain Britain	9 12½ 8½
1967 1969 1971 1973 1975	Champions Golf Club, Houston Royal Birkdale Golf Club, Southport, England Old Warson Country Club, St. Louis, Mo. Muirfield, Scotland Laurel Valley Golf Club, Ligonier, Pa.	Oct. 20-22 Sept. 18-20 Sept. 16-18 Sept. 20-22 Sept 19-21	U.S. U.S. U.S. U.S.	23½ 16-Tie 18½ 18 21		16 13½ 13 11

RECAPITULATION: 21 Events — U.S. 17 wins — Great Britain 3 wins — Ties 1.

## Ryder Cup Matches (cont'd.)

#### FRIDAY

Foursomes (Alternate Shots)

Jack Nicklaus-Tom Weiskopf, USA, defeated Brian Barnes-Bernard Gallacher, GBI, 5 and 4. Hale Irwin-Gene Littler, USA, defeated Norman Wood-Maurice Bembridge, GBI, 5 and 3. Al Geiberger-Johnny Miller, USA, defeated Tony Jacklin-Peter Oosterhuis, GBI, 3 and 1. J. C. Snead-Lee Trevino, USA, defeated Tommy Horton-John O'Leary, GBI, 2 and 1.

POINTS: United States 4, Great Britain-Ireland 0.

Four-Ball (Better Ball)

Jacklin-Oosterhuis, GBI, defeated Billy Casper-Ray Floyd, USA, 2 and 1. Weiskopf-Lou Graham, USA, defeated Eamonn Darcy-Christy O'Connor, Jr., GBI, 3 and 2.

Nicklaus-Bob Murphy, USA, halved with Barnes-Gallacher, GBI.

Irwin-Trevino, USA, defeated Horton-O'Leary, GBI 1 and 1

TOTAL POINTS: United States 61/2, Great Britain-Ireland 11/2.

#### SATURDAY

Foursomes (Alternates Shots)

Jacklin-Brian Huggett, GBI, defeated Trevino-Murphy, USA, 3 and 2.

Miller-Weiskopf, USA, defeated O'Connor Jr .-O'Leary, GBI, 5 and 3.

Casper-Irwin, USA, defeated Bembridge-Oosterhuis, GBI, 3 and 2.

Geiberger-Graham, USA, defeated Darcy-Hunt, GBI, 3 and 2.

TOTAL POINTS: United States 121/2, Great Britain-Ireland 31/2

Four-Ball (Better Ball)

Casper-Miller, USA, halved with Jacklin-Oosterhuis, GBI.

Nicklaus-Snead, USA, defeated Horton-Wood, GBI, 4 and 2.

Geiberger-Floyd, USA, halved with Darcy-Guy Hunt, GBI.

Graham-Littler, USA, defeated Barnes-

Gallacher, GBI, 5 and 3.
TOTAL POINTS: United States 9½, Great Britain-Ireland 21/2

#### SUNDAY

**Morning Singles** 

Murphy, USA, defeated Jacklin, GBI, 2 and 1. Oosterhuis, GBI, defeated Miller, USA, 2 up. Trevino, USA, halved with Gallacher, GBI. Irwin, USA, halved with Horton, GBI. Littler, USA, defeated Huggett, GBI, 4 and 2. Casper, USA, defeated Darcy, GBI, 3 and 2. Weiskopf, USA, defeated Hunt, GBI, 5 and 3. Barnes, GBI, defeated Nicklaus, USA, 4 and 2. TOTAL POINTS: United States 171/2, Great Britain-Ireland 61/2

#### Afternoon Singles

Floyd, USA, defeated Jacklin, GBI, one up. Oosterhuis, GBI, defeated Snead, 3 and 2. Geiberger, USA, halved with Gallacher, GBI. Horton, GBI, defeated Graham, USA, 2 and 1. Irwin, USA, defeated O'Leary, GBI, 2 and 1. Murphy, USA, defeated Bembridge, GBI, 2 and

Wood, GBI, defeated Trevino, USA, 2 and 1. Barnes, GBI, defeated Nicklaus, USA, 2 and 1. FINAL TOTAL POINTS: United States 21, Great Britain-Ireland 11

### THE 1977 RYDER CUP

The 1977 Matches will be hosted by Great Britain-Ireland.

Points for the United States team will be awarded to eligible players starting early in July, 1976, and continue through the end of June, 1977.

Points are awarded to the first 10 positions in each tournament during that period on the following basis: PGA Championship, 1-115, 2-70, 3-45, 4-35, 5-30, 6-25, 7-20, 8-15, 9-10, 10-10. For all other events: 1-70, 2-42, 3-28, 4-21, 5-18, 6-14, 7-11, 8-10, 9-8, 10-6. If a player who is not eligible finishes in one of those positions, NO points are awarded for that position.

## PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTION CHARTS

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		6,750		8,100	5		250
10		6,250	10	7,500	6		200
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		1,125	39	1,350	7		310
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53		587	53	705			
54		575	54	690			
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56		550	56	660			
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### THE VARDON TROPHY

The PGA Vardon Trophy, named in honor of the internationally famous British Golfer, Harry Vardon, was placed in competition among American professionals in 1937 as a successor to the Harry E. Radix Trophy, which, prior to that time, had been awarded annually to the professional having the finest tournament record in play in this country.

Today, the Vardon Trophy, a bronze colored plaque measuring 39" x 27" is awarded each year to the member of the PGA of America maintaining the finest playing average in those events cosponsored or so designated by the PGA in each such period. A minimum of 80 rounds in tournaments considered official by PGA is required to win.

#### THE VARDON TROPHY WINNERS

Year	Winner	Average	Year	Winner	Average
1937	Harry Cooper	500	1958	Bob Rosburg	70.11
1938	Sam Snead	520	1959	Art Wall	70.35
1939	Byron Nelson	473	1960	Billy Casper	69.950
	Ben Hogan	423	1961	Arnold Palmer	69.859
1940		494	1962	Arnold Palmer	70.271
1941	Ben Hogan	454	1963	Billy Casper	70.588
1942-	ti ad Weeld Wee II		1964	Arnold Palmer	70.010
1946-	No Award-World War II	69.90	1965	Billy Casper	70.856
1947	Jimmy Demaret	69.30	1966	Billy Casper	70.276
1948	Ben Hogan		1967	Arnold Palmer	70.188
1949	Sam Snead	69.37		Billy Casper	69.821
1950	Sam Snead	69.23	1968		70.344
1951	Lloyd Mangrum	70.05	1969	Dave Hill	70.642
1952	Jack Burke	70.54	1970	Lee Trevino	70.275
1953	Lloyd Mangrum	70.22	1971	Lee Trevino	
1954	E. J. Harrison	70.41	1972	Lee Trevino	70.891
1955	Sam Snead	69.86	1973	Bruce Crampton	70.576
1956	Cary Middlecoff	70.35	1974	Lee Trevino	70.5
1957	Dow Finsterwald	70.30	1975	Bruce Crampton	70.5

<sup>\*</sup>Point system used, 1937-'41.

### 1975 LEADERS FOR VARDON TROPHY

Pos.Player	Rounds	Average	Pos.Player	Rounds	Average
Bruce Crampton	84	70.5	6. Lee Trevino	98	71.1
2. Tom Watson	90	70.8	7. Charles Coody	92	71.2
3. Hale Irwin	82	70.8	8. Al Geiberger	86	71.2
John Mahaffey	83	70.9	<ol><li>Hubert Green</li></ol>	88	71.4
5. Gene Littler	84	71.0	<ol><li>Rod Funseth</li></ol>	84	71.5

## PGA PLAYER-OF-THE-YEAR AWARD

1948—Ben Hogan 1949—Sam Snead 1950—Ben Hogan 1951—Ben Hogan 1952—Julius Boros 1953—Ben Hogan 1954—Ed Furgol 1955—Doug Ford 1956—Jack Burke	1957—Dick Mayer 1958—Dow Finsterwald 1959—Art Wall 1960—Arnold Palmer 1961—Jerry Barber 1962—Arnold Palmer 1963—Julius Boros 1964—Ken Venturi 1965—Dave Marr 1966—Billy Casper	1967 — Jack Nicklaus 1968 — Not Awarded 1969 — Orville Moody 1970 — Billy Casper 1971 — Lee Trevino 1972 — Jack Nicklaus 1973 — Jack Nicklaus 1974 — Johnny Miller 1975 — Jack Nicklaus

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This award is made on the basis of playing record for the year, including such things as money winnings, Vardon Trophy scoring average, Ryder Cup points and an overall evaluation of playing achievements

In the past, selection of the PGA Player-of-the-Year has been made each year by a vote of the PGA membership and the individuals on the PGA national press list. Beginning in 1969 the Award was made by a vote of the PGA Executive Committee. The winner receives a plaque at the President's Dinner during the PGA Annual Meeting.