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Three PGA Directors, who are national officers of the PGA of America. Don Padgett is the PGA President; Cardi is Secretary and Black is Trea-

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### 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.



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# 1977 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

TV-Television Broadcasting

Network symbols mean event will be televised nationally: npany CBS—Columbia Broadcasting System NBC-ABC-American Broadcasting Company DT-Designated Tournament

NBC-National Broadcasting Company

2T-Second Tour Tournament

### WINTER TOUR

Began with the 1976 World Open through the 1977 Los Angeles Open

Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am	1	1976 Winner
Jan.	PHOENIX OPEN	Phoenix C.C.	\$200,000	Jan. 5	CBS	Bob Gilder
6-9	602/263-5208	7th St. & Thomas Rd.		\$10,000		
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13-16	602/297-2271	8300 North Club Dr.	200,000	\$7.500	NBC	Johnny Miller
		Tucson, AZ 85702				
Jan.	BING CROSBY	Pebble Beach Golf Links	200.000	Jan. 20-23	ABC	Ben Crenshaw
20-23	NATIONAL PRO-AM	Spyglass Hill G.C.		\$30,000		
	408/624-0663	Cypress Point Club				
Jan.	ANDY WILLIAMS SAN DIEGO OPEN	Torrey Pines G.C.	180,000	Jan. 26	CBS	CBS J.C. Snead
27-30	714/453-0380	Box 51		2@\$5,000		
		La Jolla, CA 92037		\$10,000		
Feb.	HAWAIIAN OPEN	Waialae C.C.	240,000	Feb. 2	ABC	Ben Crenshaw
3-6	808/734-2151	4997 Kahala Ave.		\$7,500		
		Honolulu, HI 96816				
Feb.	BOB HOPE DESERT CLASSIC	Bermuda Dunes C.C.	200,000	Feb. 9-12	NBC	Johnny Miller
9-13	La Quinta C.C. (Host Club)	Indian Wells C.C.		\$21,000		
	714/564-4151	Tamarisk C.C.				
Feb.	GLEN CAMPBELL LOS	Riviera C.C.	200.000	Feb. 16	ABC	Hale Irwin
17-20	ANGELES OPEN	1250 Capri		\$7.500		
	213/454-6591	Dacific Dalisadas CA 90979				

## SPRING TOUR

Begins with the Inverrary Classic through Atlantic Classic

Date	Tournament	Location	Drive Money	Dro. Am	V	1076 Winner
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Feb. 24-27	JACKIE GLEASON INVERRARY CLASSIC 305/733-7550	Inverrary G. & C.C. Lauderhill, FL 33313	250,000	Feb. 23 \$7,500	CBS	Hosted TPC

Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am	1	1976 Winner
Mar. 3-6	FLORIDA CITRUS OPEN 305/277-5121	Rio Pinar C.C. 8600 El Prado Drive	200,000	Mar. 2 \$7,500	NBC	Hale Irwin
Mar. 10-13	<b>DORAL-EASTERN OPEN</b> 305/592-2000	Orlando, FL 32007 Doral C.C. Blue Monster Course 4400 Northwest 87th Ave.	200,000	Mar. 9 \$7,500	CBS	Hubert Green
Mar. 17-20	TOURNAMENT PLAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP (DT)	Miami, FL 33166 Sawgrass 3947 Blvd. Center Dr. #103	300,000	Mar. 15 \$7,500	ABC	Jack Nicklaus
Mar. 24-27	904/285-2261 SEA PINES HERITAGE CLASSIC	Jacksonville, FL 32207 Harbour Town Golf Links Hilton Head Island, SC 29948	225,000	Mar. 23 \$7,500	CBS	Hubert Green
Mar. 31- Apr. 3	803/671-2446 GREATER GREENSBORO OPEN 919/674-0126	Forest Oaks C.C. 4600 Forest Oaks Dr. Greenshord NC 27406	235,000	Mar. 30 \$7,500	NBC	Al Geiberger
Apr. 7-10	THE MASTERS TOURNAMENT 404/733-4431	Augusta National G.C. Box 20806	To be Announced	None	CBS	Ray Floyd
Apr. 14-17	MONY TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS	La Costa G.C. Costa del Mar Road	225,000	None	ABC	Don January
Apr. 14-17	714/438-9111 <b>TALLAHASSEE OPEN</b> 904/385-5186	Killearn G. & C.C. Box 3459 Tallahasese El 32303	80,000	Apr. 13 \$5,000		Gary Koch
Apr. 21-24	PIRST NBC NEW ORLEANS OPEN	Lakewood C.C. 4801 General DeGaulle Dr. New Orleans 1 A 70114	175,000	Apr. 20 \$7,500		Larry Ziegier
Apr 28 May 1	HOUSTON OPEN 713/367-1100	Woodlands C.C. 2301 Millbend Dr. Conroe TX 77301	200,000	Apr. 27 \$10,000	NBC	Lee Elder
May 5-8	BYRON NELSON GOLF CLASSIC	Preston Trail G.C. 17201 Preston Trail Dr. Dallas TX 75240	200,000	May 4 2@ \$5,000 \$10,000	ABC	Mark Hayes
May 12-15	COLONIAL NATIONAL INVITATION	Colonial C.C. 3735 Country Club Cir.	200,000	May 11 \$7,500	CBS	Lee Trevino
May 19-22	MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT 614/889-9422	Murfrield Village G.C. Box 565 Dublin. OH 43017	225,000	May 17 \$7,500	CBS	Roger Maltbie

Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am	Δ	1976 Winner
May 26-29	ATLANTA GOLF CLASSIC 404/971-1200	Atlanta C.C. Rt. 3, Atlanta Country Club Rd Marietta, GA 30060	200,000	May 25 \$7,500		Hosted U.S. Open
		SUMMER TOUR				
Begins	Begins with Kemper Open through Colga	Open through Colgate Hall of Fame Classic				
Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am	7	1976 Winner
June 2-5	KEMPER OPEN 704/364-0914	Quail Hollow C.C. Box 17565 Charlotta MC 28211	\$250,000	June 1 \$7,500	CBS	Joe Inman
June 9-12	DANNY THOMAS MEMPHIS CLASSIC 901/388-5370	Colonial C.C. 2736 Countrywood Pkwy. Cordova, TN 38018	200,000	June 8 \$7,500		Gibby Gilbert
June 16-19	U.S. OPEN 918/583-1711	Southern Hills C.C. Box 7325 Tulsa, OK 74105	To be Announced	None	ABC	Jerry Pate
June 23-26	WESTERN OPEN 312/654-4454	Butter National G.C. Oak Brook, IL 60521	200,000	June 22 \$7 500	CBS	Al Geiberger
June 30- July 3	GREATER MILWAUKEE OPEN 414/425-7230	Tuckaway C.C. 6901 West Drexel Ave.	130,000	June 29 \$7,500		Dave Hill
July 7-10	ED MCMAHON QUAD CITIES OPEN	Oakwood C.C. Coal Valley, IL 61240	125,000	July 6 \$7,500		John Lister
July 14-17	PLEASANT VALLEY CLASSIC (DT) 617/865-4441	Pleasant Valley C.C. Armsby Road Suthon MA 01527	250,000	July 13 \$7,500	NBC	Bud Allin
July 21-24	CANADIAN OPEN 416/844-0516	Glen Abbey G.C. R.R. 2 Oakville, Ontario	225,000 (Canadian Funds)	None	CBS	Jerry Pate
July 28-31	IVB-PHILADELPHIA GOLF CLASSIC 215/247-0900	Whitemarsh Valley C.C. Box 297 (Germantown Pike & Thomas Rd.)	200,000	July 27 \$7,500		Tom Kite
Aug. 4-7	SAMMY DAVIS, JR. GREATER HARTFORD OPEN 203/529-3326	Larayette Hill, PA 19444 Wethersfield C.C. Wethersfield, CT 06109	210,000	Aug. 3 \$7,500	CBS	Rik Massengale

Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am	T	1976 Winner
Aug. 11-14	PGA CHAMPIONSHIP 408/624-0663	Pebble Beach Golf Links 17 Mile Drive Debble Beach CA 93953	To be Announced	None	ABC	Dave Stockton
Aug. 18-21	AMERICAN EXPRESS WESTCHESTER CLASSIC	Westchester C.C. Rye, NY 10580	300,000	Aug. 17 \$7,500	CBS	David Graham
Aug. 25-28	914/96/-6000 COLGATE HALL OF FAME CLASSIC 919/295-6181	Pinehurst C.C. Course No. 2 Pinehurst, NC 28374	250,000	Aug. 23-24 2@ \$7,500 \$15,000		Ray Floyd
Summer	Summer Tour ends with Colgate Hall of Fame Classic	ne Classic				
Date	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am	1	1976 Winner
Sept. 2-5	WORLD SERIES OF GOLF 216/644-8441	Firestone C.C. South Course 452 East Warner Rd. Akron. OH 44319	300,000	None	CBS	Jack Nicklaus
Sept. 1-4	BUICK OPEN 313/743-9440	Filnt Elks C.C. 7177 East Maple Ave. Grand Blanc, MI 48389 WINTER TOUR	100,000	Aug. 31 \$5,000		Ed Sabo
Begins	Begins with the B.C. Open through 1978. Date to be announced	ite to be announced				
Sept. 8-11 Sept. 15-17	B.C. OPEN 607/785-9849 RYDER CUP MATCHES	En-Joie G.C. Endicott, NY 13760 Royal Lytham & St. Annes Golf Club I ancashire England	\$200,000	Sept. 7 \$7,500		Bob Wynn
Sept. 22-25	OHIO KINGS ISLAND OPEN 513/398-9906	Jack Nicklaus Golf Center 3565 Kings Mill Road Mason, OH 45040	150,000	Sept. 21 \$7,500		Ben Crenshaw
Sept. 29 Oct. 2	Under Negotiation					
Oct. 6-9 Oct.	Under Negotiation SAN ANTONIO-TEXAS OPEN	TO BE ANNOUNCED	150,000	Oct. 12		Butch Baird
13-16	512/661-9041			000,78		

WALT DISNEY WORLD NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP 305/824-2200 SUN COAST MIXED	0ct. 20-23 0ct.	SOUTHERN OPEN 404/324-0411 PENSACOLA OPEN	Green Island C.C. Box 2056 Columbus, GA 31902 Pensacola C.C. 1500 Bavshore Dr	125,000 Under Negotiation	0ct. 19 \$7,500	
305/824-2200 Bardmoor C.C.	Nov. 3-6	WALT DISNEY WORLD NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP	Pensacola, FL 32507 Magnolia & Palm Courses Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830	200,000	Dec. 2 2@ \$5,000 \$10,000	
	Dec.	305/824-2200 SUN COAST MIXED	Bardmoor C.C.	Under Negotiation		

## SECOND TOUR

ate	Tournament	Location	Prize Money	Pro-Am
an.	LITTLE CROSBY PRO-AM	Irvine Coast C.C.		Jan. 21-23
1-22		Newport Beach, CA		\$10,000
pril	MAGNOLIA CLASSIC	Hattiesburg C.C.	35,000	April 6
-10		Hattiesburg, MS		\$2,500
June	CHILDREN'S MEMORIAL	Onwentsia Club		June 27
12	HOSPITAL PRO-AM	Lake Forest, IL		\$20,000

### LIST OF DESIGNATED PLAYERS **FOR 1977**

### Key to Eligibility

- 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 PGA Tour.
   The 30 leaders in TPD Official Money in the last calendar year.

AARON, Tommy
ALLIN. Bud(9)
BARBER, Miller(9)
BIES, Don
BURNS, George(9)
CASPER, Billy(7)
CRENSHAW, Ben
ELDER, Lee
FLOYD, Ray
GEIBERGER, AI
GILBERT, Gibby(9)
GILDER, Bob(9)
GRAHAM, David(8)
GRAHAM, Lou(3)
GREEN, Hubert
HAYES, Mark(9)
HILL, David
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JANUARY, Don(9)
KITE, Tom
LITTLER, Gene(7)
MALTBIE, Roger
MASSENGALE, Rik(9)
McGEE, Jerry(9)
MILLER, Johnny
MORLEY, Mike(9)
MURPHY, Bob(7)
NICKLAUS, Jack(1)
PATE, Jerry(3)
PLAYER, Gary(2)
SNEAD, J.C
STOCKTON, Dave(2)
TREVINO, Lee
WATSON, Tom(9)
WEISKOPF, Tom(7)



## BIOGRAPHIES OF TOURNAMENT PLAYERS

### **Tommy Aaron**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career earnings

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTHDATE: Feb. 22, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Gainesville, Ga.

RESIDENCE: Gainesville, Ga., plays out of Lanier Islands, Ga.

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: \$769,769 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1970 Atlanta. 1973 Masters.

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 196 - \$11,731,-42

1962-\$ 9.319.-58

1969-\$91,462.-13 1963-\$32,384.-13 1964-\$17,984.-43

1966-\$34,829.-16

1965-\$44,829.-16

1970-\$97,827.-18

1971-\$71,573.-30

1974-\$ 31,572.-84 1975-\$ 29,612.-77 1976-\$ 24,060.-91

1972-\$118,924.- 9

1973-\$ 63,517.-44

BEST 1976 FINISH: T-4-Southern Open

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

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

1967-\$38,075.-33

1968-\$75,159.-15

1973 Ryder Cup team.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

There were numerous positive signs for Tommy Aaron in 1976, although it was his poorest moneywon year in more than a decade. He collected \$24,060 which dropped him to 91st place.

The last three years have not been good ones for Tommy as compared to those in the stretch from the mid-1960s through 1973. The former Masters Champion started 1976 by missing the cut in seven of his first 10 tournaments.

He had missed the cut four straight weeks when he headed for the Masters Tournament and posted a 42nd place there. From that point on, Tommy cashed checks in 16 of his final 20 starts

His best finish was a tie for fourth in the Southern Open where he finished with rounds of 68 and 68. While that was the only top 10 finish he was able to register all year, his game was beginning to show positive signs of consistency.

Tommy entered 30 tournaments and made money in 18. He missed the cut 10 times and withdrew from another event. His stroke average was 72.5, but it was as high as 73.9 at the Masters. His low round was a 66 at the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open.

### PRIOR YEARS

Late in 1973, the same year Tommy Aaron won the precious Masters title in his native Georgia, he slid into an uncharacteristic scoring slump from which he has yet to recover.

In 1974 he failed to make the top 60 money list for the first time since he came on the Tour in 1961. He entered 32 events, missed the cut 11 times, finished in the top 10 only twice and earned barely \$31,-

However, in the Fall of 1974 there were encouraging signs when he survived 11 of 13 cuts, and starting out in 1975 he had to believe he was back in the groove. He was third at Phoenix and tied for seventh at Tucson the following week. But they were to be his only top-10 finishes the entire year. He wound up 1975 making money in only 14 of 33 events, and he earned less than \$30,000.

Throughout the 1960's, Aaron built a nagging reputation for runnerup finishes, but he ruined that image by beating Sam Snead in an 13-hole playoff for the Canadian Open title. The Canadian was not an official tour event that year, but Tommy always will regard it as a national championship.

If there were any critics remaining after that victory, Aaron erased them by winning the Atlanta Classic in 1970, beating back the challenges of only the finest, including Arnold Palmer, Gary Player, Tom Weiskopf and Jack Nicklaus, all pressuring within three strokes down the stretch.

Before turning pro in 1960, Aaron dominated amateur golf in Georgia and much of the South, winning the Georgia and Southeastern Amateur twice each and the Georgia Open three times.

### **Bud 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: \$465,982 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Greensboro, 1973 Florida Citrus Open. 1974 Doral, Byron Nelson. 1976

(TOTAL 5) Pleasant Valley Classic.

MONEY & POSITION: 1970-\$ 355.-349 1973-\$ 77,472.-33 1975-\$60,326.-33

1971-\$55,786.- 43 1974-\$137,950.- 9 1976-\$95,775.-26

1972-\$47,576.- 56

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Pleasant Valley. 3-Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-5-American Express

Westchester Classic. 6-Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-6-Quad Cities

Open. T-7-Bing Crosby National Pro-Am. T-10-B.C. Open.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Although Brian (Buddy) Allin had another successful year, it could have been even better if it were not for a nagging case of the flu.

Buddy won again as he captured the Pleasant Valley Classic in Sutton, Mass., by one stroke and seriously challenged in several others. His year was divided into three parts. He played well early in the year, but caught the flu during the Florida swing. Then he finished strong from mid-summer through early September.

"After I caught the flu," he said, "it wasn't until the Greater Milwaukee Open in early July that I got my strength back. During that time, I was having trouble walking 18 holes."

Buddy led through three rounds of the Bob Hope Desert Classic and finally finished third. He also led through two rounds at the B. C. Open, where he started with his best competitive round, an eight-under par 63.

Buddy played in 25 tournaments and earned money in 17. He missed the cut five times and had to withdraw from four more, all due to illness. He had seven top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 71.8. He had 18 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

The year 1975, Brian (Buddy) Allin's fifth full campaign on Tour, was steady competitively but certainly not satisfying for a man who had won three times in the previous two years. He did not put together the type of stunning performance of which he had proved he was capable, and his earnings dropped well below half that in 1974.

A product of the Pacific Northwest, Allin played his college golf at Brigham Young along with Johnny Miller and Mike Reasor, then spent 16 months in Vietnam as an artillery officer and earned four decorations. He came to the Tour through the 1970 Qualifying School with absolutely no fanfare.

Allin won as a rookie, sinking a 20-foot birdie putt from the fringe of the first playoff green to defeat Rod Funseth and Dave Eichelberger in the 1971 Greater Greensboro Open. Slightly built and quiet, he caused little commotion for almost another two years, when he won the 1973 Florida Citrus Open at 23-under, one of the finest scoring performances in Tour history.

In 1974 he won twice more, again in the first half of the year. He surprised even himself in 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."

Two months later he won by four shots in the Byron Nelson Classic in Dallas, following a courserecord 63 in the third round, which led to a tournament-record 269 total.

As in 1974, Allin missed only four cuts in 1975, this time in 29 events, but he finished in the top 10 in only five events.

### **George Archer**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Winner: Del Webb Sahara Invitational

HEIGHT: 6'5" WEIGHT: 185

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

Calif

RESIDENCE: Reno. Nev.

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

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, Fishing and Photography

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1964 JOINED TOUR: 1964

PLAYOFF RECORD: 4-3 CAREER EARNINGS: \$853,50=

TOUR VICTORIES: 1965 Lucky International. 1967 Greensboro. 1968 Pensacola, New Orleans, National T∋am (with Bobby Nichols). 1969 Masters, Crosby National. 1971 Williams San Diego, Hartford. 1972 Los Angeles, Greensboro. 1976 Del Webb (TOTAL 12)

Sahara Invitational.

1973-\$ 58.841.- 50 MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$ 14,867.-51 1969-\$102,707.-11

1965-\$ 29,197.-31 1970-\$ 63,607.-28 1974-\$ 18,794.-111 1975-\$ 9.777.-127 1966-\$ 44,572,-19 1971-\$147,769.- 4 1967-\$ 84,344.- 8 1972-\$145,027.- 3 1976-\$ 43.483- 63

196E-\$150.972.- 4

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1 - Del Webb Sahara Invitational. 4 - Quad Cities Open. T-5 - Pensacola Open.

Walt Disney National Team Championship.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

All year, George Archer kert telling everyone that his game was "getting better, getting better," yet there was nothing to indicate it was except for a fourth-place finish at the Quad Cities Open.

"My hand is getting stronger," he insisted, referring to his left hand that became nearly powerless as the result of a torn tendon in his left wrist that required surgery in the spring of 1975.

Going into the Sahara Invita ional, the 42nd tournament on the schedule, George had won \$8,062 for 147th place. Remember, \$4,700 of that came at Quad Cities.

On the Sahara-Nevada Country Club course, though, George put together his Archer game of old with rounds of 67, 66, 69 and 69 to win by two strokes over Dave Hill and Don January. "I really didn't expect to win this year," he said, 'but I knew my game was getting good enough to win next year.

He followed the victory with a tie for 17th in the San Antonio-Texas Open, tie for 12th in the Southern Open, and ties for fifth in the Pensacola Open and the Disney World Team Play event.

George earned \$43,483 in official money. He played in 32 tournaments, collected money in 12, missed the cut 16 times and withdrew from three others. He had four top 10 finishes and had a stroke average of 72.9.

### PRIOR YEARS

Since joining the tour 13 years ago, George Archer's yearly earnings in official tour purses suffered two startling plunges. He recovered from the first one in 1970 by cashing almost \$150,000 in checks each of the next two years, but 1973 began a three-year slide which resulted in less than \$10,000 earned in 1975, the low point in his career.

Most of his difficulties in 1975 can be attributed to physical ailments. He left the Tour for more than three months after the '75 Masters, for an operation on his wrist, and didn't return until the Pleasant Valley Classic in late July. He wound up the year making money in only seven of 21 appearances.

One of the tallest men to play the game professionally, and possessor of a legendary putting stroke, Archer began playing golf at age 12 around his native San Francisco, and by the time he turned pro 13 years later he had compiled an enviable amateur record. In 1963 alone he won the Trans-Mississippi Amateur, the Northern California Open and the San Francisco City Championship, reached the semifinals of the U.S. Amateur and was low amateur for the third straight year in the Lucky International

Two years later he won the Lucky International as a professional, the first of 11 victories on the PGA Tour through 1972. His most productive earnings year was 1968, when he topped \$150,000 and won three tour events, but nothing, in all likelihood, will surpass his achievements of the following year. He won the Crosby National Pro-Am and his only major championship, the 1969 Masters, when he won by a stroke from Billy Casper, George Knudson and Tom Weiskopf.

### **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); Scott (6/14/76)

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: \$133,956

TOUR VICTORIES: None.

MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$ 878.-311

1975-\$44,078.-57

1976-\$58,125-47

1974-\$30,873.- 77

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-3-Houston Open. T-5-Tallahassee Open, SDJ-Greater Hartford Open.

T-6-Del Webb Sahara Invitational. T-7-American Golf Classic. T-8-

Hawaiian Open, B.C. Open.

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

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Each year has been a little better for Wally Armstrong and he seems to be getting closer to the elusive first victory. As an example, he missed the cut 17 times in 34 events in 1975, but reduced that figure drastically last year, missing only seven times in 35 tournaments.

His brush with victory came in the Houston Open where he either held the lead by himself or shared it through the first three rounds. Because of rain problems, the final 36 holes were played on Sunday, and Wally was deadlocked with George Burns at the 54-hole break.

The best he could muster in the afternoon was an even-par 72 and that dropped him into a tie for third with Burns, as Lee Elder slipped in with a 69 and the victory.

Wally had a strong finish, and in his final 11 events, he was eighth or better four times. His best round of the year was a 64 recorded at the Sahara Invitational where he finished tied for sixth.

Wally entered 35 tournaments, missed the cut in seven. He had seven top 10 finishes, won \$58,125 for 47th place and compiled a stroke average of 71.8 and had 29 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

Wally Armstrong crashed into the top 60 money list at the end of his second full year on the PGA Tour, when in 1975 he earned money in exactly half of the 34 events he entered. Included were five finishes in the top 10, the best a second at Pensacola when back-to-back 66s left him two shots back of winner Jerry McGee.

Armstrong started golf at age 12 on a nine-hole course outside Indianapolis. His game progressed markedly in high school and he won his state scholastic title in 1963. Then he accepted a scholarship to the University of Florida, where he captained the Gators golf team in 1967.

After turning pro in 1970, Armstrong twice failed to qualify for the PGA Tour. But success in minitour events convinced him that he would someday make it to the big circuit, and in the fall of 1973 he earned his card.

His rookie year, 1974, was divided into two distinct segments. In the first five months, Armstrong made only one major cut and earned \$262.66 at Los Angeles. But for the remainder of the year he collected more than \$30,000 and finished the schedule very strongly, tieing for second at Las Vegas and for third in the San Antonio-Texas Open.

"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 caddle from the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic (late February 1974) until the Atlanta Classic in 1975."

### **Butch Baird**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'8" WEIGHT: 155

BIRTH DATE: July 20, 1936 BIRTHPLACE: Chicago, Illinois

RESIDENCE: Miami, Florida

FAMILY: Wife, Jackie. Jaynie (11/7/61). Julie (9/7/70). Briney

(5/11/72). Wanine (3/25/73).

COLLEGE: Lamar Tech GRADUATED: 1959

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Antique cars.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959 JOINED TOUR: 1959

CAREER EARNINGS: \$240,080 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1961 Waco Turner Open. 1965 National Team Play (with Gay Brewer). 1976 San

(Total 3) Antonio-Texas Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1959-\$---- 1965-\$ 9,210- 80 1971-\$ 3,963-182

 1960-\$ 2,767-79
 1966-\$ 7,792- 90
 1972-\$12,180-126

 1961-\$ 6,399-64
 1967-\$10,179- 91
 1973-\$31,686- 82

 1962-\$15,743-41
 1968-\$ 6,866-119
 1974-\$27,121- 90

 1963-\$ 3,303-98
 1969-\$20,824- 85
 1975-\$23,033- 92

 1964-\$ 4,827-95
 1970-\$ 3,922-176
 1976-\$58,192- 46

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-San Antonio-Texas Open, T-4-U.S. Open, T-7-Tournament Players

Championship.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Five victories on Caribbean Tour (1967 Bogota Open 1967 West End Open

in Bahamas, 1968 and 1969 Panama Open, 1969 Maracaibo Open). 1968

Texas PGA winner, 1974 Florida PGA winner.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Butch Baird only managed three top 10 finishes for the year, but he certainly picked them at the right time.

His first was a tie for seventh in the Tournament Players Championship. A final-round 67 gave him a tie for fourth in the United States Open in Atlanta, just three strokes behind winner Jerry Pate. He saved his best for October, as he won the San Antonio-Texas Open in sudden-death playoff over Miller Barber. Butch's birdie on the first extra hole did it.

His only other individual victory in 17 years on the Tour was in the 1961 Waco Turner Open in Oklahoma.

At San Antonio, Butch opened with 68-70-70, but found himself five strokes in back of Miller Barber. They were playing 36 holes on the final day because of rain problems earlier in the week. During the afternoon, Butch fashioned a seven-under par 65 that included a hole-in-one to catch Barber.

The \$25,000 first-place check gave him \$58,192 for the year and that is nearly \$27,000 more than he has ever won in a single season.

Butch played in 29 tournaments and cashed checks in 20. He missed the cut eight times and failed to qualify once. He compiled a stroke average of 72.0

### **PRIOR YEARS**

Butch Baird has been a member of the PGA Tour for 17 years, but for nearly half of that period, he suffered with a painful right shoulder which seriously hindered his play.

"It started along about 1966," he says, "and it stayed with me until about 1973. I played terrible in those years, and I'm not sure if it was because of the shoulder or if it was my bad swing that made the shoulder ache."

Prior to that, he had won twice, in the 1961 Waco Turner Open in Oklahoma, and paired with Gay Brewer in the 1965 National Team Play championship.

Butch started to play at age 15 through the encouragement of his father, a doctor and a one handicapper in Galveston, Tex. "One day he said to me if I'd pick up his golf balls on the practice range, he'd go out and pick up the practice balls I'd hit."

Butch discovered he enjoyed to practice and "I immediately took an interest in the game." Within a year Butch also was a one handicapper.

While at Lamar Tech, he decided he wanted to make the game his living, and during his senior year, he worked nights at an oil refinery. He earned about \$1,100 that year and used the money to get him started on the Tour in 1959.

### Miller Barber

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

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 210

BIRTHDATE: 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: \$1,111,544 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1964 Cajon. 1967 Oklahoma City. 1968 Byron Nelson. 1969 Kaiser. 1970 New (TOTAL: 9) 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

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BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Jacksonville Open, San Antonio-Texas Open. 3-Greater Greensboro

Open. 4-Kaiser International Open. T-5-Houston Open, American Express Westchester Classic. T-8-Colonial Invitational. T-10-American Golf

Classic

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 and 1971 Ryder Cup.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Miller Barber moved in with the select group of players who have won at least \$1 million during their Tour careers. His check for \$911.25 at the Tournament Players Championship made him the 10th player in history to reach the classic figure.

By year's end, he had moved into ninth place on the all-time list with \$1,101.544.

He was in position to win at least two or three times during the year but couldn't find the secret for going the distance. His closest was in the San Antonio-Texas Open where he lost in sudden death to Butch Baird.

Miller had the lead after three rounds, but his closing two-under par 70 and a 65 by Baird threw them into a tie at 15-under par 273. Baird birdied the first extra hole to deprive Barber of his 10th Tour triumph.

He also was in the lead in the late stages of the Houston Open, but his steady game developed a shaky stance in the closing stages and he tied for fifth.

Miller was one of the Tour's busiest players, competing in 34 events and cashing checks in 26. He had eight top 10 finishes and a stroke average of 71.4. He had 33 rounds in the sixties with a pair of 65s as his lowest.

### PRIOR YEARS

Although his streak of having won at least one tournament for eight successive years—matched by only Jack Nicklaus over the same stretch—was broken in 1975, there wasn't much wrong with Miller Barber's consistency. He made money in 26 of 33 tournaments, averaged 71½ strokes per round and easily finished among the top-60 money winners for the 13th straight year, as he approached his mid-40s.

In 1973, Barber lost playoffs to Jack Nicklaus in New Orleans and to Bert Greene in the L&M Open, but the year turned out to be the most memorable of his first 17 on Tour. In the first, half-million-dollar World Open, Barber won the record \$100,000 first prize at the end of 144 holes and totaled \$184,014 for the year.

Barber first tried the Tour in 1959 and continued to dabble in it while serving as a club pro at the Apawamis Club in Rye, N.Y. However, a number of club members convinced him to try the Tour fulltime and he proved their wisdom by earning a berth on the Ryder Cup teams of 1969 and 1971.

If anything rivaled the World Open victory in his logbook it was probably the 1971 Phoenix Open, when Barber shot 65-64-67-65—-261, 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

BIRTHDATE: 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: \$964,251 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 (TOTAL: 11)

of Champions, American Golf Classic. 1971 New Orleans

1962-\$ 270-217 1967-\$105.779.- 7 1972-\$56 188 - 40 MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$71.901.- 37 1963-\$17,938.- 46 1968-\$101,987,-12 1964-\$21,080.- 33 1965-\$40,378.- 21 1969-\$175.224.- 1 1974-\$55.837.- 48 1970-\$124.690.- 6 1975-\$22,433.- 96

1971-\$112,337.- 8

1976-\$12,654.-131

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-3-Pensacola Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 and 1971 Ryder Cup Team.

1966-\$66,041.- 9

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was late in the year and Frank Beard was on the practice tee. He enlisted the help of Phil Rodgers and Fred Marti as he searched for something that would work

They suggested a slight swing change that made Frank "stand taller on the swing through the ball. I used to dip," he explained.

The result was that Frank nearly won the Pensacola Open, and might have if his putter had worked a little better. "It was a drastic turnaround for me," he said, "because I really played much better than I have in a long time. In fact, I played really good.

He finished in a tie for third, three strokes behind winner Mark Hayes, winning \$7,375. During the rest of the year, he only won \$5,279, to finish with \$12,654 and in 131st place. Prior to Pensacola, his best finish had been a tie for 20th in the Greater Milwaukee Open.

Frank entered 36 tournaments and made money in 10. He missed 22 cuts, withdrew from two and was out of the money in two others. He compiled a stroke average of 74.1.

Although he dared not predict anything, Frank Beard must have hoped that his prolonged slump was ending. He held a three-shot lead over Tom Watson after three rounds of the 1975 U.S. Open at Medinah CC, outside Chicago.

The slide from leading money winner in 1969 had been gradual at first, then alarming as in 1972 he made only about half as much as the previous year. In 1973 he improved slightly, thanks largely to a \$23,200 check for losing a four-way playoff in the \$300,000 World Open, but 1974 found him sliding again, and into 1975.

The final day at Medinah in mid-June 1975 was a long one for Beard. He shot 78 and tied for third, only a stroke back of the playoff between Lou Graham and John Mahaffey. He had only one other top-10 finish all that year, a tie for ninth at Quad Cities, and earned money in only a third of the 36 tournaments he

Beard won 11 events in his first nine on the Tour, not counting the brief appearance in 1962. Twice he won the Tournament of Champions, and in five straight years beginning in 1967 he earned more than \$100,000

### **Don Bies**

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

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTH DATE: 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: \$442,591 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

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

(TOTAL: 1)

1972-\$54,452.-43 MONEY & POSITION: 1961-\$ 115.-226 1967-\$ 7,591.-102 1968-\$30,347.- 58 1973-\$40,511.-76 1962-\$ 561.-170 1974-\$70,519.-32 1963-\$ 999.-146 1969-\$33,340.- 58 1970-\$31,100.- 73 1975-\$69,968.-29 1964-\$ 526.-202 1965-\$2,122.-141 1971-\$22,771.- 93 1976-\$92,450-.28 1966-\$4,560.-111

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2—Andy Williams San Diego Open, Byron Nelson Golf Classic. 3—Memorial Tournament. T-10—Tournament of Champions.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Winner Washington State PGA five times.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

One day a fellow competitor described the quiet-and-unassuming Don Bies by saying, "You don't realize he is in the field until you see him collecting a big check on Sunday."

Don did that on several occasions this past year as he enjoyed his most rewarding financial year, earning nearly \$22,000 more than he ever has.

He cashed three big checks when he finished second by himself in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open and the Byron Nelson Classic. He also had a strong third-place finish in the Memorial Tournament.

He birdied five of his last 10 at San Diego to finish one stroke in back of J.C. Snead. Mark Hayes was a wire-to-wire winner in the Byron Nelson, but Don stayed close every day and finished two back.

Don played in 22 tournaments and earned money in 19. He had four top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 71.6. He had 19 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

Victory came late in his 15th year on Tour for Don Bies, a quiet man from the Pacific Northwest with an easy golf swing. "Now I've done it. I've won and I'll have this for the rest of my life," he said after winning the 1975 Sammy Davis Jr. Greater Hartford Open.

He shot four superb rounds of 65, 66, 67 and 69 for his 267 total, 17 under for 72 holes at Wethersfield CC, then defeated Hubert Green on the second hole of a playoff with an eight-foot birdie putt.

Although he first played the Tour in 1961, Bies had been devoting full effort to it only since 1968. For more than a decade after he turned pro in 1957, Bies was involved heavily in club work and he ventured out on Tour only occasionally. Two incidents in 1968 changed his career.

First, the Seattle Golf Club where he worked closed for several months for renovations and he decided to spend the free time on Tour. Next he finished fifth in the U.S. Open in Rochester and earned more than \$30,000 in only 15 tournaments, cracking the top 60 money list.

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

He played well enough to keep his exemption twice more in a five-year period, and his consistency made it necessary for him to qualify for only one tournament in all that time. In 1974 his earnings climbed over the \$70,000 level, largely as a result of a runnerup finish to Johnny Miller in the Westchester Classic, where his check for \$28,500 was easily the biggest of his career to that time.

Bies finished in the top 10 in three tournaments in 1974, and he had the same number of high finishes in 1975 when, in addition to winning at Hartford, he tied for sixth at Philadelphia and for ninth in the Bob Hope Desert Classic.

### **Woody Blackburn**

EXEMPT STATUS: Winner, Walt Disney World National Team

Play

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTHDATE: July 26, 1951 BIRTHPLACE: Pikeville, Ky.

RESIDENCE: Jacksonville, Florida

FAMILY: Wife, Brenda

COLLEGE: Univ. of Fla. GRADUATED: 1973, Public Relations

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Tennis, music

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1974 JOINED TOUR: June, 1976

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,859 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 Walt Disney World National Team Play (with Bill Kratzert).

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1976-\$1,859.-213

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Walt Disney World National Team Play (with Bill Kratzert). T-27-Ed

McMahon Quad Cities Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 Runner-up Florida State Amateur. 1973 All-South Eastern Con-

ference

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Woody Blackburn saved his best for last, and it earned him an exemption for all of 1977. He teamed with Bill Kratzert and they won the Walt Disney World National Team Play championship in a suddendeath playoff over veterans Gay Brewer and Bobby Nichols.

Woody and Bill joined the PGA Tour in June when they earned their playing privileges in the Tour's Qualifying School at North Myrtle Beach. Woody was the co-medalist. His first start was the Greater Milwaukee Open and he failed to survive the 36-hole cut.

Up until the Disney World event, the final one on the schedule, Woody had earned only \$1,859 in official money, with his best performance being a tie for 27 in the Quad Cities Open.

The week of Disney World, though, he told his partner that "I have this funny feeling. I think we are going to win."

Kratzert couldn't believe what he was hearing, but when they tied for the first-round lead with a 63, both thought maybe it was possible. They added a second-day 68 for a 131 and trailed by three. A third-day 63 put them at 22-under par 194 and again tied for the lead with Jerry McGee and Allen Miller. Their final-round 66 put them in the playoff and they won it on Kratzert's birdie at the third extra hole.

Woody entered 16 events, made money in six, missed the cut six times and did not qualify for four others. He compiled a stroke average of 73.4.

### PRIOR YEARS

It always has been a tough fight for Woody Blackburn to find his place in the game of golf, but his determination and his faith in his ability have always pulled him through.

For example, during his four years at the University of Florida, he was only able to give his best performances during his sophomore and senior years. A bad back sidelined him one year and a case of mononucleosis hindered him another. As it was, he was the third man on the strong team headed by Andy Bean and Gary Koch.

He had his heart set on playing on the PGA Tour, but he tried three times before he made it in June of 1976.

Tour veteran Dan Sikes has played a key role in Woody's career. "He has been very helpful," he says. "Our family belonged to the Brentwood Country Club in Jacksonville, and Dan would be there a lot when he was home from the Tour. Once in a while I'd caddy for him or shag balls for him. And, Dan was very instrumental in my going to the University of Florida. I can't say enough about his help."

Woody started to play the game when he was nine years old. As a youngster he played all sports, but in high school decided to concentrate on golf.

### **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 JOINED TOUR: 1965

CAREER EARNINGS: \$615.208 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

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-5-Greater Milwaukee Open. T-8-Byron Nelson Golf Classic

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

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Homero Blancas says he has been on a "two-year vacation," but he would like nothing better than to find an ending to it. His earnings dipped to \$21,621 and that is the lowest they have been during his 12 years on Tour.

Part of the problem has been his putting and his driving has not been as steady as he'd like. However, he adds, "Ever since I had an operation on my knee after the 1974 season, I've been in a slump. I created some bad habits and I haven't been able to shake them."

Homero's best effort came in the Greater Milwaukee Open as he tied for fifth. He was alone in second place after two rounds, but a closing 73 cost him dearly. His only other top 10 finish was a tie for eighth in the Byron Nelson Classic.

Homero played in 33 tournaments and missed the cut 13 times. He compiled a stroke average of 72.8.

### PRIOR YEARS

For the first time since he joined the PGA Tour in 1965, Homero Blancas was not among the top 60 money winners at the end of 1975. He earned a check in 16 of 33 tournaments and twice finished in the top 10—in the Quad Cities and at Hartford—but his official total purses of slightly more than \$22,000 left him in 97th place and with fewer dollars than in his rookie year.

That rookie year, in which he placed 38th on the money ladder, was highlighted by victory in the Mexican Open. Although it didn't count in his PGA statistics, the triumph was a signal that Blancas should be a contender on the American tour.

He won at Seattle the following year, the first of four tour victories. The year 1970 was probably his finest, because not only did he top \$100,000 in official earnings, but he beat Lee Trevino and Gene Littler by a stroke each to win the Colonial National.

He topped \$90,000 in both 1972 and 1973 after winning Phoenix and the Monsanto Open, in that order. While defending at Phoenix in 1973, Blancas shot 31-30-61, which stood up as low round of that year. Also in 1973 he won a place on the Ryder Cup team.

As an amateur Blancas attracted considerable attention before earning his degree at the University of Houston. Twice he was picked as an All-America and he scored a 55 on the 5,002-yard Premier course in Longview, Texas.

### **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: \$996,852 PLAYOFF RECORD: 4-5

TOUR VICTORIES: 1952 U.S. Open, "World" Championship. 1954 Ardmore, Carling. 1955 "World (TOTAL: 18) 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.

MONEY & POSITION: 1950-\$ 2,000.- 1959-\$ 18,004.-16 1968-\$148,310.-

BEST 1976 FINISH: T-31 - Dcral-Eastern Open.

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.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was a difficult year, physically, for Julius Boros. A variety of ailments kept him from reaching a milestone in the game, becoming one of the \$1 million-dollar winners.

He only needs \$3,148 to reach the coveted mark. He had planned on making it in 1976, but collected checks in only four tournaments. His best finish was a tie for 31st in the Doral-Eastern Open and he earned \$1,160.

He only had one round in the sixties and that came on the tough Colonial Country Club course in Fort Worth at the National Invitation Tournament. He had a third-round 66.

During the summer schedule, he tried to play in seven tournaments, but missed the cut in six, all due to problems with his hip and back.

He plans to keep playing as long as he is able. When asked about retiring, he said with a grin, "Retire

to what?. I already play golf and fish for a living.

Julius entered 16 tournaments and missed the cut in nine. He was forced to withdraw from another.

### PRIOR YEARS

It was in July, 1975, that Julius Boros had occasion to congratulate 51-year-old Art Wall on his victory at Milwaukee two weeks earlier. "You're bringing all us old guys back out, Art," Boros said. "In fact, I think I passed Ky Laffoon on the way here."

It was another two weeks after that when Julius, himself 55, came in for a measure of back-slapping, although he lost to Gene Littler on the first hole of a playoff in the Westchester Classic. In extreme heat at Westchester, Julius paced himself as always to remarkable rounds of 70, 66, 70, 65 for a 271 total, 17 under par, then bogeyed the first extra hole after flying the green with his approach.

One of the all-time gallery favorites, Boros turned his back on a career as an accountant in Connecticut at age 30 and headed out on the Tour in 1950. Two years later he won the U.S. Open at Northwood in Dallas and 11 years after that he won the same championship at The Country Club, Brookline.

His third major championship came in the 1968 PGA Championship in San Antonio, when he outlasted Palmer down to the wire to win in the regulation distance. Weeks later he won his 18th Tour event at Westchester. He has since won the PGA Senior championship.

### **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, Carol 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: \$752,743 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-6

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-\$ 2,06572	1963-\$19,81839	1970-\$25,420,-83
	1957-\$ 3,81552	1964-\$27,72119	1971-\$55,44444
	1958-\$ 7,77044	1965-\$28,12538	1972-\$84,31224
	1959-\$ 5,93156	1966-\$75,687 5	1973-\$93,50221
	1960-\$11,88433	1967-\$78,548 9	1974-\$41,65266
	1961-\$31,149 7	1968-\$32,48051	1975-\$23,49889
	1962-\$24,11222	1969-\$64,31628	1976-\$40,655-68

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2—Walt Disney National Team Championship with Bobby Nichols. T-11—

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 and 1968 Alcan winner. 1967 and 1971 Ryder Cup team. 1972 Taiheiyo Masters (Japan). 1949 U.S. Junior.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was a satisfying year in many ways for the hard-working Gay Brewer, but it had its disappointments, too. The saddest moments were saved for the year's closing event, the Walt Disney World National Team Play Championship.

Gay was with his longtime close friend, Bobby Nichols. They had a one-stroke lead with one to play, but Bobby hit his tee shot deep into the woods on the left and Gay went on to bogey the hole, missing the winning putt from six feet. In the playoff against Woody Blackburn and Bill Kratzert, they lost to a birdie on the third extra hole, but Gay missed again from in close with the putt that would have kept the playoff alive.

On the positive side, Gay played consistently, earning checks in four figures in 15 tournaments. It helped to give him \$40,655 for the year and 68th place on the money list. Counting his Disney earnings, which are listed as unofficial, he totaled \$56,495.

Gay played in 33 tournaments, the most he has in several years, and earned money in 26. He compiled a stroke average of 71.8 and had seven 66s.

### PRIOR YEARS

As he was approaching his mid-40s and in his 20th year on the Tour, Gay Brewer came within an eyelash of winning his 12th Tour event. He was five-under at 275 at the Royal Montreal Golf Club but, after three-putting from just off the 13th green, he missed playing off with Tom Weiskopf and Jack Nicklaus by the single stroke for the 1975 Canadian Open title.

Otherwise, it was a year he would just as soon forget. His putting stroke deserted him and he earned money in only 11 of 26 events, and he totaled the least amount of money since 1963.

Each April, Brewer must go to Augusta, Ga., with mixed feelings. It was at the Masters in 1967, a year after he bogeyed the final hole to fall into a playoff with Nicklaus and Tommy Jacobs and lose the playoff, that he rallied to beat back companion Bobby Nichols and win his only major championship by a stroke.

But in 1972, on the eve of the Masters, Gay was hospitalized with bleeding ulcers which almost took his life. Also in 1972, he later won the \$300,000 Taiheiyo Club Masters in Japan defeating David Graham in a playoff for the \$65,000 first prize. That check was not much larger than two earlier payoffs on foreign soil, \$55,000 in both 1967 and 1968 for winning the Alcan tournaments in Great Britain.

Brewer's official Tour earnings reached a high of \$93,502 in 1973, although he didn't win a tournament, tying for second twice and placing in the top 10 on seven other occasions. But his 1974 earnings were less than half that as he placed in the top 10 only three times.

### George Burns, III

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List.

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 210

BIRTH DATE: July 29, 1949 BIRTHPLACE: Brooklyn, N.Y.

RESIDENCE: Quail Ridge, Delray Beach, Florida

FAMILY: Wife, Irene. Kelly Ann (4/2/76)

COLLEGE: Univ. of Maryland GRADUATED: 1972 BS in Phys.

Ed & Rec.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Traveling, reading.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1975 JOINED TOUR: Fall of 1975

CAREER EARNINGS: \$92,077

TOUR VICTORIES: None.

MONEY & POSITION:

1975-\$ 6,344-154 1976-\$85,732- 30

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 3-World Open. T-3-Houston, Crosby. T-4-Greensboro. T-6-Pleasant

Valley, Sahara. T-7-Western.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 Canadian Amateur winner. 1974 Winner of Porter Cup, North-South

Amateur, New York State Amateur. Member 1975 Walker Cup and World Amateur Cup teams. As professional, won 1975 Scandinavian and Kerry-

gold (Ireland) tournaments.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

When George Burns joined the PGA Tour for the start of 1976, he did so with impressive credentials. He was the runner-up to Jerry Pate in the Qualifying School in the fall of 1975, and his followers knew he would do well.

George didn't disappoint them. He earned \$85,732 to place 30th on the money list and among the first-year players, only Pate and Bob Gilder posted better records.

He finished third three times —in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Amateur, the Houston Open and the World Open.

At Houston, he was in the lead late in the afternoon only to have a balky putter cost him a chance at victory. At Pinehurst for the World Open, he was tied for the lead after the first round, but had it to himself after the second and third rounds.

He said of his chances that "I've been in position to win before, but I think I started to count the money too early."

Whatever the reason at Pinehurst No. 2, George had a final 73 to finish one stroke out of the playoff between Ray Floyd and Jerry McGee.

George entered 33 tournaments and cashed checks in 21. He had eight top 10 finishes. He had two 65s, one of them giving him the first-round lead in the Canadian Open. His stroke average was 71.4.

### PRIOR YEARS

When George Burns was in high school, he was too busy playing all sports to concentrate on golf. He lettered in football and basketball and then went to the University of Maryland, mainly to play football. He was a defensive end at Maryland, but says, "I realized I wasn't going to go anywhere in football,"

so he turned to golf.

His game didn't start to develop until after he was graduated in 1972. He worked for two years in New York City in sales and promotion, but more important, he had a chance to play frequently.

Big and strong, his game developed quickly and his first important victory was in the 1973 Canadian Amateur. The next year, he won three significant tournaments and in 1975 was the low Amateur in the Masters.

Those performances led to his being named to the 1975 United States Walker Cup and World Cup Amateur teams. "Playing for my country on those teams," he says, "always will be among the biggest enjoyments I've had in sports."

### **Billy Casper**

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

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 200

BIRTHDATE: June 24, 1931 BIRTHPLACE: San Diego, Calif

RESIDENCE: Mapleton, Utah

(TOTAL: 51)

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.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1954 JOINED TOUR: 1955

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,629,538 PLAYOFF RECORD: 8-8

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. 1968 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: 1955-\$ 3,253.-58 1963-\$ 32,726.-11 1956-\$18,733.-12 1964-\$ 90,653.- 3 1971-\$107,276.-10 1957-\$20,807.- 9 1965-\$ 99,931.- 3 1972-\$ 55,455.-41 1958-\$41,232.- 2 1966-\$121,944.- 1 1973-\$129,474.- 8 1959-\$33,899.- 4 1967-\$129,423.- 3 1974-\$ 66,175,-35 1960-\$31,060.- 4 1968-\$205,168.- 1 1975-\$102,275,-14 1961-\$37,766.- 4 1969-\$104,689.-10 1976-\$ 47,931,-59 1962-\$61,842.- 4

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-4-NBC New Orleans Open. 8-Masters. 9-Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-9-SDJ-Greater Hartford Open, Kaiser International. T-10-NBC Tucson Open.

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.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

You have to go all the way back to 1963 to find a year when Billy Casper won less than he did in 1976-\$47,931. Never in his brilliant 22-year Tour career has he finished as low as 59th on the money list as he did last year.

It also is interesting to note that he was 58th on the list in his rookie year of 1955-with only \$3,253

Billy's low round of the year was a 65 during the second round of the Bob Hope Desert Classic. He had a 29 on the back nine at El Dorado that day for his first sub-30 score on Tour. He went on to hold a one-stroke lead after four rounds, but a closing 74 dropped him to ninth place.

His best finish was a tie for fourth in the First NBC-New Orleans Open. He opened with a 67. His next best was an eighth place in the Masters, aided considerably by a closing 69.

Billy entered 23 tournaments and earned money in 17. He missed the cut five times and withdrew from another. His stroke average was 71.7.

In his 21st year on the Tour, 1975, Billy Casper regained the \$100,000 level in official earnings for eighth time in a 10-year stretch, which is quite an accomplishment for one who plays in less than two

After skipping three tournaments while wife, Shirley, was presenting him with their 10th child, Casper captured his 51st Tour event in the First NBC-New Orleans Open, scoring 17-under 271.

He also forced Jack Nicklaus into a playoff at the World Open before losing on the first extra hole. he tied for fifth in the PGA Championship, grabbed sixth alone in the Masters, placed in the top 10 in four other events and qualified for his eighth Ryder Cup team. He earned money in 16 of 19 tournaments.

### Jim Colbert

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

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTHDATE: 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: \$517,213 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 1970-\$49,212.-45 1974-\$96,734.-21

1969-\$43,693.- 41 1973-\$68,891.-38

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-4-Bob Hope Desert Classic, NBC New Orleans Open, Southern Open. T-7-

Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-9-Phoenix Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Member Tournament Policy Board.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Jim Colbert was a happy man at the conclusion of the Southern Open in Columbus, Ga. He had just tied for fourth and pocketed a check for \$4,637.

Going into the tournament, he was 60th on the money list. His showing at the Green Island Country Club was the boost he had to have to guarantee his position in the top 60.

The next week in the Pensacola Open, Jim tied for 11th to earn another \$2,375 and finish the year with \$52,722 for 55th place.

"It's a matter of pride," he said of the race for the top 60. "It's very important. No one on the Tour is going to hand you anything. You have to earn it yourself."

Not one to make excuses, it should be pointed out that Jim was hindered early in the summer with back problems.

Jim tied for fourth on two other occasions, in the Bob Hope Desert Classic and the First NBC-New Orleans Open. At the Hope, he closed with a brilliant 64 at Indian Wells that included an eight-under par 28 on the back nine. He had four birdies and two eagles.

Jim played in 32 tournaments, missed the cut in four, withdrew from one because of his back and finished out of the money in another. He compiled a stroke average of 71.4.

### PRIOR YEARS

Although the \$20,000 check didn't count in his official earnings for 1975, Jim Colbert won the last event on the '75 schedule, the Walt Disney World National Team Play Championship, partnered with Dean Refram, to extend his string of victory years to four. And his \$50,111, although barely half of his 1974 earnings, placed him among the top 60 money winners for the seventh year in a row.

Colbert joined the Tour two years after earning a degree in political science at Kansas State, which he had entered with a football scholarship. Although he had been an All-State football star, he also had won the Kansas State Junior golf championship at age 11, and golf was to be his career.

He placed second in the 1964 NCAA championship and, in his second year as a touring pro, he cracked the top-60 list of money winners. He slipped out of the select group in 1968, but the following year he won the Monsanto Open in Pensacola.

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 alone.

Colbert's best earnings year was easily 1974 when, a week after finishing fifth in the U.S. Open at Winged Foot, he entered the final round of the American Golf Classic trailing Forrest Fezler by three shots. A closing 70 at Firestone landed him in a four-way playoff, which he won on the second hole for a \$34,000 payoff.

### **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: \$748,841

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

(TOTAL: 3)

MONEY & POSITION: 1963-\$ 1,216.-139 1968-\$54,601.-32 1973-\$68,102.-39

 1964-\$10,058. 69
 1969-\$79,996. 1974-\$61,464.-42

 1965-\$18,608. 47
 1970-\$60,236. 1975-\$86,812. 

 1966-\$26,143. 33
 1971-\$94,947. 1976-\$85,587.

1967-\$60,787.- 16 1972-\$62,505.-37

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-3—Western Open. T-4—Hawaiian Open, Kemper Open. T-5—Masters. T-8—PGA Championship. T-9—Bing Crosby National Pro-Am, Kaiser International.

T-10-Houston Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Former member Tournament Policy Board. 1971 Ryder Cup Team. 1973

John Player Classic. 1971 World Series of Golf champion.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Charles Coody always has been known for his consistent play, nearly always in the money and collecting healthy checks. He followed that pattern in 1976, winning \$85,587. Only twice before during his 14-year career has he won more in a single season.

His best finish was a tie for third in the Western Open, but he also tied for fourth in the Hawaiian Open and the Kemper Open. He tied for fifth in the Masters Tournament.

One of his strongest showings came in the PGA Championship at Congressional Country Club in Washington. A third-round 67 in the rain-plagued event gave him a two-stroke lead, but he fell to a 77 the final afternoon to tie for eighth.

Charles played in 30 tournaments and missed the cut in four. He had 25 rounds in the sixties as he compiled a stroke average of 71.5.

### PRIOR YEARS

Charles Coody's second most profitable year, among his first 13 on the Tour, began slowly when he missed the cut in three of his first four efforts in 1975. Following the West Coast swing, the deliberate Texan tied for ninth at Inverrary and placed fourth in Orlando, and he was back in the groove.

A closing 65 on the difficult Harbour Town Links left him in third place in the Heritage Classic, a position he also won later at Atlanta. Although he again failed to win a tournament in 1975, Coody cashed checks in 21 of 28 events and easily stayed among the top 60 for the 11th year in succession.

Coody joined the Tour in 1963 after an enviable amateur career. He won 30 titles in his native Texas, including the State high school championship and various baubles while attending TCU. During a three-year hitch in the Air Force he qualified for the 1960 and '61 U.S. Open. After reaching the semifinals of the 1962 U.S. Amateur he was invited to play in his first Masters the following Spring.

The Masters provided Coody with perhaps his greatest moments in golf. He led the 1969 Masters by a stroke with three holes remaining but, after deciding to play defensively, he bogeyed in and finished fifth

Two years later, Coody closed with birdie-birdie-par-par for 279 and captured the major championship which had eluded him in 1969. That victory got him into the World Series of Golf in September, 1971, which he won.

He was winless on Tour for the next four years, but in 1973 he did win twice in Great Britain, the Wills Open in England and the John Player Classic in Turnberry, Scotland.

### **Bruce Crampton**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 180

BIRTH DATE: 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: \$1,373,494 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1961 Milwaukee. 1962 Motor City. 1964 Texas. 1965 Crosby, Colonial, '500' (TOTAL: 15) Festival. 1968 West End. 1969 Hawaiian. 1970 Westchester. 1971 Western.

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

Classic. 1975 Houston Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1957-\$ 1,551.- 1964-\$ 19,366.-40 1971-\$106,736.-11 1958-\$ 2,954.- 1965-\$ 56,024.-11 1972-\$111,010.-14

 1959-\$
 5,009.-63
 1966-\$
 22,537.-42
 1973-\$274,266.-2

 1960-\$
 4,302.-70
 1967-\$
 38,687.-31
 1974-\$131,356.-12

 1961-\$
 8,299.-57
 1968-\$101,095.-13
 1975-\$132,532.-10

 1962-\$31,231.-13
 1969-\$118,956.-5
 1976-\$50,094.-58

1963-\$32,018.-14 1970-\$142,609.- 3

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-3-Andy Williams San Diego Open, Tournament of Champions. T-7-Bing

Crosby National Pro-Am.

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

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

After eight straight years of winning at least \$100,000, Bruce Crampton only collected \$50,094 to finish 58th on the 1976 money list.

His most serious challenges came in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open and the Tournament of Champions, which also is played in the San Diego area at LaCosta. He tied for third in both. A tie for seventh in the Bing Crosby was his only other top 10 finish.

He found it difficult to concentrate as deeply as he has in the past and that was the cause of most of his playing problems. His final event of the year was the PGA Championship in mid-August, so he skipped the last 12 tournaments.

Bruce played in 25 events, missed the cut in four and withdrew from another, even though he had made the cut. His stroke average was 72.0 with 18 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

As he passed his 40th birthday in 1975 and completed his 19th year on Tour, Bruce Crampton enjoyed one of his finest campaigns. He won his 15th Tour event, he averaged 70.6 strokes per round to win the Vardon Trophy for the second time in three years, he was second in the PGA Championship to Jack Nicklaus—also for the second time in three years—and he earned more than \$100,000 for the eighth year in succession.

He achieved all this despite missing six weeks out of the rich early summer schedule because of a fracture of the ribs. But before Crampton had to withdraw from the Kemper Open he won the Houston Open at 15-under-par 273, encountering only five bogeys in the 72 holes.

That same tournament was his first on the U.S. Tour way back in 1957, when he came here from Australia four years after turning pro.

Easily his greatest year was 1973, when he won four tournaments, was second in five others, earned over \$270,000 to trail only Nicklaus in official purses, won the Vardon Trophy and became the fifth member of the Tour's million-dollar club for official earnings.

### **Ben Crenshaw**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 163

BIRTHDATE: Jan. 11, 1952 BIRTHPLACE: Austin, Texas

RESIDENCE: Austin, Texas

FAMILY: Wife Polly COLLEGE: U. of Texas

MONEY & POSITION:

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$464,486

TOUR VICTORIES: 1973 San Antonio-Texas Open. 1976 Bing Crosby National Pro-Am, Hawaiian

Open, Ohio Kings Island Open.

1973-\$76,749.-34 1974-\$71,065.-31

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Bing Crosby National Pro-Am, Hawaiian Open, Ohio Kings Island Open. 2-

Masters, Pleasant Valley Classic. T-2—American Express Westchester Classic. 4—Doral-Eastern Open. 5—Tournament of Champions, Byron Nelson Classic. 7—Jacksonville Open. T-7—Canadian Open. T-8—U.S. Open, PGA

1975-\$63,528.-32

Championship. T-9-Phoenix 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. Won 1976 Irish Open.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Ben Crenshaw's followers had been waiting for a year such as 1976. It was the year Ben became one of the game's brightest stars. He won three times, finished second three times, was in the top 10 14 times and collected \$257,759 for the runner-up position in the money chase.

Ben's first triumph was in the Bing Crosby as he came from three strokes in back of Jack Nicklaus to win by two. The next week, he came from three back again, this time overtaking Hale Irwin, to win by four.

His other triumph came in September when he edged Andy North to win the Ohio Kings Island Open near Cincinnati. His seconds came in the Masters, Pleasant Valley Classic and Westchester Classic.

His final bid for victory came in the Southern Open. He was one stroke off the third-round lead and needed a high finish to capture the money title. Instead, he had a final-round 78. With a big grin hiding the disappointment, he said, "I tried, but I'm just worn out."

Ben played in 30 tournaments, missed the cut in one and withdrew from another. He had 35 rounds in the sixties and compiled a stroke average of 71.0. His low round was a 65 in Hawaii

### PRIOR YEARS

The startling fact concerning Ben Crenshaw's first three years on Tour was that his first "year" included only nine events at the end of the 1973 schedule, yet it was his most productive of the three.

In his first appearance after winning his Approved Tournament Player's card, Ben won the San Antonio-Texas Open. Then he finished second in the \$500,000, 144-hole World Open in Pinehurst and wound up with more than \$76,000 in checks for those nine events.

Although he failed to win again during the following two years, Crenshaw placed slightly higher on the money ladder in both 1974 and 1975.

In 1974 he started quickly with a second place at Tucson, finished sixth at San Diego, tied for second at New Orleans and placed in the top 10 on three other occasions, in 26 events. In 1975, among 29 tournaments, he was third at Orlando and tied for third in the U.S. Open and the Pleasant Valley Classic as the high spots.

Ben finished only a stroke out of the playoff for the U.S. Open championship at Medinah, after his two iron tee shot on the 71st hole splashed into the water and caused a double-bogey five.

Crenshaw came to the Tour with a list of amateur achievements almost too long to list. Aside from winning three straight NCAA titles while at the University of Texas, sharing it in 1972 with fellow Longhorn Tom Kite, Ben averaged 69.9 strokes for 42 competitive rounds in 1973 and won the Western and Sunnehanna Amateurs that year. Also as an amateur, he tied for third in the 1972 Heritage Classic and for sixth in the 1973 Houston Open, and he played impressively in both the U.S. Open and Masters.

Ben won the 1973 Tour Qualifying School by 12 strokes, scoring 18 under par for 144 holes split between Perdido Bay in Pensacola and the Dunes Golf and Beach Club in Myrtle Beach.

### **Bruce Devlin**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 158

BIRTHDATE: 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); Kerrie (5/22/62);

Kurt (7/23/67)

COLLEGE: St. Patrick's College, Australia

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Horse racing, fishing, golf course

architectu-e

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1961 JOINED TOUR: 1962

CAREER EARNINGS: \$678,644 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-3

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

Houston, U.S.I.

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

1973-\$ 57,192.- 51 1968-\$ 39,719.-42 1963-\$ 5,337.-92 1969-\$ 77,963.-22 1974-\$ 37,636.- 70 1964-\$32,630.-16 1975-\$ 26,627.- 82 1970-\$112,738.-11 1965-\$67,657.- 6

1976-\$ 18,188.-109 1971-\$ 51,175.-48 1966-\$49,145.-16

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-10-Houston Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1959 Australian Amateur. 1960 Australian Open. 1969 and 1970 Australian

PGA. 970 Alcan. 1970 World Cup (with David Graham) for Australia, team

champions, 1963 French Open, 1963 New Zealand Open.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was a most unusual year for Bruce Devlin, as he never was in contention for a title. He did cut down on his schedule and played in 22 cournaments.

His best finish was a tie for 1Cth in the Houston Open and his next was a tie for 19th in the Masters. Most of his play was centered on the first half of the year and he did develop a certain amount of consistency. After the U.S. Open in June, he only played eight times, and missed the cut in five of those events.

He joined the telecast team fcr NBC, and served as one of the analysts, following a specific group. Bruce played in 22 tournaments and missed the cut nine times. He compiled a stroke average of

### PRIOR YEARS

Two years after joining the PGA Tour following the 1962 Masters, Bruce Devlin spent some time on the practice tee with Jack Nicklaus preceding the St. Petersburg Open. Whatever it was the stringbean Australian gained from Nicklaus that day, he put it to immediate use by winning the tournament.

Devlin won nine times in his first 14 years on Tour, the most productive of which was 1972. Although heavily involved with partner Bob Von Hagge in course design, he won the 1972 Houston Open and the USI Classic, lost a playoff to countryman David Graham at Cleveland, was fifth in the Masters and finished in the top 10 in three other events.

After earning almost \$120,000 and placing eighth on the money list in 1972, Devlin declined steadily in performance the next three years. He placed in the top 10 only twice in both 1974 and 1975, earning less than \$30,000 officially in the latter year when his performance was the worst since he suffered leg problems in 1967

Bruce played in 24 tournaments in 1975 and made money in only 16. His highest finish was a tie for fifth at Orlando.

# **Terry Diehl**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List.

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 185

BIRTHDATE: Nov. 9, 1949 BIRTHPLACE: Rochester, N.Y.

RESIDENCE: Rochester, N.Y.

FAMILY: Wife, Marci. Matthew (5/4/70). John (8/20/73)

COLLEGE: University of Georgia

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Racquetball.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1972 JOINED TOUR: Fall of 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$113,156 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 San Antonio-Texas Open.

(Total 1)

MONEY & POSITION:

1974-\$32,805-80

1975-\$30,691-75

1976-\$55,553-50

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-IVB-Philadelphia Classic (lost playoff to Tom Kite). T-3-B.C. Open. T-8-

Kemper Open. T-9-Southern Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 New York State Amateur winner. 1969 Runner-up NCAA

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

When Terry Diehl was good in 1976 he usually was very good, indeed. Such was the case at the IVB-Bicentennial Open in Philadelphia, when he tied Tom Kite, only to lose on the fifth extra hole of their playoff.

He also had an excellent week at the B.C. Open in Endicott, N.Y., as he finished with rounds of 69 and 67 to tie for third. He had a tie for eighth in the Kemper Open and his closing 64 gave him a tie for ninth in the Southern Open.

Terry earned \$55,553 for his efforts to finish 50th on the money list. He earned \$22,800 of that at Philadelphia. Against Kite in the playoff, Terry missed the green with a seven iron on the fifth extra hole but it was his misfortune to have the ball come to rest on "hard-pan" making it nearly impossible for him to get the ball close to save par.

His pitch ran 25-feet past the cup and he two putted for a bogey.

Terry played in 32 tournaments, missed the cut in 12, failed to qualify in five and withdrew from another. He compiled a stroke average of 72.2.

### PRIOR YEARS

Terry Diehl never will experience anything in golf to equal his triumph in the 1974 San Antonio-Texas Open.

It was the final individual event of the year and Terry had only won \$1,900. He faced the loss of his playing card on the Tour. "I was so frustrated and depressed that I felt like skipping the tournament," he said. It was his rookie year, and had failed to qualify 17 times while finishing only once better than 54th.

He qualified that week, though, with a 73, and then posted scores of 68, 65, 65 and 71 for a 19-under 269 to collect \$25,000. It was the second lowest score of the year.

Terry's earnings dropped slightly in 1975 but his overall play was steadier and he was pleased with that aspect of his game.

He started in golf at age 12 and, by the time he was 16, his game was good enough for his father to tell him, "If I were you, I'd start hitting a lot of golf balls and forget about some of the other sports." He became one of New York State's better amateurs, winning six State or city junior tournaments and in 1969, won the State Amateur championship. He attended the University of Georgia as a pre-med student, and in 1969, tied for second in the NCAA championship.

Terry turned professional in 1972 and applied for the PGA Tour Qualifying School in 1973. He obtained his card in the fall school of that year.

# **Dale Douglass**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

**HEIGHT**: 6'2" WEIGHT: 160

BIRTH DATE: March 5, 1936 BIRTHPLACE: Wewoka,

RESIDENCE: Boulder, Colorado

FAMILY: Wife; Joyce Lebsock

COLLEGE: Colorado U. GRADUATED: 1959

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960 JOINED TOUR: 1963

CAREER EARNINGS: \$474,725 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-3

TOUR VICTORIES: 1969 Azalea, Kemper. 1970 Phoenix

(TOTAL: 3)

1973-\$ 9,251.-157 1968-\$57,744.-31 MONEY & POSITION: 1963-\$ 938.-150 1969-\$91,553.-12 1974-\$50,663.- 56 1964-\$ 2,708.-122 1965-\$ 9,598.- 78 1970-\$77,169.-23

1966-\$16,972.- 59 1971-\$76,070.-25 1967-\$18,625.- 62 1972-\$33,145.-74 1975-\$34,583.- 68 1976-\$17,010.-116

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-9-Jacksonville Open.

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

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

When Dale Douglass left the Pensacola Open after missing the 36-hole cut, he was shaking his head, wondering what was in store for him.

He started 1976 reasonably well, winning nearly \$14,000 through the first 11 tournaments. He had just tied for ninth in the Greater Jacksonville Open and the outlook for the year seemed bright.

He played in 24 more tournaments, though, and only finished six, earning a little over \$3,000 in that stretch. In his last nine starts, he was unable to finish any of them, missing the cut in eight.

Dale put together two good tournaments early in the year on the swing along the West Coast, as he tied for 15th in the Bob Hope Desert Classic, thanks to a final-round 65; and a tie for 12th in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open, closing with a 68.

He played in 35 tournaments and missed the cut 22 times. His stroke average was 73.3.

### PRIOR YEARS

Dale Douglass recovered from a disastrous earnings performance in 1973 by nudging into the top 60 the following year, but in 1975 slipped back out of the charmed circle to 68th place despite an encouraging start on the schedule.

Douglass placed in the top 10 in three straight events in Feburary-at Hawaii, San Diego and Los Angeles - but he never again reached that level in 1975, although earning money in 24 of 31 tournaments.

A native of Wewoka, Okla., Douglass polished his game at the University of Colorado and turned pro a year after graduating in 1959. The backing of a group of Denver businessmen led him to try the Tour in 1963, and three years later he squeezed into the top 60. He fell out in 1967, barely, but followed with four straight years on the exemption list, while winning three tournaments.

Quiet with a wry sense of humor, Douglass says he differs from Mr. Average Guy only because of the

two "s's" at the end of his last name.

## Lee Elder

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'8" WEIGHT: 175

BIRTH DATE: July 14, 1934 BIRTHPLACE: Dallas, Texas

RESIDENCE: Washington, D.C.

FAMILY: Wife, Rose.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Football and tennis.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959. JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$505,393 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Monsanto. 1976 Houston Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$ 31.691.-54 1971-\$ 49,933.-49 1972-\$ 70,401.-32 1974-\$ 71,986.-30

1969-\$ 53.679-38 1975-\$ 26,809.-81 1970-\$ 20 734 -93 1973-\$ 84,730.-30 1976-\$113,263.-21

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Houston Open. 2-Pensacola Open. T-3-Pleasant Valley. T-4-NBC New

Orleans Open. 6-Tournament Players Championship. T-7-Bob Hope Desert

Classic 8-Greater Jacksonville Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Nigerian Open champion

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Lee Elder reached two significant goals in 1976. He won again, capturing the Houston Open, and he passed the \$100,000 mark in earnings for the year.

The victory in the rain-interrupted Houston tournament came as a mild surprise. Because of an earlier rainout, it was necessary to play the final two rounds on Sunday. Lee was six strokes in back of the leader at that point.

He put a five-under par 67 on the board in the morning and moved to within one stroke of the lead at the lunch break. While the leaders were going off the first tee in the afternoon, Lee was off the tenth, and he completed his final round with a 69 for a 10-under par 278.

He wanted to catch a flight home, but was persuaded to stay for the finish, "just in case." He waited in the clubhouse for about an hour-and-a-half as the leaders fired and fell back. His margin finally was by one stroke over Forrest Fezler

Lee reached the coveted \$100,000 mark in his last tournament, the Pensacola Open where he finished second to Mark Hayes, winning \$14,250 and giving him \$113,263 for the year and 21st place on the money list.

Lee entered 27 tournaments, missed the cut five times and withdrew once. He had seven top 10 finishes. He had 27 rounds in the sixties as he compiled a stroke average of 71.1.

## PRIOR YEARS

What he had envisioned as his most rewarding year on the Tour actually turned sour for Lee Elder in 1975. Victory in the 1974 Monsanto Open qualified him for an invitation to the Masters, but his becoming the first black ever to play in the Augusta, Ga., event made Elder a target for incessant interviews and other distractions which doubtless affected his peace and concentration.

Not only did Elder fail to make the cut in the 1975 Masters, scoring 72-78-150, but he wound up the year in 81st position on the money list with only three top-10 finishes, marking only the second time in his eight years on Tour that he missed the top 60 money list.

Elder qualified for the Tour in the Fall of 1967 and in his rookie year he served notice that he would be a factor for years to come. He tied Jack Nicklaus and Frank Beard at the end of the American Golf Classic and, after Beard dropped out on the first extra hole, he took Nicklaus to the fifth hole before losing the playoff to a birdie.

His earnings climbed in 1969, but in 1970 he finished 93rd on the money ladder. Elder followed that with four straight years among the top 60 earners.

At Pensacola in 1974, Elder made good. He beat Peter Oosterhuis with an 18-foot birdie putt to win the fourth playoff hole of the Monsanto.

## **Forrest Fezler**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'8" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTHDATE: Sept. 23, 1949. BIRTHPLACE: Hayward, Cal.

RESIDENCE: San Jose, Cal.

COLLEGE: San Jose City Col. GRADUATED: 1970

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Foo ball and all sports

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1969 JOINED TOUR: 1972

CAREER EARNINGS: \$332 603 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Southern Open

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1971-\$ 1,214,-263 1972-\$26,542.- 88

1973-\$106,390.-12 1974-\$ 90,066.-24 1975-\$52,157-43

1976-\$59,793-44

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Houston Open. T-2-Danny Thomas Memphis Classic

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Forrest Fezler was off to a slow start, but by the time the Tour moved into the month of May, he had his game in high gear. He only had won about \$6,000 through the first four months of the year and then posted a pair of second-place finishes in May at the Houston Open and the Danny Thomas-Memphis

A final-round 67 gave him the runner-up spot in Houston, just a stroke in back of Lee Elder. It was a 74 in the third round that huit his chances there.

Gibby Gilbert was in control in Memphis, but Forrest used strong middle rounds of 69 and 67 to gain

a tie for second, four strokes off the winning pace.

Those were his only top 10 finishes, but he finished the year with a flurry, making his final sever cuts and gaining a tie for 11th in the World Open after a 66 first round; and a tie for 13th in the Ohio Kings Island Open w th a 67-69 finish.

Forrest played in 31 tournaments and earned \$59,793, good for 44th place. He missed eight cuts and was forced to withdraw from another. His stroke average was 72.2 and he had 19 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

Two years after winning the California Amateur, Northern California Amateur and California Junior College championships—all in 1969—Forrest Fezler qualified to play the Tour in the Fall 1971 school, and two years later he was established.

Fezler passed the \$100 000 barrier in 1973, but he hadn't yet won a tournament. The game's super

stars were denying him victory.

In 1973 he was second to Lee Trevino at Inverrary, second to Tom Weiskopf in Canada and second to Gary Player in the Southern. The following year produced more of the same when he was runner-up to Hale Irwin in the 1974 U.S. Open and the following week tied for second in the American Golf Classic, dropping out of a four-way playoff on the first extra hole.

Fezler came to Columbus, Ga., in the fall of 1974 with a record of five seconds and three close thirds. But in the Southern Open he hung a closing 65 on the scoreboard and finally won by a stroke. "Winning, not the money, was the big thing. I had to get over that image of finishing second," he said.

The year 1975 began encouragingly when Fezler was in the top 10 four times in his first nire appearances. But, chiefly because of a wrist injury, they were to be his best showings the entire year.

# Ray Floyd

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1969 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 200

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

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

FAMILY: Wife, Maria; Raymond Jr. (9/20/74); Robert Loran

COLLEGE: U. of North Carolina

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1961 JOINED TOUR: 1963

CAREER EARNINGS: \$875,906 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1963 St. Petersburg Open. 1965 St. Paul Open. 1969 Jacksonville Open, Ameri-(TOTAL: 8) can Golf Classic, PGA Championship. 1975 Kemper Open. 1976 Masters, World

MONEY & POSITION: 1963-\$10.529.-58 1968-\$ 63,002.-24 1973-\$ 39,646.-77

1964-\$21,407.-30 1969-\$109,957.- 8 1974-\$119,385.-18 1970-\$ 47,632.-24 1965-\$36.692.-25 1975-\$103,627.-13 1966-\$29,712.-32 1971-\$ 70,607.-32 1976-\$178,318.- 7

1967-\$25,254.-47 1972-\$ 35,624.-70

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Masters, World Open. T-2-PGA Championship. 3-Byron Nelson Golf

Classic T-4-IVB-Bicentennial Golf Classic T-5-SDJ-Greater Hartford Open. T-7-American Golf Classic. 8-Tournament of Champions. T-9-

Jacksonville Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 and 1975 Ryder Cup team. 1960 National Jaycees Champion. Elected

Player Director on Policy Board in fall of 1975.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Ray Floyd had a brilliant year in 1976. He won twice and was in position to win on several other occasions as he established his position as one of the premier players on the Tour.

His performance in the Masters at the Augusta National Golf Club was one of the most memorable in the history of the tournament. He had rounds of 65-66-70-70 for a 17-under par 271. That equaled the lowest total ever posted at Augusta, and he also won by eight strokes.

His final event was the World Open at Pinehurst, and he won in a sudden-death playoff over Jerry McGee, with a birdie on the first extra hole.

He tied for second in the PGA Championship, just one stroke in back of the winner. He was third in the Byron Nelson Classic. He was tied for the lead after three rounds of the American Golf Classic, but a final-round 76 was costly. A closing 65 in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open gave him a tie for

Ray started the year by missing the cut at the NBC-Tucson Open, but his wife, Maria, was expecting, so he was anxious to get home, anyway. A son, Robert Loran, was born January 23, and Raymond did not return to the Tour until the Tournament Players Championship, the eighth event on the schedule

He played in 23 tournaments, had nine top 10 finishes and missed the cut only twice. He compiled a stroke average of 70.8 with 23 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

A native of Ft. Bragg, N.C., and son of an Army man who now is co-owner of the Cypress Lakes Club in Fayetteville, Raymond Floyd was exposed to golf at an early age but almost chose baseball for a career. After winning the National Jaycees Junior in 1960, his mind was made up.

He turned pro the following year, joined the Tour in 1963 and won the St. Petersburg Open as a rookie. He has placed out of the top 60 money winners only twice since, in 1972 and 1973, but he recovered smartly by earning more than \$100,000 in each of the next two years.

In 1974, Floyd finished in the top 10 on eight occasions and missed the cut only twice. Although 1975 was slightly less lucrative in dollars, it contained one ingredient that 1974 lacked: victory. He won his sixth Tour event, the Kemper Open by beating out Gary Player and John Mahaffey by three strokes, and also tied for second at Orlando while earning money in 20 of 27 appearances.

When asked about his resurgence, Floyd replied, "I've just begun to like to play golf. Some of this comes from maturity, but I've been applying myself and working hard. The game's enjoyable for me."

## **Rod Funseth**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

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 Idaho

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, photography

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1956 JOINED TOUR: 1961

CAREER EARNINGS: \$486,495 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

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

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1961-\$ 1,495.-114 1967-\$23,604.-51 1972-\$48,238.-52

1966-\$19,011.- 55

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-7-Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-8-Memorial Tournament.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

The final round proved costly to Rod Funseth through most of 1976. One exception was the Andy Williams-San Diego Open as he finished 69-67 to tie for seventh, his best.

His only other top 10 finish was a tie for eighth in the Memorial Tournament. He was close to the lead most of the way, but a closing 77 put him four strokes out of the playoff.

There were other examples, such as a last-round 75 in the U.S. Open to tie for 11th and a closing 74 at Tucson to finish tied for 13th.

Although Rod dropped out of the top 60 only the second time in the last eight years, he retains his exempt status because of his career earnings of \$486,495. He pocketed \$32,800 for 73d place in 1976.

Rod played in 29 tournaments and missed the cut in seven. His stroke average was 72.0 with a thirdround 66 at Tucson his lowest mark.

### PRIOR YEARS

In 1975, Rod Funseth recovered from a hand injury—which had forced him in 1974 to his lowest placing on the money-winning ladder in a dozen years—by jumping 40 places back into the top-60 list. Rod made the cut in 20 of 26 events in 1975, placing fourth at San Diego and tieing for fourth in the Byron Nelson for his best finishes.

Funseth turned pro in 1956 and came on the Tour five years later after working as an assistant pro at various clubs. It was another four years before he cracked the top-60 list, a position he was to maintain

nine times in an 11-year stretch.

He began that stretch principally because of victory in the 1965 Phoenix Open. He tied for third in the 1965 and '66 Canadian Opens, was second in the 1967 "500" Festival in Indianapolis and third 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. He finished in the top 10 four times in 1972, and the following year he captured his second Tour victory.

Funseth began 1973 by winning at Los Angeles and wound up the year with almost \$90,000. But in 1974, troubled by the hand injury, a tie for third in the Crosby was to be his lone top 10 finish, and he plunged to 89th on the money list.

# Al Geiberger

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime-1966 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 175

BIRTHDATE: 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);

Robby (10/11/63); Brent (5/22/68); Brian (9/28/76).

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

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Photography, tennis

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959 JOINED TOUR: 1960

CAREER EARNINGS: \$989,327 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1962 Caracas Open, Ontario Open. 1963 Almaden Open. 1965 American Golf

(TOTAL: 10) Classic. 1966 PGA Championship. 1874 Sahara. 1975 Tournament of Cham-

pions, Tournament Players Championship. 1976 Greater Greensboro Open, Western Open.

Western Ope

MONEY & POSITION:

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Greater Greensboro, Western Open. T-2-U.S. Open, Hartford Open. T-3-

Tournament of Champions. T-4—Hawaiian Open, San Antonio-Texas Open. 8—World Series of Golf. T-8—Florida Citrus Open, Danny Thomas Memphis

Classic

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

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

The way Al Geiberger seems to be improving with age, it is difficult to imagine what he might do in 1977. He recorded his finest year in 1976, winning \$194,821 for fifth place on the money list, won two tournaments and challenged in several others.

His first victory was in the Greater Greensboro Open and his middle rounds of 65-65 made the difference. He won again in the Western Open on the difficult Butler National course. His total of four-over par 288 was the highest of the year.

The week before the Western, Al finished with a 69 in the United States Open to tie for second, two strokes behind Jerry Pate. He also tied for second in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Har:ford Open with a closing 64.

It seems likely that AI will become the 13th player to win more than \$1 million on the Tour. His earnings now are at \$989,327.

All played in 26 tournaments and missed the cut in four. He had 10 top 10 finishes. His stroke average was 70.9, a half-stroke better than it was in 1975. He had 28 rounds in the sixties with the 64 at Hartford and another at Memphis his best.

### PRIOR YEARS

After winning the 1966 PGA Championship, and gaining lifetime exemption to play the Tour, Al Geiberger seemed to be resting on his oars through the next eight years. A succession of personal and physical problems, the latter sending him home to California for long periods, went practically unmentioned.

However, slightly more than eight years after his PGA triumph, Geiberger broke the long victory drought in 1974 when he won the Sahara Invitational by three strokes. He wound up with easily his greatest money-winning year since he joined the Tour in 1960 out of the University of Southern California.

The year 1975 proved that Geiberger was not content to win only occasionally. He won two of the Tour's most important events, the Tournament of Champions and the Tournament Players Championship, and almost doubled his earnings to more than \$175,000. He scored only three bogeys in the T of C at Fort Worth, the last coming on the 72nd hole and dropping him into a tie with Gary Player, whom he defeated on the first hole of the playoff with a nine-foot birdie putt.

1976-\$194,821.- 5

# **Gibby Gilbert**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 185

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

Tenn.

RESIDENCE: Chattanooga, Tenn.

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: \$443,123 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1970 Houston. 1976 Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic.

(TOTAL: 2)

 MONEY & POSITION:
 1968-\$ 1,752.-203
 1971-\$62,501.-35
 1974-\$69,992.-33

 1969-\$ 2,814.-197
 1972-\$34,144.-73
 1975-\$56,279.-38

 1970-\$65,618.- 27
 1973-\$60,636.-48
 1976-\$97,476.-25

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic, T-2-Kaiser International Open, T-3-

Sea Pines Heritage. T-4-NBC New Orleans Open. T-7-Greater Milwaukee

Open.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Gibby Gilbert says that when he won the 1970 Houston Champions International title, "I didn't consider myself a good player, but I believe I have become a good one in the last couple of years."

His record for 1976 tends to bear that out, as he won the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic by four strokes with a 15-under par score of 273. It was a third-round 66 that triggered the action.

He far surpassed his best previous year as he won \$97,476 for 25th place. He tied for second in the Kaiser International Open with the help of an opening 66 and a third-round 65; and tied for third in the

Heritage Classic.

Gibby started the year as the first-round leader in the NBC Tucson Open, posting a 66, but a final-round 77 was costly. There were other cases where strong finishes made the difference, such as the

68-69 at the Greater Milwaukee Open for a tie for seventh.

Gibby played n 31 tournaments, missed the cut three times and withdrew three times. He had five top 10 finishes. His stoke average was 71.6 with 23 rounds in the sixties. He had a low of 65 and two 66s.

## PRIOR YEARS

Gibby Gilbert was not favored with a first name at birth—C.L. Gilbert Jr. constituting his full handle—but he began to make a name for himself in golf when he took up the game at age 13 in his native Chattanooga, In 1962 he quit the University of Chattanooga, married and two years later became an assistant

pro in Hollywood, Fla.

Gilbert earned his card in the 1967 Qualifying School when he finished second to Bobby Cole. He struggled for two years before victory in the 1970 Houston Champions helped him place solidly among the top 60 money earners that year. In 1971 he recorded six straight birdies in the Westchester Classic and wound up the year again over the \$60,000 level. But he slipped badly in 1972 and by the following spring he was on the verge of giving up the Tour when his play improved remarkably.

Beginning with the American Golf Classic in June of 1973, Gilbert made the cut in 13 straight events, and once more he finished a year with more than \$60,000. A highlight of 1973 was a course-record 62 at the famed Pinehurst No. 2 during the World Open. It shattered the previous record by three strokes, but Tom Watson matched it a week later during the 144-hole tournament.

The year 1974 was better still as he earned almost \$70,000 and almost won his second tournament, the Heritage Classic, where he started 71-71-68 but wound up four back of Johnny Miller in second place.

In 1975 Gilbert played steadily again, if not quite as effectively, as he recorded seven top-10 finishes and earned money in 25 of 34 appearances.

## **Bob Gilder**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'91/2" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTHDATE: Dec. 31, 1950 BIRTHPLACE: Corvallis, Ore.

RESIDENCE: Corvallis, Ore.

FAMILY: Wife, Peggy; Bryan (3/24/75)

COLLEGE: Arizona State GRADUATED: 1973 (Bus. Ad.)

SPECIAL INTERESTS: All Sports

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: 1976

CAREER EARNINGS: \$102,176

TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 Phoenix Open

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1975-\$ 905.-224 1976-\$101,262.-24

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Phoenix Open. 2-B.C. Open. T-4-American Golf Classic. T-5-Colonial

Invitational. 9-IVB-Bicentennial Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1974 New Zealand Open; 1973, won Western Athletic Conference title.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Bob Gilder turned in one of the great performances by a first-year player. He won \$101,262 and is only the fourth rookie in the history of the Tour to pass the century mark.

Bob opened the year by missing the cut in the NBC-Tucson Open, but the next week in the Phoenix Open, he outdueled Lee Trevino and Roger Maltbie to win the title. He had rounds of 68-67-66-67 – 268 and a two-stroke margin over Maltbie.

During the third round, he was paired with Maltbie and Trevino and he gave them credit for helping to keep him calm. "Lee's good for a young player. He made me feel right at home and controlled the crowd."

Bob went on to prove that the victory was not a once-in-a-lifetime situation. He played well for most of the year. He had five top 10 finishes, one being a second place in the B.C. Open. He bogeyed the final hole there, otherwise he would have been in a playoff with Bob Wynn.

It was a tie for fourth in the American Golf Classic on the North course at Firestone that put Bob over the \$100,000 figure. Strangely, he played in five more individual events and survived the cut only in the Pensacola Open, where he tied for 44.

Bob entered 33 tournaments and missed the cut in 10. He compiled a stroke average of 72.6. He had 23 rounds in the sixties with a 65 at the B.C. Open his lowest.

### PRIOR YEARS

After graduating from Arizona State University in 1973 and turning pro the same year, Bob Gilder failed in three straight attempts to earn his card in the Tour Qualifying Schools, before he succeeded in November, 1975, at Walt Disney World.

After his first failure in the school, Gilder played in pro tournaments wherever he could, including a swing in Europe where, by his own admission, he played poorly.

"So, in 1974, I jumped down to New Zealand," he relates. "I played well in the National Open down there and ended tied with Bob Charles and Jack Newton after 72 holes. I won the playoff on the third extra hole, and that really gave my confidence a boost.

The following spring, Gilder missed qualifying for the Tour for the third time, but in November at Lake Buena Vista, Fla., he shot 71-72-72-69 for the first four rounds, and 73-74 for the last two rounds left him tied for eighth among 25 qualifiers.

# **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: \$632,107 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-1

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

Heritage. 1971 Bahamas.

1971-\$49,203.- 50 1964-\$11,174.-62 1957-\$ MONEY & POSITION:

1972-\$47,935.- 54 1965-\$23,977.-43 1958-\$11,052 - 31 1973-\$50,439.- 60 1966-\$49,515.-14 1959-\$24,413.- 11 1974-\$18,058.-115 1960-\$24,999.- 13 1967-\$77,107.-10 1975-\$ 9,039.-132 1961-\$30,919.- 8 1968-\$58,671.-28 1976-\$ 2,650.-200

1969-\$35,522.-53 1962-\$46,241.-1970-\$58,996.-30 1963-\$18,669.- 43

BEST 1976 FINISH: T-32-Greater Greensboro Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 963 Ryder Cup team.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Bob Goalby only made 13 appearances on the Tour in 1976 as he devoted much of his time to his duties at The Springs, a plush new country club in Palm Springs, Calif.

He plans to be out more often in 1977, though, and his career earnings of \$632,107 guarantee him an

exemption for the year.

Because of his infrequent appearances, it was difficult for him to hone his game to the competitive sharpness it once knew. His best finish was a tie for 32d in the Greater Greensboro Open. He collected checks in six of the 13 tournaments for a total of \$2,650.

### PRIOR YEARS

Bob Goalby stands as one of the fiercest competitors the Tour has ever known. During his 19 years on the Tour, he has won 11 times.

His first victory was in the 1958 Greater Greensboro Open, his first full year. His last was the 1971 Bahamas Open. The biggest triumph came in the 1968 Masters Tournament when he posted four rounds in the 60s for an 11-under par 277, that stands as the sixth lowest winning score in the history of the

He still shares an all-time Tour record of eight straight birdies. His came in the 1961 St. Petersburg Open, en route to his fourth Tour victory. The mark was tied in 1976 by Fuzzy Zoeller at the Quad Cities

For a period starting with 1958, he failed to make the top 60 for exemption only once. His best year, position-wise, was 1962 when he won twice and placed fifth.

As an example of his competitiveness, his last three victories-1969 Robinson Fall Classic, the 1970 Heritage Classic and "971 Bahamas Open, came near the end of the year. He knew what he had to do to make the year successful, and he did it.

Bob earned 11 varsity letters in athletics at Belleville (III.) High School. He turned down several major league baseball offers to accept a football scholarship to the University of Illinois. However, golf was his first choice, so he left college after a year in order to devote his time to it.

## **David Graham**

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

HEIGHT: 5'9" WEIGHT: 162

BIRTH DATE: May 23, 1946 BIRTHPLACE: Windson, Australia

RESIDENCE: Hollywood, Fla.

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

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, golf club designer

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1962 JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$386,098 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1972 Cleveland. 1976 Westchester, American Golf Classic

TOTAL: 3)

MONEY & POSITION: 1971-\$10,062.-135 1973-\$43,062.-71 19

1972-\$57,827.- 38

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-American Express Westchester Classic, American Golf Classic, 4-World

Series of Golf. T-4-PGA Championship. T-5-Bing Crosby Naticnal Pro-Am, Doral-Eastern Open. T-8-Byron Nelson Golf Classic. T-9-Tournament Play-

ers Championship, World Open.

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

World Cup Team for Australia—won Team Title with Bruce Cevlin. 1971 World Cup Team. 1975 Wills Masters winner. 1976 Chunichi Crowns Invita-

tional (Japan), Picadilly World Match Play.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

David Graham opened the year with a tie for fifth in the Bing Crosby National Pro-Am and that should have served as the indication that he was going to have a big year.

He has had a habit of starting slowly and playing better towards the end of the year, but he was firing birdies right from the start and never seemed to stop.

He won two tournaments on the U.S. Tour, the Westchester Classic and the American Golf Classic, and compiled a total of \$176,174 to finish eighth on the money list. He also won twice overseas.

At Westchester, he was tied for the first-day lead at eight-under par 63 and never was headed after that to win by three strokes. In the American Golf Classic on the North course at Akron Firestone, he had four rounds in the 60s to win by four strokes.

David had nine top 10 finishes, but his two victories gave him a place in the World Series of Golf, and he finished fourth on the South course at Firestone. He also tied for fourth in the PGA Championship and added another fifth-place finish in the Doral-Eastern Open.

David played in 24 tournaments and missed the cut only three times. He compiled a stroke average of 71.1 with 24 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

David Graham obviously knew at a tender age the career he would seek because he turned pro in 1962 when he was 16. But his tournament career didn't begin until the late 1960s in his native Australia and on the Far East circuit.

A tournament-record 62 helped Graham tie for first in the 1969 Singapore Open but he lost the playoff. The following year he came to the U.S. and entered the 1970 Tour Qualifying School. He failed that test, but the very next week he and Bruce Devlin won the World Cup for Australia and David placed second individually in Buenos Aires.

In 1971, Graham won the Caracas Open and the Japan Air Lines tournament and succeeded in the U.S. Tour School. In his rookie year of 1972, a full decade after he turned pro, Graham fulf lled all the promises of his obvious ability by winning the Cleveland Open.

Using a set of irons given him by Arnold Palmer (in exchange for an old Tommy Armour putter), Graham won at Cleveland by beating Devlin on the second playoff hole and easily made the too 60. Starting 1973, he tied for second at Los Angeles but that was to be his best of the entire year because he dropped to 71st on the money ladder.

He was fighting again in 1974 for exemption status when his fortunes changed for a two-month stretch. In the last six events in 1974 Graham won more than \$30,000, his best a tie for sixth at Sahara. And in 1975 he repeated his late-season surge, although earning \$10,000 less for the year

"I don't work hard enough on my game early in the year," he explained his pattern of late-season surges.



## Lou Graham

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

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: \$724,852 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-1

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

(TOTAL: 3)

1973-\$ 94,854.-19 1969-\$27.208.-68 MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$ 2,322.-130 1974-\$ 74,898.-29 1965-\$11,093.- 73 1970-\$53,665.-37 1975-\$ 96,425.-15 1966-\$11,312.- 79 1971-\$82,575.-23 1976-\$107,008.-22 1967-\$42,556.- 27 1972-\$96,077.-19

1968-\$36,108.- 47

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-American Golf Classic. T-4-Hawaiian Open, Greater Greensboro Open,

Kemper Open. 5-Greater Jacksonville Open. T-6-Memorial Tournament.

T-10-Tournament of Champions.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 and 1975 Ryder Cup team.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Lou Graham reached as gnificant goal in 1976, even though he did not gain a victory. For the first time in his 13-year career, he earned more than \$100,000.

"That always has been one of my goals," the soft-spoken Graham said, "but now that I've finally made

it, it seems as if the magic number is \$200,000.

Lou's best finish was in the American Golf Classic, as his final two rounds of 65-68 gave him second place behind David Graham. Three times he tied for fourth-in the Hawaiian Open, the Greater Greensboro Open and the Kemper Open.

A third-round 65 led to a fifth place finish in the Greater Jacksonville Open and he tied for sixth in the

Memorial Tournament

His best round of the year was an eight-under par 64 to tie the Colonial Country Club course record in the Danny Thomas-Memph's Classic. Afterwards, he laughed, "I was hitting the ball so bad on the practice tee that I was thinking of withdrawing to save myself some embarrassment.

Lou played in 29 tournaments, missed the cut in two and withdrew from two others. He compiled a stroke average of 71.2 and had 25 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

After tieing for 34th place in the 1975 IVB-Philadelphia Classic-playing at times terribly, following an opening 65-Lou Graham told his wife, Patsy: "I've got no business going to the U.S. Open this week and playing a hard golf course like Medinah." Thus, Graham stunned not only the world of golf but himself as well, at Medinah CC outside Chicago.

Graham made the cut at Medinah with 74-72-146, but he was 11 shots back of Tom Watson's Open record 135. He made a big jump with a third-round 68, but he still trailed Frank Beard by four. A closing, two-over 73 left him shockingly tied with John Mahaffey for first, and he beat Mahaffey in an 18-hole

playoff the next day by two strokes with par 71.

Lou began golf at age 10 in his native Nashville, Tenn., 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 recalls. He enlisted in the Army and served in the President's Honor Guard, but he liked military service no better than school. "I wanted out from the day I got in."

What he wanted was a career in golf, and after discharge in 1962 he worked at two clubs near Baltimore before he found financial backing to send him on Tour in 1964.

It was three years before he won the 1967 Minnesota Classic and cracked the top 60 money list, but he had obviously found the right career. Only once in succeeding years, in 1969 when tendonitis in his left hand, and resulting surgery, limited his play, has he failed to place among the top 60.

In 1975, in addition to his U.S. Open triumph, Graham finished fourth three times and earned money in 23 of 26 appearances.

## **Hubert Green**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'1" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: Dec. 28, 1946 BIRTHPLACE: Birmingham, Ala.

RESIDENCE: Bay Point, Fla.

COLLEGE: Florida State U. GRADUATED: 1968, BS

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Bridge, fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1970 JOINED TOUR: Fall of 1970

CAREER EARNINGS: \$755,440 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Houston. 1973 Tallahassee Open, B.C. Open. 1974 Bob Hope, Gr. Jackson-(TOTAL: 11) ville, Philadelphia, Disney. 1975 Southern Open. 1976 Doral-Eastern, Jacksonville

Open, Sea Pines Heritage Classic

MONEY & POSITION: 1970-\$ 1,690.-218 1973-\$114,397.-11 1975-\$113,569.-12 1971-\$73,439.- 29 1974-\$211,709.- 3 1976-\$228,031.- 4

1972-\$44,113.- 58

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1—Doral-Eastern, Jacksonville Open, Sea Pines Heritage Classic. 2—Tournament of Champions, Southern Open. 5—World Series of Golf. 6—U.S. Open.

ment of Champions, Southern Open. 5—World Series of Golf. 6—U.S. Open. T-8—Colonial Invitational. T-9—SDJ-Greater Hartford Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Rookie of the Year. 1975 Phoenix Dunlop-Japan. Winner 1976 Spring Tour Segment.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

After Hubert Green missed the cut in the Florida Citrus Open, he decided he had better play in the Doral-Eastern Open. He felt he needed the work.

That was one of the smartest moves of the year. His game jelled completely at Doral and he won on the Blue Monster course by six strokes over Jack Nicklaus.

The next week, he won again, in the Greater Jacksonville Open by two strokes over Miller Barber. His putter still was working wonders the next week in the Heritage Classic on the tough Harbour Town links and he won by five strokes over Jerry McGee.

In those three events, he won \$118,000, thus making it possible for him to have his best financial year on Tour. He finished with \$228,031, good for fourth place.

Hubert also finished second twice, in the Tournament of Champions and in the Southern Open. He had three 68s in the latter event. His next best was a fifth place in the World Series of Golf, made possible by a brilliant 65 in the second round on the South course at Akron Firestone.

Hubert played in 27 tournaments and missed the cut only twice. He had nine top 10 finishes and compiled a stroke average of 70.7. He had 33 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

In 1975, although he didn't match his four victories of the year before—and fev ever do—Hubert Green put together a four-week surge late in the summer which erased suspicions tha he would wind up in a horrible slump.

After withdrawing from the PGA Championship because of the death of his father, Green lost a playoff to Don Bies on the second extra hole at Hartford, finished third the next week in the Tcurnament Players Championship at Fort Worth, tied for fifth in the B.C. Open and beat John Schroeder by three strokes with 68-66-66-64 – 264 to win the Southern Open in Columbus, Ga. The stretch netted almost \$70,000.

And amid all that excitement, on the Monday after Hartford, wife Judi presented him with their first child, Hubert Myatt II, for his proudest moment of all.

Two years after graduating from Florida State, the cocky Alabaman turned pro and qualified for the PGA Tour in the fall of 1970. In his rookie year he won at Houston by beating Don January in a playoff.

Ten straight money finishes at the end of 1972 left him 58th on the money list, but he started 1973 slowly by missing the cut in four of his first six events. Then he won the Tallahassee and B.C. Opens and climbed above the \$100,000 level for the first time.

If that was a tough act to follow, Hubert topped it easily by winning the Hope Desert Classic, Jacksonville, Philadelphia and joining hometown crony Mac McLendon to take the fi∎al event of 1974, the National Team Championship at Disney World.

# **Mark Hayes**

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

HEIGHT: 5'11"

WEIGHT: 160

BIRTH DATE: July 12, 1949 BIRTHPLACE: Stillwater, Okla.

RESIDENCE: Edmond, Oklahoma

FAMILY: Wife, Jana.

COLLEGE: Oklahoma State U. SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: Fall of 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$248,549

TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 Byron Nelson Golf Classic, Pensacola Open.

1974-\$40,620.-68

(TOTAL:2)

MONEY & POSITION:

1973-\$8,637.-160

1975-\$49,297.-47

1976-\$151,699.-11

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1 - Byron Nelson Golf Classic, Pensacola Open. T-2 - Doral-Eastern Open. 5 -Tournament Players Championship. T-6-Pleasant Valley Classic. T-7-B.C. Open. T-8-Florida Citrus, Kemper Open. T-10-Greater Greensboro Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Funner-up U.S. Amateur. 1972 World Amateur Cup team. 1972 Sunnehanra Amateur champion. 1970 and 1971 Collegiate All-American. 1967

and 1971 Oklahoma State Amateur champion.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Early in the year Mark Hayes let it be known that he had arrived. He did it in his own quiet way, by let-

ting his shotmaking do the talking. At year's end, he had two victories, the first in the Byron Nelson Classic where he led from wire-towire, and the other in the Pensacola Open, coming from off the pace with a 69-66 finish to win by two.

At the Byron Nelson in Dallas, he played the first 43 holes without a bogey.

He played exceptionally well in Florida with a fifth in the Tournament Players Championship, a tie for eighth in the Florida Citrus, a tie for Second in the Doral Eastern and a tie for 15th at Jacksonville, His final round at Jacksonville was the only one in the four tournaments that was over par. His string of 15 rounds at par or less was the best on Tour in 1976.

Mark finished with \$151,699, good for 11th place. He played in 32 tournaments and missed the cut four times. He compiled a stroke a erage of 71.1, although, after the Byron Nelson in May, his average was 70.4. He had 31 rounds in the sixties with a pair of 65s his lowest.

## PRIOR YEARS

Mark Hayes turned pro and qualified for the Tour in 1973, following an outstanding amateur record, and within two years established himself as a star. It probably didn't surprise him, because pro golf was his target from an early age.

He started golf at age six under the eye of his father, a high school physical education teacher and golf coach. At 13, the family moved back to Mark's native Stillwater, Okla., and he came under the wing of

Labron Harris Sr., the Oklahoma State coach and a good friend of Mark's dad.
"One of the reasons I was so dedicated," Hayes says now, "is that I was small for my age and 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."

One of the highlights of his early career was when he defeated Tom Kite, of Austin, in the final of the Texas-Oklahoma junior championship. He entered Oklahoma State, was chosen All-America twice and was second to Gary Cowan in the 1971 U.S. Amateur. The same year he won his second Oklahoma

He spent two years in the Army, mostly at Fort Jackson, S.C., where he worked on the base golf course with Joe Inman, who is now a fellow tourist. In his rookie year on Tour, he tied for fourth in the Hope Desert Classic and, in 1975, Mark was third at Quad Cities among three top-10 finishes, earned money in 24 of 33 appearances and easily cracked the top 60 list for the first time.

# **Jerry Heard**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings.

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: \$646,558 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 1972-\$137,198.- 5 1975-\$81,687.-22 1970-\$ 44,919.- 54 1973-\$ 94,223.-20 1976-\$28,236.-79

1971-\$112.389.- 7 1974-\$145,788.- 8

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-4-Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-10-NBC Tucson Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1974 Spanish Open.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was a frustrating year for Jerry Heard as he was hampered considerably by back problems. At one point, they became so severe that there was some question about his chances of returning to the Tour.

He missed more than three months in the spring, leaving the Tour after the Florida Citrus Open the first week in March and did not return until the Kemper Open the second week in June.

He only managed two top 10 finishes and both came early in the year, despite the pain in his back. He tied for fourth in the Bob Hope Desert Classic with a 69-67 finish, and tied for 10th in the NBC Tucson Open.

Jerry earned \$28,236 to place 79th, but with career earnings of \$646,558, he will retain his exemption for 1977.

Jerry entered 19 tournaments, which is eight-to-10 less than he normally plays, and missed the cut in seven of them. He missed it in four of his last five events. His stroke average was 71.8 with his best being a 66 the first day of the Canadian Open.

## PRIOR YEARS

Although his official earnings on Tour slipped in 1975, by more than \$60,000, Jerry Heard enjoyed a half-dozen finishes in the top 10 and still wound up 22nd on the year's final money list. One of those high finishes, however, followed a moment of doubtless terror.

In the second round of the Western Open at Butler National, in Oak Brook, III., Heard had a brush with a bolt of lightning and was admitted to a hospital, along with Lee Trevino and Bobby Nichcls.

Jerry was discharged Saturday evening and, since the second round had been postponed both Friday and Saturday, he elected to continue play. He followed his opening 69 with 74-72-73 for a total of 288 and a tie for fourth place, remarkably enough.

Heard began playing golf at age 11 and was scoring around par a year later, a result of daily practice on a municipal course operated by his father in California. He dropped out of Fresno State College in 1968 in order to try the Tour Qualifying School, and was graduated, but earned barely \$10,000 in his first full year on Tour, 1969.

He began 1970 by earning \$133 in his first five tournaments, but he married in May and his game took a startling turn upward. He recorded five top-10 finishes and cracked the top-60 exemption list.

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

His record bears out that contention. In the three years in which he won tournaments, including two in 1972, he also won more than \$100,000.

## **Lionel Hebert**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime-1957 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 5'81/2" WEIGHT: 205

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

RESIDENCE: Lafayette, 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: \$407,627 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

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

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

1971-\$32,221.- 70 1964-\$26,872.- 20 1957-\$11,097.-24 MONEY & POSITION: 1972-\$19,362.-108 1965-\$20,693 - 46 1958-\$15.236.-22 1973-\$12,599.-138 1966-\$44,262.- 20 1959-\$11.109.-39 1974-\$21,681.-102 1967-\$18,680.- 61 1960-\$18.177.-22 1968-\$22,296.- 71 1975-\$10,647.-124 1961-\$14.769.-39 1969-\$26,603.- 69 1976-\$ 2,380.-203

1962-\$20,743.-31 1969-\$26,603.- 69 1963-\$28,590.-15 1970-\$32,191.- 71

BEST 1976 FINISH: T-34-Byron Nelson Golf Classic

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1957 Member of Ryder Cup team; 1961-63 Member PGA Tournament Committee; Chairman in 1962 and 1963. 1972-1974, Player Director, TPD

Policy Board.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Lionel Hebert was a busy man in 1976, playing in 30 tournaments, but the cashier didn't treat him too kindly. He only won \$2,380.

During his years on the Tour, he has been one of golf's finest good-will ambassadors. There are few who enjoy the game more than Lionel, and he has spent countless hours working for the betterment of the Tour.

He entered 30 events in 1976 and survived the cut only in six. His stroke average was 74.1.

### PRIOR YEARS

One of the game's genuine good humor men, Lionel Hebert this year observes his 20th anniversary as a regular on the PGA Tour, although his very first appearance on the circuit came a full quarter-century ago.

The year Lionel decided to make the Tour his full-time occupation he won the 1957 PGA Championship, defeating Dow Finsterwald in the final, 2 and 1, at Miami Valley in Dayton, Ohio. It was the last year this championship was contested at match play. Brother Jay, who is five years his senior, won the PGA three years later at Firestone in Akron.

Lionel was to win four other tour events, the last the 1966 Florida Citrus Open, but the PGA title remains his most precious victory. Not only was it a major championship which few men are fortunate to claim, but it earned him a lifetime exemption to play the Tour.

But Lionel has more than repaid the game for what it has bestowed on him by his involvement in Tour affairs. He was a member of the Tournament Committee from 1961 through 1963, serving as chairman in the final year. He was summoned to serve again on a similar body in 1972 and he became a player director of the Policy Board through 1974.

In 1975, Lionel finished in the money in seven of the 28 events he entered. Although a majority of his money finishes came late in the season, his largest checks came earlier in the year when he tied for fifth in the Houston Open and for 10th at Milwaukee.

## **Dave Hill**

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

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 145

BIRTHDATE: May 20, 1937 BIRTHPLACE: Jackson, Mich.

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

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, records, bridge.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1958 JOINED TOUR: 1959

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,038,840 PLAYOFF RECORD: 4-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1961 Home of the Sun Open, Denver. 1963 Hot Springs. 1967 Memphis. 1969 (TOTAL: 13) Memphis, Buick, Philadelphia. 1970 Memphis. 1972 Monsanto. 1973 Danny

Thomas-Memphis. 1974 Houston. 1975 Sahara Invitational. 1976 Greater Mil-

waukee Open.

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.-25
 1969-\$156,423.-2
 1975-\$
 80,533.-24

1964-\$13,333.-56 1970-\$118,415.-10 1976-\$116,606.-19

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1—Greater Milwaukee Open. T-2—Del Webb Sahara Invitational. 3—World Series of Golf. T-3—Bing Crosby National Pro-Am. T-4—NBC Tucson Open, San Antonio-Texas Open. T-8—B.C. Open. 9—Tournament of Champions.

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

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

From all standpoints, it was a very good year for Dave Hill. He gained the 13th victory of his career when he won the Greater Milwaukee Open and became the 11th player to earn at least \$1 million on the Tour. He also topped the \$100,000 mark for the fourth time.

Dave fired 66-67-68-69-270 for his triumph on the Tuckaway course in Milwaukee, winning by three strokes. Late in the year, he used a second-day 65 and a final-round 67 to tie for second in the Sahara Invitational in Las Vegas.

He also had two thirds, in the World Series of Golf and in the Bing Crosby. His 67 in the first round of the World Series tied him for the lead.

Dave joined the \$1 million-winner class at the PGA Championship, when he tied for 22d to earn \$2,064. By year's end, he had a total of \$1,038,840.

Dave played in 27 individual tournaments and missed the cut only once. He also withdrew from one. He compiled a stroke average of 71.1 with 29 rounds in his sixties. His 65s at the Bing Crosby and Sahara were his lowest.

## PRIOR YEARS

Dave Hill came out on Tour in 1959 and, except for that rookie season, has never placed out of the top 60 list. He came close in 1964 and 1965 to dropping out of the exempt category, but in 1969 he won three tournaments, finishing second to Frank Beard in official purses and winning the Vardon Trophy with a stroke average of 70.344 for 90 rounds.

Hill won more than \$100,000 again in 1970, then began to cut down on his playing schedule. He limited his appearances further in 1972 but he played more efficiently, winning the Monsanto Open and placing in the top 10 in seven other events. In 1973 he won at Memphis for the fourth time and placed in the top 10 on eight other occasions, missed the cut only once and qualified for his second Ryder Cup

Hill underwent surgery in late 1973 for removal of cartilage in a knee which had troubled him for some time, and that decision probably contributed to his second most profitable year in 1974, when he won at Houston.

"I don't expect to win; I'm not playing well enough," Hill said on his arrival. But he did win. A year and a half later, his peers should have been forewarned when Hill said at Las Vegas: "My game is so bad it's embarrassing. I haven't hit but four good shots all week." He won his 12th Tour event that week, defeating Rik Massengale in extra holes.

## Mike Hill

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5' 10" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTH DATE: Jan. 27, 1939 BIRTHPLACE: Jackson, Michigan

RESIDENCE: Jackson, Michigan

FAMILY: Wife, Sandra; Kimberly (5/16/63), Fristen (12/11/69),

Michael Jr. (4/15/72).

COLLEGE: Jackson Junior College and Arizona State.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting and fishing.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1967 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$425,863

TOUR VICTORIES: 1970 Doral - Eastern Open. 1972 San Antonio - Texas Open.

(Total 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$30,892-55 1971-\$48,188-53 1974-\$76,802-28

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-3-Jacksonville Open. T-5-Florida Citrus, Westchester Classic. T-10-

Greensboro Open.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Mike HIII regained his position among the top 60 money winners with a year that saw him in the lead in several tournaments.

His best finish was a tie for third in the Greater Jacksonville Open, but he led by one stroke after two rounds. He also held a one-stroke margin after two rounds of the Ohio Kings Island Open, thanks to a second-day 64.

He was tied for the second-day lead in the Greater Greensboro Open, with the help of a second-day 65; and he was tied for the first-day lead in the Florida Citrus Open.

He posted three other top 10 finishes, with ties for fifth at the Citrus and in the Westchester Classic, and a tie for 10th at Greensboro.

Mike finished the year with \$58,478, good for 45th place. It was his third best money year.

Mike entered 31 tournaments and missed the cut in four. He failed to qualify once and was forced to withdraw from two others. His stroke average was 71.5 and he had 19 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

Life on the PGA Tour has not been an easy one for Mike Hill, but he will not complain. Instead, he says, "I've made more money on the Tour in nine years than my dad made in his entire life."

The younger brother of Dave Hill has won twice in those nine years, the 1970 Doral-Eastern Open and the 1972 San Antonio-Texas Open. In the fall of 1972, he went to San Antonio, hoping to cash a check big enough to propel him into the top 60 for a year's exemption, but he held off Lee Trevino to win it all by two strokes.

His most rewarding year financially was 1974 when he earned \$76,802 to finish 28th. The year was highlighted by excellent play in the fall, as he finished second in the San Antonio-Texas Open, tied for second with brother Dave in the Sahara Invitational and was fourth in the Southern Open.

He appeared headed for his greatest year in 1975, after opening with fourth place finishes at Tucson and Phoenix. However, in April, while riding a motorbike on his farm in Jackson, Mich., he fell and the kickstand on the bike tore into his right leg, just above the knee. He was off the Tour for 12 weeks and finished the year with \$41,696, good for 63d place.

Mike, one of the more persistent players on the Tour, displayed that attitude early when he tried three times to obtain his player's card and missed, but finally succeeded in 1968. He started in golf like Dave, as a caddle at the Jackson (Mich.) Country Club. After high school, he spent 42 months in the Air Force.

## 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: Fall of 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$170,713

TOUR VICTORIES: 1973 Kemper Open.

(TOTAL: 1)

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

1973-\$ 1,331.-277

1975-\$53,225.-41

1976-\$69,892.-38

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Kemper Open. T-15-Florida Citrus Open.

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

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Joe Inman picked the perfect time and place to win his first Tour event. It was the Kemper Open at the Quail Hollow Country Club in Charlotte, N.C., and, being a North Carolinian, many of his close friends were there.

Joe started with 70 and 69 and was three strokes off the lead. A third-day 67 moved him to within one, and then he found his one-under par 71 on the last afternoon good enough to nip Tom Weiskopf and Grier Jones by one.

"I can't believe this," the excitable Inman said. "I was off to a bad start this year, mainly due to my putting. But, I could feel it getting better. I didn't seem to be motivated at the start of the year. I couldn't get my mind on it."

That was Joe's only top 10 finish, his next best being a tie for 15th in the Florida Citrus Open. With his \$50,000 from the Kemper, Joe went on to total \$69,892 for the year.

He entered 29 tournaments and missed the cut in 13. His stroke average was 72.6.

### PRIOR YEARS

One of a long line of Wake Forest University products to make a success of the Tour, Joe Inman won the 1968 Carolinas Open, the 1969 North-South Amateur and the 1970 North Carolina Amateur before taking his bachelor of arts degree. But it was more than three years before he joined the Tour, by qualifying in the Fall 1973 School.

He couldn't understand the advisability of taking a week's rest occasionally. "I couldn't figure out why the players didn't compete every week," he said. "But, after a year of the Tour, and the pressure, and the problems involved with traveling all over the country, I knew."

He said this after surviving the pressure of the end of 1974 season, when he arrived in San Antonio needing a good finish to make the exemption list for all of 1975. He tied for 13th in the San Antonio-Texas Open and finished 55th in exemption points, although 61st on the money list.

Twice in 1975, the talkative Carolinian closed with 67s to wind up in third place at Houston and Las Vegas, finishing the Sahara Invitational only a stroke out of the playoff. He had two other top 10 finishes and increased his official earnings to more than \$50,000. Eight times during the year he scored in the 60s in the first round but slipped into the 70s in the second.

He made money in 22 of 32 tournaments and compiled a stroke average of 71.8 in 1975.

## Hale Irwin

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

HEIGHT: 6" WEIGHT: 170

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: \$1,012,774 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-3

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

Classic. 1976 Glen Campbell-Los Angeles, Florida Citrus. (TOTAL: 7)

MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$ 9,093.-117

1972-\$111,539.-13 1975-\$205,380.- 4 1969-\$18,571.- 88 1976-\$252,718.- 3 1970-\$46.870.- 49 1973-\$130,388.- 7

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open, Florida Citrus Open. 2-Memorial Tour-

nament, World Series of Golf. T-2-Hawaiian Open. T-3-Sea Pines Heritage Classic, Western Open. 4-Byron Nelson Golf Classic. T-5-Masters, World

Open. T-7-Phoenix Open. T-9-Kaiser International.

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

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

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Hale Irwin's position as one of the great players in the game is unquestioned. He owns such enviable marks of having improved his record in each of the nine years he has been on Tour, reaching a high of \$252,718 last year.

His second-place finish in the World Series of Golf netted him \$50,000 and established him as the

12th player in history to pass the \$1 million in earnings figure.

He owns the longest no-cut streak on the Tour, going through 41 tournaments without missing it. Hale is one of the most solid performers in the game. He had 12 top 10 finishes in 1976.

Hale won twice, in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open, coming from three strokes back to win by two over Tom Watson. Two weeks later, he was involved in the longest playoff of the year. He edged Kermit Zarley on the sixth extra note in the Florida Citrus Open.

He was second three times—the World Series of Golf, the Hawaiian Open and the Memorial Tournament. In the latter, he lost a playoff on the fourth extra hole to Roger Maltbie.

Hale played in 21 tournaments and made the cut in them all. His stroke average was 70.6, the third best on the Tour. He had 29 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

In the six years from 1970 through 1975, the player least known to the public at the time he won the U.S. Open championship was propably Hale Irwin. This does not mean, however, that Irwin was not worthy of what many consider the game's most important title.

Irwin is invariably a contender, especially on the more difficult courses, as evidenced by his victories. None of his first five triumpas on the Tour was achieved on a pushover layout.

Twice he won the Heritage Classic at the Harbour Town Links, his 1974 U.S. Open title was won at Winged Foot and, in 1975, he took the Western Open at brutal Butler National and the Atlanta Classic, although at 17 under par at Atlanta CC, on a classy course.

Irwin was graduated from the University of Colorado in 1968 with a degree in marketing, an NCAA golf championship and two selections as an All-Big Eight Conference defensive back. He joined the Tour that fall, earned almost \$20,000 in official purses in his rookie year and kept improving on the money ladder through 1975.

In his seventh full year on the Tour, 1975, he finished in the top 10 in 14 of 22 events, earning more than \$200,000; played on his first Ryder Cup team and finished ninth in the British Open.

# **Tony Jacklin**

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

**HEIGHT**: 5'9" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTHDATE: 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: \$294,573 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

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

Open. (TOTAL: 3)

1967-\$12,323.-83 MONEY & POSITION:

1968-\$58,495.-29

1971-\$19,977.-102 1972-\$65,976.- 35 1974-\$ 2,041.-215

1969-\$33,036.-60

1973-\$ 7,182.-167

1975-\$10,824.-123 1976-\$18,071.-111

1970-\$87,859.-20

BEST 1976 FINISH: T-7-Canadian Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 New Zealand PGA, Dunlop Masters winner. 1969 British Open winner. 1973 Bogota Open, Italian Open, Dunlop Master winner. 1974 Los Lagartos, Scandinavian 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. 1976 Kerrygold, Ireland champion.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

There were times when it appeared as if Tony Jacklin was ready to return to his old form, but he simply couldn't find the secret to posting the good round when he needed it.

Early in the year, he used a final-round 67 to tie for 12th in the Bob Hope Desert Classic. The next week, four steady rounds gave him a tie for 15th in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open; then he tied for 18th in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open.

His best finish was in the Canadian Open as he tied for seventh, but he did it with rounds of 73, 66, 71

Tony played in 17 tournaments and missed the cut three times. He had a stroke average of 72.1 with 66s at the Canadian Open and the B.C. Open as his low rounds.

## PRIOR YEARS

Certainly one of the finest players ever to come out of Great Britain, Tony Jacklin started in golf as a caddie for his father, a truck driver in Scunthorpe, Lincolnshire. His first victory of consequence was in the 1965 British Assistants Championship. Two years later he won the Dunlop Masters on home soil and the New Zealand PGA title.

When Jacklin won the 1969 British Open he became the first native Englishman to do so since Max Faulkner in 1951. When he won the U.S. Open 11 months later at Hazeltine in Chaska, Minn., he became the first Briton ever to hold both major titles at the same time, and the first since Ted Ray in 1920 to take the U.S. crown to Great Britain.

Five years after earning his player's card on the U.S. Tour in the fall of 1967, Jacklin gave up his privileges in order to support the European tour and be closer to his family. He moved his residence to the Isle of Jersey and less than three years later, in the spring of 1975, he was back on the PGA Tour.

His first event here was at Greensboro and he tied for 12th place and that was to be his highest finish in 15 events for the year

"I know now," Jacklin said, "that I have to continue to play in the States, always, if I want to continue as a world golfer.

# **Don January**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime-1967 PGA champion

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 165

BIRTHDATE: Nov. 20, 1929 BIRTHPLACE: Plainview, Tex.

RESIDENCE: Dallas, Texas

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

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

COLLEGE: North Texas State U. GRADUATED: 1953, B.A.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1955 JOINED TOUR: 1956

CAREER EARNINGS: \$818,813 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-5

TOUR VICTORIES: 1956 Dallas Open, Apple Valley Clambake Championship. 1959 Valencia Open. (TOTAL: 12) 1960 Tucson Open. 1961 St. Paul Open. 1963 Tucson Open. 1966 Philadelphia Golf Classic. 1967 PGA Championship. 1968 Tournament of Champions. 1970

Jacksonville Open. 1975 San Antonio-Texas Open. 1976 Tournament of Cham-

pions.

MONEY & POSITION: 1956-\$17,731.-16 1963-\$33,754.- 9 1970-\$ 49,116.- 46

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1—Tournament of Champions. T-2—PGA Championship, Del Webb Sahara In-

vitational. T-3—Andy Williams San Diego Open, Sea Pines Heritage, Colonial Invitational. T-7—Glen Campbell L.A. Open, Tournament Players Champion-

ship. T-9-Kaiser International. T-10-NBC Tucson Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1960 Most Improved Player; 1965 Ryder Cup Team; Player Director, TPD

Tournament Policy Board; 1971 Secretary of TPD Tournament Policy Board.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

The incredible comeback story of Don January continued in full bloom in 1976.

He did such things as win the Tournament of Champions at LaCosta, Calif.; earn \$163,622, which is well over \$90,000 more than he has ever won in a single season; run his two-year no-cut streak in individual tournaments to 40 and compile a brilliant 70.562 stroke average for 96 rounds.

It is interesting to note that the only cut he missed in 1976 was in the final event, the Walt Disney World Team Play championship. Don and his partner, Miller Barber, had one stroke too many.

Twice he tied for second, in the PGA Championship, just one stroke in back of Dave Stockton, and in the Sahara Invitational, two in back of George Archer.

He also was third three times as he finished in the top 10 a total of 10 times in his 25 starts. He had 34 rounds in the sixties with 65s at San Diego and the Kaiser as his lowest.

### PRIOR YEARS

For as long and as successfully Don January has played the PGA Tour, one would expect that sometime in those first two decades he would have reached the \$100,000 level in official yearly earnings. But through 1975 he never came close. He explains: "Once I made about \$65,000 I'd just pick up and go home. I didn't care if it was July or September or what."

Four times in a five-year period starting in 1967—when he won the PGA Championship—the slender Texan did earn in the \$60,000 range, and then in 1972 he embarked on what was to be a 2-1/2-year recess from the Tour in order to build golf courses around his hometown of Dallas. When course construction financing dried up he was left with nothing to do, so he returned to the Tour in 1975, soon after his 45th birthday.

Again, somewhat astonishingly, January made more than \$60,000, but he didn't do it in July. In the next-to-last event, at San Antonio in mid-October, he defeated Larry Hinson with a four-foot putt for birdie two on the second playoff hole to win \$25,000 and his 11th Tour event over the two decades.

Commenting on his startling comeback at his age, January said, "Physically, it wasn't too bad. Mentally, it was tougher than I expected." After San Antonio, he added: "I am here to stay. I shall not leave on my own. It will take my game to force me off."

## **Grier Jones**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5' 10" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: May 6, 1946. BIRTHPLACE: Wichita, Kansas

RESIDENCE: Wichita, Kansas

FAMILY: Wife, Jane. Carey and Corey (2/26/68); Grier (5/17/71);

Casey (9/9/72); Brian (9/13/75).

COLLEGE: Oklahoma State GRADUATED: 1968

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$474,113 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1972 Hawaiian Open, Robinson Fall Golf Classic.

(Total 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$ 1,313-223 1971-\$ 30,929-72 1974-\$54,861- 50

1969 \$37,194 50 1972 \$140,177 4 1975 \$15,719 112 1970 \$55,913 36 1973 \$83,871 31 1976 \$59,087 40

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-2-Kemper Open. T-7-IVB-Bicentennial Classic. T-8-Colonial, Memphis

Classic. T-9-Southern Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1966 NCAA champion. Medalist in 1968 Tour Qualifying School. 1969

Rookie of Year.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was a big comeback year for the hard-working Grier Jones, and he gives Bob Toski a large share of the credit.

"At the end of 1975, I went to see Bob," Grier explains. "He taught me a lot about the game. I had developed some bad habits, and Bob worked to get me back to my old swing, the one that had worked for me before."

The result was \$69,087 and 40th place on the money list, highlighted by five top 10 finishes.

His best effort was in the Kemper Open. After his third-round 65, he led the field by one, and he eventually finished in a tie for second, one stroke behind Joe Inman.

Just prior to the Kemper, he had three other top 10 finishes, as he tied for eighth in the Colonial National Invitation and then the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic. Two weeks later, he tied for seventh in the IVB-Bicentennial Open in Philadelphia.

Grier played in 34 tournaments. He missed the cut six times, withdrew from one and failed to qualify in another. His stroke average was 71.4 with 29 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

Grier Jones would like to forget 1975. He won only \$15,719 and finished 112th on the money list. Three years earlier, he had hit the high point of his career, winning two tournaments and collecting \$140,177 to place fourth on the list.

He said he couldn't blame anything in particular for his decline. "A lot of it was just a bad swing," he said. He also missed 10 weeks of the year after catching pneumonia the week after the PGA Championship.

Both of Grier's victories in 1972 came after playoffs, defeating Bob Murphy in Hawaii and Dave Marad at Robinson.

He has had a history of back and hand problems, and, at one stretch in the summer of 1974, he had to withdraw from six of seven tournaments.

During his career, Grier has known considerable success. He was highly-touted when he joined the Tour after being the medalist in the 1968 Qualifying School. He had won the 1968 NCAA title for Oklahoma State, the Big Eight championship, the Oklahoma Intercollegiate and the Oklahoma Invitational titles. After earning \$37,194 in his first year, he was named the Rookie-of-the-Year.

## **Tom Kite**

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

HEIGHT: 5'81/2" WEIGHT: 153

BIRTHDATE: Dec. 9, 1949 BIRTHPLACE: Austin, Texas

RESIDENCE: Horseshoe Bay, Texas

FAMILY: Wife, Christy

COLLEGE: Univ. of Texas

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, golf club repair

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1972 JOINED TOUR: 1972

CAREER EARNINGS: \$338,105 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 IVB-Bicentennial Golf Classic

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1972-\$ 2,582.-233

1972-\$ 2,582.-233 1974-1973-\$54,270.- 56 1975-

1974—\$82,055.—26 1975—\$87,045.—18 1976-\$116,180.-20

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1—IVB-Bicentennial Golf Classic, T-5—Masters, Colonial Invitational, T-6—Danny Thomas Memphis Classic, Memorial Tournament, T-7—Andy Williams San Diego Open, T-9—Doral-Eastern Open, 10—Glen Campbell Los Angeles

Open,

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1970 Runner-up U.S. Amateur. 1970 World Amateur Cup team. 1971 Walker Cup team. 1972 NCAA co-champion with Ben Crenshaw.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Tom Kite was trailing by three strokes when the final round of the IVB-Bicentennial Open in Philadelphia started. "There were 10 guys in front of me," he said, "and I knew I'd have to shoot 65 or 66 to win."

Mainly, he was looking for a good, solid finish. He had that, all right, a five-under par 66 for a sevenunder par 277 at the Whitemarsh Valley course to tie with Terry Diehl for the No. 1 spot.

The playoff lasted five holes, and Tom was the victor with a par, as Terry missed the green and suffered a bogey. A big victory it was, though, because it was Tom's first.

He went on to win \$116,180 for the year and place 20th on the list. Twice he tied for fifth, in the Masters and the Colonial National Invitation, while ties for sixth came in Memphis and the Memorial Tournament. The latter three were in succession, the weeks prior to Philadelphia.

Tom played in 28 tournaments, missed the cut once and withdrew from another. He had a stroke average of 71.1 with 23 rounds in the sixties. His low was a 65 the last day at Phoenix.

### PRIOR YEARS

Tom Kite's career in golf, starting at age six when his father urged him to strike his first ball, has yielded steady progress. He won his first tournament at 11, an age-group event at the Country Club of Austin, Tex., and began to take the game seriously three years later.

In 1970, before his 21st birthday, Kite was medalist in the Western Amateur, second to Lanny Wadkins in the U.S. Amateur, second in the Southern Amateur and was chosen to the four-man U.S. team in the World Amateur Team Championship.

The following year he was chosen to the U.S. Walker Cup team and, in 1972, he shared the NCAA championship with his University of Texas schoolmate, Ben Crenshaw, before turning pro and earning his Tour card that Fall.

Although victory eluded him in his first three years as a pro—not including the 1973 Hope of Tomorrow, a second Tour event—his progress continued steadily. He was named Rookie-of-the-Year in 1973 after he missed the cut in only three of 35 events, an extremely impressive beginning, and finished 56th on the money list.

In 1974, Kite missed the cut only once, finished in the top 10 in eight tournaments and boosted his earnings 50 percent to more than \$80,000. In 1975 he finished in the top 10 on nine occasions, his best a second to Pat Fitzsimons at Los Angeles.

All nine of Kite's high finishes came in the first five months of 1975, including a 10th at the Masters, but he finished the year with almost \$90,000 and compiled a stroke average of 71.4.

# **Gary Koch**

EXEMPT STATUS: Winner: Tallahassee Open.

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: Nov. 21, 1952 BIRTHPLACE: Baton Rouge, La.

RESIDENCE: Temple Terrace, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Donna

COLLEGE: U. of Florida, 1974.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Reading, music.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1975 JOINED TOUR: 1975

CAREER EARNINGS: \$38,195

TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 Tallahassee Open.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1976-\$38,195.-69

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Tallahassee Open. T-4-San Antonio-Texas Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 Florida Open. 1970 U.S. Juniors. 1973 Trans-Mississippi. Member,

1973 and 1975, Walker Cup teams and 1974 U.S. World Amateur Cup

team.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Gary Koch wasted no time in establishing himself on the Tour. He went the distance and earned checks in his first six starts.

He saved his best performance for Tallahassee in mid-April. He was five strokes off the lead after the first and second rounds. A 67 on the third day moved him to within two of the lead. On the final afternoon, his two-under par 70 gave him an 11-under par 277 and a one-stroke margin over John Mahaffey. He had to knock in a five footer to save par at the final hole to get it.

The victory was worth \$16,000 and guaranteed him an exemption from qualifying through the 1977 Tournament of Champions. At year's end, he had won \$38,195 which placed him 69th on the money list.

During his fine amateur career, Gary was known as an excellent putter. His formula for playing the Tour is to "drive it in the fairway, hit it on the green and make a few putts." He said that at Tallahassee, he knew he was putting well and "If I could keep my tee-to-green game solid, I felt I could shoot a good score."

His next best finish was a tie for fourth in the San Antonio-Texas Open and then a tie for 14th in the Sahara Invitational.

Gary played in 34 tournaments. He missed the cut 10 times and withdrew once. His stroke average was 72.3 and he had four 67s for his low rounds.

### PRIOR YEARS

About a year and a half after leaving the University of Florida, Gary Koch tied for third after 108 holes at Walt Disney World in the Fall, 1975, Tour Qualifying School and came out on the big circuit with an impressive list of amateur credentials.

Koch won the 1969 Florida Open before his 17th birthday, and the following year captured the U.S. Junior championship. While at Florida he won the 1973 Trans-Mississippi Amateur and played on the first of two Walker Cup teams that same year. He also represented the United States in the 1974 World Amateur Team Championship.

## **Bill Kratzert**

EXEMPT STATUS: Winner, Walt Disney World National Team

Play championship.

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 190

BIRTH DATE: June 29, 1952. BIRTHPLACE: Quantico,

Virginia

RESIDENCE: Fort Wayne, Indiana

COLLEGE: University of Georgia GRADUATED: 1974, General

Business

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Following all sports.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1974 JOINED TOUR: June, 1976

CAREER EARNINGS: \$21,253. PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 Walt Disney World National Team Play (with Woody Blackburn).

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1976-\$21,253-102

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1—Walt Disney World National Team Play \$20,000 won not listed as official).

T-7-Greater Milwaukee Open. T-9-San Antonio-Texas Open. T-10-Ohio

Kings Island Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1968 Indiana Amateur winner. 1969 Indiana Open winner. All-Southeastern

Conference team for four years. All-America selection two years.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Bill Kratzert tried to qualify for the PGA Tour twice before he finally made it on the third try in June of 1976 at North Myrtle Beach, S.C. "I think it was good that I didn't make it the first time," he says. "I probably wasn't ready. Now, I know my game. I've done some experimenting and I know what I have to do to play well."

Play well he did, finishing in a tie for seventh in his first official start, the Greater Milwaukee Open. "That was a great confidence booster for me because I did everything consistently there," he said.

His goal was to make the top 25 in as many tournaments as he could. Those who finish that high are exempt for that particular event the following year. He did it seven times before the great day arrived at Walt Disney World in the National Team Play championship.

Paired with Woody Blackburn, they played exceptionally wall, with 63-68-63-66-260 to tie veterans Gay Brewer and Bobby Nichols. On the third extra hole, Bill hit one of the great five irons of the year to within a foot of the flagstick. The ensuing birdie gave them the victory.

Bill earned \$21,253 in official money—plus \$20,000 for the Disney triumph. He entered 16 tournaments, missed three cuts and failed to qualify only once. His stroke average was 71.0.

### PRIOR YEARS

It was a natural thing for Bill Kratzert to become a professional golfer. His father is the head pro at the Fort Wayne Country Club and has been there for more than 18 years.

Fort Wayne Country Club and has been there for more than 18 years.
"I didn't start to play until I was about 13," he says. "My dad never pushed me into it. It was just always there. It wasn't until I was 14 or 15 years old that I decided golf was my game."

He seemed to be a natural. He won the Indiana State Amateur when he was 16 years old and the Indiana Open at 17. After his victory in the Amateur, he was invited to play in the Sunnehanna event in western Pennsylvania.

"One night I became nauseated and Allen Miller happened to be there, too. He helped me up the stairs and got a doctor for me. We became friends and he was influential in my eventually going to the University of Georgia.

He was named to the All-Southern Conference golf team all four years at Georgia and was named to the All America team his final two years.

Twice he tried to qualify for the Tour and didn't make it. After the first attempt, he said he was so frustrated he "quit" the game, went home to Fort Wayne and worked for six months as a fork-lift operator. In the spring of 1975, he accepted a job as an assistant pro at a local club and was back in the game to stay.

## **Bruce Lietzke**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6' 2" WEIGHT: 195

BIRTH DATE: July 18, 1951 BIRTHPLACE: Kansas City, Kan.

RESIDENCE: Beaumont, Texas

COLLEGE: University of Houston

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, racing cars.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1974 JOINED TOUR: July, 1975

CAREER EARNINGS: \$100,009

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION: 1975-\$30,780-74

5-\$30,780-74 1976-\$69,229-39

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 3-San Antonio-Texas Open. T-3-Phoenix Open. T-4-Tucson Open. T-6-

Pleasant Valley, Ohio Kings Island Open, Del Webb Sahara.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Texas Amateur champion. 1973 second team All-America.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Bruce Lietzke opened his year with a tie for fourth in the NBC-Tucson Open. The next week, he fashioned rounds of 65 and 67 on the final two days to tie for third in the Phoenix Open.

Just as suddenly as he found success, his game turned sour, and in his next 13 events, he missed the cut five times and failed to qualify for two others.

It wasn't until mid-May that Bruce started to put it together again and in his last 19 tournaments, he only missed the cut once. In only three of the other 18 starts did he fail to win a check of at least four figures. The end result was \$69,229 for the year and 39th place.

Bruce had six top 10 finishes and he had another third, in the San Antonio-Texas Open. His last-round 67 placed him two strokes out of the playoff.

The third round in the Ohio Kings Island Open and the Sahara Invitational was costly. He tied for sixth place in each event, but it was that one day that prevented him possibly from winning.

Bruce, in his first full year, entered 34 tournaments, missed the cut six times and failed to qualify twice. He compiled a stroke average of 71.6 and had 31 rounds in the sixties. His low was a 65 the first day at Westchester.

## PRIOR YEARS

Late in the spring of 1973, Bruce put his golf clubs in the closet and said he was finished with the game. "I had played so much through high school and in college at the University of Houston, I was tired of it.

"I suppose that in the back of my mind, I knew I would come back, but at that point, I was tired mentally of the competition and needed the time to think about some other things."

His "retirement" only lasted six months. He was back on the course for the start of 1974, and, with a fresh new outlook, turned professional in 1974. "My goal then was to get on the Tour," he added.

He entered the Tour's Qualifying School in the fall of 1974 and missed getting his card by one stroke. He was back again in the spring of 1975 and this time he did make it.

During the last half of 1975, he played very well, indeed. He was in contention in the Westchester Classic and finished fourth. He also had a tie for fourth in the San Antonio-Texas Open and finished with \$30,780, good for 74th place.

"The fourth at Westchester was a big confidence booster for me," he said. "It was the turnaround that let me know I could play out here."

Bruce started in the game at age five when his brother Duane, then an assistant professional in Wichita, Kans., gave him a cut-down set of clubs. During his days at Forest Park High School in Beaumont, Tex., Bruce won the Texas State Scholastic golf title as a sophomore, and he led the team to one championship and three runner-up finishes during his four years. He went on to Houston and won several collegiate titles.

Bruce says his Dad is his biggest booster and always has been. "But, he said he would quit playing the day his little boy beat him. I did that one day when I was eight years old, and he hasn't played since."

## John Lister

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 180

BIRTH DATE: Mar. 9, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: Temuka, New

Zealand

RESIDENCE: Timaru. New Zealand

FAMILY: Wife, Diana

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1966. JOINED TOUR: 1971

CAREER EARNINGS: \$158,903

TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 Ed McMahon-Quad Cities Open.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1971-\$18,201,-104 1972-\$24,172.- 94

1973-\$24.601.-100 1974-\$17,183,-117

1975-\$22,447.-95 1976-\$53.173.-54

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Ed McMahon-Quad Cities Open. T-2-Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic.

T-6-Pleasant Valley Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969, 1971 and 1972, World Cup for New Zealand. 1971 and 1976 New

Zealand PGA champion. 1970 Northern Ireland Open Winner. 1970 Picadilly Medal play winner in England. 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976.

Garden City Classic winner in New Zealand.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

John Lister says it probably was the happiest day of his life when he won the Quad Cities Open ir early July on the Oakwood course in Coal Valley, III. He always felt he had the game to win, but after years of trying, was beginning to have his doubts.

The victory assured John of a place in the top 60 and an exemption for all of next year. It will be the first time he has enjoyed such luxury. John's first two rounds of 68-68 left him two strokes off the lead but he made a big move in the third round with a six-under par 65 to take a one-stroke lead.

His closing round of 67 was enough to hold off Fuzzy Zoeller and assure him of the \$20,000 check John collected another big check when he tied for second in the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic. winning \$15,466. His 69-68 finish made that one possible.

He closed with a 67 at the Pleasant Valley Classic to tie for six for his only other top 10 finish. John entered 27 tournaments, missed the cut in 10 and failed to qualify in four. He compiled a stroke average of 72.0.

## PRIOR YEARS

Through his first five years on the PGA Tour, John Lister never earned \$25,000 officially in any single year, and he admits now that he was beginning to doubt that he would ever succeed.

John missed his first attempt in the Tour School in 1969 but earned his card the next year and joined the Tour early in 1971. "When I first joined the Tour it was a combination of things," he says. "I was a bit overawed by everything, and then I put extra pressure on myself by thinking too much about the Monday

Lister started in golf when he was about 11 in his native New Zealand, after his family moved from Temuka to Timaru, across the street from a golf course. He joined a School Boys Golf Club.

"It was a great start," Lister says. "We had good coaching every Saturday, and a lot of tournaments. It was because of the Boys Club that I decided I wanted to be a professional someday.

At age 19, mainly because of the encouragement of countryman Bob Charles, Lister headed out on the world tour in 1966. "At that time, Bob gave me a lot of encouragement. He said that if he had my long iron game he'd win over \$100,000 a year," John recalls.

I was terrible with a wedge, though. Now, my long game isn't as sharp, but my short game has improved tremendously. I have more of a balanced game.

## **Gene Littler**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime-1961 U.S. Open champion

WEIGHT: 160 HEIGHT: 5'91/2"

BIRTH DATE: July 21, 1930 BIRTHPLACE: San Diego, Cal.

RESIDENCE: La Jolla, Cal.

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: \$1,264,013 PLAYOFF RECORD: 3-6

(TOTAL: 28)

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:

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1954-$ 8,327.-28 1962-$ 66,200.- 2 1970-$ 79,001.- 22
1955-$28,974.- 5 1963-$ 32,566.- 12 1971-$ 98,687.- 14
                 1964-$ 33,173.- 15
                                     1972-$ 11,119.-135
1956-$23,833.- 6
1957-$13,427.-18
                1965-$ 58,898.- 9 1973-$ 95,308.- 18
1958-$12,897.-27
                 1966-$ 68,345.- 7
                                     1974-$102,822.- 20
1959-$38,296.- 2 1967-$ 38,086.- 32
                                    1975-$182,883.- 5
                 1968-$ 61,631.- 26
                                     1976-$ 60,471.- 43
1960-$26,837.- 8
                 1969-$112,737.- 6
1961-$29,245.- 9
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BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-4—NBC New Orleans Open. T-6—Del Webb Sahara Invitational. T-7—Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open. T-8—Hawaiian Open, Danny Thomas Memphis Classic. T-9—Doral-Eastern Open. T-10—Greater Greensboro Open.

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.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was an erratic year for Gene Littler even though he did manage to win \$60,471 and had seven top 10 finishes. He simply wasn't able to develop the season-long consistency that has been a Littler trademark for years.

Gene's best finish was a tie for fourth in the First NBC-New Orleans Open with three rounds in the sixties. His next best was in the Sahara Invitational in Las Vegas, his final event. He posted 67-68 for his last two days and tied for sixth.

He was having some back problems, but, typical of the man, he wasn't using that as an excuse. He did use a good last round for other solid finishes, such as a 66 in the Hawaiian Open for a tie for eighth and a 68 at the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open for a tie for seventh.

Gene entered 25 tournaments and missed the cut in six. He withdrew from another. His stroke average was 71.4 and he had 22 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

By now, even the most casual follower of golf must have heard that Gene Littler had cancer, but the story bears repeating.

In the spring of 1972, Littler underwent surgery for cancer of the lymph glands. He had won 24 Tour events in 18 years on the circuit, including the 1961 U.S. Open, but that glittering career appeared to be at an end.

However, Littler rejoined the Tour in October, 1972, and in July of the following summer-about 16 months after his surgery-he won the St. Louis Children's Hospital Classic.

Littler did not win a Tour event in 1974, but "Gene the Machine" obviously was back in form, because he earned more than \$100,000. The next year was even more remarkable.

In early August, 1975, two weeks after his 45th birthday, Littler won his third tournament of the year, defeating Julius Boros on the first hole of a playoff in the Westchester Classic.

# Lyn Lott

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6' 1" WEIGHT: 190

BIRTH DATE: April 9, 1950 BIRTHPLACE: Douglas, Georgia

RESIDENCE: Douglas, Georgia

FAMILY: Wife, Sheryl, Clint (3/13/73)

COLLEGE: University of Georgia GRADUATED: 1972 BA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, Bible Study Group.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: Fall of 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$87,313

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1974-\$16,911-119. 1975-\$18,522-106.

1976-\$57,358-48

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 3-Canadian Open. T-5-Kaiser International. T-8-U.S. Open. T-9-

Tallahassee.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 Georgia State Open. 1972 Georgia State Amateur

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

The new "ironman" of the Tour has to be Lyn Lott. He entered 39 tournaments, missing only seven. This is his first experience at being exempt as he won \$57,358 to finish 48th. The tournament that supplied the biggest boost was the Canadian Open as he finished third, winning \$14,200. He had rounds of 68, 70, 67 and 69 for a six-under 274.

Lyn had three other too 10 finishes. A second-day 67 led to a tie for fifth in the Kaiser International Open. He had his finest U.S. Open with 71-71-70-73-285 to tie with Ben Crenshaw for eighth. A 67-69 start at Tallahassee led to a tie for ninth.

Lyn started slowly, failing to qualify in two of the first four tournaments and missing the cut in another two. He then tied for 52nd in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open and was 13th in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open, thanks to a 69-69 start on the famed Riviera course. From that point on, he played well.

Lyn entered 39 tournaments, missed the cut in 10 and failed to qualify only those two times early in the year. He compiled a stroke average of 71.7.

### PRIOR YEARS

Lyn Lott has fond memories of his start in golf. "My grandfather was semi-retired," he said, "and when I was five years old, he started to take me to the course. We went about every day until I was 12. After that, he started to take me to junior tournaments around Douglas, Ga.

When Lyn was 15 he started to play in scholastic tournaments and state amateur events. As a 17year-old, he won the Georgia State Open. He went on to the University of Georgia, and during his years there, he had as teammates Allen Miller, Terry Diehl and Bill Kratzert who also are members of the Tour now. His senior year with the Bulldogs, he won the Georgia State Amateur.

His first attempt at qualifying for the Tour was in the fall of 1973 and he made it. His earnings totaled \$16,911 in 1974. "I didn't think that was too bad for a start," he said, "because I had no idea how well I'd

His goal was to improve each year, and in 1975, he earned \$18,522. During this time, he worked hard on his game, "but I putted awful, just awful," he said.

# 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: 1972

CAREER EARNINGS: \$500,996 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 1976-\$ 77,843.-33

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Tallahassee Open. 4-Florida Citrus. T-4-NBC New Orleans Open, U.S.

Open. T-5—Colonial Invitational, American Express Westchester Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1970 NCAA champion.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

John Mahaffey was not happy with his year, even though he did win \$77,843 to finish 33rd. It was his first year in the last four that he failed to top the century mark.

For the second straight year, his biggest disappointment came in the U.S. Open, this time at the Atlanta Athletic Club course. He led by one stroke after two rounds with 70-68—138. He increased it to two strokes over Jerry Pate with a 69 in the third round.

He continued to hold his lead through much of the final round, but he finally relinquished it when he three putted the 17th from a most difficult spot. On the final hole, John suffered a bogey when he tried to reach the green from the right rough, and the ball found the water fronting the green. He finished tied for fourth.

He did have a second-place finish at Tallahassee, other fourth places at the Florida Citrus and the First NBC-New Orleans Open and fifth places at the Colonial National Invitation and Westchester Classic.

John entered 26 tournaments, missed the cut only once and was forced to withdraw frcm two others due to hand and arm problems late in the year. He compiled a stroke average of 71.2 and had 26 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

Since winning the Sahara Invitational near the end of the 1973 schedule, John Mahaffey has gained an irritating reputation for finishing second. "I want to win," he has said, understandably enough, and he clearly has the skills to do just that.

His losing a playoff to Lou Graham for the 1975 U.S. Open championship at Medinah was the most notable runnerup finish, but there have been others, too.

In 1974, the pleasant Texan placed second, tied for second, was third alone and tied for fourth—all before the end of April—and he wound up the year with seven top-10 finishes in 24 tournaments, while missing the cut only once.

In 1975, Mahaffey earned money in 21 of 28 events, including runnerup finishes at Tucson, Memphis and in the Open, and a tie for second in the Kemper Open, plus a fourth in the Heritage Classic, among exactly 10 finishes in the top 10.

Ben Hogan was among those who recognized that Mahaffey had a future 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 me if I'd like a special invitation to play in the Colonial National in Fort Worth the next week."

Mahaffey finished 12th in that Colonial. That fall he earned his Tour players card. In his rookie year, 1972, he placed second at Memphis and earned almost \$60,000 in official purses. And for the next three years he easily topped the \$100,000 mark.

# Roger Maltbie

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

HEIGHT: 5'10" WEIGHT: 175

BIRTHDATE: June 30, 1951 BIRTHPLACE: Modesto, Calif.

RESIDENCE: San Jose, California COLLEGE: San Jose State Univ.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Rock music

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: Fall of 1974

CAREER EARNINGS: \$198,772 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Ed McMahon-Jaycees Quad Cities Open, Pleasant Valley Classic (back-to-

back). 1976 Memorial Tournament. (TOTAL: 3)

1975-\$81,035.-23 1976-\$117,736.-18 MONEY & POSITION:

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Memorial Tournament. 2-Phoenix Open. T-3-Tournament Players Cham-

pionship. T-4-Kemper Open. T-9-Masters.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1972 Northern California Amateur champion. 1973 Northern California

Open champion. 1974 California State Open champion.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Roger Maltbie was a proud young man that afternoon in May when he battled his way to victory in the inaugural Memorial Tournament on the demanding Muirfield Village Golf Course near Columbus, O.

He had to turn back a fierce challenge by Hale Irwin to win on the fourth extra hole of their playoff after they had tied at even-par 288. This was on the course that Jack Nicklaus had built, and Roger later commented, "I've won a couple of tournaments and quite a bit of money, but this is the first time I have beat Jack Nicklaus and I beat him on his own course.

With rounds of 71-71-70, Roger was two strokes ahead, but he nearly let it get away with a closing

76, while Irwin was carving out a 69.

Roger admits he was "lucky" on their third extra hole - the 17th on the course. His approach was to the left, hit a gallery rope stake and bounced onto the green. He one putted for par to match Hale. His birdie on the next hole ended it.

Roger finished second in the Phoenix Open after a brilliant 65-65 start. He tied for third in the Tournament Players Championship, with a third-day 65 helping considerably. He also tied for fourth in the Kemper Open and tied for ninth in the Masters.

Although Roger totaled \$117,736 for the year, he only won \$2,173 after the first of July. He played in 26 tournaments, missed the cut in four and withdrew from three. He compiled a stroke average of 71.9.

## PRIOR YEARS

If the PGA Tour was rocked by rookie Roger Malbie's back-to-back victories in the Quad Cities Open and Pleasant Valley Classic in mid-July, 1975, the victor himself must have been a trifle shaken, too. He left his winner's check for \$40,000 in a restaurant the evening following the latter triumph in Sut-

Maltbie got a duplicate check from the tournament sponsor and the restaurant reportedly has the original framed and hung on the wall behind the bar, and his first year on the PGA Tour was most certainly a resounding success. He became the first rookie to win consecutive events since Bob Murphy in 1968 and wound up 23rd on the money ladder for 1975.

"I'm a pretty good competitor," says this low-key product of Northern California. "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.

This sort of attitude no doubt helped him come from seven shots back the final day to win the Quad Cities and from three strokes in arrears to win again at Sutton, Mass. He finished his rookie season by earning money in 17 of 29 events, missing the cut 10 times, including five of his last six tournaments in

Thoughts of seeking his fortune in pro golf probably began when Maltbie defeated Forrest Fezler in a playoff for the county high school championship, when Roger was a sophomore and Forrest a senior at James Lick High in San Jose. Maltbie won the Northern California Amateur in 1972, turned pro shortly thereafter, won the 1973 Northern California Open but failed to pass the Tour Qualifying School that Fall.

After sharpening his game in mini-tour events, Roger won the California State Open in 1974 and that Fall succeeded in the Tour School.

# Rik Massengale

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTHDATE: 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 1970

CAREER EARNINGS: \$285,847 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Tallahassee Open. 1976 Sammy Davis Jr., Greater Hartford Open.

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1971-\$13,249.-119 1973-\$42,295.- 73 1975-\$ 77,079.-25

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1—SDJ-Greater Hartford Open. 2—Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-5—American Express Westchester Classic, World Open, Walt Disney National Team Cham-

pionship (with Don Massengale). T-6—Del Webb Sahara Invitational. T-7—

American Golf Classic. T-9-Jacksonville Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1968 Western Amateur champion. 1968 Southwest Conference champion.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Just before the final round of the PGA Championship, Don Massengale gave his younger brother Rik a short lesson with the driver. "Don felt my grip was a little weak," Rik explained." I like to hook the ball and all year I had been fighting hitting it right."

With the new advice in mind, Rik headed for the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open and proceeded to post the lowest 72-hole score of the year, an 18-under par 266 with 65, 65, 70 and 66. It was worth \$42,000 as he won by two strokes.

It was an excellent year for Rik as he won \$124,984 to finish 17th. While he had eight top 10 finishes, his next best was a second place in the Bob Hope Desert Classic with final rounds of 68 and 67.

He also tied for fifth in the Westchester Classic with 68-68 for his last two rounds and tied for fifth in the World Open with a closing 67.

Rik played in 31 tournaments and missed the cut in five. He compiled a stroke average of 71.3 with 24 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

The first three years Rik Massengale was on the PGA Tour he experimented with his golf swing and enjoyed only moderate progress. In his fourth year, 1974, all his swing problems descended on him at once and he suffered an alarming setback when he earned barely more than his rookie season and finished even worse on the money ladder, in 127th place.

But, in 1975, good fortune came his way at last. He won the Tallahassee Open. Then he lost the Sahara Invitational only because Dave Hill beat him in a playoff. Massengale also turned in four other solid top-10 finishes for the year and his earnings improved by more than \$60,000 over 1974.

Rik Massengale is 10 years younger than brother Don, a former Tour star. "When I was about five I started to play golf just to be around him," Rik says. "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 weekends, so we could play golf together. 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 won the 1964 and 1965 Texas State high school championships. In 1968, while at the University of Texas he won the Southwest Conference and Western Amateur titles. After turning pro he failed to pass his first attempt at the Qualifying School in 1969 but made it the next Fall.

# **Jerry McGee**

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

HEIGHT: 5'91/2" WEIGHT: 160

BIRTH DATE: July 21, 1943 BIRTHPLACE: New Lexington,

Ohio

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: \$465,694 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1975 Pensacola Open.

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1967-\$ 4,212.-125 1971-\$54,359.-46 1974-\$ 54,506.-51 1968-\$ 6,969.-114 1972-\$47,751.-55 1975-\$ 93,569.-16

1970-\$22,965.- 90

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2—Sea Pines Heritage, World Open. 3—Southern, Walt Disney Team (with Aller Miller). T-3—B.C. Open. T-4—NBC Tucson, Memorial, IVB-Bicentennial.

T-5-Pensacola. T-8-Byron Nelson, PGA Championship. T-10-American

Golf Classic

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Jerry McGee became one of the more consistent players on the Tour in 1976, playing well and challenging on several occasions.

His finest tournament was the World Open on the famed Pinehurst No. 2 course. He had rounds of 67, 70 and 71 and on the final afternoon, birdied three of his last six holes, including the 18th, for a 66 and a 10-under par 274. Moments later, Ray Floyd rolled in a 15 footer to tie. In the sudden-death playoff, Floyd again made a 15 footer for a birdie and the victory.

Jerry also finished second in the Heritage Classic with a 68 the last day on the tough Harbour Town links. He opened with a 65 in the B.C. Open and tied for third. He was third alone in the Southern Open, and teamed with Allen Miller to finish third in the Walt Disney National Team Play.

It was a splendid year that saw Jerry win \$130,986 for 16th place and he now is recognized as one of the really fine players in the game. He had 12 top 10 finishes.

Jerry played in 33 tournaments, missed the cut in four and withdrew from another. He had 29 rounds in the sixties as he compiled a stroke average of 71.1.

## PRIOR YEARS

In his first nine years on the Tour, Jerry McGee suffered only one serious setback on his road to continuous progress in official earnings. In 1973, the best finish he managed was a third place in the Southern Open and he slipped back to 67th place on the money list after two straight years in the top 60.

McGee, probably the least known of the Tour's famed Ohio State products, recovered in 1974 to record his best year so far by finishing in the money in 25 of 35 tournaments, including five times in the top 10, but his best was still to come. He won his first tournament in 1975, the Pensacola Open and grabbed five other top-10 finishes to amass more than \$90,000. He made the cut in 26 of 31 events this time.

His winning week began with a two-under 69 which left him five shots back of Andy North. A secondday 66 lifted him to two behind Don Iverson and another 66 gave him the lead alone, one ahead of Wally Armstrong. The last round found McGee faltering on the front nine, but he sank three birdie putts on the final nine for a 70-271 which beat Armstrong by two strokes and was worth \$25,000.

McGee had one other setback in his earnings progress, although he survived to remain among the top 60 money winners in 1972. The problem began the previous summer, after he had accumulated \$54,000 through the Canadian Open, when he pulled ligaments in his thumb and was forced to sit out the rest of the 1971 season. "The longer I was home," he said, "the more I wondered if I'd ever play again."

He started 1972 by missing the first three cuts, before a closing 68 at Hawaii left him tied for 35th spot and with the feeling that perhaps his game had returned. He struggled to 55th place on the money ladder that year, a slight dip from his 1971 finish, and his 1973 performance was worse still.

## **Mac McLendon**

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

HEIGHT: 6'21/2" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Aug. 10, 1945 BIRTHPLACE: Atlanta, Ga.

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

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1968 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$333,284 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Walt Disney World National Team Championship (with Hubert Green). 1976

(TOTAL: 2) Southern Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$40,469.-40 1971-\$23,376.- 92 1974-\$34,870.-76

1970-\$19,810.-96 1973-\$24,379.-101 1976-\$72,390.-35

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1 - Southern Open, T-8 - Hawaiian Open, Byron Nelson Golf Classic. T-9 - Tal-

lahassee Open. SDJ-Greater Hartford Open.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It is hard to imagine anyone being happier than Benson Rayfield (Mac) McLendon was at the close of the Southern Open in Columbus, Ga. He won the tournament by two strokes over his close friend, Hubert Green.

It was Mac's first victory, and there were times when it appeared as if it might get away. He had a five-stroke lead at one point over Green, but suffered bogeys at the 11th, 15th and 17th holes. His lead was cut to one as he headed for the par five 18th.

He played his tee shot about where he wanted, planted his second shot short of the pond fronting the green and then hit a magnificent nine iron to within four feet of the cup. He made it for a birdie.

He said of his finish, "I've had chances to win before and let them get away. I didn't want it to happen this time." He had chances at the Pleasant Valley Classic and Ohio Kings Island Open, but terrible last rounds ended his dreams.

Mac finished with \$72,390 for 35th place and had four other top 10 finishes. He entered 33 tournaments and missed the cut eight times. His stroke average was 71.4 and had 32 rounds in the sixties.

### PRIOR YEARS

Mac McLendon won the first tournament he entered on the Tour, although it was a second Tour event, the 1968 Magnolia Classic. He also placed in the top 60 money list his first two years out on the big circuit.

Then began a five-year period which found him ready to chuck the Tour life for something more rewarding. But at the end of 1974 he teamed with Hubert Green to win the Walt Disney World National Team Championship and exemption from qualifying for the following 12 months.

Given that opportunity, McLendon played in 1975 as he had never played before. Twice he almost won, finishing tied for second at Jacksonville and second alone in the Pleasant Valley Classic. He also grabbed three other top-10 finishes and more than doubled his 1974 official earnings.

Benson R. McLendon Jr., who prefers the nickname Mac, graduated from Louisiana State in 1967 after winning three straight Southeastern Conference golf championships, and turned pro the following year. He also earned nine graduate hours in business administration while pursuing his pro career.

# **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); Scott (5/12/76)

COLLEGE: Brigham Young U. GRADUATED: 1969, Phys. Ed.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, church work, duck hunting

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1969 JOINED TOUR: 1969

CAREER EARNINGS: \$1,083,040 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Southern. 1972 Heritage Classic. 1973 U.S. Open. 1974 Bing Crosby Pro-(TOTAL: 17)

Am, Phoenix, Dean Martin-Tucson, Heritage Classic, Tournament of Champions, Westchester Classic, World Open and Kaiser International. 1975 Phoenix, Dean Martin-Tucson, Bob Hope Desert Classic, Kaiser International. 1976 NBC Tucson

Open, Bob Hope Desert Classic.

1972-\$ 99,348.-17 1975-\$226,118.- 2 MONEY & POSITION: 1969-\$ 8,364.-135 1976-\$135,887.-14

1973-\$127,833.- 9 1970-\$52,391.- 40 1971-\$91,081.- 18 1974-\$353,021.- 1

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-NBC Tucson Open, Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-2-Kaiser International.

T-7-Phoenix Open, Canadian Open. 10-U.S. Open. T-10-Tournament of

Champions.

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, 1976

British Open. Winner 1975-1976 Winter Tour segment.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

There was nothing unusual about the way Johnny Miller started the year. He won the NBC-Tucson Open for the third straight year, this time overtaking Tom Weiskopf on the final afternoon.

A final-round 66 gave him a tie for seventh in the Phoenix Open the next week, and, after a tie for 18th in the Bing Crosby, Johnny's next stop was the Bob Hope Desert Classic. With the help of a splendid 63 the last day at Indian Wells, he came from two strokes back to win by three. It was his second straight

Johnny did not win again in the United States although a course-record 63 at the Silverado Country Club in Napa, Calif., aided him to a tie for second behind J.C. Snead. Silverado is his home course.

In mid-summer, Johnny did capture the British Open at Royal Birkdale by an easy six strokes. He was forced out of the PGA Championship when he fell off his motorbike at his home and bruised

his hand. Johnny played in 17 tournaments-five less than the year before-and missed the cut once. He earned \$135,887 for 14th place. His stroke average was 71.4 with 17 rounds in the sixties.

## **PRIOR YEARS**

No matter what levels Johnny Miller reaches in golf, he will not forget what he accomplished in 1974. His first 23 rounds in 1974 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 Tournament of Champions before the end of April, played seldom the next 15 weeks and finished the year with a rush by winning the Westchester, World Open and Kaiser International.

He topped Jack Nicklaus' single-season money winning record by more than \$30,000 with his \$353,021 and, in addition to the eight victories, he placed in the top six in four other events, among 21 played.

"I'm going to have to sit down and do a lot of thinking about next year," Miller said after that astonishing year. "This has been sort of ridiculous, and I've got to keep everything in perspective."

No one expected him to keep it up in 1975, but it could hardly be called an off year. He came out to win the Phoenix Open by 14 strokes, at 24-under 260, and the next week he won by nine at Tucson at 263, or 25 under. He shot a 61 in each tournament and all eight rounds were in the 60s.

A tie for sixth in the Crosby brought him back to reality, but he won his next start, the Bob Hope Desert Classic, by three shots at 21-under 339 for five rounds.

# 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: \$129,918

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$ 3.800 - 204

1975-\$42,772.-60

1974-\$23.880.- 94

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-2—Danny Thomas Memphis Classic. T-4—Del Webb Sahara Invitational. 6—Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open. T-8—PGA Championship. T-9—Western

1976-\$61,372.-42

Open. T-10-Houston Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1967 Oklahoma Collegiate champion. 1968 Collegiate All-American. 1972

runner-up Western Amateur and Porter Cup.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Gil Morgan has managed to improve a little each year and his climb up the ladder may not be spectacular, but it certainly is steady.

He won \$61,372 last year for 42nd place, which is an increase of nearly \$20,000 over the year before. His best finish was a tie for second in the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic. That was a good spot for the strong showing, too, since he attended the Southern College of Optometry in Memphis. It was a 65 in the third round that triggered the charge.

Gil had five other top 10 finishes, his next best being a tie for fourth in the Sahara Invitational, aided by a closing 67. A pair of 68s at Riviera helped in the sixth-place finish in the Glen Campbell-Los

The PGA Championship provided his biggest disappointment. After his 66-68 in the rain-plagued event, he led the field by four strokes. A third-day 75 dropped him two strokes in back of Charles Coody and tied with Jack Nicklaus, but another 75 ended his hopes. He finished tied for eighth.

Gil played in 32 tournaments and missed the cut in eight. He had a stroke average of 71.9 with 20 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

At the end of his rookie year on Tour, 1974, Gil Morgan won about \$11,000 in his last four tournaments. That was an encouraging period for this young doctor of optometry out of Oklahoma, but a year later he needed another hot spell for a very vital reason.

Going into the final individual Tour event of 1975, Morgan stood in 66th place on the money list and he needed almost \$7,000 in the San Antonio-Texas Open to crack the top-60 exemption category for all

Morgan took the lead at the halfway mark with 66-68-134. A third-round 75 seemed to kill chances for victory but a closing 68 left him in third place, worth \$8,875 and in exactly 60th place on the money

Morgan began playing golf at about age 15 and didn't choose it as a career - along with optometry until his junior year at East Central State College in Oklahoma. He won the Oklahoma collegiate championship before graduation in 1968 and did not turn pro until after earning his doctorate four years later.

He was second in the Western Amateur and Porter Cup before entering the Tour Qualifying School in the fall of 1972, where he failed to gain his player's card. A year later, after subsisting on the mini-tour circuits, Morgan was graduated from the school.

# Mike Morley

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

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 170

BIRTHDATE: June 17, 1946 BIRTHPLACE: Morris, Minn.

RESIDENCE: Bloomington, Minn.

FAMILY: Wife, Janis. Michelle (6/4/73).

COLLEGE: Arizona State University

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing, hunting.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1969 JOINED TOUR: 1970

CAREER EARNINGS: \$200,615

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1970-\$ 111-175

1973-\$27,063-95 1974-\$25,272-87 1975-\$41,102-64 1976-\$88,348-29

1971-\$ 2,692-187 1972-\$12,329-125

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Bing Crosby National Pro-Am, Colonial Invitational. T-3-Andy Williams San

Diego Open. T-4-Hawaiian Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Winner 1972 Magnolia Classic and two other Second Tour events. 1967

and 1968 All-America. Winner 1966, 1967 North Dakota Amateur.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Mike Morley put his new knowledge of his golf swing to excellent use in 1976 and proved to be one of the sensations of the West Coast.

He won \$47,680 in his first five starts, which was far more than he had ever won for an entire season. He gave Joe Nichols, a professional in Phoenix, the credit for helping him with his game.

Mike started with a tie for 13th in the NBC Tucson Open, finishing with three 69s. The next week, a third-round 75 cost him a chance for a solid finish as he tied for 21st.

At the Bing Crosby, he was second, two strokes behind Ben Crenshaw, although he was tied for the first-day lead at 67 with Jack Nicklaus. The next week, he started with a 74 at the Hawaiian Open, and then fired 67, 68 and 66 for 275 and finished tied for fourth. After a tie for 15th at the Bob Hope Desert Classic, he came right back with a tie for third in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open, with 67-66 the first

He had another second place finish, this one in the Colonial National Invitation in Fort Worth with 70-68-67-69-274, one stroke in back of Lee Trevino. At year's end, Mike had won \$88,348 for 29th place. It's the first time he has finished in the top 60.

Mike entered 24 tournaments, missed the cut in six and withdrew from another. He compiled a stroke average of 71.5 with 26 rounds in the sixties. His low was a 64 in the Greater Greensboro Open.

## PRIOR YEARS

Mike Morley's early years on the Tour were not very satisfying or profitable by his own admission, even though he did manage to win three Second Tour events.

"I had virtually no national amateur experience," he says. It was frustrating for him, trying to piece his game together while facing the game's best. His biggest success came in the 1972 Magnolia Classic when he won by three strokes.

Morley's introduction to golf certainly has to be classified as one of the more unusual. "We lived in Morris, Minn.," he explains, "next door to a banker. Everyone in that family was an avid golfer. I was about nine years old and their two sons were about four and six years older than me and they worked at the golf course. One day, they got their mother's clubs and cut them down so they could teach me to play. I remember they really got it when their mother discovered her sawed-off clubs."

Mike was 12 years old when he was given his own set. The family moved to Minot, N.D., and he played high school golf for three years. He moved to LaJolla, Calif., for his senior year, and was a high school teammate of John Schroeder. He went on to Arizona State and among his teammates there was Joe

He obtained his Player's Card in 1970 and only won \$1,449 that year. In 1973 when he won Second Tour events in Shreveport, La., and Pinehurst, N.C., he pocketed \$27,063, his best until 1975 when he hearly made the Top 60 list for exemption. He went down to the final week before coming up less than \$1,700 short with \$41,102 for 64th place.

# **Bob Murphy**

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

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)

COLLEGE: U. of Florida GRADUATED: 1966, Phys. Ed.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1967 JOINED TOUR: 1968

CAREER EARNINGS: \$756,019 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 Philadelphia, Thunderbird. 1970 Hartford. 1975 Jackie Gleason Inverrary

(TOTAL: 4) Classic.

MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$105,595.-10 1971-\$75,301.-27 1974-\$ 59,048.-44

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-6-Sea Pines Heritage Classic. 7-Florida Citrus. T-8-Hawaiian Open,

Kemper Open. T-9-Pensacola Open. T-10-Bob Hope Desert Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1965 U.S. Amateur. 1966 NCAA champion. 1975 Ryder Cup Team.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was a frustrating year for the talented Bob Murphy. A painful hand, especially during the latter half of the year, hindered him immensely. Finally, it took a tie for ninth in the Pensacola Open, worth \$3,250, to elevate him into the 60th position on the money list. It gave him \$47,627 for the year, h s lowest total

"I hurt the hand at the Kemper Open in June." he said. "The grip became undone and it caused me to slam the club into the ground. It hurt for most of the summer, but in the fall I had a doctor diagnose it as a uric acid condition. He gave me medication and the pain went away."

Bob started the year at the Hawaiian Open and was tied for the lead after 36 holes and only one stroke back after three, but a final-round 74 dropped him into a tie for eighth. The next week, he tied for 10th in the Bob Hope Desert Classic with a final-round 66.

His best finish of the year was a tie for sixth in the Heritage Classic, although he held the first-day lead with a 66.

Bob entered 23 tournaments and missed the cut four times. Because of the hand, he missed the cut at the U.S. Open—the week after the Kemper—and did not return to the Tour for seven weeks. He compiled a stroke average of 71.7 with 23 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

Bob Murphy entered the University of Florida in the early 1960s as a baseball prospect, but an injury kept him off the diamond his freshman year, so he turned his attention to golf. In 1965 he won the U.S. Amateur and the following spring the NCAA championship.

His success as a touring pro was no less sudden. He was graduated from the 1957 Qualifying School and the following year won the Philadelphia and Thunderbird events back-to-back, and more than \$100,000—easily the most money by a rookie to that time.

In his first eight years on Tour, Murphy finished out of the top 35 on the money list only once, in 1974 when a thumb injury sidelined him for four months. He was limited to 19 tournaments that year, but he failed to earn a check in only four of these and he placed 44th on the money list.

In 1975, after finishing three shots back of Johnny Miller in second place in the Hope Desert Classic, he announced: "Murph's ready. If he doesn't get them next week, he'll get them soon."

He tied for 18th at San Diego the following week, but two weeks later he made good on his warning by winning the Jackie Gleason Inverrary Classic.

Despite strained ligaments in his right hand, an injury which began at the Kemper Open, in which he tied for fifth, and bothered him the rest of the summer, Murphy enjoyed his greatest year in official earnings in 1975. He missed the cut only twice in 23 events, withdrew from one other and finished in the top 10 on six occasions.

A closing, two-under-par 69 in the U.S. Open placed him in a tie for third at Medinah, only a stroke out of the playoff.

# **Larry Nelson**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List.

**HEIGHT:** 5'9" WEIGHT: 155

BIRTH DATE: Sept. 10, 1947 BIRTHPLACE: Ft. Payne, Ala.

RESIDENCE: Kennesaw, Georgia

FAMILY: Wife, Gayle. Andrew Benjamin (10/7/76)

COLLEGE: Kennesaw Junior College. GRADUATED: 1970

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: Fall of 1973

CAREER EARNINGS: \$129,207

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1974-\$24.022-93

1975-\$39,810-66

1976-\$66,482-41

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-2-Hawaiian Open. T-4-IVB-Bicentennial Classic. T-6-Byron Nelson. 7-

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Larry Nelson is a young man of few words, but when he has his game going, he doesn't have to say much. Larry moved into the top 60 class for the first time in 1976, continuing to make steady improvement. He earned \$66,482 to finish 41st.

He is classified as one of the better players in the game today who still has not won. The first victory nearly came in the Hawalian Open, but Ben Crenshaw was a little too strong the last day. Larry's card of 69-69-67-69-274 tied him for second with Hale Irwin. It was worth \$21,275.

He came close again in the IVB-Bicentennial Open in Philadelphia, but a bogey-double bogey finish dropped him back to a tie for fourth, two strokes out of the playoff. A par-par finish would have won it.

He had two other top 10 finishes, a tie for sixth in the Byron Nelson Classic, and a seventh in the B.C.

Open, thanks to three rounds in the sixties.

Larry played in 35 tournaments, missed the cut in six and withdrew from one. He compiled a stroke average of 72.0. He had 24 rounds in the sixties

# **PRIOR YEARS**

The Larry Nelson story is one of the more unusual on the Tour. Four years after he started to play the game, and with only one 72-hole tournament to his credit, he qualified for his Approved Tournament Player's card. "I really wasn't ready," he said, but his record since that big day in the fall of 1973 has steadily improved each year.

Larry lettered in varsity basketball and baseball in high school and went to Southern Tech for a year.

He was drafted into the military and spent the next two years working for Uncle Sam.

After his discharge in 1968 he spent time going to school and working as an illustrator at the Lockheed plant near his home. "It was in 1969 that I went to the golf range one day to hit balls, just for something to do.

He liked it so much that he decided to go to work as an assistant to Bert Seagraves at the Pine Tree club near his home in Kennesaw. "I was only an amateur for six months," he said.

Then he decided that if he was going to be in golf, he might as well try to play, instead of working in a shop. In 1972, he was off to the mini-tours in Florida. In 1973, he finished bogey-bogey in the Florida State Open to lose the title by a stroke, but that was the only time he played in a 72-hole event prior to the Tour's Qualifying School.

As a rookie, his best finish was a tie for fifth in the Western Open, and in 1975, he tied for fourth twice, in the Byron Nelson Classic and the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open.

# **Bobby Nichols**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1964 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 6'2" WEIGHT: 195

BIRTH DATE: Apr. 14, 1936 BIRTHPLACE: Louisville, Ky.

RESIDENCE: Akron, Ohio

FAMILY: Wife, Nancy Marrillia; Craig (10/12/62); Ricky

(10/27/64); Leslie (10/25/65).

COLLEGE: Texas A&M GRADUATED: 1958, Business

SPECIAL INTERESTS: All sports and antique cars

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1959 JOINED TOUR: 1960

CAREER EARNINGS: \$916,098 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-3

TOUR VICTORIES: 1962 St. Petersburg, Houston. 1963 Seattle. 1964 PGA Championship, Carling World Open. 1965 Houston. 1966 Minnesota. 1968 PGA Team (with George (TOTAL: 12)

Archer). 1970 Dow Jones. 1973 Westchester Classic. 1974 Andy Williams-San

Diego, Canadian Open.

1966-\$ 53,475.-13 MONEY & POSITION: 1960-\$ 5,701.-60 1972-\$ 78.847 - 28

1967-\$ 51,557.-22 1973-\$ 91,145.- 26 1961-\$15,516.-36 1962-\$34.312-9 1974-\$124.747.- 14

1968-\$ 69,046.-19 1969-\$ 36,793.-51 1975-\$ 49,835.- 46 1963-\$33,605.-10

1976-\$ 9,820.-143 1964-\$74,012.- 5 1970-\$103,429.-13 1971-\$ 74,205.-28 1965-\$54,237.-12

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Walt Disney Team Championship (with Gay Brewer). T-16-Greater

Greensboro Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1962 Ben Hogan Award. 1967 Ryder Cup team.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

If Bobby Nichols could find a way to do it, he would turn the calendar back a year and start 1976 all over again. It was the poorest of his 17 years on the Tour, yet, he still nearly shared in a victory

Bobby was teamed with Gay Brewer in the Walt Disney World National Team play event and they held a one-stroke lead on the 72nd tee. Gay hit his tee shot short, but in the fairway. Bobby snap hooked one into the trees. It was so far into the woods that he didn't even bother trying to play it out. They suffered a bogey on the hole, and the rookies Woody Blackburn and Bill Kratzert won it in sudden death on the third extra hole.

Bobby only won \$9,820 in official money-plus the \$12,944 he collected in the Disney. His best finish was a tie for 16th in the Greater Greensboro Open as he turned loose with his best scoring, 67-68-66 in the final three rounds.

He was at a loss to explain the problem, except to smile and say, "It's something in the swing." Bobby entered 22 tournaments, missed the cut in 12 and withdrew from another. His stroke average

## **PRIOR YEARS**

A serious auto accident while he was a teen-ager in Kentucky changed Bobby Nichols' career, and he shouldn't have many regrets. He was a standout football and basketball player in high school, but the accident led him to devote his attention to golf and, while at Texas A&M, he won the 1956 Southwest Conference championship, before graduating in 1958 with a degree in business.

Nichols joined the Tour in 1960 and in his first 16 years he never once finished out of the top 60 money-winning list. After his first five years he had no worries about an exemption because he earned a

lifetime ticket to Tour events by winning the 1964 PGA Championship.

Nichols won a dozen tournaments and more than \$900,000 in those 16 years, and 1974 was certainly among his most enjoyable years. For the third time, he won two tournaments in a single year, the Andy Williams-San Diego and the Canadian Open, and almost \$125,000, while holding down the head pro position at Firestone CC in Akron.

In 1975 he almost won at San Diego again, his 14-foot par putt gaining a playoff with J.C. Snead and Ray Floyd, but he dropped out on the first extra hole with a bogey.

Nichols also tied for fourth in the 1975 Masters, after leading the first round with a 67, and tied for

eighth in the Kemper Open. But his most unforgettable incident of the year came in the Western Open, when he felt effects of a bolt of lightning, went to the hospital along with Lee Trevino and Jerry Heard and, although discharged soon, skipped the next three tournaments.

# **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: \$2,808,211 PLAYOFF RECORD: 11-8

(TOTAL: 60)

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. 1976 Tournament Players Championship, World Series of

MONEY & POSITION:

1962-\$ 61,8693	1967-\$188,9981	1972-\$320,5421
1963-\$100,0402	1968-\$155,2862	1973-\$308,3621
1964-\$113,2851	1969-\$140,1673	1974-\$238,1782
1965-\$140,7521	1970-\$142,1494	1975-\$298,1491
1966-\$111,4192	1971-\$244,4901	1976-\$266,4381

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1—Tournament Players Championship, World Series of Golf. 2—Canadian Open. T-2—Doral-Eastern Open. T-3—Masters. T-4—NBC New Orleans Open, PGA Championship. T-6-Ohio Kings Island Open. T-7-Bob Hope Desert Classic. T-8-Byron Nelson Classic, Memorial Tournament.

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. 1976 Australian Open.

# 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was not a typical Jack Nicklaus year, yet when you look at the figures, you see several significant

He only won twice but both of his victories were important ones. He captured the Tournament Players Championship for the second time in its three-year history. A final-round 65 made that possible. Then, he won the new \$300,000 World Series of Golf on the tough South course at Firestone Country

The two triumphs were worth \$160,000 and they propelled him to his eighth money-winning title in his 15 years on Tour. He totaled \$266,438.

His NO-CUT streak reached 105 tournaments and then it was snapped in the World Open at Pinehurst as he posted 72-74-146 to miss by one. The last previous time he had missed it was in the 1970 Kaiser International Open.

He has won 60 times on the U.S. Tour, and his chart on the 16 major victories shows 5 Masters, 4 PGAs, 3 U.S. Opens, 2 British Opens and 2 U.S. Amateurs

# **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: \$219,589** 

TOUR VICTORIES: None.

MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$48,672,-64

1973—\$48,672.—64 1975— 1974—\$58,409.—46

1975-\$44,729.-53

1976-\$71,267,-37

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Ohio Kings Island Open. T-6-Sea Pines Heritage Classic. T-7-Western

Open, Greater Milwaukee Open, Canadian Open. 8-Kaiser International.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 Wisconsin State Amateur. 1971 Western Amateur. 1970, 1971, 1972

College All-American.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was a good year for Andy North, but the taste of victory continued to elude him through 1976. He'll never come closer than he did in the Ohio Kings Island Open, though.

Andy had turned in rounds of 68, 69 and 66 and was playing some of the best golf of his life. He led by one stroke over Mac McLendon. Ben Crenshaw was two strokes back at 205.

Crenshaw was having another of his super days in the final round, and led Andy by one as they walked to the final tee, a par five hole. Both managed birdles and Ben finished at 271 and Andy at 272. He collected \$17,100.

It helped him to his finest year, winning \$71,267 and 37th place. Andy also had a tie for sixth in the Heritage Classic, three ties for seventh and an eighth. It was a good last round that helped Andy to gain each of those good finishes, which speaks well for the determination of this young man.

Andy entered 34 tournaments, missed the cut five times and withdrew once. He had a stroke average of 71.7, which was nearly a half-stroke better than the year before. He had 31 rounds in the sixties. One of those was a 66 the first day at the Masters, but he followed it with an 81.

## PRIOR YEARS

When Andy North was in the seventh grade in Madison, Wis., it was discovered that a bone in his knee had stopped growing and was disintegrating. He was on crutches for 18 months, then was told he must give up basketball and football, but he could play golf—if he rode in a cart.

North's father was a low-handicap golfer, and the idea for Andy was welcomed in the family. With the help of his father and Lee Milligan, then head pro at Nakoma CC in Madison, Andy began his career in golf. He also returned to basketball and was selected all-state his senior year in high school, but golf was by then his dominant activity.

North won the Wisconsin high school golf title in 1966 and 1967, the State Amateur in 1969 and placed second in the Wisconsin Open in 1968 and 1969. He then entered the University of Florida and was chosen All-America in golf for three years, won the Houston All-American tournament and the 1971 Western Amateur.

North turned pro in 1972 and joined the Tour the following year and just missed the top 60 money list while winning the Little Crosby Second Tour event. In 1974 he jumped 18 places on the money list, to 46th, while missing the cut only five times in 34 tournaments. His best of three top-10 finishes was a tie for second at Houston, a shot behind Dave Hill.

The year of 1975 was almost as impressive although less lucrative as he placed in the top 10 in four events. The highlight was probably his score of 36-27—63 in the first round of the B.C. Open, his seven-under score on the back nine equalling the all-time Tour record for nine holes.

# **Arnold Palmer**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime, 1960 U.S. Open Champion

WEIGHT: 185 HEIGHT: 5'101/2"

BIRTHDATE: 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: \$1,740,131 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 Classic.

MONEY & POSITION:

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1963-$128,230.- 1 1970-$128,853.-
1955-$ 7,958.-32
                                      1971-$209,603.-
                   1964-$113,203.- 2
1956-$16,145.-19
                   1965-$ 57,770.-10 1972-$ 84,181.- 25
1957-$27,803.- 5
                                      1973-$ 89,457.- 27
1958-$42,608.- 1
                   1966-$110,467.- 3
                                      1974-$ 36,293.- 72
                   1967-$184,065.- 2
1959-$32,462.- 5
                   1968-$114,602.- 7
                                      1975-$ 59,017.- 36
1960-$75,263.- 1
                   1969-$105,128.- 9 1976-$ 17,017.-115
1961-$61,091.- 2
1962-$81,448.- 1
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BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-15-Tallahassee Open, PGA Championship.

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.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was not a year to remember for Arnold Palmer. For the first time since he joined the Tour in 1955, he never seriously challenged. He had his good days, such as the 66 in the first round of the Canadian Open and was only one off the pace. He finished tied for 18th.

His best finishes were ties for 15th in the PGA Championship, helped by a third-round 68, and at the

Tallahassee Open. His 63 in the Tallahassee pro-amateur tied the Killearn course record. Arnold has won 61 times on the U.S. Tour, starting with the 1955 Canadian Open. He is third on the

all-time list, headed only by Sam Snead with 84 and Ben Hogan with 62.

Although he has won overseas in recent years, his last Tour victory was in the 1973 Bob Hope Desert Classic. He had to fire a three-under par 69 the last day at Bermuda Dunes to get the title, and it was raining heavily most of the day. He edged Jack Nicklaus and Johnny Miller by two strokes and it was

his fifth Hope title. In 1976, Arnold played in 19 tournaments, missed the cut in five and withdrew from one. He earned \$17,017 to increase his career earnings to \$1,740,131. His stroke average was an even 72.

# **Jerry Pate**

EXEMPT STATUS: 10 years-1976 U.S. Open.

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 165

BIRTH DATE: Sept. 16, 1953 BIRTHPLACE: Macon, Ga.

RESIDENCE: Pensacola Fla

FAMILY: Wife, Soozi. COLLEGE: Alabama

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Water Skiing, hunting, fishing.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1975 JOINED TOUR: 1975

CAREER EARNINGS: \$156,352

TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 U.S. Open, Canadian Open.

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1975-\$3.250.-176 1976-\$153,102.-10

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-U.S. Open, Canadian Open. 3-IVB-Bicentennial. T-4-Memorial Tourna-

ment, PGA Championship. T-5-Walt Disney Team, (with George Burns). T-7-Andy Williams San Diego Open. T-9-World Series of Golf. T-10-American

Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1974 U.S. Amateur Champion; 1974 Florida Amateur; 1974 World Amateur

Cup Team; 1975 Walker Cup team. 1976 Pacific Masters. Winner 1976

Winter Tour segment.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

It took Jerry Pate a few months to become adjusted to life on the Tour, but once he did, he turned in a remarkable performance. As a matter of fact, his performance may have been the finest ever by a firstyear player.

Jerry made the United States Open his first Tour victory. He caught John Mahaffey on the closing holes and then rifled one of the great five irons in golf history on the 18th. He struck it from the right rough, over water and the ball stopped two feet from the flag. He made the birdle for a two-stroke victo-

Five weeks later, with Jack Nicklaus close on his heels, Jerry fired a brilliant final-round sevenunder par 63 to win the Canadian Open by four strokes over Nicklaus.

At the U.S. Open, Jerry's card read 71-69-69-68-277, three-under par. At the Canadian Open, he had 69-67-68-63-267, 13-under par.

During the first four months of the year, Jerry had only won \$15,554. Interestingly enough, in his first tournament as a member of the Tour, he failed to qualify for the NBC-Tucson Open. By the end of the year, he had \$153,102 and finished 10th on the money list.

You could see his splendid game reaching its sharpness in May. After missing cuts at New Orleans and Houston, he received some good advice from his "coach," Conrad Rehling. Then he tied for 34th in the Byron Nelson Classic, tied for 14th in the Colonial National Invitation, tied for 12th in the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic, tied for fourth in The Memorial Tournament and was third in the IVB-Bicentennial in Philadelphia because he finished bogey-bogey. He skipped the Kemper and then went to the

Jerry entered 30 tournaments, missed the cut in five, failed to qualify in one and withdrew from two. His stroke average was 71.2 and had 24 rounds in the sixties.

## **PRIOR YEARS**

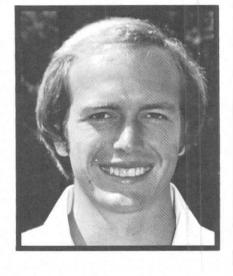
While coaching at the University of Florida, Conrad Rehling developed one pupil named Bob Murphy who won the 1965 Florida Amateur and U.S. Amateur championships. Nine years later he was hugely instrumental in bringing along another young man to the same achievements in amateur golf.

Rehling was coaching at a small college near Pensacola when he met Jerry Pate, who was then still attending Washington High School in Pensacola. Pate soon gave up other sports to concentrate on golf and, after graduating from high school, followed Rehling to the University of Alabama and pursued

In 1974 Pate, like Murphy nine years before, won the Florida and U.S. Amateur titles. He also helped the United States win the Eisenhower Cup at the World Amateur Team Championship.

The following Spring Pate helped the U.S. team win the Walker Cup matches, then finished sixth in

the Pensacola Open and tied for 18th in the U.S. Open at Medinah before turning pro-



# **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: \$1,216,821 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.

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.— 1964—\$ 61,449.— 7 1971—\$120,916.— 5 1958—\$18,591.— 1965—\$ 69,964.— 5 1972—\$120,719.— 7

1976-\$ 53,668.-53

1962-\$45,838.- 6 1969-\$123,897.- 5 1963-\$55,455.- 5 1970-\$101,212.-15

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 3-Los Angeles Open. 6-Greater Jacksonville Open. T-9-Tournament Play-

ers Championship, Doral-Eastern 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.

Won 1976 General Motors Classic, South African Dunlop Masters. 107 vic-

tories around the world.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Gary Player joined the Tour in time for the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open, the seventh event on the schedule. After a 72-71 start, he made a great charge on the famed Riviera course with 67-67 for 277 and a third-place finish.

The next week, he had a final-round 67 and tied for ninth in the Tournament Players Championship. He followed with a tie for 19th in the Florida Citrus Open and then came back with a tie for ninth in the Doral-Eastern Open and a sixth at the Greater Jacksonville Open. Those were his last top 10 finishes.

At the Citrus, he fired a magnificent 10-under par 30-32-62 in the third round to set the Rio Pinar course record. It also was the lowest 18-hole score he has ever had in the United States.

Gary collected \$53,668 for the year and it increased his lifetime earnings to a healthy \$1,216,-821.99.

He played in 17 tournaments and missed the cut in two. His stroke average was 71.2.

## PRIOR YEARS

One of only four men to have won all four of the world's major championships in golf, Gary Player enjoyed one of his most gratifying years in 1974 when he won two of the titles again.

An operation in January, 1973, curtailed his playing schedule for about four months and caused his dropping out of the top 60 money list on the PGA Tour for the first time since 1958. But he rebounded in 1974 by winning the Masters for the second time and the British Open for the third, and earning more than \$100,000 after only 15 appearances in the U.S. He also won at Memphis by rallying from five strokes back with 17 holes remaining.

The purposeful South African again played in 15 U.S. events in 1975 but, for the first time since 1968, victory eluded him for an entire year.

# **Victor Regalado**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5' 101/2" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Apr. 15, 1948 BIRTHPLACE: Tijuana, Mexico

RESIDENCE: San Diego, California SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: 1972

CAREER EARNINGS: \$149,002

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Pleasant Valley Classic.

(Total 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$ 9,512-154 1975-\$25,833-85

1974-\$61,848- 39 1976-\$53,686-52

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-New Orleans Open. T-3-Tallahassee. T-8-Florida Citrus. T-10-

Greensboro Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1970 Mexican Amateur winner. 1972 Mexican PGA winner. 1972, 1973

Mexican Masters winner. 1968, 1970 member Mexico World Amateur team.

1972, 1973 member Mexico World Cup team.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Victor Regalado regained his exempt status by moving into the top 60 after an absence of a year, and it was the month of April that made the difference. Victor won \$53,686 for 52nd place, but \$29,385 of that came out of Greensboro, Tallahassee and New Orleans.

Victor had a final-round 67 to tie for 10th in the Greater Greensboro Open. After skipping a week, he tied for third in the Tallahassee Open and then moved on to the First NBC-New Orleans Open and nearly won it. He was second, just a stroke in back of Larry Ziegler. His card read 68-69-69-69—275 and was worth \$19.950.

He only had one other top 10 finish, that being a tie for eighth in the Florida Citrus Open. After his tie for 35th in the U.S. Open, he only collected six more checks in his final 12 tournaments, and they totaled less than \$2,000.

Victor played in 34 tournaments, missed the cut six times, withdrew twice and did not qualify for another. He compiled a stroke average of 72.0, although after New Orleans, it was down to 71.1.

# PRIOR YEARS

Victor Regalado knows what it is like to be a winner, so it wasn't easy for him to accept the results of 1975.

After winning the 1974 Pleasant Valley Classic at Sutton, Mass., it appeared as if the success he had enjoyed in his homeland of Mexico would continue on the PGA Tour. However, early in 1975, he injured his right thumb. "I couldn't practice for six months," he said, "but I kept trying to play."

The thumb improved by the latter half of the year, and a tie for fourth in the Sammy Davis, Jr.-Greater Hartford Open and a tie for second in the Disney team play, where he was partnered with Curtis Sifford, helped to save the year. Yet, he dropped out of the top 60 with \$25,833 and 85th place on the money list.

Victor started to play golf at age 11 at the Tijuana Country Club, two blocks from his home. The first tournament he entered was the Pan-American Juniors at Tijuana and he won it at age 14.

Although he won several titles throughout Central America, his most impressive were the Mexican Amateur in 1970, the Mexican PGA in 1972, the Mexican Masters in 1972 and 1973. He represented Mexico on the World Amateur Eisenhower Cup matches in 1968 and 1970, earning low individual honors in Spain in 1970. He also represented Mexico in the 1972 and 1973 World Cup matches.

# 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: \$680,841 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 1966-\$35,616.-28 1972-\$113,503-12 1961-\$ 2,269.-99 1962-\$ 6,389.-68 1968-\$58,323.-30 1974-\$ 58,940.- 44

1965-\$26,568.-37 1971-\$30,390.-74

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-5-SDJ-Greater Hartford Open, Pensacola Open. T-9-Southern Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 Ryder Cup team.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Juan (Chi Chi) Rodriguez was feeling better towards the end of the year and it was evident in his golf game.

He had four solid rounds in the 60s in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open and tied for fifth. That was in late August. In the final two events of the year, a closing 67 gave him a tie for ninth in the Southern Open and a 68-68 finish gave him a tie for fifth in the Pensacola Open.

He switched to graphite shafts in his woods for the Southern and Pensacola, and also changed his putting slightly, using more of a wrist action rather than his shoulders.

Chi Chi only collected four checks in his first 13 events, and then collected 11 checks in the final 16 tournaments.

He entered 29 tournaments and missed the cut in 13. His stroke average was 72.4. He earned \$29,870 for 75th place, which was a definite increase from the year before.

## PRIOR YEARS

As he passed his 40th birthday in the fall of 1975 and reflected on the worst of his 16 years on Tour—in placing on the money list—Juan (Chi Chi) Rodriguez could have mentioned that he was sidelined three times during the year by the flu. "But I can't use that as an excuse," he said. "I just didn't play well. For some reason, the cuts just got awfully small."

Chi Chi, a great favorite of the galleries everywhere, never was a factor in any of the 27 tournaments he played in, with his best effort a tie for 12th at Greensboro, worth \$4,218.

Chi Chi made his way into golf as a boy in Puerto Rico, after learning to hit tin cans with limbs from a guava tree. Realizing family responsibility, he joined the Army at 19 "to make money...more than I could have by caddying at home."

He arrived on the Tour in 1960 and didn't finish higher than sixth until he won the 1963 Denver Open. He remained among the top 60 each year until 1971, when surgery on his arms late the previous year limited his schedule.

In 1972 he won the Byron Nelson Classic and finished in the top 10 in eight other events. The following year he won at Greensboro and the very next week he challenged in the Masters until a closing 76 left him in a tie for 10th place.

In 1974, Chi Chi's best effort among six top-10 finishes was a tie for fourth in the Canadian Open. At Las Vegas he was within a stroke of leader Al Geiberger until he triple bogied the 72nd hole.

# **Mason Rudolph**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Top 50 Career Earnings

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 180

BIRTH DATE: May 23, 1934 BIRTHPLACE: Clarksville, Tenn.

RESIDENCE: Clarksville, 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: \$551,537 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

1963-\$39,120.- 7 1969-\$20,967.-85 1975-\$23,084.- 91

1964-\$52,568.- 8 1970-\$46,215.-52 1976-\$15,594.-120

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-9-San Antonio Texas 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.

# 1976 AT A GLANCE

Mason Rudolph had his poorest money year since 1960, and he said part of it was a lack of concentration.

The affable veteran said, "Just to give you an idea, my oldest boy is 16 and starting to drive a car. Sometimes I catch myself thinking about him."

Mason's best finish came at the end of the year when he tied for ninth in the San Antonio-Texas Open. He joined with Dan Sikes to tie for 10th in the Walt Disney World Team Play championship.

His best round of the year came the last day of the Greater Greensboro, a 31-32-63. "I used a new set of irons at the Doral-Eastern," he said, "and won over \$1,600. I didn't use them again until today."

Mason earned \$15,594. He played in 26 tournaments and missed the cut 11 times. His stroke average was 72.4.

## PRIOR YEARS

In his first 17 years as a Tour player, Mason Rudolph won six tournaments, but his greatest year in earnings came in 1973 when, at age 39, he finished second to Jack Nicklaus by a stroke in the Walt Disney World Open (the last time it was conducted as an individual event) and tied for third in the PGA Championship at Cleveland's Canterbury Club.

He topped \$60,000 in 1973 and the following two years saw him slip well below the top 60 money winners. But he had his moments, such as in the 1975 Tournament Players Championship. On one of the more testing layouts on the Tour, the Colonial Country Club in Fort Worth, Tex., Mason shot 69-70-72-70—281, or one over par, and tied for fourth to earn \$10,333.

Essentially, that was the end of the 1975 season for him, because he missed the cut in each of three remaining events, but he placed in the top 10 twice earlier in the year.

One of the more popular members of the Tour, the easy-going Tennesseean was practically an immediate success when he won the Golden Gate Open in 1959 and was declared Rookie-of-the-Year. Rudolph was to win five other titles, the last the 1970 Green Island Open when he hung a closing 64 on

the scoreboard.

Mason attracted attention in golf as a teenager when he won the 1950 U.S. Junior championship. In

1957 he represented the U.S. on the Walker Cup, and four years later he again represented his country by playing in the Ryder Cup matches.

He has been involved in helping shape the Tour, too, serving on the Tournament Committee in 1965 and 1966.

# **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: \$800,339 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1963 Doral. 1965 Cleveland. 1967 Jacksonville, Philadelphia. 1968 Florida

(TOTAL: 6) Citrus, Minnesota.

1972-\$42,139.- 61 1967-\$111,508.- 5 1961-\$ 6,616.-63 MONEY & POSITION: 1973-\$91,164.- 24 1968-\$108,330.- 8 1962-\$15,599.-42 1969-\$ 89,104.-15 1974-\$44,166.- 64 1963-\$25,568.-22 1970-\$ 77,156,-24 1975-\$22,127.-100 1964-\$22,663.-25 1976-\$26,830.- 81 1971-\$ 52,202,-47 1965-\$52,509.-13 1966-\$26,936.-34

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-5-American Express Westchester Classic, T-10-B.C. Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: Former Tournament Policy Board member. 1957 Public Links. 1969 Ryder

Cup team.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

It wasn't until the rich Westchester Classic in mid-July that Dan Sikes got his putting stroke smoothed out and started to play much better. He usually has had fine success at Westchester and his seven-under par 277 gave him a tie for fifth with seven other players.

Up until that point, Dan had won only about \$4,300, but he finished the year with \$26,830. It increased his career earnings to \$800,339. After Westchester, he earned checks in seven of his next eight starts.

His low round of the year was a 65 the second day in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open, but a poor third round wiped out his title chances.

Dan played in 23 tournaments, missed the cut in six and was forced to withdraw from three. He had a stroke average of 71.8.

## PRIOR YEARS

Dan Sikes won the All-Army championship while discharging his military obligation and later, in 1957, he won the U.S. Public Links title. In the same period he earned a law degree but he turned pro in golf in 1960 and joined the Tour the following year, because, he said, "I can't make this much money this fast in law."

In the next 15 years, Sikes amassed more than three-quarters of a million dollars in official purses alone and won a half-dozen Tour events. But over the years, the tournament which has been kindest of all to Sikes was one he never won—the Westchester Classic.

In the inaugural Westchester in 1967, the game's first \$250,000 event, Dan thought he had missed the cut but the second round was washed out three times, and finally he shot a 62 that counted and he eventually finished second to Jack Nicklaus. He tied for second at Westchester in 1968, placed third in 1969 and tied for third again in 1973.

Also in 1973, the drawling man from Florida twice finished second while recording his third best year in earnings, more than \$90,000. In 1974 he missed the cut in his first five events and never recovered satisfactorily, missing the top 60 money list for the second time in three years. And 1975 was to be even worse.

Again he played well at Westchester, finishing 69-66 to tie for ninth, but his check for \$6,000 was to be his best of all of 1975, although his highest finish was a tie for seventh at Pensacola. Dan wound up making checks in 17 of 24 tournaments and, on Pearl Harbor Day, observing his 45th birthday.

# **Bob E. Smith**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: Dec. 2, 1942 BIRTHPLACE: Sacramento, Calif.

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: \$323,957

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1968-\$30,044.-59

1969-\$22,851.-78

1970-\$30,662.-75

1971-\$44,595.-56 1972-\$43,297.-60

1975-\$44,720.- 54

1974-\$20,962,-104

1973-\$41,841.-74 1976-\$56,047.- 49

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-4-Southern Open. T-5-Greater Milwaukee Open, World Open. T-6-Ohio

Kings Island Open. T-8-Byron Nelson Classic, Colonial Invitational. T-9-

Pensacola Open. T-10-American Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1965 and 1967 Western Amateur winner. 1967 California State Amateur

winner. 1967 NCAA Small College winner.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

It took Bob E. Smith four months to get his game grooved, but once he did, he went on to have the best year of his career and was a contender on several occasions.

Through the first four months, Bob collected checks only in six of 13 tournaments for \$5,634. Starting with the Byron Nelson Classic, he only missed one cut in his last 18 events and recorded eight top 10 finishes. He won \$56,047 for the year.

At the Nelson, Bob started with 68-67 and went on to tie for eighth. The next week in the Colonial National Invitation, he finished with 68-69 for another tie for eighth.

His best tournament was a tie for fourth in the Southern Open, with a 67-68 finish. He tied for fifth twice, in the Greater Milwaukee Open and in the World Open, where he was tied for the first-day lead with a strong six-under par 65 on Pinehurst No. 2. Bob gave much of the credit for the improvement in his swing to the assistance he received from an old friend, Bob Saunders of Pinehurst.

Bob entered 31 tournaments and missed the cut in seven. He compiled a stroke average of 71.6 and had 21 rounds in the sixtles.

## **PRIOR YEARS**

Ask almost any amateur golfer and he will tell you one of the toughest of all tournaments to win is the Western Amateur. Bob E. Smith won it twice, in 1965 and 1967, and in the latter year he also won the California State Amateur title and the NCAA small college crown while playing for Sacramento State. Naturally, Smith joined the Tour the following year with the highest of expectations.

He nudged into the top 60 money list in 1968, experienced two frustrating years while experimenting with his swing, barely made the top 60 twice in succession, then missed the next two years. In 1975, Smith finished 54th in official money, the highest he ever placed in all those eight years.

Smith had only one top-10 finish in 1975 while surviving the cut in 23 of 30 events. But that single high finish he will never forget. He was second to winner Tom Watson in the Byron Nelson Classic, two strokes back with four rounds in the 60s for a 13-under-par 271.

What made it most memorable of all was his last full stroke, a 6-iron which settled the ball four inches from the 72nd hole. The birdie beat out Jack Ewing for the runnerup check of \$19,550, biggest of his entire pro career.

# 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: \$755.796 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1971 Tucson, Doral-Eastern. 1972 Philadelphia. 1975 Andy Williams San Diego (TOTAL: 6) Open. 1976 Andy Williams San Diego Open, Kaiser International.

MONEY & POSITION: 1968-\$ 690 - 280 1971-\$ 92 929 -17 1974-\$164 486 - 6 1969-\$10,640.-121 1972-\$ 87,435,-22 1975-\$ 91.822-17

1970-\$11,547.-122 1973-\$103,601.-14 1976-\$192.645 - 6

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Andy Williams San Diego Open, Kaiser International. 2-Tournament Play-

ers Championship. T-2-SDJ Greater Hartford Open. 3-Florida Citrus. T-4-Kemper Open. T-7-Canadian Open. T-9-World Series of Golf. T-10-Tour-

nament of Champions.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971, 1973 and 1975 Ryder Cup team. 1973 Australian Open Champion.

# 1976 AT A GLANCE

J.C. Snead definitely established himself as one of the game's outstanding players in 1976. He won twice, was second twice, added a third-place finish and had a total of nine top 10 finishes. He earned \$192,645 for sixth place, and, by all standards, it was his finest year.

His first triumph came in the Andy Williams-San Diego Open with rounds of 65-68-67-72-272 and a one-stroke edge on Don Bies. In the fall, using a driver borrowed from Johnny Miller, he won the Kaiser International on Johnny's home course of Silverado at Napa, Calif. He opened with a 66 and went on to edge Johnny and Gibby Gilbert by two.

He had four excellent rounds in the sixties in the Tournament Players Championship but, for the second time in three years, finished second to Jack Nicklaus. The following week, a last-day 66 led to a third place in the Florida Citrus Open.

J.C. used a second-day 64, his low round of the year, at the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open to tie for second.

His secret to success? "All I try to do is concentrate on the shot in front of me. You can't program a round. And, I don't get too pumped up. Sometimes I wish I could, but I keep my emotions under control."

J.C. entered 30 tournaments and missed the cut in four. He had a stroke average of 71.1 with 31 rounds in the sixties.

## **PRIOR YEARS**

Jesse Carlyle Snead probably will have to continue through life constantly being referred to as the nephew of Sam Snead. If he was anyone else's nephew, he doubtless could stand on his own record, because J.C.'s performance record is enviable.

J.C. first sought a career in baseball after growing up in Hot Springs, Va., and he served in the Washington Senators' farm system before turning to golf as a pro in 1964. He worked under head pro Charlie Beverage at Century CC in Westchester County, N.Y., while twice failing to pass the Tour Qualifying School, and it was four years before he earned his card.

Three lean years followed on Tour before J.C., early in 1971, won two tournaments in a three-week period, at Tucson and Doral, immediately before and after the PGA Championship at Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. He won again the following year in Philadelphia but didn't pass the \$100,000 barrier until 1973 and 1974 when, oddly enough, he did not win.

His figure of \$164,486 in the latter year was a Tour record for a non-winner as he finished in the top 10 in 11 events, among 30 entered, including four runnerup finishes and two thirds.

In 1975, Snead returned to victory lane at San Diego and qualified for his third straight Ryder Cup team berth but failed to reach \$100,000 in earnings. He closed with a 68 to catch Ray Floyd and Bobby Nichols at Torrey Pines, and won the playoff in the Andy Williams San Diego Open. In all of 1975, Snead finished in the top 10 in seven events.

# 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: \$614,581 PLAYOFF RECORD: 8-6

(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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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
                     1953-$14,115.-15
                                         1966-$12,109.- 72
1940-$ 9,206.- 3
                     1954-$ 7,889.-29
                                         1967-$ 7,141.-104
1941-$12.848.- 2
                     1955-$23,464.- 7
                                         1968-$43,106.- 39
1942-$ 8,078.- 3
                     1956-$ 8,253.-36
                                         1969-$15,439.-100
1943-$
                     1957-$28,260.- 4
                                         1970-$25,103.- 85
1944-$ 5,755.- 7
                     1958-$15,905.-18
                                         1971-$22,258.- 94
1945-$24,436.- 4
                     1959-$ 8,221.-45
                                         1972-$35,462.- 71
1946-$18,341.- 6
                     1960-$19.405.-19
                                         1973-$38,685.- 78
1947-$ 9,703.-12
1948-$ 6,980.-18
                     1961-$23,906.-17
                                         1974-$55,562.- 49
                     1962-$ 9,169.-59
                                         1975-$ 8,285.-138
1949-$31,593.- 1
                     1963-$28,431.-16
                                         1976-$ 2,694.-198
1950-$35,758.- 1
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BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-30-Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1946 British Open Champion; credited with 135 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

BIRTH DATE: Aug. 6, 1944 BIRTHPLACE: Roanoke, Va.

RESIDENCE: Pompano Beach, Fla.

FAMILY: Wife, Nancy Kay; Mary Elisa (8/16/74)

COLLEGE: Ohio State Univ. GRADUATED: 1967 Marketing

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Chess, bridge, billiards, backgammon

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1967 JOINED TOUR: 1969

CAREER EARNINGS: \$262,790 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

TOUR VICTORIES: 1973 Kaiser International Open. 1974 Milwaukee.

(TOTAL: 2)

MONEY & POSITION: 1969-\$ 4,254.-170 1972-\$16,945.-118 1975-\$46,634.-51 1970-\$ 3,186.-189 1973-\$67,990.- 40 1976-\$71,675.-36

1971-\$10,716.-133 1974-\$66,376.- 34

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-3—Greater Milwaukee Open, B.C. Open. 4—Canadian Open. T-4—American Golf. Classic. T-5—American Express Westchester Classic. T-7—Houston

Open. T-8-Hawaiian Open. T-10-Memorial Tournament.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1973 New South Wales Open champion. 1977 member Policy Board, Player

Director.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

By summer's end, Ed Sneed was wondering what he would have to do to win again. He put together one of the finest stretches of the year and somehow came up winless.

His mid-summer string, in order, showed a tie for third in the Greater Milwaukee Open, tie for fifth in the Westchester Classic, a fourth in the Canadian Open and a tie for third in the B.C. Open. Ten of his 16 rounds were in the sixties and only one was over par.

After a mediocre showing in the PGA Championship, he came back with a tie for fourth in the American Golf Classic. He had two other top 10 finishes, a tie for eighth in the Hawaiian Open and a tie for seventh in the Houston Open.

Highly respected for his knowledge of the game, as well as his playing ability, the personable former Ohio Stater was elected a Player Director on the Tour's Policy Board. It is a two-year term.

Ed played in 30 tournaments and missed the cut in seven. He also withdrew twice near the end of the year. He earned \$71,675 for his best financial year. His stroke average was 71.6. He had 27 rounds in the sixties.

# PRIOR YEARS

Ed Sneed's apprenticeship on the Tour lasted an agonizing four years, in which he did not come close to cracking even the top 100. His close friend, Tom Weiskopf, kept insisting that there was no reason he couldn't be among the top 60 and, as it developed, his fellow Ohio State alumnus knew best.

Late in 1973, Ed won the New South Wales Open in Australia, grabbed a plane for San Francisco and—gaining a day via the International dateline—arrived in Napa, Calif., in time for the Monday qualifying round preceding the Kaiser International. The following Sunday he beat John Schlee in a playoff for first prize.

first prize.

The following July, Sneed led all four rounds at Milwaukee. "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 then you never hear of him again."

Sneed failed to win in 1975 and slipped almost \$20,000 in official earnings, but he made checks in 25 of 30 events and recorded two solid finishes—a third in the Western Open and a fifth in the World Open.

Sneed started golf at age 13 in his native Roanoke, Va. After graduating from Ohio State with a degree in marketing in 1967, he earned his privileges to play the Tour in 1969. He divided his time between the Tour and working for Walker Inman at Scioto CC in Columbus, Ohio, until in 1971 he decided to play the Tour full time.

In 1972, Sneed 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

BIRTH DATE: Feb. 12, 1935 BIRTHPLACE: Tacoma, Wash.

RESIDENCE: Tacoma, Wash.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: All sports and nature

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1953 JOINED TOUR: 1960

CAREER EARNINGS: \$470,712 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-0

1966-\$22,373.- 44



BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-7-IVB-Bicentennial Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1969 Ryder Cup.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Ken Still only managed one serious challenge in 1976 when he tied for seventh in the IVB-Bicentennial Open in Philadelphia. A third-round 66 moved him into a five-way tie for the lead, but he finished with a 72 and missed the playoff by three strokes.

With \$17,332 in winnings, it was his lowest in nearly a decade, due mainly to a lack of consistency. In mid-summer, he had one stretch of finishing in the money four weeks, and that was his longest of the vear

Ken did hold the first-round lead in the Greater Milwaukee Open with an eight-under par 64. "When you go back to a tournament that you've won, it gives you extra incentive," said one of the game's finest good-will ambassadors. He tied for 12th, for his second best finish of the year.

Ken entered 29 tournaments and missed the cut in 13. He withdrew from another. His career earnings of \$470,712 place him 50th on the all-time list, so he retains his exempt status. His stroke average was 72.6

# **PRIOR YEARS**

As Ken Still passed his 40th birthday early in 1975 he was seeking to regain a spot in the top 60 money list, an honor which he had enjoyed for eight years in succession until 1974. Although he finished the year earning money in 20 of 27 events, there were only three top 10 finishes and again he earned barely \$30,000

A tie for sixth at Greensboro was encouraging, but soon afterward, starting at Houston, Ken missed five cuts in succession. A seventh place in Milwaukee and a tie for seventh in the Canadian Open were not enough to rescue the year.

Still turned pro in 1953 at the age of 18 and waited seven years before joining the Tour. It was another nine years before he won a tournament, but he won twice-at Orlando and Milwaukee-and that made 1969 his best year.

Ken won again in 1970, when he beat Lee Trevino and Bert Yancey in a playoff at the Kaiser International, and, although that was to be his last victory in 15 years on Tour, he continued to enjoy success until 1974. A neck injury required traction and permitted him to enter only one tournament from mid-May to mid-July of 1974, and he wound up in 82nd place on the money ladder for the year.

Still remains one of the Tour's most avid fans of all sports, but particularly baseball, and most particularly the Los Angeles Dodgers. He played baseball in high school in his native Tacoma, Wash., and started in golf after investigating a caddie job at the Firecrest Golf Club.

# **Dave Stockton**

EXEMPT STATUS: 10 Years; 1976 PGA Champion.

HEIGHT: 5'111/2" WEIGHT: 180

BIRTH DATE: Nov. 2, 1941 BIRTHPLACE: San Bernardino,

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: \$909,457

TOUR VICTORIES: 1967 Colonial, Haig Scotch Foursome (with Laurie Hammer). 1968 Cleveland, Mil-(TOTAL: 11)

waukee. 1970 PGA Championship. 1971 Massachusetts. 1973 Milwaukee. 1974 Glen Campbell-Los Angeles, Quad Cities, Sammy Davis-Hartford. 1976 PGA

Championship.

1969-\$ 70,707.-26 1973-\$ 96,207.-16 1964-\$ 1,203.-167 MONEY & POSITION:

1974-\$155.105.- 6 1965-\$ 5,410.- 99 1970-\$108,564.-12 1975-\$ 72,885.-28 1971-\$ 85,738.-19 1966-\$10,115.- 82 1976-\$ 94.973.-27 1967-\$54,333.- 19 1972-\$ 66,342.-34

1968-\$100,402.-14

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-PGA Championship. T-4-NBC Tucson Open. T-6-Byron Nelson Classic.

9-Greater Greensboro Open. T-9-Jacksonville Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1971 Ryder Cup team. 1970 World Cup. 1975 Player Director Policy Board.

# 1976 AT A GLANCE

Dave Stockton picked an excellent time to collect his victory for the year. It was in the PGA Championship at Congressional Country Club and he did it the hard way. He rolled in a 13 footer to save par on the 72nd hole and edge Don January and Ray Floyd by one.

He had gone nearly two years without winning, and it was bothering him because he was not having a typical Dave Stockton year going into the PGA. "I probably was heading for my poorest year," he said, and I can't tell you why. I was in the best physical condition of my life. I guess it was mental.

Dave's line at Congressional read 70-72-69-70-281. He never was in the lead until the final holes. He was four strokes back when the last round started, but had forged to the front entering the last nine holes of the championship.

"When I get a lead, I seldom fold," he said. "I'm a positive person. The problem is, I haven't been getting in the lead often enough."

Dave had four other top 10 finishes, the best being a tie for fourth in the year's opening event, the NBC-Tucson Open. He won \$94,973 and increased his career earnings to \$909,457

Dave entered 29 tournaments, missed the cut in seven and withdrew from another. His stroke average was 72.1. He had 18 rounds in the sixties.

# **PRIOR YEARS**

Dave Stockton probably didn't expect to top his 1974 act of winning three times on the Tour. Just one victory would have been satisfaction enough in 1975, but the closest he came was three strokes behind old friend Al Geiberger in the Tournament Players Championship.

Dave had four other top 10 finishes but wound up with less than half of his 1974 official earnings with

Stockton struggled on the Tour for three years after graduating from the University of Southern California, then, in 1967 cashed in for victory twice and has never been in danger of slipping out of the top 60 money winners since.

Highlight of his first dozen years on Tour was victory in the 1970 PGA Championship, in which he fought off a stretch challenge from Arnold Palmer and extreme heat to win at Southern Hills in Tulsa.

His three triumphs in 1974 rivaled his PGA title for overall achievement. Stockton won at Los Angeles by beating back a challenge from Sam Snead and John Mahaffey with a 72nd-hole birdie, after a 235-yard three wood shot 12 feet from the flagstick.

# 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: \$1,535,615 PLAYOFF RECORD: 5-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 U.S. Open, Hawaiian, 1969 Tucson. 1970 Tucson, National Airlines. 1971 (TOTAL: 19) 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. 1976 Colonial Invita-

MONEY & POSITION: 1966-\$ 600 -1970-\$157,037.-1 1974-\$203,422.- 4

1967-\$ 26,472.-45 1971-\$231,202.-2 1975-\$134,206.- 9 1968-\$132.127.- 6 1972-\$214,805.-2 1976-\$136,963.-13

1969-\$112418-7 1973-\$210,017.-4

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-Colonial Invitational. 2-Greater Greensboro Open. T-3-Phoenix Open.

4-SDJ-Greater Hartford Open. T-5-Houston Open. T-6-World Series of

Golf. T-8-Hawaiian Open. T-9-Kaiser International.

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.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Lee Trevino had gone 15 months without winning before he finally broke through again in the Colonial National Invitation Tournament in Fort Worth. It was especially pleasing since it was his first Tour victory in his native Texas.

It seemed as if Lee was ready to have a big, successful summer, after playing well the next two weeks. However, while at home early in June, he injured his back moving a large pot filled with dirt. He missed the next nine tournaments, including the U.S. and British Opens. He underwent surgery Nov. 23 to correct a herniated disc.

When he did resume playing late in the year, he managed three top 10 finishes, a fourth in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open, a tie for sixth in the new World Series of Golf and a tie for ninth in the Kaiser International Open.

Lee finished with \$136,963 for 13th place, the ninth straight year he has been over the century mark. His career earnings moved to \$1,535,615.

He played in 22 tournaments and had eight top 10 finishes. He missed four cuts. His stroke average was 70.6 with 27 rounds in the sixties.

## **PRIOR YEARS**

Lee Trevino tied for 54th in the 1966 U.S. Open at Olympic Club in San Francisco. It was the only appearance on Tour that year by the quick-quipping native of Dallas, and it also was his first on the big circuit-and it turned out to be a date worth marking.

A year later, in the Open at Baltusrol, Trevino finished fifth and he was on the Tour to stay. He was named Rookie-of-the-Year for 1967. Another 12 months after Baltusrol, Trevino was playing host at a party on one of the upper floors at Oak Hill CC in Rochester, N.Y., laughing and celebrating his victory in the 1968 U.S. Open.

That was his first victory on Tour but only one of many milestones in a career which can be described as truly fantastic. Among a succession of triumphs, Trevino won the U.S. Open again in 1971, by defeating Jack Nicklaus in a playoff at Merion. In a span of five weeks that summer he added the Canadian and British Open titles to his collection, and he was named Player-of-the-Year practically by

He won the British Open again in 1972. In May of 1973 he marked \$1 million in Tour earnings-by merely tying for second at Memphis - and no one ever made his first million quicker playing this game. In 1974 Trevino won his first PGA Championship, at Tanglewood near Winston-Salem, N.C.

# **Howard Twitty**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List.

HEIGHT: 6'5" WEIGHT: 210

BIRTH DATE: Jan. 15, 1949 BIRTHPLACE: Phoenix, Ariz.

RESIDENCE: Phoenix, Arizona

FAMILY: Wife, Linda. Kevin Scott (10/2/76).

COLLEGE: Arizona State Univ. GRADUATED: 1972 BBA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: All sports.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: June, 1975

CAREER EARNINGS: \$62,802

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1975-\$8,211-139

1976-\$54,268-51

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-NBC-Tucson Open. T-7-Greater Milwaukee Open. T-8-Danny Thomas-

Memphis Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1970 Sunnehanna and Porter Cup winner. 1972 Runner-up NCAA. 1970

and 1972 All-America team. 1975 Thailand Open winner.

### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Howard Twitty started in magnificent fashion. He finished second to Johnny Miller in the NBC-Tucson Open, winning \$22,800. He had rounds of 71, 70, 68 and 68 for 11-under par 277.

"I did a lot of praying out there," the big fellow said, "and the Lord answered every prayer." He finished three strokes in back of Miller and was asked if he was ever chasing Johnny. "Never. I was just trying to do the best I could. I've got enough to worry about with my own game."

Howard had two other top 10 finishes. He tied for seventh in the Greater Milwaukee Open, assisted

by a 65 the last day; and he tied for eighth in the Danny Thomas-Memphis Classic.

By mid-August, he had compiled \$53,268, enough to assure him of a place in the top 60, so he only played in one more event, the San Antonio-Texas Open. He earned \$1,000 there for a total of \$54,268. His wife, Linda, presented him with a son in the fall, and he wanted to be home with her as much as possible.

Howard entered 26 tournaments, missed the cut six times and failed to qualify once. His stroke average was 71.7.

## PRIOR YEARS

Howard Twitty has always been a little bigger than most people, and he believes that his size, especially in high school, might have slowed his progress.

He started to play golf at age 10, but it wasn't until his senior year in high school in Phoenix that his game started to develop. "I was about six-feet-three when I was a sophomore," he says, "and I was terrible. I guess I just needed time to catch up with my body. I didn't have the coordination that I needed."

During his sophomore and junior years at Arizona State, his game truly began to blossom. He won such amateur events as the Sunnehanna and the Porter Cup in 1970, and, as a senior, was the runnerup in the NCAA Championships to the co-champions from Texas, Ben Crenshaw and Tom Kite.

Howard turned professional in 1973 and twice attempted to earn his card on the Tour before succeeding in June of 1975. Meanwhile, he played where he could, twice going on the Far East circuit and winning the Thailand Open in 1975.

His best finishes after joining the Tour for the last half of 1975 were a tie for fifth in the Quad Cities Open and a tie for 10th in the World Open.

# Art Wall, Jr.

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 50 Career Earnings.

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 170

BIRTH DATE: Nov. 25, 1923 BIRTHPLACE: Honesdale, Pa.

RESIDENCE: Sonoita, Ariz.

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: \$608,722 PLAYOFF RECORD: 5-5

TOUR VICTORIES: 1953 Fort Wayne. 1954 Tournament of Champions. 1956 Fort Wayne. 1957 Pensacola. 1958 Rubber City, Eastern. 1959 Masters, Crosby National, Azalea, Buick. 1960 Canadian Open. 1964 San Diego. 1966 Insurance City. (Plus 10 victories on Caribbean Tour). 1975 Greater Milwaukee Open.

MONEY & POSITION:	1950-\$ 250	1959-\$53,167 1	1968-\$36,349 45
	1951-\$ 58978	1960-\$26,38011	1969-\$14,431101
	1952-\$ 3,73033	1961-\$19,65726	1970-\$24,922 86
	1953-\$10,83920	1962-\$21,76127	1971-\$54,644 45
	1954-\$ 3,93043	1963-\$24,38925	1972-\$38,218 66
	1955-\$17,25011	1964-\$17,75645	1973-\$34,159 83
	1956-\$ 9,31632	1965-\$ 9,83277	1974-\$19,308109
	1957-\$20,831 7	1966-\$20,92950	1975-\$43,589 58
	1958-\$29,841 5	1967-\$52,80321	1976-\$22,884 95

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 7-Tournament of Champions.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1959 Player-of-the-Year, Leading Money Winner, Vardon Trophy Winner. 1957, 1959, 1961, Member of Ryder Cup team.

# 1976 AT A GLANCE

Art Wall enjoyed his return to the Tournament of Champions. His victory in the 1975 Greater Milwaukee Open opened the door for his invitation to join the select field at LaCosta, Calif., and he responded with a seventh-place finish. He won the T of C in 1954.

Although Art was not completely satisfied with his play in 1976, he did remain competitive for most of the year. A bad first round in the Greater Greensboro Open cost him a good finish, as he posted 69-69-68 for his last three days of work.

He opened with a 67 in the Sammy Davis Jr.-Greater Hartford Open and came back with a 68 the third day, but the second and fourth rounds were not to his liking. He also had a 67 the last day of the B.C. Open.

Art entered 26 tournaments, missed the cut nine times and withdrew from two others. He had a stroke average of 72.3, exactly the same as in 1975. His earnings for the year were \$22,884.

## PRIOR YEARS

Art Wall's 26th year on the Tour (count 'em, 26!) was progressing much like his last eight—the bespectacled aging gentleman getting an occasional piece of the purse and barely making expenses—when lightning struck at the Tuckaway CC near Milwaukee, in early July, 1975.

Wall strung together three straight 67s for a three-shot lead entering the final round, in which he was expected to fade in the face of gathering pressure from the many juniors. He did slip to a two-under par 70, but it was good enough to claim a one-stroke victory ever Gary McCord and the \$26,000 first prize in the Greater Milwaukee Open.

"It's a great, great feeling. I worked hard to get what I got," a relieved Wall said afterward. "Winning is almost like a new experience. It's not my character to say this is going to change everything. But it certainly is a big boost to me to play under pressure again."

Wall, 51 at the time, hadn't won since the 1966 Insurance City Open. He finished 1975 by earning money in 13 of 23 events, including seven of his last nine, and his \$43,589 in official purses was his most since 1971.

Four of Wall's 14 Tour victories came in 1959, when he experienced a year that only few ever enjoy. He won four tournaments, including the Masters with a blazing birdie finish; he was leading money winner, Vardon Trophy winner for stroke average and wound up—naturally—as PGA Player of the Year

# **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. Plays out of Steamboat Springs,

Colo.

FAMILY: Wife, Linda.

COLLEGE: Stanford Univ. GRADUATED: 1971, B.A.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Hunting, fishing, guitar

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1971 JOINED TOUR: 1972

CAREER EARNINGS: \$528,309

MONEY & POSITION:

TOUR VICTORIES: 1974 Western Open. 1975 Byron Nelson Golf Classic.

(TOTAL: 2)

1972—\$31,081.—79 1973—\$74,973.—35 1975—\$153,795.— 7

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open. T-2-American Express Westchester

Classic. 3-NBC New Orleans Open. 4-World Open. T-4-NBC Tucson Open. T-5-Bing Crosby National Pro-Am. 6-Tournament of Champions. T-6-World Series of Golf. 7-U.S. Open. T-9-Tournament Players Cham-

1976-\$138,202,-12

pionship. T-10-American Golf Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1975 World Series of Golf winner. 1975 British Open champion.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

Tom Watson finished in the top 10 in 11 tournaments and compiled one of the more consistent records of the year. He won \$138,202 for 12th place, but the victory he wanted to capture was not there.

Tom is one of the Tour's toughest competitors and thus is able to stay in contention even during

those weeks when his game is not as sharp as he'd like it to be.

Twice he finished second. He held the third-round lead in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open, but Hale Irwin passed him on the final day. He tied for second in the Westchester Classic, with a 64 the first day and a 66 the last day. A brilliant final-round 64 gave him a third place in the First NBC-New Orleans Open.

He opened with a 65 at the World Open and finished fourth, and middle rounds of 68-68 gave him a

tie for fourth in the NBC-Tucson Open.

Tom entered 25 tournaments and missed the cut only twice. He compiled a stroke average of 70.9, the seventh best of the year. He had 26 rounds in the sixties.

## PRIOR YEARS

After Tom Watson beat him by two strokes for the \$50,000 first prize in the 1975 World Series of Golf, Jack Nicklaus said of his conqueror: "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."

Well, that should have made the opinion unanimous, because less than two months earlier Watson had won the British Open. And he also had won the Byron Nelson Classic two months before that, employing a second-round 63 and a closing 65 to win by two shots. For the year, Watson finished in the top 10 in a dozen events, out of 26 entered, and he topped \$150,000 in official earnings.

Watson was only six years old when his father, a scratch golfer, introduced him to the game. He became a four-time winner of the Missouri Amateur championship and played three years at Stanford University before graduating in 1971 with a degree in psychology. He had already decided to try the Tour, which he joined a year later.

He admits to only one good tournament as a rookie, when he closed with 69-66 at Quad Cities to lose by a stroke to Deane Beman. Twice in 1973 he challenged for victory before it eluded him, but he

made the top 60 money list easily.

In 1974, Watson created a stir early by finishing fourth, ninth and fourth again at San Diego, Hawaii and Los Angeles—in that order. But he was to be a sensation in June, leading the U.S. Open by a stroke before stumbling to a final 79, then the very next week winning the Western Open with a closing 69 at brutal Butler National. He made up six shots in final round, the best victory rally by anyone in 1975.

# **Tom Weiskopf**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6'3" WEIGHT: 185

BIRTH DATE: 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: \$1,356,186 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968Williams-San Diego, Buick. 1971 Kemper, IVB-Philadelphia. 1972 Jackie (TOTAL: 11) Gleason. 1973 Colonial, Kemper, IVB-Philadelphia, Canadian Open. 1975

Greater Greensboro Open, Canadian Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1964-\$ 1,008.- 1969-\$ 81,594.-18 1973-\$245,463.- 3

1965-\$ 11,264.-72 1970-\$ 95,287.-19 1974-\$127,529.-13 1966-\$ 37,166.-27 1971-\$106,538.-12 1975-\$219,140.- 3

1967 - \$ 40,069.-30 1972 - \$129,422.- 6 1976 - \$131,331.-15

1968-\$152,946.- 3

BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-2-Kemper Open, U.S. Open. 3-NBC Tucson Open, Ohio Kings Island

Open. T-3—Colonial Invitational. T-6—Greater Greensboro Open. 8—Doral-Eastern Open. T-8—PGA Championship. T-9—Bing Crosby National Pro-Am,

Masters. T-10—Memorial Tournament.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1963 Western Amateur champion. 1972 World Picadilly Match Play cham-

pion. 1973 British Open, World Series of Golf and South African PGA cham-

pion. 1973 and 1975 Ryder Cup team. 1972 World Cup team.

# 1976 AT A GLANCE

When Tom Weiskopf's game was sharp in 1976, it was very sharp indeed. Such was the case in June when he had back-to-back second-place finishes. He couldn't quite catch Joe Inman the last day of the Kemper Open and finished one back. The next week in the U.S. Open, he had closing rounds of 68-68, but still fell two strokes in back of Jerry Pate.

Tom started the year with a third place in the NBC-Tucson Open, but it was disappointing to him because he held the third-round lead. After a tie for ninth in the Bing Crosby, he caught a severe case of the flu and was forced to withdraw from two west coast events.

He carved out 11 top 10 finishes with other third places in the Colonial National Invitation and the Ohio Kings Island Open. He opened with a brilliant 65 in the PGA Championship, but couldn't find that touch again, gaining a tie for eighth.

Tom entered 27 tournaments and missed the cut in three. He withdrew from four and was disqualified once. His stroke average was 71.0 and had 24 rounds in the sixties. His earnings hit \$131,331 for 15th place.

# PRIOR YEARS

Long regarded as one of the most talented men ever to play golf, Tom Weiskopf proved in one brief period of 1973 what he is capable of. In an eight-week span, he won five tournaments, including the British and Canadian Opens, and carrying over to two other tournaments that summer he shot in the 60s in exactly half of his 40 rounds.

Weiskopf, later in 1973, also won the World Series of Golf and the South African PGA championship. He didn't win in 1974 but he passed the \$1 million mark in career earnings and finished in the top 10 in nine of 21 events, and cashed more than \$100,000 in checks.

In 1975, Weiskopf was a winner again and easily topped \$200,000 for the second time. In 50-mileper-hour winds and 40-degree temperature at Greensboro, he opened with an incredible seven-under 64 and was never touched. Three and a half months later he defeated good friend Jack Nicklaus, with a birdle on the first hole of a playoff, to win in Canada again.

Also, among a pair of seconds in 1975 was his tie with Johnny Miller at the Masters at the end of a three-cornered stretch drive with eventual winner Nicklaus.

# **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: \$208,925
TOUR VICTORIES: 1976 B.C. Open

(TOTAL: 1)

MONEY & POSITION: 11

1971-\$ 9,740.-140 1972-\$16,172.-119 1973-\$15,369.-124 1974-\$49,767.- 67 1975—\$52,414.—42 1976—\$76,849.—34

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-B.C. Open. T-5-Canadian Open. T-6-Pleasant Valley Classic. T-8-

Kemper Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1975 Magnolia Classic winner. 1970, 1971, 1972 Ohio Open winner.

# 1976 AT A GLANCE

Bob Wynn's California license plates carry the letters "WYNNER," and that's just what he became in 1976. He went the distance in the rain-delayed B.C. Open with a card of 65-71-66-69—271 to edge Bob Gilder by one. The victory was made possible when he parred the final hole while Gilder missed the green and bogeyed.

"I can't believe I've won \$40,000 bucks," he said. "I know what my daughter would say. 'Fantastic!' "
Bob played well going into the B.C. Open. He led after the third round of the Canadian Open with
three rounds in the sixties, but a closing 75 dropped him back to a tie for fifth. He tied for sixth the next
week in the Pleasant Valley Classic.

Bob finished with \$76,849, easily his best financial year.

He entered 32 tournaments, missed the cut in nine, withdrew from six and was disqualified once. His stroke average was 71.9.

## PRIOR YEARS

Bob Wynn realized one of his cherished goals in 1975, that of reaching the top 60 money list and exemption for the following year, but he would like to play at least one hole over again, the 71st in the IVB-Philadelphia Classic. Although he won the Magnolia Classic, a second Tour event opposite the Masters, Wynn was in postition to win a major touranment with two holes remaining in Philadelphia.

He had a two-shot lead going to the 17th hole the final day and made a triple-bogey eight and finished third. Bob wound up with 22 money finishes in 31 events and five finishes in the top 10, including Magnelia.

Wynn shares one record with Byron Nelson and Denny Shute, and there aren't many trivia experts who can divine this one: He won three straight Ohio Opens, in Bob's case 1970 through '72.

He grew up in Xenia, Ohio, and was 15 when he was urged to enter the Ohio Jaycees Junior event, although he had never struck a golf ball. "They needed two more entrants to get one more qualifying spot," Wynn recalls. "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 on the first tee, and that's all I did that day, hit it once."

He played three times that year, 1955, but the following year he played frequently and established an 18 handicap. And in 1957, according to Bob, "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." And he finished third in the Ohio Jaycees that year, behind Jack Nicklaus.

Wynn turned pro at age 19, worked in all phases of club operation, spent two years in the Army, returned to southern Ohio and became head pro at his old Xenia Club in 1968-69. He tried the Tour briefly in 1970 and came out to stay in 1971.

# Kermit Zarley

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

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 175

BIRTH DATE: 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, Bible study and Gardening.

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1963 JOINED TOUR: 1964

CAREER EARNINGS: \$516,480 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1968 Kaiser. 1970 Canadian. 1972 National Team (with Babe Hiskey)

(TOTAL: 3)

MONEY & POSITION: 1963-\$ 430.-191 1968-\$64,993.-21 1973-\$63,974.-43

1967-\$37,712.- 35 1972-\$54,134.-44

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Florida Citrus Open. T-6-Sea Pines Heritage Classic, Ohio Kings Island

Open. T-10-B.C. Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1962 NCAA champion.

# 1976 AT A GLANCE

It was something of a comeback year for Kermit Zarley. He returned to the top 60 list after a twoyear absence, winning \$52,553 and losing the Florida Citrus Open to Hale Irwin after a tough six-hole playoff.

There was a reason for his mediocre play the two previous years. He was suffering from what the doctor called a "bulging disc" between two vertebra in his neck. The pain was intense whenever he swung a club. He had to spend many hours in traction and swallowed many pain-killing pills.

In the fall of 1975, he submitted to surgery. The two vertebra around the defective disc were fused. The pain disappeared and his game reappeared.

Kermit held the lead after the second and third rounds of the Citrus, but a final-day 69 while Irwin was posting a 66 forced the playoff. On the sixth extra hole, Kermit bogeyed and it was over.

He also finished sixth twice, in the Heritage Classic and in the Ohio Kings Island Open with a closing

Kermit entered 29 tournaments and missed the cut eight times. He had a stroke average of 72.2.

## PRIOR YEARS

In 1974, Kermit Zarley played in 28 tournaments, missed the cut six times, never finished higher than sixth place and dropped out of the top 60 money list for the first time in five years. In 1975, Zarley played in one more tournament than the year before, but he missed 11 cuts, tied for 10th in the World Open for his highest finish and slipped to 84th place in the money rankings, matching the position he gained when he was a Tour rookie in 1964.

Two such disappointing years are difficult to fathom for this seasoned performer with a picture golf swing.

Zarley started in golf in his native Seattle, Wash., where his father owned a restaurant near a public course. He won the Washington State and Northwestern Amateur championships before entering the University of Houston. He won the NCAA title in 1962, and was graduated in 1963.

Zarley won the Kaiser International in 1968 and the Canadian Open in 1970 and, partnered with close friend Babe Hiskey, captured the National Team championship in 1972. Kermit and Babe have been active for years in the Tour's bible study classes.

Earlier in 1972, Zarley had a moment worth noting when he trailed Jack Nicklaus by only a stroke after three rounds of the U.S. Open, before high winds helped him to a closing 79 at Pebble Beach.

He enjoyed his second-best earnings year in 1973, although failing to win a tournament. He closed with a 67 at Quad Cities to tie for second, finished 67-64 at Orlando to tie for third and finished with a 65 at St. Louis, tying for 11th. But Zarley could not muster those blazing finishes the next two years.

# **Larry Ziegler**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 6' WEIGHT: 185

BIRTHDATE: Aug. 12, 1939 BIRTHPLACE: St. Louis, Mo.

RESIDENCE: St. Louis, Mo., represents Concord Hotel & CC.

Kiamesha Lake, N.Y.

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: \$463,962 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-1

TOUR VICTORIES: 1969 Michigan Classic. 1975 Greater Jacksonville Open. 1976 First NBC New

(TOTAL: 3) Orleans Open.

MONEY & POSITION: 1966-\$ 1,559.-148 1970-\$52,727.-39 1974-\$79,699.-27

1969-\$59,804.- 29 1973-\$54,701.-54

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 1-NBC New Orleans Open. T-3-Masters. T-5-Florida Citrus Open, Ameri-

can Express Westchester Classic, Walt Disney National Team Championship

(with George Archer).

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1974 Morocco International Grand Prix Winner.

## 1976 AT A GLANCE

When Larry Ziegler tied for third in the Masters Tournament, he said he was on such a high that "I thought I was going to explode. You can't believe how excited I was."

Two weeks later, he did explode, winning the First NBC-New Orleans Open by one stroke over Victor Regalado. His card: 69-63-67-70—274, worth \$35,000. He chipped in twice in the first round and twice more in the third. He grinned, "That's a probable difference of eight shots."

The victory was a tough one right down to the last putt. His 25 footer for a birdie on the 72nd hole pulled up 31/2-feet short. "My heart went into overtime," he said, but he made it for his par.

Larry won a total of \$84,165 for his best-ever performance. He had three other top 10 finishes, and all were ties for fifth, in the Florida Citrus Open, the Westchester Classic and in the Walt Disney World National Team Play.

Larry entered 30 tournaments. He missed the cut in six, withdrew from four and was disqualified once. His stroke average was 71.7.

## PRIOR YEARS

In the final round of the 1975 Greater Jacksonville Open, nine players had at least a piece of first place. "I thought that somebody would come out of the pack to win it, but I didn't think it would be me," said Larry Ziegler after his two-stroke victory.

Probably no one else did, either, because Ziegler had won only once in his 13 years on Tour. That was in 1969 in the defunct Michigan Classic. But, at Jacksonville, Larry came from three shots back with a seven-under 65 for 276.

Ziegler had only one other top 10 finish in 1975, a tie for eighth at Orlando two weeks before Jacksonville, and wound up 13 spots lower on the official money ladder than the previous year. Of course, 1974 was his best year. Four times in 1975 he was forced to withdraw because of illness or injury.

In 1974, Larry surpassed his best previous earnings year, 1969, by more than \$20,000, by finishing in the money in 30 tournaments and in the top 10 in four of them. He challenged early in both the Westchester Classic and the Canadian Open before tying for fifth and second, respectively.

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 he spent six years in the Army Reserve and, after turning pro in 1959, he worked for St. Louis area clubs for another seven years before rounding up sponsors to finance his venture into Tour competition.

Ziegler is one of the longest hitters in golf and probably the Tour's leading hockey expert, as a member of the board of directors of the St. Louis Blues.

# **Fuzzy Zoeller**

EXEMPT STATUS: Top 60 on Money List

HEIGHT: 5' 10" WEIGHT: 190

BIRTH DATE: Nov. 11, 1951 BIRTHPLACE: New Albany, Ind.

RESIDENCE: New Albany, Indiana

FAMILY: Wife, Dianne.

COLLEGE: Edison Junior College in Fort Meyers, Fla., and

University of Houston.

SPECIAL INTERESTS: All sports

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1973 JOINED TOUR: Fall of 1974

CAREER EARNINGS: \$59,875

TOUR VICTORIES: None

MONEY & POSITION:

1975-\$7,318-146

1976-\$52,557-56

BEST 1976 FINISHES: 2-Quad Cities, T-2-Westchester Classic, T-9-Tallahassee, T-10-IVB-Bi-

centennial Classic.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1970 Indiana State Amateur winner. 1972 Florida State Junior College win-

ner. Medalist in 1974 Fall PGA Tour Qualifying School.

#### 1976 AT A GLANCE

Fuzzy Zoeller walked into the Press Room the first day of the Ed McMahon-Quad Cities Open and said, "I was told to come down for an interview."

"That's fine, Fuzzy. What did you shoot?"

"I birdied the last eight holes for a 63," he said calmly, and then a wide grin creased his face.

His brilliant performance tied the all-time Tour record set by Bob Goalby in the 1961 St. Petersburg Open. He went on to shoot 71-68-68—270 and finished second, two strokes behind John Lister. The next week, he had 66-72-69-68—275 to tie for second in the Westchester Classic, three off the winning

Fuzzy gave an indication of things to come in the Greater Milwaukee Open, the week prior to Quad Cities. He opened with 66-66 and had a one-stroke lead, but he couldn't maintain that pace and finished well back.

He had two other top 10 finishes and totaled \$52,557 to earn his position in the top 60.

Fuzzy entered 32 tournaments, missed the cut in eight, failed to qualify in four and withdrew from two. His stroke average was 72.1.

## PRIOR YEARS

Fuzzy Zoeller's family lived along one of the fairways at the Valley View Country Club in New Albany, Ind., so it seemed natural enough for Fuzzy to start swinging a club at age three. He was in his first competition at age five.

As a youngster, he enjoyed all sports, but when he was eight years old, his father said to him, "Son, all we're doing is running back and forth between the golf course and the baseball diamond. You had better choose one." Fuzzy chose golf. During his days in high school, he played varsity basketball, mainly, he says, "to keep in shape for golf, and in Indiana in the winter, you can't play golf."

He was the runnerup in the state scholastic tournament in 1970 and went on to Edison Junior College in Florida, and in 1972, he won the State Junior College championship. The next year, he went to the University of Houston.

He missed in his first attempt at qualifying for the PGA Tour in 1973 but earned his card in the 1974 fall Qualifying School at the Canyon Club in Palm Springs. In fact, he was the medalist.

During his first year on Tour, he only won \$7,318. "I like to consider that year part of the learning process," he says.

# Other Exempt Players

**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)

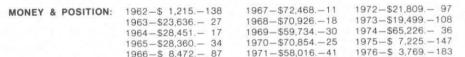
SPECIAL INTERESTS: Tennis, Table Tennis, Cricket, Farming

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1960 JOINED TOUR: 1962

CAREER EARNINGS: \$528,071 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2

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

(TOTAL: 5) Canadian Open. 1974 Greensboro.



BEST 1976 FINISHES: T-34-Tallahasse Open. T-37-Greater Jacksonville Open.

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1963 British Open champion (playoff with Phil Rogers), 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.

# **Dow Finsterwald**

EXEMPT STATUS: Lifetime 1958 PGA Champion

HEIGHT: 5'11" WEIGHT: 160 BIRTH DATE: September 6, 1929

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

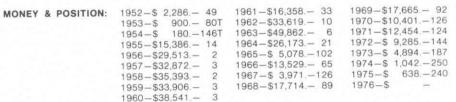
SPECIAL INTERESTS: Fishing

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1951 JOINED TOUR: 1952

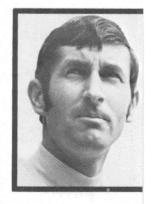
CAREER EARNINGS: \$401,022 PLAYOFF RECORD: 2-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1955 Fort Wayne Open, British Columbia Open. 1956 Carling Open. 1957 Tuscon Open. 120 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.



OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1959, Player of the Year; 1957, Vardon Trophy Winner; Ryder Cup Team. 1957, 1959, 1961, 1963; Member PGA Tournament Committee, 1957-1959.



# **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. (TOTAL: 19) 1954 Greater Greensboro Open, Fort Wayne Open. 1955 All American Champion-

ship, 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: 1950-\$ 2,918.- 1959-\$31,009.- 8 1968-\$ 5,518.-141 1969-\$11,005.- 7 1960-\$28,411.- 7 1969-\$11,090.-119

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 1970—\$ 8,464.—139

 1953—\$26,815.—
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 1962—\$28,041.—17
 1971—\$ 6,027.—158

 1954—\$16,415.—
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 1963—\$25,895.—21
 1972—\$ 3,915.—203

 1955—\$33,503.—
 3
 1964—\$ 8,063.—77
 1973—\$ 4,609.—192

 1956—\$19,389.—10
 1965—\$12,559.—67
 1974—\$ 5,203.—172

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.

# **Dave Marr**

**EXEMPT STATUS:** Lifetime 1965 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: \$365,811 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 1972-\$13,493.-127

 1961-\$15,570.-35
 1967-\$23,301.- 52
 1973-\$13,219.-135

 1962-\$16,790.-37
 1968-\$63,070.- 23
 1974-\$1,945.-218

 1963-\$18,017.-45
 1969-\$18,144.- 91
 1975-\$627.-242

 1964-\$37,142.-11
 1970-\$19,523.- 98
 1976-\$196.-298

1965-\$63,375.- 7 1971-\$14,736.-114

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: \$259,647 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-2

TOUR VICTORIES: 1969 U.S. Open

(TOTAL: 1)

 MONEY & POSITION:
 1968-\$12,950.-103
 1971-\$25,256.-83
 1974-\$13,283.-130

 1969-\$79,176.-21
 1972-\$13,672.-126
 1975-\$2,813-185

 1970-\$50,086.-44
 1973-\$74,286.-36
 1976-\$2,866.-195

# **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 GRADUATED: 1948, BA

SPECIAL INTERESTS: Sports

TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 1953 JOINED TOUR: 1953 CAREER EARNINGS: \$435,498 PLAYOFF RECORD: 1-4

TOUR VICTORIES: 1954 Brawley Open, Miami. 1956 Motor City, San Diego. 1959 PGA Champion-

ship. 1961 Bing Crosby. 1972 Bob Hope.

1969-\$16,887.- 93 MONEY & POSITION: 1953-\$ 150.-162 1961-\$26,848.- 11 1970-\$21,144.- 92

1954—\$ 8,662.— 26 1955—\$16,689.— 13 1962-\$18,465.- 34 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 1958—\$25,170.— 9 1959—\$31,676.— 7 1966-\$11,435.- 77 1974-\$13,082.-131

1967-\$ 7.708.-101 1975-\$ 1960-\$10,610.- 36 1968-\$16,698.- 92 1976-\$

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1958, Vardon Trophy Winner; 1959, Member of Ryder Cup Team; 1958-59 on PGA Tournament Committee (Chairman 1959-1962); 1972-73, Player

Director, TPD Policy Board.



# 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 PLAYOFF RECORD: 0-3

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 International.

MONEY & POSITION: 1957-\$18,761.-10 1964-\$62,465.-1958-\$36,267.- 3 1965-\$ 295.-226 1972-\$ 568.-337 1959-\$25,886.-10 1966-\$21,226.- 48 1973-\$1,534.-267 1960-\$41,230.- 2 1967-\$16,765.- 67 1974-\$2,140.-213 1968-\$ 4,822.-149 1961-\$25,572.-14 1975-\$ 406.-263 1962-\$ 6,951.-66 1969-\$ 4,626.-163 1976-\$

1963-\$ 3,848.-94 1970-\$ 976.-259

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS: 1964, Player of the Year; 1965, Member of Ryder Cup Team; Member of

PGA Tournament Committee, 1960-1962.

# Pronunciation Guide

ACTON, Rick ALTGELT, Stan BIES, Don CADLE, George CALFEE, BIII CERDA, Tony CERRUDO, Ron DIEHL, Terry DOUGHERTY, Ed EICHELBERGER, Dave EWING, Jack FEZLER, Forrest FITZSIMONS, Pat FLEISHER, Bruce FUNSETH, Rod GEIBERGER, AI GILDER, Bob GROH, Gary HATALSKY, Morris HEBERT, Lionel HEWES, Jeff JAECKEL, Barry KASER, Monty KNUDSON, George KOCH, Gary KRAJEWSKI, Volker KRATZERT, BIII

'Ac-ton 'Alt-gelt Bees 'Ca-dle 'Cal-fee 'Sir-da Sir-'ru-do Deal 'Dock-er-ty 'lke-el-ber-ger 'U-ing 'Fez-ler Fitz-'si-mons 'Fly-sher Fun-seth 'Guy-ber-ger 'Gil-der Grow Ha-'tall-ski A-bear Hughes Jay-kel Kay-ser 'Nude-son Coke Cry-'et-ski 'Krat-zert

LIETZKE, Bruce MALTBIE, Roger MASSENGALE, RIK MASSERIO, Jim MELNYK, Steve MENNE, Bob MOLINA, Florentino NEVIL, Dwight NIEPORTE, Tom OOSTERHUIS, Peter PEETE, Calvin PFEIL, Mark POOLEY, Don PURTZER, Tom RACHELS, Sammy REASOR, Mike REFRAM, Dean REGALADO, Victor SLIPKO, Mike STADLER, Craig TAPIE, Alan TEWELL, Doug TOEPEL, John VERIATO, Steve WIECHERS, Jim ZOELLER, Fuzzy

'Lit-ski 'Malt-bee 'mass-en-gale Mas-'ser-e-o 'Mel-nick "Men-ne Mo-'lee-na 'Nev-il 'Knee-por-tee 'Oo-ster-house Pete File 'Poo-ley 'Purt-zer 'Ray-chels 'Ree-sor 'Ref-ram Reg-a-'la-do 'Slip-ko 'Stad-ler Ta-pee Tool Toe-pel Very-'a-to Wick-ers Zell-er

# Other Prominent Members of the Tour

# A

ABBOTT, Bryan — Born April 6, 1946 in New York City ... 6' ... 170 ... Lives in Pensacola, Fla... Married, wife's name Lucille ... Graduated from the University of New Hampshire in May, 1970 with degree in Psychology ... Turned pro in 1971 ... Joined Tour June, 1974 ... Won 1974 Flint Elks Open and 1975 Corona National on second Tour ... 1976: Finished among top 25 in PGA Club Pro Championship ... No money won on major Tour.

ACTON, Rick—Born January 5, 1946 in Portland, Oregon ... 5'11" ... 185 ... Lives in Kirkland, Wash. ... Graduate of University of Washington, varsity letters in baseball and basketball ... Turned professional in 1969 ... Joined Tour in 1973 as PGA member ... Won 1972 and 1973 Oregon Open ... 1973 Washington Open ... 1973 and 1975 Washington PGA ... 1973 Northwest Open ... 1975 Northwest PGA ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-10—Buick Open, (2T), T-15—Andy Williams San Diego Open, Florida Citrus Open ... Money Winnings: \$7.969-150.

Open, Florida Citrus Open ... Money Winnings: \$7,969-150.

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 1971 ... Won 1973 Quad Cities Open ... Best year 1973, \$28,692 for

90th ... 1976 Best Finish: T-13-B.C. Open ... Money Winnings: \$4,434-176.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-3—Buick Open, (2T), T-8—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open . . . Money Winnings: \$13,829-126.

#### B

BARBER, Jerry-Exempt Status-Unlimited, 1961 PGA Championship-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-of-the-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... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

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)... 1976 No Money won on major Tour... Career earnings: \$188,-

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BEAN, Andy—Born March 13, 1953 in Lafayette, Ga.... 6'4".... 200... Lives in Lakeland, Fla.... 1975 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... 1976 Best Finishes: T-4—Magnolia Classic (2T), T-17—Danny Thomas Memphis Classic... Money Winnings: \$10,761-139.

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... 1976: No Money won on major Tour.

BOLT, Tommy-Exempt Status-Unlimited, 1958 U.S. Open-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... 1976: No money won on major Tour... Career earnings: \$320,791.

BRASK, Bill Jr.—Born December 18, 1946 in Annapolis, Md. ... 5'10½" ... 170 ... Lives in Vista, Calif. ... Graduated 1970 from U. of Minnesota with a BA in American History ... Was Big 10 golf champion in 1968; named to All-American golf team in 1967 and '68 ... Turned professional in 1969 and was on PGA Tour for a year ... Toured world in recent years and won two events in 1975 in New Zealand ... Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate ... 1976 Best Finish: T-34—San Antonio-

Texas Open . . . Money winnings: \$930-237.

BROOKS, Al—Born November 22, 1949, in Baker, Oregon... 5'7"... 147... Lives in Campbell, Calif... Attended U. of Oregon... Played amateur golf and reached semifinals of 1967 USGA Junior Championship... Turned pro in 1974... Special interests: Hiking, camping and billiards... Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate... 1976 Best Finish: T-38—Southern Open... Money winnings: \$538-257.









Sam Adams

**Andy Bean** 

Bill Brask

Al Brooks

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 . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-8—Buick Open (2T), T-11—Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open ... Money winnings: \$7,694-151 ... Career earnings: \$204,778.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-62—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open . . . Money winnings \$507-258.

### C

CADLE, George - Born May 9, 1948 in Pineville, Ky. ... 5'11" ... 230 ... Lives in Indian Wells, 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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-4-San Antonio-Texas Open, 5-Danny Thomas Memphis Classic, T-9-Tallahassee Open ... Money winnings: \$36,505-71.

. 6'2" ... 177 ... Lives in Lompoc, Calif . CALDWELL, Rex-Born May 5, 1950 in Everett, Wash... Married, wife's name Marjorie, one child . . . Attended San Fernando Valley State College . . . Turned pro 1972, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1976 Best Finishes: 3-Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open, T-6-Pleasant Valley ... Money winnings: \$24,912-87.

CALFEE, Bill-Born October 14, 1949 in Newport News, Va. ... 6'2" ... 190 ... Lives in Tampa, Fla. Married, wife's name Susan . . . Graduated 1971 from U. of Maryland with a BA in Economics . . . Was voted outstanding scholar-athlete at Maryland in 1971; named to All-American golf team in 1970 and '71 ... Turned pro in 1972 ... Won four mini-tour events in 1972 and 1973 ... Reading, music and fishing ... Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-19-Buick Open (2T), T-38-Kaiser International ... Money winnings: \$2,432-202.

CARTER, Tom-Born August 18, 1949 in Philadelphia, Pa. . . . 5'10" . . . 185 . . . Lives in Simi Valley, Calif. ... Married, wife's name Gayle Jane; two children ... Attended Ventura Jr. College ... Special interests: water skiing, scuba diving ..., 1976: No money won on major Tour.

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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-14-Western Open Money winnings: \$8,879-148.

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 . 1976 Best Finishes: T-5-Tallahassee Open, T-10-Greater Greensboro Open ... Money winnings: \$21,436-100 ... Career earnings: \$209,950.

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 individuals ... ual 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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-10-Walt Disney Team Championship (with John Schlee), T-12-Del Webb Sahara Invitational . . . Money winnings: \$18,901-107 . . . Career earnings: \$216,085.









Pete Brown

George Cadle

**Bill Calfee** 

**Tony Cerda** 

COLLINS, Bill—Born Sept. 23, 1928 in Meyersdale, Pa. . . . 6'4" . . . 205 . . . Lives in Armonk, N.Y. . . . Married, wife's name Virginia; two children . . . Turned pro in 1951 . . . Joined Tour 1955 . . . Won 1959 Greater New Orleans Open; 1960 Houston Classic; 1960 Hot Springs Open; 1962 Buick Open . . Member of 1961 Ryder Cup team . . Appeared in Top 60: 1958-1964 and 1967 . . . Best year on Tour: 1960: \$26,496-9th . . . 1976 Best Finishes: 5—Buick Open (2T), T-34—PGA Championship . . . Money winnings: \$3,685-184 . . . Career earnings: \$189,330.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-9—San Antonio-Texas Open . . . Money winnings: \$9,-273-147.

COURTNEY, Chuck—Born in Minneapolis, Minn. . . . 5′10″ . . . 160 . . . Lives in Pauma Valley, 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: \$22,840—93rd . . . 1976: No money won on major Tour . . . Career earnings: \$310,819.

CRAVEN, Mike—Born February 6, 1952 at Leavenworth, Kansas ... 6' ... 160 ... Lives in Texarkana, Texas ... Married, wife's name Jan ... Graduated from North Texas State with a degree in Accounting ... Won Arkansas Junior Championship in 1969 ... Four States Intercollegiate champion in 1974 ... Turned pro earlier this year ... Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate ... 1976: No

money won on major Tour.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-4—Southern Open, T-7—Canadian Open, T-9—San Antonio-Texas Open . . . Money winnings: \$21,416-101 . . . Career earnings: \$303,019.

CURL, Rod—Born January 9, 1943, in Redding, Calif. . . . 5'5" . . . 160 . . . Lives in Redding Calif. . . . Turned professional in 1968 . . First year on Tour 1969 . . Won 1974 Colonial National Invitation . . . Best year 1974, \$120,154 for 17th . . Appeared in Top 60: 1973, 1974, and 1975 . . 1969: \$2,344-207th; 1970: \$7,254-149th; 1971: \$14,604-115th; 1972: \$18,092-113th; 1973: \$55,-068-53rd; 1974: \$120,154-17th; 1975: \$59,599-35th . . . 1976: Best finishes: T-3—Phoenix Open, 7—Doral-Eastern Open . . . Money winnings \$31,402-74 . . . Career earnings: \$301,459.

D

DENT, Jim—Born May 11, 1942 in Augusta, Ga. . . . 6'2" . . . 222 . . . Lives in St. Petersburg, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Brenda Owens; two children . . . 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: \$33,649—69th . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-12—Kemper Open . . . Money winnings: \$20,042-104 . . . Career earnings: \$156,817.

DICKINSON, Gardner—Born September 27, 1927, in Dothan, Ala..... 5'10".... 150... Lives in North Palm Beach, Fla.... Married, wife's name Della Ehlert; three children... Graduated 1951 from L.S.U. (clinical psychology)... Turned pro in 1952... First year on Tour 1952... Won 1956 Miami Beach Open. 1957 Insurance City Open. 1962 Coral Gables Open. 1965 Haig & Haig Mixed Foursome. 1967 Cleveland Open, Doral Open. 1969 Colonial Invitational. 1971 Atlanta Classic. Career playoff record, 1-2... Best year 1968, \$73,354 for 16th. Appeared in Top 60: 1953 through 1959, 1961 through 1969 and 1971... 1969 TPD Player Director... Member Ryder Cup Team, 1967 and 1971.... 1976: No money won on major Tour... Career earnings: \$533,795.









Ron Cerrudo

**Bobby Cole** 

Chuck Courtney Dick Crawford

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... 1976 Best Finishes: T-3—Western Open, T-7—Andy Williams San Diego Open... Money winnings: \$36,149-72... Career earnings: \$286,789.

DICKSON, Jim—Born March 19, 1952 in Ft. Riley, Kansas ... 6' ... 190 ... Lives in El Paso, Texas ... Married, wife's name Ellen; one child ... Turned pro 1971 ... Joined Tour 1976 ... Special interests: Basketball ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

DILLS, Joey—Born November 22, 1951 in Enid, Okla... 6'... 200 ... Lives in Tulsa, Oklahoma ... 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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-12—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open ... Money winnings: \$7,-379-154

DOUGHERTY, Ed.—Born November 4, 1947 in Chester, Pa. . . . 6'2" . . . 195 . . . Lives in Linwood, Pa. . . . Turned pro in 1969 . . . First year on Tour 1975 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-3—Greater Jacksonville Open . . . Money winnings: \$17,332-113.

#### E

EASTWOOD, Bob — Born February 9, 1946 in Providence, R.I. . . . 5'10" . . . . 170 . . . Lives in Stockton, Callf. . . . 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 . . Won 1976 Little Crosby Pro-Am . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-5—Tallahassee Open, Canadian Open . . . Money winnings \$14,538-123.

EDMUNDS, Jim—Born February 5, 1942 in Toledo, Ohio ... 6'1" ... 175 ... Lives in Findlay, Ohio ... Married, wife's name Camilla ... Graduated from University of Toledo in 1968 with BA in Business ... Turned pro in 1968 ... Joined Tour 1976 ... Special interests: Fishing ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-4—Ohio Kings Island Open ... Money winnings: \$25,859-85.

EICHELBERGER, Dave—Born September 3, 1943 in Waco, Texas ... 6'1" ... 180 ... Lives in Fort Worth, Tex. ... Married, wife's name Linda, three children ... Graduated from Oklahoma State University, 1965, B.B.A. ... Turned pro in 1966, joined Tour 1967 ... 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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-3—Greater Milwaukee Open, T-9—San Antonio-Texas Open ... Money winnings: \$25,813-86 ... Career earnings: \$317,546.









Rod Curl

Jim Dent

**Bob Dickson** 

Terry Dill

ELLSWORTH, Ken – Born June 22, 1943 in Chicago, III.... 6'4"... 200... Lives in Harbor City, Calif.... Attended Calif. State at Los Angeles... Turned Pro in 1968... Joined Tour 1968... Best year, 1969: \$4,083-172 ... 1976: 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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-24-Pleasant Valley Classic ... Money winnings: \$4,363-178.

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 ... 1976 Michigan Open ... 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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: 2-Buick Open (2T), T-13-Canadian Open ... Money winnings: \$14,218-125.

EVANS, Tom-Born September 2, 1948, in Little Rock, Ark. . . . 5'9" . . . 145 . . . Lives in Dallas, Tex. . . . Married, wife's name Nancy ... Attended Louisiana State University ... 1972 Dogwood Amateur, . 1972 Western Amateur, quarter-finalist . . . Graduate of 1972 Qualifying School . . . 1976

Best Finish: T-11-NBC New Orleans Open ... Money winnings: \$7,080-158.

EWING, Jack-Born May 21, 1944 in Los Angeles, Calif. ... 6'2" ... 200 ... Lives in Capistrano Beach, Calif. ... Attended Bakersfield Jr. College ... Turned pro in 1968 ... First year on Tour 1968 ... Best year, 1974, \$23,657—96th ... 1976 Best Finish: T-5—Kaiser International ... Money winnings: \$14,879-121 ... Career earnings: \$135,855.

FARLOW, Sam—Born August 28, 1947 in Birmingham, Ala.... 6' .... 185 ... Lives in Birmingham, Ala.... Attended U. of Alabama and was captain of golf team in 1969 and '70 ... Won seven amateur events in 1970 before turning pro later that year . . . Qualified in PGA Tour School in 1973 but lost card after a year . . . Special interests: Fishing, Alabama football, basketball . . . Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate. 1976 Best Finishes: T-29—Buick Open (2T), T-57—SDJ-Greater Hartford Open . . . winnings: \$820-241.

FERREE, Jim-Born June 10, 1931 in Pine Bluff, N.C. ... 5'9" ... 165 ... Lives in Export, Pa. ... Graduated 1953 from Univ. of North Carolina with BS in Business Administration . . . Married, wife's name Lucy ... Turned professional 1955 ... Joined Tour 1956 ... Won 1958 Vancouver Open; 1961 Jamaica Open; 1962 Panama Open; 1963 Maracaibo Open ... Appeared in Top 60: 1958-1959, 1961-1962, 1965 ... Best year 1965: \$17,818-49th ... 1976 Best Finish: 62-U.S. Open ... Money winnings: \$1,000-234 ... Career earnings: \$107,100.

FERRIELL, Jim-Born April 18, 1942 in Louisville, Ky. . . . 5'11" . . . 184 . . . Lives in Cincinnati, Ohio . Married, wife's name Sheryle; two children . . . Graduated from U. of Louisville, 1964, B.A. . . . Turned pro 1964 ... Joined Tour 1965 ... Won 1973 Emerald Hills on Second Tour ... Best year 1973, \$47,945 for 66th ... 1976: Finished among the top 25 in the PGA Club Pro Championship ... No

money won on major Tour.

FERRIER, James-Exempt Status-Unlimited, 1947 PGA Championship-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 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour ... Career earnings \$183,797









Joey Dills

**Ed Dougherty** 

**Bob Eastwood Danny Edwards** 

FITZPATRICK, Gerry-Born April 16, 1948 in Hiroshima, Japan ... 5'10" ... 165 ... Lives in Greeley, . Turned professional 1970 . . . Joined Tour 1976 . . . 1976: No money won on major Tour. FITZSIMONS, Pat-Born December 15, 1950, in Coos Bay, Oregon ... 5'11" ... 175 ... Lives in Salem, Oregon ... Married, wife's name Mary ... Won 1968 Oregon Open; 1969 Northwest Open; 1976 Northwest PGA ... Turned pro in 1971 ... First year on Tour Fall of 1972 ... Won 1975 Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open ... Best year 1975, \$86,181 for 20th ... Appeared in Top 60: 1975 ... 1972: \$2,901-225th; 1973: \$16,596-118th; 1974: \$10,098-143rd; 1975: \$86,181-20th ... 1976 Best Finish: T-4-NBC Tucson Open ... Money winnings: \$19,595-105 ... Career earnings: \$132,067.

FLECK, Jack-Exempt Status-Unlimited, 1955 U.S. Open-Born Nov. 8, 1921 in Bettendorf, Iowa ... 6' ... 159 ... Lives in Santa Ana, Calif. ... Turned pro 1939 ... Joined Tour 1955 (full time) ... Won 1955 USGA Open, 1960 Phoenix Open, 1961 Bakersfield Open ... Appeared in top 60: 1954 through 1957, 1959 through 1963 ... Best year 1960: \$19,798 for 18th ... 1976 Best Finish: T-67—Danny Thomas Memphis Classic ... Money winnings: \$325-281 ... Career earnings: \$128,-

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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-9-Tallahassee Open ... Money winnings: \$18,-206-108 ... Career earnings: \$120,724.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-32—Kaiser International Open . . . Money winnings: \$11,295-137.

FORD, Doug, Jr.—Born March 19, 1945 in Miami, Fla. . . . 5'10" . . . 170 . . . Lives in Fern Park, Fla. . . . Married, wife's name Marilyn; two children .. Graduated 1967 from Wake Forest . . . Turned professional 1967 ... Joined Tour 1974 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

FURGOL, Ed-Exempt Status-Unlimited, 1954 U.S. Open-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 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

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GALBRAITH, Alexander (Sandy)—Born August 14, 1945 in New Britain, Conn....6'...175...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 1976 Best Finish: T-4-San Antonio-Texas Open .. . Money winnings: \$5,621-165.

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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-28-Pensacola Open ... Money winnings: \$3,-

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GENTILE, John-Born March 17, 1947 in Conn. . . . 6' . . . 160 . . . Lives in Fairfield, Conn. . . . Married, wife's name Elaine ... Graduated 1971 from Biscayne University with B.A. degree in English ... Turned professional 1971, and joined Tour ... Won 1976 Farmington Woods Open on Second Tour ... 1976: Best finish: T-26-Houston Open ... Money winnings.: \$4,546-175.









D. Eichelberger

Randy Erskine

**Jack Ewing** 

Sam Farlow

GLENZ, David - Born December 15, 1948, in Portland, Ore. ... 5'10" ... 165 ... Lives in Miami, Fla. ... Married, wife's name Patricia ... Graduated from University of Oregon in 1971 (Marketing) Turned pro in 1971, first year on Tour 1971 ... Best year 1973, \$41,751 - 75th ... 1976 Best Finish: T-40-Hawaiian Open ... Money winnings: \$1,294-225.

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 ... 1976: No money won on

major Tour ... Career earnings: \$264,516.

GROH, Gary-Born October 11, 1944, in Chicago, III. . . . 6' . . . 160 . . . Lives in Bridgman, Mich., plays out of Freeport, Grand Bahamas . . . Married, wife's name Fay . . . Attended Michigan State . . . Turned pro in 1968 . . . First year on Tour Spring of 1969 . . . Won 1975 Hawaiian Open . . . Winner of four second tour events during 1973 and 1974 . . . Represented U.S. Navy on 1965 and 1966 All-Service Teams . . . Best year 1975, \$68,296 for 31st . . . Appeared in Top 60: 1975 . . . 1971: \$2,464—217th; 1972: \$8,184-155th; 1973: \$17,433-113th; 1974: \$21,582-103rd; 1975: \$68,296-31st . Best Finish: T-12-Kemper Open ... Money winnings: \$13,610-127 ... Career earnings: \$125,424.

GUERNSEY, Rusty-Born Feb. 9, 1949 in San Diego, Calif. ... 5'10" ... 200 ... Lives in Orem, Utah ... Married, wife's name Sandra; two children ... Attended Brigham Young University ... 1976 Best finish: T-62-Pensacola Open ... Money winnings: \$807-242.

HAAS, Freddie-Born January 3, 1916 in Portland, Ark. ... 6'11/2" ... 175 ... Lives in Metari, La. ... Married, wife's name Paula; three children ... Graduated from L.S.U. in 1937 with degree in Jour-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 ... Ryder Cup team ... PGA Tournament Committee 1954 and 1955 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-27 - Mag-... Money winnings: \$265-286 ... Career earnings: \$150,674. nolia Classic (2T)

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 ... 1976: No

money won on major Tour.

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 .... 1976 Best Finishes: T-12 - Buick Open (2T), T-53 - SDJ-Greater Hartford Open . Money winnings: \$2,236-206 ... Career earnings: \$296,036.

HATALSKY, Morry-Born November 10, 1951 in San Diego, Calif. ... 5'11" ... 165 ... Lives in Las Vegas, Nev. . . Married, wife's name Tracy. . . Attended U. S. International U. . . Named to 1972 NAIA All-American team . . . Turned pro in 1973 . . . Won mini-tour events in 1974 and '75 . . . Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate ... 1976 Best Finish: T-57-Southern Open ... Money winnings:

\$249-288

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 ... Won 1976 South African Open, 1976 South African PGA, 1976 Holiday Inns Tournament . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-14-Doral Eastern Open ... Money winnings: \$13,351-128...









Pat Fitzsimons Marty Fleckman Bruce Fleisher

**Bill Garrett** 

HEBERT, Jay-Exempt Status-Unlimited, 1960 PGA Championship-Born February 14, 1923 in St. Montinville, La. . . . 6' . . . 180 . . . Lives in Houston, Texas . . . Graduated with B.S. degree and Masters degree from University of Southwestern La. L.S.U. . . . Married, wife's name Barbara; two children . . Turned professional in 1949... Joined Tour 1950... Won 1957 Bing Crosby National, Texas Open; 1958 Lafayette Open; 1959 Orange County Open; 1960 PGA Championship; 1961 Houston Classic, American Golf Classic ... Member of 1959, 1961 Ryder Cup team ... Appeared in top 60: 1953 through 1966 . . . Best year 1961: \$35,583-5th . . . 1976: No money won on major Tour . . . Career earnings: \$289,155.

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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-6-Buick Open (2T), T-21 - Tallahassee Open ... Money winnings: \$5,360-171.

HEWES, Jeff—Born August 18, 1946 in Fillmore, Calif. . . . 6'3½" . . . 146 . . . Lives in Santa Barbara, Calif, . . . Married, wife's name, Elaine . . . Earned ATP card at 1972 PGA Tour Qualifying School but lost it after a year ... Special interests: backgammon, skiing, jogging ... Turned pro in 1968 ... Spring Qualifying School graduate ... 1976 Best Finish: T-57 - Southern Open ... Money winnings: \$249-289.

HIGGINS, Carl—Born August 16, 1945 in Siloam Springs, Ark. . . . 5'9" . . . 165 . . . Lives in Dallas, Tex. . . . Married, wife's name Janis Ann; one child . . . Graduated 1972 with BBA degree from University of Oklahoma . . . Turned professional 1972 . . . Joined Tour 1976 . . . 1976 Best finish: 61 - San Antonio Texas Open ... Money winnings: \$244-291.

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 1976, \$11,-058-138 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-9-Magnolia Classic (2T), T-18-Kemper Open ... Money winnings: \$11,058-138.

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; 1974: \$47,760-60th . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-19-Doral-Eastern Open Money winnings: \$4,773-174 ... Career earnings: \$382,320.

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. turned pro 1961, joined Tour 1962 ... 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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-14-Del Webb Sahara Invitational ... Money winnings: \$5,402-169 ... Career earnings: \$194,156.

IMPAGLIA, Bobby—Born September 25, 1952 at Auburn N. Y. ... 6'1" ... 185 ... Lives in Auburn, N. Y. ... Attended Florida State and was co-captain of golf team there ... Turned pro in 1975 ... Special interests: Cards, pool and tennis ... Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

IVERSON, Don-Born October 28, 1945, in LaCrosse, Wisc. ... 5'10" ... 185 ... Lives in LaCrosse . Married, wife's name Virginia; one child ... Graduated from Univ. of Wisconsin in 1968 with B.S. degree in Economics ... 1966 Wisconsin State Amateur champion ... 1966 NAIA (Small College) champion ... 1963 International Jaycees champion ... Turned pro in 1968 ... First year on Tour 1971 ... Won 1975 B.C. Open ... Best year 1975: \$56,559 for 37th ... Appeared in Top 60: 1975 1971: \$3,445-194th; 1972: \$35,716-69th; 1973: \$34,624-82nd; 1974: \$22,288-99th; 1975: \$56,559-37th ... 1976: Best finish: T-14-Tournament of Champions ... Money winnings: \$19,156-106 ... Career earnings: \$165,753.









**David Glenz** 

**Bert Greene** 

Gary Groh

**Labron Harris** 

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JACKSON, John-Born July 2, 1948 in Cherry Point, N.C. ... 5'10½" ... 150 ... Lives in Scottsdale, Arizona ... Married, wife's name Charlotte Ann ... Graduated 1970 from Arizona State Univ. with B.S. Business Admin. ... Turned professional in 1971 ... Joined Tour 1974 ... 1976: Best finish: T-19—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open, Pleasant Valley Classic ... Money winnings: \$4,366-177.

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 1976, \$27,337-80 ... 1976 Best Finish: 2—Greater Milwaukee Open ... Money winnings: \$27,337-80 ... Career earnings: \$119,-384

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 ... 1976: 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 . . . Plays out of Kapalua, Hawaii . . . 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 . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-5—SDJ-Greater Hartford Open, T-6—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open, T-7—Houston Open . . . Money winnings: \$36,888-70.

JENKINS, Tom—Born December 14, 1947 in Houston, Texas... 5'11"... 165... Lives in Houston... Graduated from Univ. of Houston in 1971 with BBA... 1970 and 1971 College All-American... Turned pro in 1971... First year on Tour fall of 1972... Won 1975 IVB-Philadelphia Golf Classic... Best year 1975: \$45,267 for 52nd... Appeared in Top 60: 1975... 1972: \$1,317-270; 1973: \$38,-241—80th; 1974: \$30,826—86th; 1975: \$45,267—52nd... 1976 Best finishes: 3—American Golf Classic, T-6—Pleasant Valley Classic, T-7—Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open, T-9—San Antonio-Texas Open... Money winnings: \$42,740-65... Career earnings: \$157,129.

JEROME, Mike—Born August 28, 1948 in Greensboro, N.C. . . . 5'11" . . . 190 . . . Lives in Laurel, Miss. . . . Married, wife's name Sharon; one child .. Graduated 1971 from Lamar Univ., with B.A. degree . . . Turned professional 1972 . . . Joined Tour 1976 . . . Special Interests: Hunting, club repair . . . 1976: No money won on major Tour.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-10—Buick Open (2T), T-15—Tallahassee Open . . . Money winnings: \$14,-264-124 . . . Career earning: \$172,021.

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 . . . 1976: No money won on major Tour . . . Career earnings: \$280,896.

JOHNSTON, Bill—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... 1976: No money won on major Tour.









**Dale Hayes** 

Lon Hinkle

**Larry Hinson** 

**Babe Hiskey** 

JOHNSTON, Ralph—Born November 18, 1941 in Brooklyn, N.Y....5'11"....180... 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 1965... First year on Tour 1970... Best year 1971, \$37,947—67th... 1976 Best Finish: 60—San Antonio-Texas Open... Money winnings: \$250.-287... Career earnings: \$114,972.

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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 1968 ... 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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-52—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open ... Money winnings: \$652-252.

KASER, Monty—Born Sept. 9, 1941, in Wichita, Kansas... 5'10"... 160... Lives in Wichita, Kansas... Married, wife's name Lestlie; two children... National Public Links Champion in 1966... Turned pro in 1966 and joined Tour... Best year was 1968, won \$28,382 for 60th place... 1976 Best Finish: T-8—Byron Nelson Golf Classic... Money winnings: \$6,677—160.
KNIGHT, Dwaine—Born October 14, 1947 in Panama City, Fla....... 5'10-1/2"... 145... Lives in

KNIGHT, Dwaine—Born October 14, 1947 in Panama City, Fla. . . . . 5'10-1/2" . . . 145 . . . Lives in Albuquerque, N.M. . . . Graduated from University of New Mexico in 1970 (Business Admin.) . . . Turned pro in 1971, and joined Tour 1972 . . Best year 1973, \$4,130—199th . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-66—Buick Open (2T) . . . Money winnings: \$100-313.

KNOLL, Jim—Born August 11, 1952 in San Francisco . . . 5'11" . . . 185 . . . Lives in Mountain View, Calif. . . Married, wife's name Terry . . Attended San Jose State . . Turned pro in 1975 and won a minitour event at Crystal River, Fla., in 1975 . . . Special interest: All sports . . . Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate and joined Tour 1972 . . . Best year 1973, \$4,130—199th . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-34—Buick Open (2T) . . . Money winnings: \$241-T292.

KNUDSON, George—Born June 28, 1937, in Winnipeg, Canada ... 5'10" ... 160 ... Lives in Willowdale, Ontario ... Married, wife's name Shirley; three children ... Attended St. James College ... Turned pro in 1958. First year on Tour 1961 ... Won 1961 Coral Gables, 1963 Portland Open, 1964 Fresno, 1967 New Orleans, 1968 Phoenix, Tucson, 1970 Robinson, 1972 Kaiser ... Playoff record: 4-0 ... Appeared in Top 60: 1962 through 1972 ... Best year 1972: \$74,366 for 30th ... Won 1964 Canadian PGA. 1966 Low Individual in Canada Cup Matches (now World Cup), competing for Canada. Won four victories on Caribbean Tour ... Winner 1976 Canadian PGA, Ontario Open, Atlantic Open ... 1976 Best Finish: T-3—B.C. Open ... Money winnings: \$14,869-122 ... Career earnings: \$505,114.

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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... 1976 Best Finish: T-10—Greater Greensboro Open... Money winnings: \$6,601-161.

LESLIE, Perry—Born December 31, 1942 in Shreveport, La. ... 6' ... 190 ... 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 ... 1976 Pact Finish T. 23. Ohio Kings Island Open ... Money Mainings \$5,574,166

1976 Best Finish: T-23—Ohio Kings Island Open ... Money winnings: \$5,574-166.

LIND, David—Born June 3, 1949 in Philadelphia, Pa. ... 6'2" ... 165 ... Lives in Glen Ellyn, Ill. ... 1971

B.A. from Duke University ... Turned pro in 1974 ... Joined Tour after 1975 Spring Qualifying School ... Lost card and rejoined in 1976 Spring Qualifying School ... 1971 Chicago Amateur champion ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-50—Buick Open (2T), T-78—Southern Open ... Money winnings: \$145-T302.









Don Iverson

**Barry Jaeckel** 

Jim Jamieson

Tom Jenkins

LONG, Mike — Born August 22, 1947 in Elizabeth, N.J. ... 6'2" ... 182 ... Lives in North Palm Beach, Fla. ... Graduated 1970 from Wake Forest Univ., with B.A. degree in Business Admin. ... Turned professional 1970 ... Joined Tour 1975 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

LOTZ, Dick—Born October 15, 1942 in Oakland, Calif. . . 5'8" . . 175 . . . Plays out of Graeagle, Calif. . . . 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, \$125,023 for 6th . . Appeared in Top 60: 1969 and 1970 . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-15—Andy Williams San Diego Open, Jacksonville Open . . . Money winnings: \$9,357-145 . . . Career earnings: \$279,608.

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 . . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-58—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open . . . Money winnings: \$1,197-226.

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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 . . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-4—Del Webb Sahara Invitational, T-9—Greater Jacksonville Open . . . Money winnings: \$29,491-76.

McGINNIS, Tommy—Born November 27, 1947 in Memphis, Tenn. . . . 6' . . . 160 . . . Lives in Memphis, Tenn. . . . Married, wife's name Yvonne . . . Graduated University of Tennessee 1969 . . Turned pro in 1972 . . . Graduate of 1972 Fall Qualifying School and in 1973, won \$11,209 for 144th place, . . . Won 1974 O'Hara Open at Fallbrook, California on second Tour . . Lost his card at end of 1974 season . . Won 1965 National Jaycees . . Won twice on Canadian Tour in 1971 . . . Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School . . 1976 Best Finish: 5—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open . . . Money winnings: \$10,019-142.









George Johnson Ralph Johnston

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MALLON, Bill—Born February 2, 1953 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 ... won 1976 New England Open ... Turned pro in 1975 ... Special Interests, physical fitness and kinesiology ... Graduate of 1975 Fall Qualifying School ... 1976 Best Finishes: 6—Western Open, 8—World Open ... Money winnings: \$20,594-103.

MANCOUR, Larry—Born January 1, 1935, in Grand Blanc, Mich. . . . 6' . . . 175 . . . Lives in Grand Blanc . . . Married, wife's name Audrey; three children . . . Graduated from Flint Jr. College in 1956 . . . Turned pro in 1956, first year on Tour 1960 . . . 1976: No money won on major Tour.

MARTI, Elroy—Born May 6, 1954 in Houston, Texas ... 6'1" ... 180 ... Lives in Houston ... Married, wife's name Janet ... Graduated 1976 U. of Houston ... Four-year letterman at Houston ... Turned pro in May, 1976 ... Special interest: Fishing ... Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate ... 1976: 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 Sherry; 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... 1976 Best Finishes: T-6—Danny Thomas Memphis Classic, T-9—Magnolia Classic (2T), San Antonio-Texas Open.... Money winnings: \$28,989-78... Career earnings: \$307,904.

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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-5—Kaiser International Open, Disney Team Championship (with Rik Massengale) ... Money winnings: \$11,772-135 ... Career earnings: \$205,630.

MASSERIO, James—Born October 13, 1948 in Pittsburgh, Pa. . . 6' . . . 165 . . . Lives in Clearwater, Fla. . . Married, wife's name Gigi, one child . . . Attended Memphis State and Point Park College . . . 1965 National Junior champion . . . 1969 Pennsylvania State Open champion . . . All-American 1970 . . . Turned pro 1971 . . . Joined Tour 1973 . . . Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School . . . 1976 Best Finish:

T-3—Tournament Players Championship . . . Money winnings: \$29,376-77.

MELNYK, Steve—Born February 26, 1947 in Brunswick, Ga . . . 6'1¾" . . . 218 . . . Lives in Amelia Island, Fla . . . Graduated from University of Florida in 1969 with B.S.B.A. degree . . . Turned professional in 1971. First year on Tour 1971 . . . 1969 U.S. Amateur champion. 1971 British Amateur champion. 1969 and 1971 Walker Cup team . . Best year 1974: \$53,700 for 52nd . . Appeared in Top 60 1974 and 1975 . . . 1971: \$657—323rd; 1972: \$31,434—777h; 1973: \$46,143—69th; 1974: \$53,700—52nd; 1975: \$44,707—55th . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-20—Del Webb Sahara Invitational . . . Money winnings: \$10,172-141 . . . Career earnings: \$175,263.

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: \$10,423—125th . . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-3—Pleasant Valley Classic, T-6—Greater Greensboro Open . . . Money winnings: \$22,122-97 . . . Career earnings: \$154,267 .

MEYER, Dennis—Born December 5, 1943, in Long Beach, Calif.... 5'8".... 157... Lives in San Juan Capistrano, Calif.... Married, wife's name Patty... Attended Utah State University... Turned pro in 1964... First year on Tour 1968 through 1969; left Tour and rejoined 1975... 1975 Player of the Year in Southern California PGA Section... Special interests: pool and ping pong... 1976 Best Finishes: Won Magnolia Classic on second tour, T-21—Hawaiian Open... Money winnings: \$16,-736-118.







**Bob Lunn** 





Gary McCord Mike McCullough

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 .... Tallahassee Open ... 1971: \$94-470th; 1972: \$20,602-101st; 1973: \$48,972-62nd; 1974: \$35,220-75th ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-3-Walt Disney Team Championship (with Jerry McGee), T-16—B.C. Open ... Money winnings: \$21,567-99 ... Career earnings: \$155,329.

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 . 1976 Best Finish: T-5-Doral-Eastern Open . . . Money winnings: \$17,154-114 . . . Career earnings: \$408.254.

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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-12— IVB Bicentennial Classic ... Money winnings: \$7,161-156.

#### N

NEVIL, Dwight-Born August 25, 1944 in Altun, Ok. ... 5'8" ... 178 ... Lives in Denison, Tex. 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: \$20,-043-104th ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-9-Magnolia Classic (2T), T-12-Bob Hope Desert Classic Money winnings: \$11,473-136 ... Career Earnings: \$226,403.

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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-4-Bob Hope Desert Classic, T-6-Buick Open (2T), T-9-Tallahassee Open . . . Money winnings: \$16,999-117.

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 ... 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 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

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 ... 1976 Best Finish: 63-San Antonio-Texas Open ... Money winnings: \$1,171-229.

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OOSTERHUIS, Peter-Born May 3, 1948 in London, England ... 6'5" ... 210 ... Lives in Mission Hills, Palm Springs, Calif. ... Married, wife's name Anne; one child ... Attended Dulwich College ... Turned pro 1968. Joined Tour Fall of 1974 ... Member of 1967 Walker Cup Team. 1968 Eisenhower Trophy. 1973, 1974 French Open. 1974 Italian Open. Leader of British Order of Merit 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974. Won a total of 19 international victories. Member of British Ryder Cup Team: 1971, 1973, 1975 ... Appeared in Top 60 1975, which was his best year—\$59,935 for 34th ... 1974: \$21,913—101st ... Playoff record: 0-1 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-4—Southern Open, T-9—Jacksonville Open, Western Open ... Money winnings: \$41,322-66 ... Career earnings: \$148,228.









Fred Marti

James Masserio

Steve Melnyk

**Bob Menne** 

OWENS, Charlie—Born February 22, 1937, in Winter Haven, Fla. . . . 6'3" . . . 200 . . . Lives in Winter Haven . . . Attended Florida A & M . . . Turned professional 1967 . . . Joined Tour 1971 . . . Has cross handed grip, stiff left knee as result of parachute jump accident . . . Won 1971 Kemper-Ashville Open . . . Best year 1971: \$11,476 for 129th . . . 1976: No money won on major Tour.

P

PACE, Roy—Born June 27, 1941, in Runge, Tex.... 6'1" .... 160 ... Lives in Darien, Conn... Married, wife's name Sandy ... Graduated from Louisiana Tech. in 1964 ... Won 1971 Magnolia Classic ... Best year 1974, \$39,952—69th ... 1976 Best Finish: 45—American Golf Classic ... Money winnings: \$660.—251 ... Career earnings: \$131,470.

PARKER, Roger—Born March 10, 1947 in Dallas, Tex. ... 5'11" ... 200 ... 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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-50—Buick Open (2T) T-64—Greater Milwaukee Open ... Money winnings: \$359-277.

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 . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-7—Magnolia Classic (2T), T-26—Hawaiian Open . . . Money winnings: \$8,650-149.

PEARCE, Eddie—Born March 16, 1952 in Fort Myers, Fla.... 6 ... 175 ... Lives in Orlando, Fla ... Married, wife's name Maureen; one child ... Attended Wake Forest ... Turned pro 1972. Joined Tour Fall of 1973 ... 1968 USGA Junior champion. 1971 North-South amateur champion. 1971 U.S. Amateur runner-up ... Appeared in Top 60 1974 and 1975 ... Best year 1974: \$56,384 for 47th ... 1973: \$1,666—260th; 1974: \$56,384—47th; 1975: \$54,595—39th ... 1976 Best Finish: T-6—Greater Greensboro Open ... Money winnings: \$24,126-90 ... Career earnings: 135,593.

Greater Greensboro Open ... Money winnings: \$24,126-90 ... Career earnings: 135,593.

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) ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-3—Buick Open (2T), T-5—Disney Team Championship (with Carlton White), T-10—IVB-Bicentennial Classic ... Money winnings: \$22,966-94.

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 ... Player Director, 1976 Policy Board ... 1976 Best Finishes: 2—Western Open, 4—Disney Team Championship (with Bob Zender). T-5—Tallahassee Open, T-7—Greater Milwaukee Open, T-8—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open ... Money winnings: \$40,832-67.

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 . . . 1976: No money won on major Tour . . . Career earnings: \$371,396.

PROCTOR, Art—Born December 11, 1938 in Concordia, Kansas ... 5'11" ... 185 ... Lives in Edmond, Oklahoma ... Married, wife's name Connie; two children ... Attended Washburn University ... Turned professional 1959 ... Joined Tour 1963 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-33—Bing Crosby National Pro-Am ... Money winnings: \$1,512-221.









Allen Miller

**Bobby Mitchell** 

**Dwight Nevil** 

P. Oosterhuis

PURTZER, Paul—Born July 11, 1948 in Des Moines, Iowa ... 6' ... 180 ... Lives in Phoenix, Ariz. ... Graduated from Arizona State U., 1971, B.S. Business Admin. ... Medalist 1967 Western Junior, 1969 Sun Devil Intercollegiate, 1971 Broadmoor Invitational, 1971 Arizona Open ... Graduate of 1972 Qualifying School ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

PURTZER, Tom—Born December 5, 1951 in Des Moines, Iowa . . . 6' . . . 170 . . . 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 . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-2—Magnolia Classic (2T), T-3—Pensacola Open . . . Money winnings: \$26,682—82.

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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)... 1976 Best Finish: T-18—Southern Open... Money winnings: \$5,464-168.

Best Finish: T-18—Southern Open ... Money winnings: \$5,464-168. **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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-7—Magnolia Classic (2T), T-15—Bob Hope Desert Classic, Tallahassee Open ... Money winnings: \$7,127-157.

REFRAM, Dean—Born November 11, 1936 in Miami, Fla. ... 5'6" ... 165 ... Lives in Wesley Chapel, Fla. ... Married, wife's name Barbara; three children ... Graduated from Florida Southern in 1960 with B.S. degree ... Turned pro in 1961 and joined tour ... Won 1975 Walt Disney World National Team Play (with Jim Colbert) ... His best money year was 1971, \$17,659. His highest finish on the money list was in 1967, \$13,431 for 79th ... 1976: Best Finish: T-34—American Golf Classic ... Money winnings: \$1,822-215.

RODGERS, Phil—Born April 3, 1938 in San Diego, Calif. . . . 5'8" . . . 175 . . . Lives in La Jolla . . . Attended University of Houston . . . Turned pro in 1960. Joined the Tour 1961 . . . Won 1962 Los Angeles, Tucson. 1963 Texas. 1966 Doral, Buick . . . Playoff record: 0-1 . . . Won 1951 International Jaycee Junior title; 1958 NCAA champion . . . Appeared in the Top 60 1961 through 1967, 1970 through 1972. Best year 1971: \$71,399 for 31st . . . 1976: Best Finish:T-5—Pensacola Open . . . Money winnings: \$18,153-110 . . . Career earnings: \$470,159.

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 . . . . Won 1976 Sun City Open on Second Tour . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-8—Byron Nelson Classic, T-10—Bob Hope Desert Classic . . . Money winnings: \$24,376-88.







Calvin Peete



Joe Porter



Mike Reasor

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SABO, Ed—Born March 1, 1949 in Newark, Oh. . . . 6'1" . . . 175 . . . Lives in Juno Beach, Fla . . . . . . 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 Fall 1975 . . . Won 1976 Buick Open on Second Tour . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-4—Ohio Kings Island Open . . . Money winnings: \$22,601-96.

SANDERS, Doug—Born June 24, 1933 in Cedartown, Ga... 5'11"... 165... Lives in Houston, Texas ... Married, wife's name Priscilla; one child... Attended University of Florida... Turned professional 1956. Joined Tour 1957... Won 1956 Canadian (as amateur). 1958 Western. 1959 Coral Gables. 1961 New 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. Playoff record: 4-4... Member 1967 Ryder Cup Team. 1966 and 1970 runner-up in British Open... Appeared in Top 60 1958 through 1968, 1970 and 1972... Best year 1967: \$109,455 for 6th... 1976: Best Finish: T-30—Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open... Money winnings: \$3,272-188... Career earnings: \$770,706.

SANUDO, Cesar—Born October 26, 1943 in Navejoa, Mex... (U.S. Citizen) ... 5'10" ... 175 ... Lives in San Diego, Calif. ... Attended 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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-17—Milwaukee Open ... Money winnings: \$3,994-182 ... Career earnings: \$108,-

SCHLEE, John—Born June 2, 1939 in Kremling, Colo.... 6'3".... 165... Lives in Rancho Viejo, Texas ... Attended Memphis State University ... Turned pro 1964... joined Tour 1965... Won 1973 Hawaiian Open... Playoff record: 0-1... 1965 Medalist in first Tour Qualifying School. 1966 Rookie of the Year... Appeared in the Top 60 1966, 1971 through 1975... Best year 1973: \$118,017 for 10th .... 1976 Best Finishes: T-4—PGA Championship, T-10—Disney Team Championship (with Bobby Cole)... Money winnings: \$47,376-61... Career earnings: \$451,802.

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; two children . . . 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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-16—NBC Tucson Open . . . Money winnings: \$16,205-119 . . . Career earnings: \$221,017.

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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-29—Buick Open (2T), T-63—SDJ-Hartford Open ... Money winnings: \$863-239.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-4—Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open . . . Money winnings: \$12,462-133 . . Career earnings: \$339,941.

SHEARER, Bob—Born in Melbourne, Australia, May 28, 1948... 6'... 185... Has not yet settled on a home in the United States... Married, wife's name Kathie... Won 1969 Australia Amateur championship... Turned pro in 1970... Has won several events in Australia and Europe, including 1974 Tasmanian Open, 1975 Madrid Open... Finished as second low individual in 1975 World Cup... Was co-medalist in 1976 Spring Qualifying School... Special interest: Fishing... Winner 1976 Chrysler Classic in Australia... 1976 Best Finish: T-26—SDJ-Greater Hartford Open... Money winnings: \$4,129-181.









**Dean Refram** 

Phil Rodgers

**Bill Rogers** 

**Doug Sanders** 

SHEFF, David - Born March 23, 1949 in Mineola, N.Y. ... 6' ... 200 . . . Lives in Glendale, Calif. . . . Graduated from Arizona State with B.S. degree in Phys. Ed. . . . Married, wife's name Vicki . . . Turned professional in 1971 ... Joined Tour 1976 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-27—Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open Money winnings: \$862-240.

SHUSTER, David - Born December 11, 1948 in Springfield, III. . . . 6'3" . . . 230 . . . Lives in Tequesta, Fla. . Married, wife's name Diane; one child . . . Attended University of Houston and University of South Florida. B.A. degree in Public Relations and Communications and Marketing ... Turned pro in 1970 Joined Tour 1975 ... Won 1975 Yuma Open on second Tour ... 1976 Best Finish: T-56-Tallahassee Open ... Money winnings: \$1,004-233.

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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-40-Florida

Citrus Open ... Money winnings: \$1,991-211 ... Career earnings: \$338,035.

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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-20-Del Webb Sahara Invitational ...

Money winnings: 3,410-187.

SIKES, R. H.—Born March 6, 1940 in Paris Ark. . . . 6'1" . . . 150 . . . Lives in Springdale, Ark. . . . Graduated 1964 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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-11 - Florida Citrus Open ... Money winnings: \$6,-305-163 ... Career earnings: \$342,635.

SIMONS, Jim-Born May 15, 1950 in Pittsburgh, Pa. ... 5'101/2" ... 175 ... Lives in Tequesta, Fla. ... Married, wife's name Sherry . . . Graduated from Wake Forest University in 1972 with B.S. degree . Turned pro 1972 and joined Tour in the Fall ... 1971 Walker Cup team. 1971 runner-up British Amateur, 1971 and 1972 Collegiate All-American, 1971 and 1972 Low Amateur, U.S. Open ... Appeared in Top 60 1975, which was his best year for \$47,724-50th ... 1972: \$2,030-248th; 1973: \$26,493-93rd; 1974: \$30,710-87th; 1976: Best Finishes: T-3-Phoenix Open, T-4-American Golf Classic, T-9-World Open, San Antonio-Texas Open ... Money winnings: \$44,-747-62 ... Career earnings: \$147,492.

SMALL, Terry-Born February 28, 1944 in Albany, Calif. . . . 6' . . . 200 . . . Lives in Long Beach, Calif. Married, wife's name Louise; two children ... Attended San Jose State College ... 1964 NCAA

champion ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

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 . Career earnings: \$138,930.

STADLER, Craig-Born June 2, 1953 in San Diego, Calif. ... 5'10" ... 198 ... Lives in La Jolla, Calif. Had an outstanding amateur career highlighted by winning the 1973 U. S. Amateur championship .. Earlier, in 1971, winner of the World Junior championship . . . Was member of 1975 Walker Cup team ... Turned pro in 1975 and was a winner on the mini-tours ... Special interest: Fishing . Spring 1976 Qualifying School graduate ... 1976 Best Finish: T-35-Pensacola Open ... Money winnings: \$2,702-196.









Cesar Sanudo

John Schlee

John Schroeder

**Bob Shaw** 

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: \$29,737-76th ... 1976 Best Finish: T-49-Bing Crosby Pro-Am ... Money winnings: \$1,675-218 ... Career earnings: \$205,930.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-24—Pleasant

Valley Classic ... Money winnings: \$7,385-153.

STARTZEL, Larry-Born December 10, 1948 in Ridley Park, Pa. ... 5'101/2" Timonium, Maryland . . . Married, wife's name Donna . . . Turned professional in 1967 . . . Joined Tour 1974 ... 1976: Finished among the top 25 in the PGA Club Pro Championship ... No money won on major Tour.

STEINBERG, Jeff-Born September 18, 1943 in Zanesville, Ohio ... 5'6" ... 160 ... Lives in Reading, Pa.... Married, wife's name Judith Ann; one child... Graduated 1965 from Ohio Northern Univ., with B.A. in Pol. Sci. ... Turned professional in 1970 ... Joined Tour 1973 ... 1976 Best finish: T-25-Southern Open ... Money winnings: \$924-238.

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 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

#### T

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 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.

1976 Best Finish: T-20-San Antonio-Texas Open ... Money winnings: \$3,518.

TERRY, Ron-Born July 21, 1949 in Aberdeen, Maryland ... 5'10" ... 180 ... Lives in Havre de Grace, Maryland ... Married, wife's name Zotean ... Graduated from North Texas State Univ. in 1971 ... Turned professional 1972 ... Joined Tour 1976 ... 1976 Best finishes: T-34-Buick Open, T-59-Ohio Kings Island Open . . . Money winnings: \$545-256.

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 . . . 1976 Best Finishes: T-4— Magnolia Classic, T-55-NBC Tucson Open ... Money winnings: \$3,639-185.

THOMPSON, Barney-Born November 6, 1948 in Huntington, W.Va. ... 6'5" ... 200 boursville, W.Va. . . Attended Marshall University . . 1966, 1969, 1971 West Virginia State Amateur champion . . . Runner-up 1971 Western Amateur . . . Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School . . . Best year 1974, \$13,076-132nd ... 1976 Best Finish: T-8-Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open ... Money winnings: \$7,625-152.







**Curtis Sifford** 



R. H. Sikes



Jim Simons

- THOMPSON, Leonard—Born January 1, 1947 in Laurinburg, N.C. . . . 6'2" . . . 200 . . . Lives in Lumberton, N.C. . . . Married, wife's name Lesley Noble; two children . . . Attended Wake Forest University . . . Turned pro 1970. Joined Tour 1971 . . . Won 1974 Jackie Gleason-Inverrary . . . Appeared in Top 60 1973 through 1975 . . Best year 1974: \$122,349 for 15th . . . 1971: \$6,556—153rd; 1972: \$39,882—63rd; 1973: \$91,158—15th; 1974: \$122,349—15th; 1975: \$48,748-48th . . . 1976 Best Finish: . . . T-10—Ohio Kings Island Open . . . Money winnings: \$26,566-83 . . . Career earnings:
- 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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-22—Houston Open . . . Money winnings: \$2,322-205.
- TOSCANO, Harry—Born April 1, 1942 in New Castle, Pa. . . 6' . . . 205 . . . Lives in Lantana, Florida . . . Married, wife's name Pat; three children . . . Graduated from Houston in 1965 with B.S. degree . . . Turned professional in 1966 . . . Joined Tour 1968 . . Low qualifier in 1966 Fall Qualifying School . . . Best year, 1972-\$12,349 for 131st . . . 1976 Best finishes: T-34—Buick Open, T-61—Pleasant Valley . . . Money winnings: \$616-255.

#### V

VERIATO, Steve—Born May 6, 1946 in Hilo, Hawaii ... 5'9" ... 135 ... Lives in Bryan, Tex. and Hilo, Hawaii ... 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 ... 1976 Best Finish: T-9—Western Open ... Money winnings: \$11, 992-134.

#### 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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-12—Western Open . . . Money winnings: \$23,-510-93.
- 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... 1976 Best Finishes: T-3—Pleasant Valley Classic, T-4—Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open, T-6—Sea Pines Heritage Classic... Money winnings: \$42,849-64... Career earnings: \$438,460.









**Terry Small** 

**Nate Starks** 

L. Thompson

**Bobby Wadkins** 

WALKINGSTICK, Guy—Born April 27, 1949 in Seattle, Wash.... 6'1".... 155.... 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... 1976 Best Finish: T-49—Bing Crosby National Pro-Am... Money winnings: \$455-263.

WALTERS, Mike — Born March 30, 1948 in Selma, Ala... 6'1"... 185... Lives in Selma, Ala... Married, wife's name Carol Jean; one child... Graduated 1970 from Clark University with B.A. degree... Turned professional in 1972... Joined Tour 1976... 1976 Best finishes: T-25—Buick Open, T-55—Ohio Kings Island Open... Money winnings: \$937-236.

WALZEL, Bob — Born September 26, 1949 in Houston, Tex. ... 6'... 170 ... Lives in Missouri City, Tex. ... Married, wife's name Nancy ... Attended University of Houston ... Turned pro in 1972 ... Graduate of 1973 Qualifying School ... Won 1974 Hope of Tomorrow on Second Tour ... Best year 1974, \$11,084—137th ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-4—Magnolia Classic, 9—Disney Team Championship (with Tom Jenkins), T-12—Phoenix Open ... Money winnings: \$23,529—92.

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

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 . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-26—Greater Greensboro Open . . . Money winnings: \$1,-667-219 . . . Career earnings: \$246,642.

WHITE, Carlton "Slugger"—Born February 26, 1949, in Beckley, W.Va.... 6'1"... 185... Lives in New Smyrna Beach, Fla.... Married, wife's name Barbara... Graduated from Ohio University in 1971 with B.S. Education... Turned pro in 1972, first year on Tour... 1976 Best Finishes: T-5—Disney Team Championship (with Calvin Peete), T-13—American Express Westchester Classic... Money winnings: \$9,341-146.

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: \$22,138—99th . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-28—Western Open . . . Money winnings: \$5,348-172 . . . Career earnings: \$314,907.

WINTZ, Gary—Born October 13, 1948 in Daytona Beach, Fla. . . . 5'8" . . . 155 . . . Lives in Daytona . . . Married, wife's name Sharon . . . Graduated from University of South Florida, degree in Associates in Art 1968 . . . Turned pro in 1969, first year on Tour 1975 . . . 1973 and 1974 leading money winner of Florida Winter PGA Club Tour . . . 1976 Best Finish: T-17—Pensacola Open . . . Money winnings: \$10,462-140.

WRIGHT, Jimmy—Born December 1, 1939 in Bentonville, Ark. . . . 6'3" . . . 190 . . . Lives in Greenwich, Conn. . . . Married, wife's name Joyce Ann; two children . . . Graduated 1962 from Oklahoma State . . . Turned professional 1961 . . . Joined Tour 1962. Lost card and rejoined Tour in July of 1976 . . . 1976 Best finish: T-23—American Express Westchester Classic . . . Money winnings: \$3,166-190.

WRIGHT, Wayne—Born August 18, 1948 in Fort Worth, Texas ... 5'9" ... 140 ... Lives in Euless, Texas ... Attended North Texas State University ... Married, wife's name Marsha ... Turned professional in 1972 ... Joined Tour 1975 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.









Lanny Wadkins DeWitt Weaver

Jim Wiechers

**Bob Zender** 

WYNN, Mike-Born October 22, 1944 in Little Washington, N.C. ... 5'7" ... 125 ... Lives in Dickinson, Tex. . . . 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 ... 1976 Best Finishes: T-9-Magnolia Classic (2T), T-13-American Express Westchester Classic ... Money winnings: \$9,-464-144.

YANCEY, Bert-Born August 6, 1938, in Chipley, Fla. . . . 6'1" . . . 190 . . . Lives in Haverford, Pa. . . . Attended U.S. Military Academy ... Married, wife's name Linda; four children ... Turned professional 1961 ... Joined Tour 1964 ... Won total of seven Tour victories: 1966 Azalea, Memphis, Portland Open, 1967 Dallas, 1969 Atlanta, 1970 Crosby National, 1972 American Golf Classic ... Career playoff record: 2-2 ... Appeared in Top 60: 1964 through 1974 ... Best year 1974: \$84,692 for 25th ... 1976: No money won on major Tour ... Career earnings: \$688,124 ... Member 1975 Tournament Policy Board. Runner-up Pacific Masters in 1973 and 1974.

#### Z

ZENDER, Bob—Born June 22, 1943 in Chicago, III. . . . 6'2" . . . 210 . . . Lives in Chicago, III. . . . Graduated from Purdue University in 1965, B.S. (Industrial Management) . . . Turned pro in 1971 . . . . Medalist in 1971 Qualifying School . . . Best year 1974, \$18,736—113th . . . 1976 Best Finishes: 4— Walt Disney Team Championship (with Joe Porter), T-10-Ohio Kings Island Open ... Money winnings: \$6,865-159.

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 ... 1976: No money won on major Tour.



# 1976 PGA TOUR SUMMARIES

# **NBC TUCSON OPEN**

Tucson National G.C., Tucson, AZ Par 36-36-72, 7,305 yards

Purse: \$200,000 January 8-11, 1976

LEADERS: First round-Gibby Gilbert's 66 led Tom Weiskopf by one shot. Second round-Pat Fitzsimon's 65, the lowest round of the tournament, put him in a three-way tie for the lead with Dave Hill and Gilbert. Third round - Weiskopf fired a 67 for a stroke margin over Johnny Miller and Tom Watson.

CUT: 70 players at one-over par 145.

WEATHER: Sunny and clear each day (low 70's).

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual — Tom Watson, 66, \$750. Team — Lee Trevino, 53, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 127,500

# Winner: JOHNNY MILLER 70-69-67-68-274 \$40,000.00

Harmand Treather 2	71-70-69-69-277	22.800.00	Gary Groh T37	70-73-71-72-286	880.00
Howard Twitty 2 Tom Weiskopf 3	67.71-67-73-278	14,200.00	Frank Conner T37	68-71-74-73-286	880.00
Tom Weiskopi	72-60-71-67-279	7,083.34	Mason Rudolphi T37	69-72-71-74-286	880.00
Jerry McGee T4 Pat Fitzsimons T4	72.65.74.68270	7,083.34	Jim Colbert T37	73-71-72-70-286	880.00
Pat Fitzsimons, 14	72-03-74-00-279	7,083.33	Mike McCullough T37	69-73-75-69-286	880.00
Bruce Lietzke T4	CO CO 71 71 - 270	7,083.33	Gibby Gilbert T37	66-71-72-77-286	880.00
Dave Hill	70 60 60 72 270	7,083.33	Ben Crenshaw T43	75-70-70-72-287	680.00
Tom Watson T4	70-00-00-73-279	7,083.33	Tom Jenkins T43	72-69-72-74-287	680.00
Dave Stockton T4	00 71 71 60 000	4,600.00	Babe Hiskey T43	70-73-73-71-287	680.00
Jerry Heard T10	70 70 69 70 290	4,600.00	John Schlee T43	72-72-67-76-287	680.00
Billy Casper T10	71 70 69 71 280	4,600.00	Homero Blancas T47	73-70-72-73-288	518.34
Don January T10	71-70-00-71-200	3,600.00	Curtis SiffordT47	68-72-75-73-288	518.34
Bobby Mitchell T13	74 00 00 00 201	3,600.00	Victor Regalaco T47	74-70-71-73-288	518.33
Mike Morley T13	74-09-09-09-201	3,600.00	Bob Dickson T47	70-75-71-72-288	518.33
Rod Funseth T13	71-70-00-74-201	2.600.00	Barry Jaeckel T47	71-71-75-71-288	518.33
Gary McCord T16	70-09-00-09-202	2,600.00	Juan Rodrigu∈z T47	73-71-74-70-288	518.33
Bruce Crampton T16	70-72-71-09-202	2,600.00	Lou Graham T53	71-69-75-74-289	465.00
Gene Littler T16	70-70-72-70-202	2,600.00	Charles Coody T53	69-74-75-71-289	465.00
Rod Curl T16	10-72-70-70-282	2,600.00	Bill Garrett T55	71-73-71-75-290	425.00
John Schroeder . T16	70 07 70 72 202	2,600.00	Doug Tewell T55	74-69-73-74-290	425.00
Lee Trevino T16	72-67-70-73-202	2,600.00	Peter Oosterhuis T55	73-72-71-74-290	425.00
Phil Rodgers T16	70 00 00 72 202	1.766.67	Dennis Meye T55	72-73-67-78-290	425.00
Fred Marti T23	73-68-69-73-203	1,766.67	Ed Sneed T55	75-69-73-73-290	425.00
Lon Hinkle T23	71-73-67-72-203	1,766.66	Tom Purtzer T55	72-70-76-72-290	425.00
Andy North T23	74-69-68-72-203	1,760.00	Gary Wintz 61	73-70-74-74-291	390.00
Bob Risch T26	71-72-70-71-284	1,450.00	Ray Leach T62		375.00
Wally Armstrong . T26	73-70-70-71-204	1,450.00	John Melnick T62		375.00
Jim Simons T26	70 00 71 70 004		Bobby Walzel T64		355.00
John Mahaffey T26	72-69-71-72-204		Ron Cerrudo T64		355.00
Danny Edwards T26	71-74-71-68-284		Don Iverson 66		340.00
Mark Hayes T26	69-76-74-65-284		Larry Hinson T67		320.00
Roger Maltbie T32	75-69-70-71-200		Brian Allin		320.00
Dale Douglass T32	73-69-73-70-285	1,132.00	Leonard Thompson T67		320.00
Perry Leslie T32	73-72-68-72-285	1,132.00	Bob Ericksom 70		300.00
Gary Koch T32	2 /2-/2-/1-/0-285	1,132.00	DUD ETICKSUM		
Larry Nelson T32	2 68-74-70-73-285	1,132.00			

# **PHOENIX OPEN**

Purse: \$200,000

January 15-18, 1976

Phoenix C.C., Phoenix, Arizona Par 36-35-71, 6,726 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Roger Maltbie posted a six-under par 65 to lead Rik Massengale and Lee Trevino by one. Second round—Maltbie turned in another 65 for a 12-under par score of 130 and assumed a three-stroke lead over Jim Colbert, 68-65. Hale Irwin and Trevino were at 134. Third round—Maltbie could only manage a one-under par 70, but his 13-under par 200 led first-year tourist Bob Gilder by one, 67-68-66—201, with Trevino at 202.

CUT: 72 players at even par 142.

WEATHER: Warm and sunny every day, a little breezy on Saturday.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$10,000. Individual—Gene Littler, 64, \$1,000. Team—Rod Funseth, Hale Irwin,

Jim Colbert and Johnny Miller, 54, \$775.

ATTENDANCE: 84,000

# Winner: BOB GILDER 68-67-66-67-268 \$40,000.00

Roger Maltbie 2 65-65-70-70-270	22,800.00	Miller Barber T38	72-69-69-71-281	840.00
Rod Curl	9,750.00	Mike Hill	70-66-75-70-281	840.00
Bruce Lietzke T3 67-74-65-67 — 273	9.750.00	Steve Melnyk T38	71-69-69-72-281	840.00
Lee Trevino T3 66-68-68-71-273	9,750.00	John Schroeder T38	71-71-69-70-281	840.00
Jim Simons	9.750.00	Butch Baird T38	69-69-73-70-281	840.00
Johnny Miller	6,150.00	Gibby Gilbert T38	69-73-70-69-281	840.00
Hale Irwin	6,150.00	John Schlee T44	70-69-72-71-282	620.00
Gary McCord T9 68-69-69-69-275	5.000.00	Victor Regalado T44	73-68-70-71-282	620.00
Ben Crenshaw T9 67-70-70-68-275	5,000.00	Dwight Nevil T44	73-69-67-73-282	620.00
Jim Colbert T9 68-65-70-72-275	5,000.00	Rod Funseth T44	70-71-70-71-282	620.00
Bobby Walzel T12 70-70-70-66-276	3,750.00	Larry Nelson T44	72-69-68-73-282	620.00
Lee Elder	3,750.00	Dennis Meyer T49	68-69-73-73-283	492.00
Gene Littler T12 69-69-69-69-276	3,750.00	Andy North T49	71-67-73-72 - 283	492.00
Lanny Wadkins T12 72-67-66-71-276	3,750.00	Bill Garrett T49	74-68-69-72-283	492.00
Leonard Thompson T16 72-69-69-67-277	2,800.00	Eddie Pearce T49	71-71-69-72-283	492.00
Bob Wynn	2,800.00	Tom Jenkins T49	72-70-70-71 - 283	492.00
Bobby Mitchell T16 72-68-72-65-277	2,800.00	Wally Armstrong T54	68-70-72-74-284	450.00
Jerry McGee T16 67-71-70-69-277	2,800.00	Bruce Crampton T54	72-70-69-73-284	450.00
Tom Kite	2,800.00	Bob Dickson T54	72-68-73-71-284	450.00
Mike Morley T21 68-68-75-67-278	1,960.00	Grier Jones	69-73-69-74-285	420.00
Tom Watson T21 67-70-72-69-278	1,960.00	David Glenz T57	70-70-73-72-285	420.00
Pat Fitzsimons T21 73-66-70-69-278	1,960.00	Frank Conner T57	70-72-73-70-285	420.00
Mark Hayes T21 71-67-70-70-278	1,960.00	Dave Lundstrom T60	70-70-73-73-286	380.00
Dave Hill	1,480.00	Tony Jacklin T60	70-70-73-73-286	380.00
John Mahaffey T25 70-70-70-69-279	1,480.00	Calvin Peete T60	71-70-73-72-286	380.00
Rik Massengale T25 66-70-73-70-279	1,480.00	Dave Newquist T60	69-70-74-73-286	380.00
Don January T25 73-69-69-68-279	1,480.00	Orville Moody T60	72-69-73-72-286	380.00
L'erry Pate	1,480.00	Gil Morgan T65	71-69-72-76-288	340.00
Kermit Zarley T25 71-66-71-71-279	1,480.00	Gary Groh T65	72-69-73-74-288	340.00
Dave Stockton T25 68-68-70-73-279	1,480.00	Joe Porter	70-72-74-72-288	340.00
Bobby Wadkins T32 68-71-72-69 - 280	1,106.67	Gay Brewer 68	73-68-74-74-289	320.00
George Cadle T32 71-70-70-69 — 280	1,106.67	Joe Inman	71-70-76-73-290	305.00
Al Geiberger T32 68-71-71-70—280	1,106.67	Stan Lee	71-71-74-74-290	305.00
Gary Wintz T32 71-71-69-69-280	1,106.67	3ob Risch 71	71-71-76-74-292	
Dan Sikes	1,106.66	George Johnson 72	71-71-73-79-294	
Gary Koch T32 71-67-69-73-280	1,106.66			

# **BING CROSBY NATIONAL PRO-AM**

Pebble Beach C.C., 6,815 yards Cypress Point Club, 6,137 yards Spyglass Hill G.C., 6,810 yards All par 72's

Purse: \$185,000 January 22-25, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Jack Nicklaus and Mike Morley carded 67's to hold a stroke advantage over George Johnson. Second round—Dave Hill tied the Cypress Point course record with a 65 to lead David Graham by two shots. Third round—Nicklaus fired a 70 for a one-shot margin over Morley.

CUT: After 54 holes: 63 pros at nine over par, 225. (Note: 13 additional pros at 226 were exempted for The Hawaiian Open. Jerry McGee scored 224 for 54 holes but withdrew the final round.)

**WEATHER:** Weather was mostly clear and sunny all week with temperatures in the 60's. Wind was a factor on the closing two days.

PRO-AMATEUR: Team only-Hale Irwin, 263, \$3,000.

ATTENDANCE: 87,000. New record.

#### Winner: BEN CRENSHAW 75-67-70-69-281 \$37,000.00

141 14-1-1	67 79 71 73 - 983	21.090.00	Frank Conner T33	75-67-79-74-295	977.34
Mike Morley 2	74 72 60 60 - 284	10,915.00	Gibby Gilbert T33	74-78-69-74-295	977.34
George Burns T3 Dave Hill	71 65 76 79 - 284	10,915.00	Art Proctor	72-76-72-75-295	977.33
Dave Hill	60 60 72 75 286	7,122.50	Lon Hinkle T33	74-72-74-75-295	977.33
David Graham T5	72 72 70 71 286	7,122.50	John Jacobs T33	78-70-74-73-295	977.33
Tom Watson T5	70 76 70 67 287	5,688.50	Peter Oosterhuis T33	73-75-76-71-295	977.33
Bruce Crampton	74 00 71 74 207	5,688.50	Jerry Pate T39	74-74-72-76-296	721.00
Brian Allin	74-08-71-74-207	4.810.00	Leonard Thompson T39	76-75-70-75-296	721.00
Charles CoodyT9	72-71-72-73-200	4,810.00	George Cadle T39	71-75-74-76-296	721.00
Tom Weiskopf T9	76-70-70-72-200	3,746.25	Tom Kite T39	72-77-71-76-296	721.00
Bob Wynn T11	70-76-73-70-289	3,746.25	Jim Simons T39	76-72-71-77 - 296	721.00
Juan Rodriguez T11	73-75-69-72-289		Eddie Pearce T39	78-70-71-77-296	721.00
Lou GrahamT11	72-73-73-71-289	3,746.25	Bruce Summerhays T39	69-83-72-72-296	721.00
Hubert GreenT11	72-70-74-73—289	3,746.25	Gil Morgan T46	79-72-72-74-297	537.00
Rik Massengale T15	71-71-76-72-290	2,960.00	Mac McLendon T46	73-78-73-73-297	537.00
Hale Irwin T15	77-71-72-70-290	2,960.00		73-76-76-72-297	537.00
John Schlee T15	74-69-73-74-290	2,960.00	Dave Stockton T46	76-72-74-76-298	455.20
Johnny Miller T18	74-77-70-70-291	2,220.00	Guy Walkingstick . T49	75-72-77-74-298	455.20
George Johnson T18	68-76-76-71-291	2,220.00	Billy Casper T49	73-72-74-79-298	455.20
Victor Regalado T18	72-74-76-69-291	2,220.00	Gary McCord T49	73-78-74-73 — 298	455.20
Rod Curl	73-73-73-72-291	2,220.00	Bob Stanton T49		455.20
Jack Nicklaus T18	67-72-70-82-291	2,220.00	Dick Rhyan T49	73-75-77-73 - 298	416.34
Roger Maltbie T23	74-70-77-71-292	1,595.75	Mike Davis T54	76-75-72-76-299	
Takashi Murakami. T23	76-72-74-70-292	1,595.75	Gary Koch T54	78-72-74-75—299	416.33
Howard Twitty T23	76-75-72-69-292	1,595.75	Calvin Peete T54	76-73-76-74-299	416.33
John Schroeder T23	73-71-74-74-292	1,595.75	Lee Elder T57	76-73-73-78-300	393.50
Jim Colbert 27	70-74-78-71-293	1,424.00	Rod Funseth T57	75-74-75-76-300	393.50
Andy North T28	71-77-71-75-294	1,258.00	Bill Mallon T59		370.00
Dwight Nevil T28	74-72-77-71-294	1,258.00	Ernie George T59		370.00
Bobby Nichols T28	71-76-76-71 - 294	1.258.00	Mike Wynn T59	75-73-77-76-301	370.00
Allen Miller	74-76-67-77 294		Steve Taylor 62		352.00
Larry Nelson T28	72-75-69-78-294				
Larry Neison	12 10 00 10 204	1,500,000,000			

# THE HAWAIIAN OPEN

Waialae C.C., Honolulu, Hawaii Par 36-36-72, 7,219 yards

Purse: \$230,000 January 29-February 1, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Rod Curl's eight-under par 64 led John Jacobs by one stroke. **Second round**—Jacobs with a 70, and Hale Irwin and Bob Murphy, each with a 69, tied at nine-under par 135. Al Geiberger, Lou Graham, Roger Maltbie and Tommy McGinnis all were at 136. **Third round**—Irwin had a six-under par 66 took the lead with 15-under par 201, while Murphy was at 202 and Ben Crenshaw (65) and Geiberger at 204.

CUT: 76 players at one-under par 143.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, relatively calm, warm and sunny. Friday, windy, partly cloudy, but still warm. Brief shower late in afternoon. Saturday, cloudy in early morning and first few groups started in rain. Clearing by mid-morning, but becoming windy and cool by end of the competition. Sunday, warm and sunny.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual — Jim Colbert, 65, \$750. Team — Ben Crenshaw, 53, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 48.200

### Winner: BEN CRENSHAW 70-69-65-66-270 \$46,000.00

69-69-67-69-274	21.275.00	David Glenz T40	69-71-71-72-283	874.00
66-69-66-73-274				874.00
74-67-68-66-275				874.00
67-69-71-68-275	8,970.00			874.00
68-70-68-69-275	8,970.00			874.00
66-70-68-71-275	8,970.00			874.00
71-70-69-66-276	5,539.17			623.00
69-69-71-67-276	5,539.17	Fuzzy Zoeller T46		623.00
	5,539.1.	Rex Caldwell T46		623.00
66-74-67-69-276	5,539.17			623.00
71-70-65-70-276	5,539.16	Tom Shaw T46		623.00
66-69-67-74-276	5,539.16	Bob Wynn T46		623.00
71-70-70-66-277	3,795.00	Dick Rhyan T52		534.75
69-71-72-65-277	3,795.00	Art Proctor T52	71-72-70-72-285	534.75
70-70-68-69-277	3,795.00	Victor Regalado T52	68-72-74-71-285	534.75
70-66-70-71-277	3,795.00		67-72-67-79-285	534.75
69-74-67-68-278	2,990.00	Larry Ziegler T56	69-73-70-74-286	477.17
68-71-71-68-278	2,990.00	Don Bies T56	72-70-71-73-286	477.17
68-73-64-73-278	2,990.00	Doug Sanders T56	70-72-68-76-286	477.17
72-66-73-68-279	2,185.00	Gary WintzT56	70-72-71-73-286	477.17
	2,185.00	Mike McCullough . T56	69-74-71-72-286	477.16
	2,185.00	Mike Mitchell T56	71-72-73-70-286	477.16
	2,185.00	Tommy McGinnis . T62	67-69-76-75-287	419.75
	2,185.00	Dwight Nevil T62	71-71-72-73-287	419.75
		Calvin Peete T62	70-73-71-73-287	419.75
		Joe Porter	70-73-71-73-287	419.75
		Ed Sabo	72-70-71-75-288	368.00
		Gary Koch	71-70-73-74-288	368.00
		Jim Colbert T66	69-74-72-73-288	368.00
		Dave Newquist T66	70-71-76-71-288	368.00
			73-70-75-70-288	368.00
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			70-73-76-73-292	
			74-69-76-75-294	
		Barney Thompson . 76	70-71-75-79-295	
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# BOB HOPE DESERT CLASSIC

Eldorado C.C., 6,844 yards La Quinta C.C., 6,911 yards All par 72's Bermuda Dunes C.C., 6,778 yards Indian Wells C.C., 6,532 yards Purse: \$180,000 February 4-8, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Brian Allin and Jim Colbert had 67's to lead Charlie Coody by one. **Second round**—Allin fired a 68 for a 138 to lead Billy Casper by two shots. **Third round**—Allin's 75 gave him a 210 total and a one-shot margin over Casper, Dwight Nevil, Dave Newquist and Jack Nicklaus. **Fourth round**—Casper fired a 68 for a nine under par 279 and a shot margin over Nicklaus and Rik Massengale.

CUT: 73 players at seven-over par, 295.

**WEATHER:** Wednesday and Thursday were partly cloudy. Friday brought intermittent showers. Saturday morning's early rain forced a one hour delay at Eldorado and a one-half hour delay at the remaining three courses. Most of Sunday's final round was played in a light but steady rain.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. The four round team competition was won by Victor Regalado with a

47-under par, 241, \$1,000. **ATTENDANCE:** 52,000

#### Winner: JOHNNY MILLER 71-69-73-68-63-344 \$36,000.00

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Jim Colbert ...... T4 67-73-77-70-64-351 7,440.00 Rod Curl ....
                                                               T38 75-67-73-73-73-361 792.00
              ... T4 73-72-70-69-67—351 7,440.00 Wally Armstrong. .. T38 75-73-75-69-69—361 792.00
Jerry Heard . . .
Dave Newquist. T4 74-70-67-71-69—351 7,440.00 Gary Koch. T42 72-74-71-70-75—362 666.00 Lee Elder T7 71-70-73-69-69—352 5,535.00 Jerry McGee. T42 76-70-75-72-69—362 666.00
Lee Elder .....
Jack Nicklaus . . . . T7 69-70-72-69-72—352 5,535.00 Mike Mitchell . . . . . T42 74-73-70-78-67—362 666.00
                . 9 72-65-74-68-74—353 4,860.00 David Graham. . . . . T45 69-71-80-70-73—363 502.72
Billy Casper.....
Bob Murphy . . . . T10 70-68-76-74-66—354 4,320.00 Curtis Sifford . . . . T45 75-71-71-73-73—363 502.72
Bruce Lietzke . . . . T12 74-69-72-72-68—355 3,480.00 Gary McCord . . . . . T45 71-75-71-76-70—363 502.71
Dwight Nevil . . . . T12 71-67-73-72-72-355 3,480.00 Jack Ewing . . . . . T45 76-74-73-71-69-363 502.71
              . T15 74-68-73-74-67—356 2,520.00 Calvin Peete . . . . . T45 77-70-74-73-69—363 502.71
Mike Morley . . . .
Rex Caldwell .... T15 71-70-7E-69-68—356 2,520.00 Jim Wiechers .... T52 72-71-71-76-74—364 409.50
              . T15 75-73-72-71-65-356 2,520.00 Tom Jenkins . . . . . T52 74-73-72-73-364 409.50
Dale Douglass ...
Tommy Aaron. T15 73-73-69-72-69-356 2,520.00 Joe Porter. T52 73-69-76-73-73-364 409.50 Jerry Pate. T15 71-72-72-71-70-356 2,520.00 Lionel Hebert T52 74-72-76-69-73-364 409.50
              . T15 71-72-75-69-69—356 2,520.00 Bobby Nichols . . . . T52 74-74-71-73-72—364 409.50
Mike Reasor
. T52 75-73-71-73-72-364 409.50
Mac McLendon . . T22 77-72-70-71-67-357 1,642.50 George Knudson . . T58 74-72-71-75-73-365 355.50
Howard Twitty ... T22 78-70-74-69-66-357 1,642.50 Gil Morgan ....... T58 79-73-71-70-72-365 355.50
                                                               T58 75-72-75-72-71-365 355.50
Mason Rudolph . . T22 71-71-7 - - 74-70 - 357 1,642.50 Bob Gilder . . .
Victor Regalado . . T22 74-67-74-70-72-357 1,642.50 Don Massengale. . . T58 77-69-73-75-71-365 355.50
Gay Brewer .... T26 70-71-77-70-70—358 1,359.00 Isao Matsui .... T58 72-74-78-71-69—365 355.50
              . T26 75-72-76-68-67-358 1,359.00 Leonard Thompson T58 77-73-74-71-70-365 355.50
Hubert Green . . .
Lanny Wadkins ... T26 71-75-69-72-71 - 358 1,359.00 Forrest Fezler ..... T64 73-70-74-77-72 - 366 319.50
                                      Jimmy Powell .... T26 72-71-72-71-72-358
              . T30 73-69-75-73-69-359 1,117.80 Mike Shea. .
Orville Moody ...
Charles Coody ... T30 68-74-74-73-70—359 1,117.80 Barry Jaeckel .... T67 75-70-74-74-75—368 288.00 J. C. Snead .... T30 73-70-76-71-69—359 1,117.80 Alan Tapie .... T67 73-70-75-77-73—368 288.00
J. C. Snead. . . . .
George Cadle..... T30 74-65-77-72-71-359 1,117.80 George Johnson... T67 74-75-73-73-73-368 288.00
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Bob Goalby ....
                                       1.117.80
Jim Jamieson.... T35 74-68-74-73-71-360
                                       927.00 Juan Rodriguez . . . . 71 72-73-75-74-77 - 371
                                      Peter Oosterhuis . T35 72-73-71-72-72-360
John Mahaffey . . . T35 70-70-73-73-74-360
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# THE ANDY WILLIAMS—SAN DIEGO OPEN

Torrey Pines G.C., San Diego, California North Course: Par 36-36-72, 6,667 yards South Course: Par 36-36-72, 7,047 yards

Purse: \$180,000 February 12-15, 1976

Both courses used first two rounds. Only Scuth Course used final two rounds.

**LEADERS:** First round—J. C. Snead eagled the 13th and birdied three of final four holes for a seven-under par 34-31—65. It gave him a one-stroke lead over Bruce Crampton, Peter Oosterhuis, Jerry Pate and Curtis Sifford. Second round—Mike Morley, with eagle three at his final hole moved into 36-hole tie with Snead at 11-under par 133. Crampton was at 134. Third round—Snead birdied final two holes for a 67 and 16-under par 200, while Oosterhuis and Don January were at 205.

CUT: 79 players at one-under par 143.

WEATHER: Partly cloudy, cool and slightly breezy every day.

**PRO-AMATEUR: \$10,000.** South Course—Individual: Gil Morgan, 68, \$500. Team: Ken Still, Wally Armstrong, Gardner Dickinson, John Mahaffey, 58, each \$387.50. North Course—Individual: Mark Hayes and Brian Allin, 66, each \$450. Team: Bill Rogers and Dave Stockton, 56, each \$450.

**PLAYING CONDITIONS:** Since fairways had not been moved for more than a week due to extremely wet conditions, the preferred lie situation was used all four days—through the green. (Lift, clean and place).

ATTENDANCE: 61,000

### Winner: J. C. SNEAD 65-68-67-72-272 \$36,000.00

Don Bies       2       70-66-70-67 – 273       20,520.00       Gibby Gilbert       T36       68-71-73-71 – 283         Bruce Crampton       T3       66-68-73-68 – 275       9,540.00       John Jacobs       T36       68-70-71-74 – 283         Mike Morley       T3       67-66-73-69 – 275       9,540.00       Pat Fitzsimons       T36       73-70-69-71 – 283         Don January       T3       71-65-69-70 – 275       9,540.00       Ed Dougherty       T36       73-69-71-70 – 283	738.82 738.82 738.82
Mike Morley	
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Bud Allin 6 68-70-70-68-276 6,480.00 Eddie Pearce	738.81
Rod Funseth	738.81
Tom Kite	473.40
Jim Colbert	473.40
Jerry Pate	473.40
Bob Dickson T7 67-72-68-70 – 277 4,914.00 Calvin Peete T47 72-70-71-71 – 284	473.40
Dale Douglass T12 69-70-71-68-278 3,480.00 Dave Hill T47 69-73-72-70-284	473.40
George Cadle T12 70-70-68-70 - 278 3.480.00 Bob Gilder T52 72-70-69-74 - 285	409.50
Peter Oosterhuis T12 66-71-68-73-278 3,480.00 Cesar Sanudo T52 70-71-71-73-285	409.50
Dick Lotz	409.50
Rick Acton T15 69-70-70-279 2,610.00 Lyn Lott T52 72-67-74-72-285	409.50
Tony Jacklin T15 68-70-70-71 – 279 2,610.00 Steve Veriato T52 70-72-71 – 285	409.50
Barry Jaeckel T15 71-69-68-71—279 2,610.00 Ed Sneed T52 73-69-72-71—285	409.50
Miller Barber T15 69-69-69-72—279 2,610.00 Terry Diehl T58 69-71-74-72—286	351.00
Hale Irwin T15 67-73-68-71—279 2,610.00 John Schroeder T58 70-71-70-75—286	351.00
Bruce Devlin T21 73-70-68-69—280 1,665.00 Joe Porter T58 73-67-70-76—286	351.00
Leonard Thompson. T21 70-68-72-70—280 1,665.00 Dwight Nevil T58 68-72-73-73—286	351.00
Joey Dills	351.00
Bobby Nichols T21 69-70-73-68-280 1,665.00 Gary McCord T58 73-70-71-72-286	351.00
Jim Masserio T21 69-67-76-68—280 1,665.00 George Johnson T58 73-69-73-71—286	351.00
Mark Hayes T21 69-70-70-71—280 1,665.00 Don Pooley 65 73-70-69-75—287	315.00
Lee Trevino	297.00
Dale Hayes T27 70-69-69-73—281 1,278.00 Richard Crawford T66 72-71-72-73—288	297.00
Tom Watson T27 70-71-68-72—281 1,278.00 Doug Tewell T66 73-70-72-73—288	297.00
George Burns T27 70-73-71-67—281 1,278.00 Ed Sabo T69 68-72-75-74—289	274.50
Alan Tapie	274.50
Don Massengale T32 71-71-69-71—282 1,041.75 Chuck Courtney T71 74-68-72-76—290	
Gary Koch	
Gay Brewer T32 72-70-70-282 1.041.75 Bob Erickson T71 72-70-75-73-290	
Lanny Wadkins T32 70-71-67-74—282 1,041.75 Rod Curl	
Victor Regalado T36 71-68-72-72—283 738.82 Bob Zender	
Joe Inman, Jr T36 69-71-71-72—283 738.82 Jim Albus T74 71-72-74-74—291	
Dennie Meyer T36 72-67-72-72-283 738.82 Dave Eichelberger . T77 73-69-74-77-293	
Jim Wiechers T36 68-72-71-72—283 738.82 Homero Blancas	
Jerry McGee T36 70-70-71-72—283 738.82 Bob Wynn	

# THE GLEN CAMPBELL -LOS ANGELES OPEN

Riviera C.C., Pacific Palisades, California Par: 35-36-71, 7,029 yards

Purse: \$185,000 February 19-22, 1976

LEADERS: First round - Tom Jenkins had a five-under par 31-35-66 to take a one-stroke lead over Sam Snead and Tom Watson. Second round-Watson's 66 gave him a nine-under par 133, while Don January was two back, 68-67 - 135. Lyn Lott, Hale Irwin, Snead and Jenkins were at 138. Third round — Watson increased his lead to three with his third-day 68 for three-day 12-under par 201. Irwin bogeyed final hole for 66 and nine-under 204. Final Round Note: - Watson and Irwin both eagled the 506-yard No. 1.

CUT: 73 players at four-over par 146. (72 professionals, 1 amateur).

WEATHER: Mostly clear, sunny and pleasantly warm every day. Thursday morning early, it was chilly and quite windy, but by mid-morning, the wind subsided and the temperature rose considerably.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual: Rik Massengale, Dave Hill and Tom Watson, all 68, \$625. Team: Lee Trevino and J. C. Snead, each 61, \$675.

ATTENDANCE: 97,000

# Winner: HALE IRWIN 69-69-66-68-272 \$37,000.00

			T20 60 72 71 78 290 1	1,008.91
Tom Watson 2	67-66-68-63-274	21,090.00	Hogo Hallon	1.008.90
Gary Player 3	72-71-67-67 - 277	13,135.00	Gary Groh	1,008.90
Lanny WadkinsT4	68-71-73-66-278	8,140.00	Gary Gron 130 73-72-74-71-250	647.29
Tom Shaw	71-70-68-69-278	8,140.00	Jim Simons	647.29
Gil Morgan 6	74-68-70-68-280	6,660.00	George Burns	647.29
Gene Littler	72-70-71-68-281	5,457.34	Forrest Fezler	647.29
Tom Jenkins T7	66-72-72-71-281	5,457.33	Arnold Palmer	647.28
Don January	68-67-73-73-281	5,457.33	Bob Risch	647.28
Tom Kite 10	71-73-69-69 - 282	4,625.00	David Graham	647.28
Pete Brown T11	70-70-68-75-283	4,070.00	Bruce Devlin	457.43
Mac McLendonT11	72-70-66-75-283	4,070.00	Ed Dougherty	457.43
Lyn Lott	69-69-73-73-284	3,515.00	Grier Jones	457.43
Gary McCord T14	70-74-70-71-285	3,052.50	Bruce Lietzke	457.43
Terry DiehlT14	70-71-72-72-285	3,052.50	Yoshitaka Yama noto T48 73-70-71-78-292	457.43
Steve Veriato T14	76-67-68-74-285	3,052.50	Mark Hayes	457.43
Jim Masserio T14	68-73-68-76-285	3,052.50	Julius Boros	457.43
Jerry Heard T18	71-73-71-71-286	2,312.50	Dave Stockton	
Al Geiberger T18	70-73-72-71-286	2,312.50	Dale Douglass T55 73-70-74-76 — 293	402.50
John Schlee T18	70-75-71-70-286	2,312.50	Kermit Zarley T55 72-73-72-76-293	402.50
Tony Jacklin T18	70-73-69-74-286	2,312.50	Rick Acton	402.50
Ed Sneed T22	70-72-74-71-287	1,739.00	John Schroeder T55 75-71-75-72-293	402.50
John Jacobs T22	73-71-72-71-287	1,739.00	George Cadle T59 71-70-75-78-294	374.50
Hubert Green T22		1,739.00	Danny Edwards T59 72-74-74-74-294	374.50
Homero Blancos . T25		1,508.00	Pat Fitzsimons	342.40
Ed Sabo			Frank Conner	342.40
Ben Crenshaw T27			Bruce Fleisher	342.40
Victor Regalado T27			Doug Tewell	342.40
Orville Moody T27			Alan Tapie	342.40
Barry Jaeckel T30			Bob Wynn	305.34
Fred Marti T30			Bob Gilder	305.33
Joe Porter T30			Johnny Miller	305.33
Sam Snead T30			Gary Wintz	282.50
		LI MARKET STATE OF	Cal Peete	282.50
Doug Sanders T30			Scott Simpson 71 73-73-75-77 - 298	
Dale Hayes T30			Tommy Aaron 72 70-76-75-78 – 299	
Lee Elder T30 Bob E. Smith T30			Rafe Botts 73 75-71-77-78-301	
BOD E. SMITH 130	10-11-10-13-230	1,000.01		

# THE TOURNAMENT PLAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP

Inverrary G & C.C., Lauderhill, Florida Par: 36-36-72, 7,127 yards Purse: \$300,000 February 26-March 1, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Fred Marti with 35-31—66 and Jack Nicklaus, 34-32—66, tied for the lead, one stroke ahead of J. C. Snead, Don January, Tom Watson and Barry Jaeckel. Play was suspended from 9:15 until 10:30 a.m. due to heavy rains. There still were 33 players on the course at 6:25 p.m. when play was suspended for the day. They finished their rounds Friday morning, prior to starting second-round play. Nicklaus was one of those. He had two to play. **Second round**—January, with a 68 for a nine-under par 135 had a one-stroke lead over Nicklaus and Snead. Watson and Jim Masserio were another stroke back. **Third round**—Nicklaus and Snead, with 68's, were tied after three days at 12-under par 204. Mark Hayes and Roger Maltbie were at 205 and Watson at 207.

CUT: 81 players at one-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** Thursday—Rain early in day with play suspended from 9:15 until 10:30. Mostly overcast rest of day with some showers. Play suspended at 6:25 due to darkness with 33 players on course. They completed rounds the next morning. Friday—Mostly overcast. Saturday—Play started as scheduled, but at 10:43, it was suspended by threat of lightning. Then, heavy rains came and play called for the day at 12:30. Sunday—Partly cloudy for third round. Monday—Mostly sunny for final round.

**PRO-AMATEUR:** Cancelled due to heavy rains. A few groups were on the course, but since at least half the field had not started, no checks were issued.

ATTENDANCE: 72,963

#### Winner: JACK NICKLAUS 66-70-68-65-269 \$60,000.00

J. C. Snead 2	67-69-68-68-272	34,200.00	Jerry McGee T39 72-68-71-76 — 287	1,260.00
Jim Masserio T3	69-68-72-67-276	17,700.00	Lyn Lott	911.25
Roger Maltbie T3	70-70-65-71-276	17,700.00	Bob Murphy T43 72-70-73-73-288	911.25
Mark Hayes 5	71-67-67-72-277	12,300.00	Miller Barber T43 70-72-71-75—288	911.25
Lee Elder6	69-72-70-67-278	10,800.00	Howard Twitty T43 75-69-73-71-288	911.25
Don January T7	67-68-73-72-280	9,225.00	Jim Dent	911.25
Butch Baird T7	71-67-72-70-280	9,225.00	Jim Colbert	911.25
Gary Player T9	73-70-71-67-281	7,500.00	Bruce Devlin	911.25
David Graham T9	70-71-71-69-281	7,500.00	Barry Jaeckel T43 67-78-74-69-288	911.25
Tom Watson T9	67-70-70-74-281	7,500.00	Wally Armstrong T51 74-68-73-74-289	705.00
Don Bies T12	75-68-72-67-282	5,460.00	Arnold Palmer T51 72-73-68-76-289	705.00
Fred Marti T12	66-74-75-67-282	5,460.00	Bill Rogers T51 71-72-71-75—289	705.00
Ray Floyd T12	71-70-72-69-282	5,460.00	Randy Erskine T51 72-72-73-289	705.00
Hubert Green T12	70-70-72-70-282	5,460.00	Bob Gilder T51 68-73-71-77-289	705.00
John Schlee T12	73-67-71-71-282	5,460.00	Gary Groh	600.00
Bob Dickson T17	74-70-70-69-283	3,617.15	Rod Funseth T56 69-73-72-76-290	600.00
George Burns T17	68-70-76-69-283	3,617.15	Gay Brewer, Jr T56 73-70-69-78-290	600.00
Dave Stockton T17	73-70-72-68-283	3,617.14	Bruce Fleisher	600.00
Rik Massengale T17	72-69-72-70-283	3.617.14	Juan Rodriguez T56 71-73-74-72-290	600.00
Tom Kite T17	72-70-70-71-283	3,617.14	Tommy Aaron T56 70-73-75-72-290	600.00
Lee Trevino T17	73-69-68-73-283	3,617.14	Leonard Thompson. T56 70-74-75-71-290	600.00
Hale Irwin T17	70-68-70-75-283	3,617.14	Eddie Pearce T56 70-72-77-71-290	600.00
Charles Coody T24	72-68-75-69-284	2,510.00	Lou Graham T56 73-72-74-71-290	600.00
Dale Douglass T24	68-70-73-73-284	2,510.00	Lanny Wadkins T65 75-69-72-75-291	495.00
Al Geiberger T24	74-69-68-73-284	2,510.00	Homero Blancas T65 71-72-73-75-291	495.00
Gary McCord T27	72-73-69-71-285	2,040.00	George Knudson T65 70-73-74-74 - 291	495.00
Jim Simons T27	74-71-70-70-285	2,040.00	Dave Hill	495.00
Grier Jones T27	71-71-71-72-285	2,040.00	Gil Morgan	495.00
Jerry Heard T27	69-75-72-69-285	2,040.00	Art Wall, Jr	112.50
Mike McCullough. T27	72-69-71-73-285	2,040.00	Ben Crenshaw T70 72-70-77-73-292	112.50
Bruce Crampton T27	75-69-68-73-285	2,040.00	John Jacobs	112.50
Don Iverson T27	72-73-71-69-285	2,040.00	Bobby Cole T70 77-68-75-72-292	112.50
John Mahaffey T34	68-72-74-72-286	1,548.00	Tom Jenkins T74 72-72-73-76-293	
Larry Ziegler T34	70-73-71-72-286	1,548.00	Tony Jacklin	
Ken Still	69-72-75-70-286	1,548.00	Bob Eastwood T74 72-71-78-72-293	
Gibby Gilbert T34	72-71-74-69-286	1,548.00	Frank Beard	
Bob Payne T34	69-71-70-76-286	1,548.00	Ralph Johnston 78 71-74-73-77 – 295	
Johnny Miller T39	70-71-74-72-287	1,260.00	Fuzzy Zoeller 79 74-69-76-77 – 296	
Larry Nelson T39	70-74-71-72-287	1,260.00	Tom Shaw 80 72-73-75-77 – 297	
Mac McLendon T39	72-73-71-71-287	1,260.00	Ed Sneed 81 68-73 WD	

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# THE FLORIDA CITRUS OPEN

Purse: \$200,000

March 4-7, 1976

Rio Pinar C.C., Orlando, Florida Par 36-36-72 6,929 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Mark Hayes and Mike Hill each had a seven-under par 65 to tie for the lead, while Gay Brewer had a 66. Kermit Zarley, Pat Fitzsimons, John Schroeder and George Burns were at 67. Second round—Zarley, with a 66, moved into a two-stroke lead at 11-under par 133. Brewer and Hayes were at 135 and John Mahaffey 136. Play was delayed 20 minutes (3:18 to 3:38) by heavy rains. Third round—Zarley's 68 gave him a 15-under par 201 He had a 32 on the back nine. Hale Irwin, with a 64, was second with 204. Gary Player set a course record 30-32—62 for a 206 total. **CUT:** 82 players at even par 144.

**WEATHER:** Partly cloudy every day with warm temperatures. Friday afternoon, heavy rain and the threat of lightning forced a 20-minute suspension, 3:18 to 3:38.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Bruce Crampton, 63, \$750. Team, Lee Trevino, 51, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 92,980

# Winner: HALE IRWIN 74-66-64-66-270 \$40,000.00 (Won Playoff, par, sixth extra hole. Played two holes Sunday night, four Monday morning.)

Kermit Zarley 2 67-66	6-68-69-270	22,800.00	Gary Wintz T40	73-67-71-72-283	760.00
J. C. Snead 3 70-68		14,200.00	Larry Nelson T40	73-71-68-71-283	760.00
John Mahaffey 4 69-67	7-69-69-274	9,400.00	Charles Sifford T40		760.00
Larry Ziegler T5 72-66	6-68-69-275	7,700.00	Andy North T46		541.67
Mike Hill	3-67-70-275	7,700.00	Tom Jenkins T46		541.67
Bob Murphy 7 69-68	3-69-70-276	6,400.00	Lyn Lott	71-71-72-70-284	541.67
Victor Regalado T8 70-69	9-70-68-277	5,433.34	George Johnson T46	74-69-71-70-284	541.67
Mark Hayes	0-71-71-277	5,433.33	Howard Twitty T46	70-71-72-71-284	541.66
Al Geiberger T8 73-67		5,433.33	Dr. Gil Morgan T46	69-71-72-72-284	541.66
David Graham T11 72-67	7-74-65-278	4,050.00	Homero Blancas T52	69-72-73-71-285	455.00
R. H. Sikes		4,050.00	Fred Marti T52	71-71-72-71-285	455.00
Don January T11 70-68	8-70-70-278	4,050.00	Jerry Pate T52	73-69-72-71-285	455.00
Mike Morley T11 71-70		4,050.00	John Schlee T52	70-71-72-72-285	455.00
Bobby Cole T15 69-70	0-71-69-279	3,100.00	Jim Simons T52	71-70-71-73-285	455.00
Joe Inman, Jr T15 72-69	9-70-68-279	3,100.00	Rod Funseth T52	70-71-70-74-285	455.00
Pat Fitzsimons T15 67-70	0-71-71-279	3,100.00	Rod Curl	73-71-72-70-286	395.00
Rick Acton T15 68-69	9-71-71-279	3,100.00	Ray Floyd	73-69-72-72-286	395.00
Danny Edwards T19 75-69	9-70-66-280	2,012.50	Jerry Heard T58	70-72-71-73-286	395.00
Ben Crenshaw T19 70-7	1-70-69-280	2,012.50	Allen Miller	72-69-71-74-286	395.00
John Schroeder T19 67-72	2-73-68-280	2,012.50	Forrest Fezler T58	76-67-69-74-286	395.00
Miller Barber T19 72-7	1-67-70-280	2,012.50	Charles Coody T58	70-73-67-76-286	395.00
Gay Brewer, Jr T19 66-69		2,012.50	Bruce Crampton T64	72-72-72-71-287	335.00
George Burns T19 67-73		2,012.50	Bob E. Smith T64	73-71-71-72-287	335.00
Jerry McGee T 19 69-7	1-69-71-280	2,012.50	Butch Baird T64		335.00
Gary Player T19 75-69	9-62-74-280	2,012.50	Randy Erskine T64	72-72-71-72-287	335.00
Marty Fleckman T27 71-73		1,303.34	Bobby Mitchell T64		335.00
Spike Kelley T27 69-74	4-71-67-281	1,303.34	Grier Jones T64	68-72-71-76-287	335.00
Mac McLendon T27 70-73		1,303.34	Bobby Wadkins T70		150.00
George Cadle T27 70-73	2-71-68-281	1,303.33	Dave Shuster T70	73-70-71-74-288	150.00
Gary McCord T27 68-7		1,303.33	Bob Menne 72	73-71-73-72-289	
Gibby Gilbert T27 72-7	1-69-69-281	1,303.33	Fuzzy Zoeller T73	73-71-72-74-290	
Ed Sabo T27 69-6		1,303.33	Barry Jaeckel T73	69-74-71-76-290	
Tommy McGinnis . T27 72-6	7-70-72-281	1,303.33	Tom Nieporte T75	70-73-77-71-291	
Bruce Fleisher T27 72-6	9-68-72-281	1,303.33	Phil Rodgers T75	71-72-73-75-291	
Tony Cerda	3-73-67-282	962.50	Dwight Nevil	73-71-73-75-292	
Barney Thompson . T36 72-6	9-71-70-282	962.50	Ed Dougherty T77	73-71-73-75-292	
Bob Dickson T36 71-6		962.50	Dick Rhyan, Jr T79	73-70-75-75-293	
Jim Colbert		962.50	Frank Conner T79	70-71-76-76-293	
Eddie Pearce T40 73-7		760.00	Mike McCullough 81		
Andy Bean		760.00	Julius Boros 82	74-70-70WD	
Tom Watson T40 68-7		760.00			

# THE DORAL-EASTERN OPEN

Purse: \$200,000

Doral C.C., Blue Monster Course, Miami, Florida Par 36-36-72, 7,065 yards March 11-14, 1976

LEADERS: First round -- Ben Crenshaw and Hubert Green had six-under par 66s, to lead Brian Allin and Mark Hayes by one. Second round - Hayes, with a 68, went to nine-under par 135, while Green with a 70 was at 136 with Crenshaw and Bobby Mitchell at 137. Third round-Green's seven-under par 65 gave him a 15-under par 201 to lead by four over Hayes and Mitchell. David Graham tied the course record an eight-under par 33-31 - 64 and √as at 206 with Crenshaw.

CUT: 72 players at two-over par 146.

WEATHER: Mostly sunny and warm all week.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Ben Crenshaw, 66, \$750. Team, Tom Jenkins, Dan Sikes,

Ben Crenshaw, Phil Rodgers, 56, \$581.25.

ATTENDANCE: 52,844

#### Winner: HUBERT GREEN 66-70-65-69-270 \$40,000.00

Jack Nicklaus T2	69-71-68-68-276	18,500.00	Tommy McGinnis T37 72-73-73-71-289	860.00
Mark Hayes T2	67-68-70-71-276	18,500.00	Alan Tapie	860.00
Ben Crenshaw 4	66-71-69-71-277	9,400.00	Miller Barber	860.00
Bobby Mitchell T5	68-69-68-73-278	7,700.00	Edward Dougherty T37 72-74-69-74-289	860.00
David GrahamT5	69-73-64-72-278	7,700.00	Bud Allin	860.00
Rod Curl7	71-69-71-68-279	6,400.00	Gary Koch	860.00
Tom Weiskopf8	70-71-69-71-281	5,900.00	Richard Crawford T44 68-74-78-70-290	547.28
Gary Player T9	69-71-69-73-282	5,000.00	Dan O'Neill	547.28
Tom Kite	70-70-72-70-282	5,000.00	Mike McCullough T44 71-73-76-70-290	547.28
Gene Littler T9	70-71-72-69-282	5,000.00	Artie McNickle T44 71-74-74-71-290	547.27
Bob Dickson T12	69-69-74-71-283	4,000.00	Leonard Thompson . T44 73-73-73-71-290	547.27
John Mahaffey T12	72-68-72-71-283	4,000.00	Dan Sikes	547.27
J. C. Snead T14	72-73-72-67-284	3,200.00	Bobby Cole	547.27
Andy North T14	76-70-69-69-284	3,200.00	Ed Sabo	547.27
Dave Newquist T14	76-70-67-71-284	3,200.00	Bruce Fleisher T44 74-72-71-73-290	547.27
Dale Hayes T14	69-73-69-73-284	3,200.00	Jerry McGee T44 74-71-71-74-290	547.27
Marty Fleckman T14	69-70-69-76-284	3,200.00	Charles Coody T44 71-73-70-76-290	547.27
Bruce Crampton T19	72-73-72-68-285	2,216.00	Nate Starke	440.00
Larry Hinson T19	68-74-73-70-285	2,216.00	Bob Stanton	440.00
Andy Bean T19	70-74-71-70-285	2,216.00	Peter Oosterhuis T55 68-73-72-78-291	440.00
Bob Murphy T19	69-75-70-71-285	2,216.00	Bill Rogers	410.00
Forrest Fezler T19	71-70-71-73-285	2,216.00	Gary Groh	410.00
Dave Hill T24	73-73-69-71-286	1,673.34	Mike Hill	410.00
Jerry Pate T24	73-70-70-73-286	1,673.33	Dave Stockton T61 71-72-77-73-293	375.00
Mason Rudolph T24	73-72-69-72-286	1,673.33	David Shuster T61 73-72-75-73-293	375.00
Wally Armstrong T27	69-71-75-72-287	1,450.00	Jim Albus	375.00
Ray Floyd T27	69-75-71-72-287	1,450.00	Randy Erskine T61 71-74-73-75—293	375.00
Grier Jones T27	71-68-71-77-287	1,450.00	Curtis Madson T65 75-71-73-75—294	340.00
Howard Twitty T27	75-68-68-76-287	1,450.00	Joe Porter	340.00
Julius Boros T31	72-71-75-70-288	1,160.00	Allen Miller	340.00
Gary Wintz T31	73-71-73-71-288	1,160.00	Ken Still	315.00
Barry Jaeckel T31	73-73-70-72-288	1,160.00	Steve Taylor T68 72-73-75-75-295	315.00
Victor Regalado T31	73-72-70-73-288	1,160.00	Jim Dent	150.00
Gil MorganT31	73-71-71-73-288	1,160.00	Larry Ziegler T70 74-72-75-75—296	150.00
Butch Baird T31		1,160.00	Bob Zender 72 73-73-70-82—298	
Bob Payne T37	70-73-75-71-289	860.00		

# THE GREATER JACKSONVILLE OPEN

Purse: \$175,000

March 18-21, 1976

The Deerwood Club, Jacksonville, Florida Par 36-36-72, 7,143 yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Danny Edwards, Ray Floyd and Lanny Wadkins returned four-under par 68s to lead Brian Allin, Mike Hill, Peter Oosterhuis, Nate Starks and Earney Thompson by one. **Second round**—Mike Hill with 69-68—137, seven-under par led Nate Starks by one, and Miller Barber, Bob Murphy, Jerry Pate, Hubert Green, Floyd and Wadkins by two. **Third round**—Hubert Green with 72-67—206, 10-under par, led Barber by one, Hill by two and Lou Graham by three. Graham's 65 equaled tournament record.

CUT: 74 players at two-over par 146.

WEATHER: Warm and sunny each day with occasional swirling winds, sometimes brisk.

**PRO-AMATEUR:** Two courses, **\$5,000** each course. Deerwood-Individual: Don January 67, \$500. Team: Tom Kite, 55, \$500. Bay Meadows C.C.-Individual: Mike McCullough and Larry Nelson, 68, each \$450. Team: Gordon Jones, Gary Koch, Bob Erickson, all 58, each \$416.67.

ATTENDANCE: 46,274

#### Winner: HUBERT GREEN 72-67-67-70-276 \$35,000.00

	10.050.00	Roger Maltbie T37	70-75-72-71-288	734.50
Miller Barber	19,950.00	John Schroeder T37	70-70-75-73—288	734.50
Ed Dougherty T3 73-72-67-67-279	10,325.00	Bob Charles T37	72-73-70-73 - 288	734.50
Mike Hill	10,325.00	Jim Albus T37	71-69-74-74-288	734.50
Lou Graham 5 71-73-65-71—280	7,175.00		75-69-70-74-288	734.50
Gary Player 6 73-69-69-70-281	6,300.00	Tom Kite T37	70-72-71-75—288	734.50
Ben Crenshaw 7 70-71-71-70 — 282	5,600.00	Bob E. Smith	71-72-75-71-289	498.50
Lee Elder 8 70-73-69-71-283	5,163.00	Bobby Cole	72-74-73-70-289	498.50
Peter Oosterhuis T9 69-73-73-69 - 284	3,879.17	Bill Rogers	70-71-74-74 — 289	498.50
Dave Stockton T9 73-70-72-69-284	3,879.17	Bruce Devlin	74-70-71-74-289	498.50
Dale Douglass T9 71-69-74-70-284	3,879.17	Bruce Cramptor T45		498.50
Mike McCullough T9 70-72-72-70-284	3,879.17	Andy Bean T45	75-70-70-74 - 289	498.50
Ray Floyd	3,879.16	Jerry Pate	70-69-73-77 — 289	496.50
Rik Massengale T9 70-72-70-72 - 284	3,879.16	Steve Melnyk T51	71-74-75-70-290	407.00
Dick Lotz	2,208.50	Dave Eichelberger . T51	75-69-74-72—290	
Gary McCord T15 70-70-75-70-285	2,208.50	Vic Regalado T51	74-69-73-74-290	407.00
Phil Rodgers T15 71-72-72-70-285	2,208.50	David Graham T51	71-72-74-73-290	407.00
Calvin Peete T15 70-71-72-72-285	2,208.50	Marty Fleckmar T51	71-72-72-75-290	407.00
Danny Edwards T15 68-73-72-72-285	2,208.50	Lyn Lott	70-71-71-78-290	407.00
Lanny Wadkins T15 68-71-74-72-285	2,208.50	Lee Wykle T57	73-73-74-71-291	367.67
Tom Weiskopf T15 73-69-71-72-285	2,208.50		71-72-73-75 - 291	367.67
Larry Ziegler	2,208.50	Bobby Walzel T57		367.66
Don January	2,208.50	Bobby Nichols T60		328.17
Mark Hayes	2,208.50	Stan Lee	73-71-74-74-292	328.17
Leonard Thompson . T25 72-71-73-70 - 286	1,269.00	Randy Erskine T60	72-74-72-74-292	328.17
Bob Murphy T25 72-67-76-71-286	1,269.00	John Mahaffey T60	74-71-73-74-292	328.17
Nate Starks		Fred Marti	74-72-71-75—292	328.16
Butch Baird		Graham Marsh T60		328.16
Barney Thompson T25 69-73-72-72-286	1,269.00	Allen Miller 66		298.00
Bruce Fleisher T25 71-74-69-72 - 286	1,269.00	Artie McNickle 67	74-72-73-75-294	289.00
Larry Nelson T25 73-71-69-73-286	1,269.00	Steve Taylor T68		203.50
Alan Tapie	1,269.00	Rod Curl T68	72-71-75-77 — 295	203.50
Bob Gilder	967.00	Wally Armstrong T68	75-70-73-77 — 295	203.50
Bill Garrett	967.00	Dean Refram T68	71-75-69-80-295	203.50
J. C. Snead T33 72-71-71-73—287	967.00	Gary Wintz	73-73-77-296	
Howard Twitty T33 71-70-73-73 – 287	967.00	Gary Groh	75-70-76-81-302	
Tommy McGinnis T37 72-74-74-68 – 288	3 734.50	Gibby Gilbert 74	73-71-74- WD	
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# SEA PINES HERITAGE CLASSIC

Harbour Town Golf Links, Hilton Head Island, S.C. Par: 36-35-71, 6,655 yards

Purse: \$215,000 March 25-28, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Bob Murphy's five-under par 66 gave him a one-stroke lead over Don January. There were eight players at 68, including Hupert Green. Second round—Green's 67 for a seven-under par 135 gave him a one-stroke margin over Hale Irwin. Murphy and Bill Rogers were at 137. Third round—Green's third-round 66 (nine birdies, four pogeys) gave him a 12-under par 201. Murphy was at 205, four-strokes back.

CUT: 70 players at five-over par 147.

WEATHER: Mostly sunny and warm with some wind. There were showers early Thursday morning,

but not enough to bother play.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual: John Mahaffey, 66, \$750. Team: Tom Watson, 56, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 47,000

# Winner: HUBERT GREEN 68-67-66-73-274 \$43,000.00

Jerry McGee 2 71-69-71-68-279 24	4 510 00	Johnny Miller T33	75-72-68-73-288	1,161.00
Hale Irwin		Ben Crenshaw T38	72-72-78-67 - 289	924.60
Gibby Gilbert T3 68-70-69-73—280 1		Rod Funseth T38		924.60
Don January		Butch Baird T38	68-74-74-73-289	924.60
Kermit Zarley T6 70-71-71-69—281		Jim Dent		924.60
romm Edinoy	6.428.60	Bruce Lietzke T38	71-73-71-74-289	924.60
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Bob Murphy	6.428.60		72-75-70-73-290	774.00
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Terry Diehl	4.353.75	Larry HinsonT45	74-69-74-74-291	666.33
Roger Maltbie T11 69-69-71-73 — 282	4,353.75	Ray Floyd T48		519.67
1 togot Martoro	4.353.75	Bobby Cole T48	74-73-72-73-292	519.67
Gary Player	3,440.00	Larry Nelson T48	75-71-74-72-292	519.67
Tom Weiskopf T15 69-73-68-73—283	3.440.00	Ken Still	72-73-74-73-292	519.67
TOTAL TYCHOLOGIC	3.440.00	Bruce Devlin T48	72-75-72-73-292	519.67
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Jerry Pate	2.687.50	Tom Jenkins T48	75-71-71-75-292	519.66
Lou Graham T18 72-69-70-73 – 284	2.687.50	Pat Fitzsimons T48	69-71-76-76-292	519.66
Lou Citariani	2,021.00	Alan Tapie	70-77-75-71-293	456.50
Larry Ziegler T22 70-74-71-70—285	2.021.00	Dean Refram T57	72-75-74-72-293	456.50
Gary McCord T22 71-70-72-72—285	2.021.00	Dale Hayes T59	73-72-76-73-294	435.50
Al Geiberger	1.752.50	Bobby Wadkins T59	73-73-74-74-294	435.50
Peter Oosterhuis T25 68-72-73-73 - 286	1,752.50	Don Iverson T61	69-76-79-71-295	408.67
Eddie Pearce T27 70-73-72-72—287	1,494.1	Tom Shaw	72-73-78-72-295	408.67
Bob E. Smith T27 70-73-72-72—287	1.494.1	Leonard Thompson . T61	72-72-79-72-295	408.66
Dave Stockton T27 68-72-75-72-287	1.494.1	David Graham 64	76-70-75-75-296	387.00
Bob Wynn	1,494.1	Bob Gilder	74-71-80-72-297	370.50
Rik Massengale T27 72-70-71-74—287	1,494.16	Tony Jacklin T65	73-74-79-71-297	370.50
Mike Hill	1,494.16	Mason Rudolph 67	70-76-75-77 - 298	355.00
John Lister	1,161.00	Richard Crawford 68	74-72-76-77 - 299	344.00
Bruce Crampton T33 73-68-75-72—288	1,161.00	Jim Masserio T69	71-75-78-77 - 301	327.50
J. C. Snead T33 69-74-73-72 – 288	1,161.00	Mike Morley T69		327.50
Tom Kite	1,161.00			

# THE GREATER GREENSBORO OPEN

Purse: \$230,000

April 1-4, 1976

Sedgefield CC, Greensboro, N.C. Par: 36-35-71, 6,643 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Gay Brewer, with two eagles, and Jim Wiechers had five-under par 66s to lead Lou Graham, Bob Payne and Dave Stockton by one. Second round—Al Geiberger and Mike Hill, with 65s, tied with Miller Barber and Kermit Zarley for the lead at seven-under par 135. Don Bies, Ron Cerrudo, Bob Menne and Graham were one-stroke back at 136. Third round—Geiberger, with his second-straight 65, was at 13-under par 200 and leading by four over Miller Barber and Mike Hill.

CUT: 84 players at one-over par 143

**WEATHER:** Thursday—Course very wet, weather cool and windy. Friday—Course much drier, cold early in day but much pleasanter in afternoon. Saturday—Sunny and warm. Sunday—Sunny early, but threat of thunderstorms brought about suspension at 1:18. Play resumed at 2:05 for 47 minute delay. Cloudy rest of day.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Bobby Nichols, 63, \$750. Team, Wally Armstrong, 53, \$750.

#### Winner: AL GEIBERGER 70-65-65-68-268 \$46,000.00

Lee Trevino 2 68-71-66-65-270		Joe Inman, Jr T-40 72-70-68-71-281	851.00
Miller Barber 3 68-67-69-67—27		Gary Player T-40 72-67-70-72-281	851.00
George Burns T-4 69-68-70-66—27:		Lyn Lott	851.00
Lou Graham T-4 67-69-70-67—27:		Lee Elder T-47 71-71-70-70—282	605.00
Eddie Pearce T-6 71-68-70-65-274		Gary McCord T-47 72-69-71-70—282	605.00
Bob Menne T-6 69-67-69-69-27		Jerry Pate T-47 71-72-68-71—282	605.00
Tom Weiskopf T-6 69-68-68-69-274		Grier Jones T-47 73-70-68-71—282	605.00
Dave Stockton 9 67-74-66-68-275		Tony Jacklin T-47 71-69-70-72—282	605.00
Victor Regalado T-10 72-68-69-67 — 276		Bob Gilder T-52 70-73-74-66—283	534.75
Gene Littler T-10 73-68-67-68-276		Sam Snead T-52 73-70-70-70—283	534.75
Ron Cerrudo T-10 69-67-70-70-276	4,715.00	Bob Charles T-52 70-73-70-70—283	534.75
Mark Hayes T-10 70-67-68-71-276	6 4,715.00	Ed Sneed T-52 71-72-68-72-283	534.75
Stan Lee T-10 72-69-65-70 — 276		Larry Nelson T-56 70-72-74-68—284	465.75
Mike Hill T-10 70-65-69-72-276		Mike Wynn T-56 72-71-73-68—284	465.75
Ray Floyd T-16 70-70-71-66-277	3,220.00	Dave Hill T-56 70-69-76-69-, 284	465.75
Bobby Nichols T-16 76-67-68-66-277	3,220.00	Billy Casper T-56 71-71-72-70—284	465.75
Gay Brewer, Jr T-16 66-75-66-70-277	3,220.00	Andy Bean T-56 72-71-70-71 — 284	465.75
John Schlee T-16 70-67-69-71-27	3,220.00	Carlton White T-56 70-70-72-72-284	465.75
Mike Morley T-16 74-67-64-72-277	3,220.00	Leonard Thompson T-56 73-69-69-73-284	465.75
Terry Diehl T-21 70-70-70-68—278	3 2,185.00	Bob Payne T-56 67-70-73-74-284	465.75
Kermit Zarley T-21 68-67-74-69-278	3 2,185.00	Bruce Lietzke 64 69-69-71-76-285	414.00
Bobby Walzel T-21 72-69-69-68-278	3 2,185.00	Artie McNickle T-65 73-68-74-71-286	396.50
Don Bies T-21 68-68-72-70-278	2,185.00	Jim Jamieson T-65 70-73-71-72-286	396.50
Bruce Crampton T-21 70-68-69-71-278	3 2,185.00	Dale Hayes T-67 75-67-74-71—287	289.80
Mason Rudolph T-26 73-70-73-63-279	1,667.50	J.C. Snead T-67 70-71-74-72-287	289.80
Mac McLendon T-26 70-69-70-70-279	1,667.50	Dick Lotz T-67 70-72-73-72-287	289.80
Lanny Wadkins T-26 69-68-72-70-279	1,667.50	Jim Colbert T-67 71-72-72-72—287	289.80
DeWitt Weaver T-26 68-73-68-70-279	1,667.50	Larry Hinson T-67 72-67-75-73-287	289.80
Allen Miller T-26 68-70-70-71-279	1,667.50	David Canipe T-72 72-71-73-72-288	
Jim Masserio T-26 72-70-66-71-279	1,667.50	Bob Erickson T-72 73-70-70-75—288	
Andy North T-32 70-68-74-68 - 280	1,219.00	Mark Pfeil T-74 72-70-75-72-289	
John Schroeder T-32 69-71-72-68-280	1,219.00	Jim Dent	
Art Wall, Jr T-32 74-69-69-68-280	1,219.00	Bob Shaw	
Gibby Gilbert T-32 70-71-69-70 - 280	1,219.00	Ed Dougherty T-74 69-73-69-78-289	
Jim Wiechers T-32 66-71-72-71-280	1,219.00	Ross Randall T-78 72-71-74-73-290	
Bob Goalby T-32 70-71-68-71-280	1,219.00	Wally Armstrong T-78 74-69-73-74-290	
Butch Baird T-32 71-70-67-72-280	1,219.00	David Smith T-78 71-72-75-290	
Fuzzy Zoeller T-32 70-70-66-74-280	1,219.00	Bruce Fleisher T-78 71-69-74-76 - 290	
Don January T-40 71-71-72-67-28	851.00	Frank Beard 82 73-70-72-76-291	
Peter Oosterhuis T-40 72-71-70-68-28		Dave Eichelberger 83 71-72-75-76-294	
Rod Funseth T-40 69-72-71-69-281	851.00	Bob Dickson 84 72-70-74WD	
Doug Sanders T-40 71-68-72-70-281	851.00		

# THE MASTERS TOURNAMENT

Augusta National Golf Club, Augusta, Ga. Par 36-36-72 7,030 Yards Purse: \$254,852 April 8-11, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Raymond Floyd's seven-under par 65 gave him a one-stroke lead over Andy North and two strokes over Jack Nicklaus and Larry Ziegler. Second round—Floyd added a 66 to open a five stroke lead over Nicklaus with a 13-under par 131 to Nicklaus' 136. Hubert Green was at 136. Floyd broke the Masters' 36-hole record by four strokes. Third round—Floyd's 70 gave him a total of 15-under par 201 and an eight-stroke lead over Nicklaus, 209. Ziegler was at 210. Floyd's margin was largest in Masters history after three-days, breaking the old record by three. His 201 also betters by one the 54-hole total record.

CUT: 47 players at six-over par 150.

WEATHER: Sunny and warm every day. Winds stronger on Friday and Sunday.

#### Winner: RAYMOND FLOYD 65-66-70-70-271 \$40,000

Ben Crenshaw 2 70-70-72-67 – 279	25,000	Gay Brewer T-23 75-74-71-73-293	2,225
Jack Nicklaus T-3 67-69-73-73—282	16.250	Johnny Miller T-23 71-73-74-75—293	2,225
Larry Ziegler T-3 67-71-72-72—282	16.250	Bruce Crampton 27 74-76-71-73-294	2,000
Hale Irwin	11,167	Bob Murphy T-28 72-74-76-73-295	1,950
Tom KiteT-5 73-67-72-73—285	11.167	Eddie Pearce T-28 71-71-79-74-295	1,950
Charles Coody T-5 72-69-70-74—285	11,167	Art Wall	1,950
Billy Casper 8 71-76-71-69—287	8,000	Lee Trevino T-28 75-75-69-76295	1,950
Graham Marsh T-9 73-68-75-72—288	6.000	Gary Player T-28 73-73-70-79-295	1,950
Roger Maltbie T-9 72-75-70-71 – 288	6,000	Tom Watson T-33 77-73-76-70-296	1,900
Tom Weiskopf T-9 73-71-70-74—288	6.000	Don January T-33 73-74-76-73-296	1,900
Lou Graham T-12 68-73-72-76 – 289	3.567	Masashi Ozaki T-33 72-75-75-74-296	1,900
Jim Colbert T-12 71-72-74-72—289	3.567	Joe Inman	1,850
Gene Littler T-12 71-72-74-72—289	3,567	Takashi Murakami . T-37 74-71-80-73-298	1,800
Jerry McGee T-15 71-73-72-75—291	2.950	Andy North T-37 66-81-75-76-298	1,800
Al Geiberger T-15 75-70-73-73—291	2.950	John Mahaffey T-39 72-74-78-75-299	1,750
Curtis Strange T-15 71-76-73-71—291	_	Bob Shearer T-39 73-75-76-75-299	1,750
Dave Hill T-15 69-73-76-73—291	2.950	Bob Gilder T-39 71-75-76-77-299	1,750
Dale Hayes T-19 75-74-73-70—292	2,550	Tommy Aaron 42 73-76-77-74-300	1,700
Hubert Green T-19 71-66-78-77 - 292	2.550	Frank Beard T-43 74-75-78-74-301	1,650
Buddy Allin T-19 69-76-72-75—292	2,550	J. C. Snead T-43 72-77-76-76-301	1,650
Bruce Devlin T-19 77-69-72-74-292	2,550	Pat Fitzsimons 45 71-79-77-76-303	1,600
Peter Oosterhuis T-23 76-74-75-68-293	2.225	Dick Siderowf 46 76-73-77-81-307	_
Rik Massengale T-23 70-72-78-73—293	2,225	Bobby Cole 47 75-74-78-82-309	1,500

# MONY TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS

LaCosta Country Club, Carlsbad, California Par: 36-36-72, 6,855 Yards Purse: \$225,000 April 15-18, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Hubert Green's three-under par 69 gave him a two-stroke margin over Don January, Al Geiberger and Bruce Crampton. Second round—January's 68 gave him a five-under par 139 and a one stroke-lead over Green, with Crampton at 141. Third round—January opened a five-stroke margin at eight-under par 208, while Crampton, with a bogey at the 18th, and Green were tied at 213.

**WEATHER:** Thursday—Cold, with high, gusty winds and rain. especially heavy late in round. Friday—Windy, but clear and warmer. Saturday and Sunday—Sunny and much warmer.

ATTENDANCE: 33,200

#### Winner: DON JANUARY 71-68-69-69-277 \$45,000

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Hubert Green 2	69-71-73-69-282	27,000	J. C. Snead T-10	72-70-76-74-292	7,273
	71-74-69-69-283	14,625	Don Iverson T-14	76-70-73-74-293	6,223
	71-70-72-70-283	14,625	Hale Irwin T-14	72-76-71-74-293	6,223
	72-72-72-68-284	10,230	Gene LittlerT-16	73-77-73-72-295	5,723
	72-74-71-69-286	9,753	Billy Casper T-16	72-76-72-75-295	5,723
	74-71-72-70-287	9,298	Bob Gilder 18	75-74-72-75-296	5,348
Ray Floyd 8	78-70-70-72-290	8,848	Roger Maltbie 19	77-72-75-73-297	5,098
	73-75-75-68-291	8,398	Tom Jenkins 20	77-75-71-75-298	4,848
Johnny Miller T-10	77-72-73-70-292	7,273	Rik Massengale 21	76-75-73-75-299	4,598
	76-73-73-70-292	7,273	Tom Weiskopf 22	73-78-75-76-302	4,347
	73-69-76-74-292	7,273			

# **TALLAHASSEE OPEN**

Purse: \$80,000

April 15-18, 1976

Killearn Golf & C. C., Tallahassee, Fla. Par: 36-36-72, 7,124 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Bob Eastwood had a six-under par 33-33-66 to take a one-stroke lead over Lon Hinkle and Lyn Lott. Second round—Bob Eastwood's 69 gave him a nine-under par 135, a one-stroke lead over Lyn Lott who had two rounds of 67-69-136. Ed Sneed's 69-70-139 was four-strokes back. Third round—Bob Eastwood held on to a one-stroke lead with his round of 66-69-70—205. John Mahaffey was in second place with his rounds of 69-71-66—206. Gary Koch held down third place with his rounds of 71-69-67—207. Fourth round—Gary Koch won his first major tour event by shooting a fourth-round two-under par 70 to go with his first three rounds of 71-69-67 for a four-round total of 277. John Mahaffey's fourth round even-par 72 along with his 69-71-66—278 earned him sec-

CUT: 81 players at four-over par 146.

**WEATHER:** Clear, sunny and quite warm every day. Thursday's first round was delayed in starting one hour and ten minutes due to fog; otherwise, the weather was almost perfect for golf.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual: Arnolc Palmer with a course-tieing record of 63. Three strokes ahead of Bob Wynn, Bruce Lietzke and Lee Elder. A. Palmer won \$500 and the latter three \$350 each. Team: Jim Masserio and Dan Sikes each with 54, \$450 each.

ATTENDANCE: 25,000

Winner: GARY KOCH 71-39-67-70-277 \$16,000.00

John Mahaffey 2 69-71-66-72-278	9,120.00	Bob Murphy T-40 71-72-72-73-288	288.00
Tom Storey	4,720.00	Bobby Mitchell T-40 73-73-69-73 - 288	288.00
Victor Regalado T-3 69-73-70-68—280	4,720.00	Lee Elder T-40 70-72-72-74-288	288.00
Wally Armstrong T-5 70-72-72-68—282	2,770.00	Barney Thompson . T-40 71-71-72-74-288	288.00
Joe Porter T-5 73-69-70-70—282	2.770.00	Bobby Walzel T-40 70-74-68-76-288	288.00
Ron Cerrudo	2,770.00	Bob Erickson T-40 68-73-70-77 - 288	288.00
Bob Eastwood T-5 66-69-70-77 – 282	2,770.00	Steve Veriato T-48 77-69-72-71 - 289	197.72
Marty Fleckman T-9 69-74-73-67—283	1,773.34	Bob Menne T-48 70-73-74-72-289	197.72
George CadleT-9 74-67-73-69—283	1,772 34	Dale Hayes T-48 72-74-71-72-289	197.72
Fuzzy Zoeller T-9 73-66-74-70—283	1.773.33	Mark Pfeil T-48 72-74-71-72-289	197.71
Dave NewquistT-9 70-71-72-70—283	1.773.33	John Schamp T-48 75-71-71-72-289	197.71
Mac McLendon T-9 72-70-69-72-283	1.773.33	Tom Evans T-48 70-74-72-73—289	197.71
Lyn Lott	1,773.33	Ed Dougherty T-48 71-75-68-75 - 289	197.71
Lee Wykle T-15 74-71-71-68—284	1,160.00	Rex Caldwell 55 73-72-72-73-290	180.00
Mike Reasor T-15 71-74-71-68 — 284	1,160.00	Tom Purtzer T-56 74-71-73-73-291	164.00
Arnold Palmer T-15 71-72-72-69—284	1,160.00	Dick Lotz T-56 76-70-72-73-291	164.00
George Johnson T-15 70-73-71-70 - 284	1,160.00	Jim Thorpe T-56 77-67-73-74-291	164.00
Dan Sikes T-15 74-68-72-70—284	1,160.00	Dave Philo T-56 71-73-73-74-291	164.00
Ed Sneed T-15 69-70-69-76—284	1,160.00	Gibby Gilbert T-56 73-73-71-74-291	164.00
Bobby Cole T-21 72-73-71-69—285	740.00	Bill Rogers T-56 70-71-73-77 — 291	164.00
Bruce Lietzke T-21 68-72-75-70—285	740.00	David Shuster T-56 70-75-70-76-291	164.00
Butch Baird T-21 74-69-72-70—285	740.00	Bill Mallon	140.00
Marion Heck T-21 72-69-72-72—285	740.00	John Toepel T-63 71-75-73-73-292	140.00
Juan Rodriguez T-21 70-73-70-72-285	740.00	Hugh Baiocchi T-63 70-74-74-74-292	140.00
Grier Jones T-21 72-70-70-73—285	740.00	Michael D. Walters. T-63 75-71-74-72-292	140.00
Perry Leslie T-27 73-72-72-69 – 286	544.00	Bob Duval	140.00
Andy Bean T-27 70-74-72-70—286	544.00	R. H. Sikes 68 69-77-73-74-293	128.00
Forrest Fezier T-27 70-72-73-71 — 286	544.00	Pat McDonald T-69 71-75-78-70-294	122.00
Nate Starks T-27 69-72-74-71—286	544.00	Gary Wintz T-69 74-72-72-76-294	122.00
Bob Lunn	544.00	George Griffin 71 71-74-77-73—295	
Mason Rudolph T-27 75-69-68-74-286	544.00	Mike Slipko T-72 71-74-74-77 — 296	
Allen Miller T-27 70-71-70-75—286	544.00	Bob Stanton T-72 70-76-74-76-296	
Greg Powers	404.00	Stan Altgelt T-74 72-73-75-78-298	
Fred Marti	404.00	Bob Shaw T-74 72-73-75-78-298	
Bob Wynn T-34 68-76-71-72-287	404.00	David Eichelberger. T-76 74-71-78-76-299	
Dan Elliott T-34 70-73-69-75 – 287	404.00	Mike Shea T-76 72-73-72-82-299	
Lon Hinkle T-34 67-74-71-75—287	404.00	Tony Cerda 78 71-74-77-80-302	
Bob Charles T-34 68-74-69-76 - 287	404.00	Leonard Thompson 79 71-71-84-78-304	
Paul Moran T-40 68-74-74-72—288		David W. Smith 80 71-75-77-83-306	
Steve Melnyk T-40 72-74-70-72—288		John Gentile81 71-72-W/D	
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# FIRST NBC NEW ORLEANS OPEN

 Lakewood Country Club
 Purse: \$175,000

 Par: 36-36-72, 7,080 Yards
 April 22-25, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Mike Reasor led with a 65, two strokes ahead of Monty Kaser, Wally Armstrong, Billy Casper. Second round—Barney Thompson's 134 led Bill Rogers and Jack Nicklaus by one stroke. Third round—Larry Ziegler took over lead with a 204, two strokes ahead of Lyn Lott and Victor Regalado.

**CUT:** 87 players at 144, even par. It was the largest number of players to make the cut thus far this year.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, Friday and Saturday temperatures were in the 80s. Saturday was slightly overcast with thunderstorms threatened late in the day. The rain came during the night. Sunday, clear, sunny day and again temperatures in the 80s.

**PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500.** Individual - Jack Nicklaus and Frank Beard each scored 65s. Each won \$675. Team, Ben Crenshaw, 50, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 43,000

#### Winner: LARRY ZIEGLER 69-68-67-70-274 \$35,000.00

Victor Regalado				
Gebe Littler. T-4 72-70-68-68-278 5,937.57 Steve Melnyk. T-48 71-73-72-71-287 432.57 Steve Melnyk. T-48 71-73-72-71-287 432.57 Steve Melnyk. T-48 71-73-72-71-287 432.57 Steve Melnyk. T-48 71-70-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-	Victor Regalado 2 68-69-69-69-275	19,950.00	Fred Marti T-44 74-70-71-71-286	559.50
Gené Littler. T-4 69-69-72-68 – 278 5.937.57 Jack Nicklaus T-4 68-69-77-69-278 5.937.57 Jack Nicklaus T-4 68-67-74-69-278 5.937.57 Lee Elder T-4 68-69-71-70-278 5.937.57 Lee Elder T-4 68-69-71-70-278 5.937.57 Jm Coibert T-4 71-66-71-70-278 5.937.57 Jm Coibert T-4 71-69-71-279 3.675.00 Lee Elder T-4 68-69-71-279 3.675.00 Lee Leitz R-4 71-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-72-	Tom Watson 3 68-72-72-64-276	12,425.00	Homero Blanca= T-44 70-71-73-72-286	559.50
Jack Nicklaus	Gibby Gilbert T-4 72-70-68-68-278	5,937.58	Tony Cerda T-44 72-70-72-72—286	559.50
Billy Casper	Gene Littler T-4 69-69-72-68-278	5,937.57	Steve Melnyk T-48 71-73-72-71-287	432.58
Lee Elder			Barry Jaeckel T-48 71-70-74-72 - 287	432.57
Lee Elder	Billy Casper T-4 67-71-70-70-278	5,937.57	Wally Armstrong T-48 67-73-74-73-287	432.57
John Mahaffey			Fuzzy Zoeller T-48 75-66-73-73 - 287	432.57
Tom Evans T-11 70-69-69-71—279 3,675.00 Dale Douglass T-48 75-69-68-75—287 432.57 Miller Barber T-11 71-68-69-71—279 3,675.00 Peter Oosterhus T-55 75-69-75-69—288 372.00 Peter Dosterhus T-55 75-69-75-69—288 372.00 Charles Coody T-55 70-72-74-72—288 372.00 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-72-73—288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-73-72-72-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-73-72-72-289 315.14 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-73-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-71-75-70-289 315.14 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-73-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-71-75-70-289 315.14 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-73-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-71-75-70-289 315.14 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-73-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-71-75-72-289 315.14 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-73-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-71-75-73-289 315.14 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-73-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-71-75-73-289 315.14 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-73-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-71-75-73-289 315.14 Charles Coody T-55 70-73-73-288 372.00 Charles T-68 70-71-75-72-290 116.29 Charles T-68 70-71-75-72-290 116.29 Charles T-68 70-71-75-72-290 116.29 Charles T-68 70-71-75-72-290 116.29 Charles T-68 70-72-74-74-290 116.29 Charles T-68 70-72-74-74-290 116.29 Charles T-68 7	Jim Colbert T-4 71-66-71-70-278	5,937.57	Nate Starks T-48 71-73-70-73—287	432.57
Tom Evans         T - 11         70-69-69-71—279         3,675.00         Dale Douglass         T - 48         75-69-88-75-287         432.57           Miller Barber         T - 11         76-88-69-71—279         3,675.00         Peter Oosterhus         T-55         75-69-75-69—288         372.00           Gner Jones         T - 14         72-70-70-68—280         2,975.00         Charles Coody         T - 55         70-72-74-72—288         372.00           John Lister         T - 14         71-69-71-69—280         2,975.00         Charles Coody         T - 55         70-73-72-74-72—288         372.00           Bobby Walzel         T - 17         72-72-72-66—282         2,187.50         Kermit Zarley         T - 55         70-73-72-73—288         372.00           Dr. Gil Morgan         T - 17         73-68-71-70—282         2,187.50         Tommry Aaron         T - 55         69-73-72-74—288         372.00           Dr. Gil Morgan         T - 17         73-68-71-70—282         2,187.50         Trank Conner         T - 61         68-74-77-0—289         315.15           Bill Rogers         T - 17         73-68-74-73—282         2,187.50         Stan Altgelt         T - 61         70-71-75-73—289         315.14           Mac McLendon         T - 17         73-66-75-72-283	John Mahaffey T-4 68-71-68-71-278	5,937.57	George Burns T-48 69-72-72-74-287	432.57
Hubert Green T-11 68-70-69-72-279 3.675.00 Leonard Thompson T-55 69-71-78-70-288 372.00 Grier Jones T-14 72-70-70-88-280 2.975.00 Charles Coody T-55 70-72-74-72-288 372.00 John Lister T-14 71-69-71-69-280 2.975.00 Bob Eastwood T-55 70-73-73-72-88 372.00 Lyn Lott T-14 68-69-69-74-280 2.975.00 Kermit Zarley T-55 72-70-73-73-288 372.00 John Lister T-14 71-69-61-74-280 2.975.00 Kermit Zarley T-55 72-70-73-73-288 372.00 John Lister T-14 68-69-69-74-280 2.975.00 Kermit Zarley T-55 72-70-73-73-288 372.00 John Lister T-14 68-69-69-74-280 2.975.00 Kermit Zarley T-55 72-70-73-73-288 372.00 John Lister T-14 68-69-69-74-280 2.187.50 John Lister John Lister T-14 68-69-69-74-280 2.187.50 John Lister John Lister T-14 68-69-69-74-280 2.187.50 John Lister John Lister T-14 68-69-69-69-74-280 2.187.50 John Lister John			Dale Douglass T-48 75-69-68-75-287	432.57
Grier Jones	Miller Barber T-11 71-68-69-71-279	3,675.00	Peter Oosterhu's T-55 75-69-75-69-288	372.00
John Lister	Hubert Green T-11 68-70-69-72-279	3,675.00	Leonard Thompson T-55 69-71-78-70-288	372.00
Lyn Lott.	Grier Jones T-14 72-70-70-68-280	2,975.00	Charles Coody T-55 70-72-74-72-288	372.00
Lyn Lott.         T-14 68-69-69-74 – 280         2.975.00         Kermit Zarley         T-55 72-70-73-73 – 288         372.00           Bobby Walzel         T-17 72-72-72-66-282         2.187.50         Tommy Aaron         T-55 69-73-72-74 – 289         372.00           Dr. Gil Morgan         T-17 70-68-71-70 – 282         2.187.50         Trank Conner         T-61 68-74-77-70 – 289         315.15           George Cadle         T-17 70-69-72-71 – 282         2.187.50         Butch Baird         T-61 69-71-79-70 – 289         315.15           Bill Rogers         T-17 69-66-74-73 – 282         2.187.50         Stan Altgelt         T-61 70-71-75-73 – 289         315.14           Bill Rogers         T-17 73-66-68-75-282         2.187.50         Dave Newquist         T-61 70-71-75-73 – 289         315.14           Mac McLendon         T-17 73-66-68-75-282         2.187.50         Tom Shaw         T-61 70-71-75-73 – 289         315.14           Mike Reasor         T-23 65-72-75-71-283         1,477.20         David Shuster         T-61 71-71-74-75-283         315.14           Gary Wintz         T-23 68-71-72-71-283         1,477.20         Bob Charles         T-68 73-71-75-71-290         116.29           Dave Hill         T-23 69-70-71-73-283         1,477.20         Bob Merne         T-68 70-72-76-73-290         116.29 <td>John Lister T-14 71-69-71-69-280</td> <td>2,975.00</td> <td>Bob Eastwood T-55 70-73-72-73-288</td> <td>372.00</td>	John Lister T-14 71-69-71-69-280	2,975.00	Bob Eastwood T-55 70-73-72-73-288	372.00
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# **HOUSTON OPEN**

Woodlands C. C., Houston, Tex. Par 36-36-72, 6,997 Yards Purse: \$200,000 April 29 - May 2

**LEADERS:** First round—Wally Armstrong, Mark Hayes, Forrest Fezler and Bill Rogers all scored 67s to share the lead. George Burns was next with a 68. Second round—Armstrong stood alone after a 69 for 136. Hubert Green moved into second place at 137. The third and fourth rounds were played on Sunday. Third round—Burns\* 70 pulled him into a tie with Armstrong at 208. Fourth round—Lee Elder's 69 was good enough to win by one stroke over Forrest Fezler

**CUT:** 56 players at 144, even par. Because of the rain out of the first round, the cut was made to the low 50 scorers and ties.

**WEATHER:** Early morning rains made the course unplayable and the first round was cancelled before the field teed off. Friday and Saturday were overcast days with the temperatures in the 70s. Sunday was clear and warm.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$10,000. Individual—John Schlee, 65, \$1,000; Team—Jackie Burke, 58, \$1,000

#### Winner: LEE ELDER 70-72-67-69-278 \$40,000.00

Forrest Fezler 2	67-71-74-67-279	22,800.00	Tony Jacklin T-41	73-71-74-73-291	760.00
Wally Armstrong T-3	67-69-72-72-280	11,800.00	Marty Fleckman T-41	70-74-71-76-291	760.00
George Burns III T-3	68-70-70-72-280	11,800.00	Gibby Gilbert T-45	70-71-75-76-292	584.00
Miller Barber T-5	72-69-69-71-281	7,700.00	Don Massengale T-45	70-71-73-78-292	584.00
Lee Trevino T-5	70-70-70-71-281	7,700.00	Bob Menne T-45	74-69-73-76-292	584.00
Mark Hayes T-7	67-74-70-71-282	5,900.00	Doug Sanders T-45	74-70-75-73-292	584.00
Ed Sneed T-7	69-70-70-73-282	5,900.00	Tom Kite T-45	76-68-75-73-292	584.00
Barry Jaeckel T-7	69-69-72-72-282	5,900.00	Butch Baird T-50	72-71-74-76-293	495.00
Charles Coody T-10	70-72-67-74-283	4,600.00	Mike McCullough T-50	71-73-75-74-293	495.00
Dr. Gil Morgan T-10	71-70-71-71-283	4,600.00	Marion Heck T-52	72-71-73-78-294	470.00
Bruce Devlin T-10	69-70-72-72-283	4,600.00	Ron Cerrudo T-52	71-69-79-75-294	470.00
Lou Graham T-13	71-70-74-69-284	3,700.00	Tom Jenkins T-52	74-70-73-77 - 294	470.00
Rik Massengale T-13	70-70-73-71-284	3,700.00	Andy Bean 55	70-73-75-77 - 295	450.00
Bobby Wadkins T-15	69-73-78-65-285	3,000.00	Mike Reasor 56	70-74-74-82-300	440.00
John Mahaffey T-15	72-70-73-70-285	3,000.00	Mike Morley T-57	72-73-145	196.54
Ray Floyd T-15	71-72-71-71-285	3,000.00	Bob Eastwood T-57	72-73-145	196.54
Alan Tapie T-15	69-74-70-72-285	3,000.00	Dale Douglass T-57	72-73-145	196.54
Hubert Green T-15	69-68-77-71-285	3,000.00	Gary Koch T-57	73-72-145	196.54
Mike Hill T-20	71-70-70-75-286	2,300.00	Dave Marr T-57	72-73-145	196.54
Bill Rogers T-20	67-73-73-73-286	2,300.00	Bob Wynn T-57	73-72-145	196.54
Dave Hill T-22	69-74-72-72-287	1,825.00	Frank Conner T-57	70-75—145	196.54
John Toepel T-22	72-71-72-72-287	1,825.00	Ed Dougherty T-57	70-75—145	196.54
John Lister T-22	71-73-70-73-287	1,825.00	Bob Murphy T-57	70-75-145	196.54
Peter Oosterhuis T-22	72-72-71-287	1,825.00	Grier Jones T-57	70-75-145	196.54
Rod Funseth T-26	71-71-75-288	1,390.00	Bob Payne T-57	73-72-145	196.54
Lyn Lott	70-72-74-72-288	1,390.00	Gay Brewer, Jr T-68	73-73-146	196.54
Dick Rhyan, Jr T-26	73-69-72-74-288	1,390.00	George Cadle T-68	75-71-146	196.54
Bobby Nichols T-26	72-69-71-76-288	1,390.00	Bob Charles T-68	70-76- 146	196.54
Bobby Walzel T-26	69-71-74-74-288	1,390.00	Bruce Crampton T-68	74-72-146	196.54
Steve Melnyk T-26	74-70-75-69-288	1,390.00	Bob Dickson T-68	73-73-146	196.54
John Gentile T-26	69-71-74-74-288	1,390.00	Terrance Dill T-68	72-74-146	196.54
Kermit Zarley, Jr T-26	69-75-70-74-288	1,390.00	Spike Kelley T-68	70-76—146	196.54
Gary Wintz T-34	70-73-73-73-289	1,105.00	Allen Miller T-68	72-74-146	196.54
Richard Crawford T-34	72-68-75-74-289	1,105.00	Arnold Palmer T-68	71-75—146	196.54
John Schlee T-36	71-71-72-76-290	942.00	Bob E. Smith T-68	75-71-146	196.54
George Knudson T-36	70-71-71-78-290	942.00	Fuzzy Zoeller T-68	71-75—146	196.54
Mason Rudolph T-36	75-68-74-73-290	942.00	Fred Marti T-68	69-77-146	196.53
Tom Shaw T-36	70-73-72-75-290	942.00	John Schroeder T-68		196.53
Dennie Meyer T-36	69-75-74-72-290	942.00	Mike Slipko T-68		196.53
Andy North T-41	73-68-75-75-291	760.00	Barney Thompson. T-68	70-76—146	196.53
Dave Eichelberger . T-41	70-73-74-74-291	760.00			

# THE BYRON NELSON GOLF CLASSIC

Purse: \$200,000

May 6-9, 1976

Preston Trail CC, Dallas, Texas Par: 35-36-71, 6,983 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Mark Hayes had a five-under par 66 for a one-stroke lead over Don Bies, Forrest Fezler and Marty Fleckman. Second round—Mark Hayes with a 67 increased his lead to two strokes at nine-under par 133. Bob E. Smith, 68-67—135, was alone in second. Third round—Mark Hayes had an even par 71 for a nine-under par 204, and led by three over Don Bies, with Don January and Raymond Floyd four back at 208. Hayes went 43 holes WITHOUT a bogey, the first one coming at the eighth hole of the third round.

CUT: 72 players at three-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** Wednesday's Pro-Amateur cancelled by heavy rains. Thursday, overcast, windy and cold. Friday, overcast, windy and cold. Saturday, sunny, breezy and pleasant. Sunday, Fair in morning—overcast, afternoon.

PRO-AMATEUR: Cancelled, heavy rains. Pros received equal shares. Preston Trail: \$96.16-52 pros.

Bent Tree: \$151.52-33 pros. **ATTENDANCE:** 100,000

# Winner: MARK HAYES 66-67-71-69-273 \$40,000.00

Don Bies 2	67-70-70-68-275	22,800.00	Bob Erickson T-34 72-70-72-72-286	988.57
Ray Floyd 3			Eddie Pearce T-34 68-72-73-73 – 286	988.57
Hale Irwin 4		9,400.00	Jim Dent	988.57
Ben Crenshaw 5		8,200.00	Bob Dickson T-41 71-73-74-69-287	780.00
Dave Stockton T-6		6.800.00	Al Geiberger T-41 73-72-71-71-287	780.00
Larry Nelson T-6		6,800.00	Bobby Cole T-41 73-67-75-72-287	780.00
Jerry McGee T-8		4,487.50	Ed Sneed T-44 73-71-76-68 - 288	565.56
Homero Blancas T-8	74-69-70-68-281	4,487.50	Bob Charles T-44 70-73-75-70 - 288	565.56
David Graham T-8	70-70-72-69-281	4,487.50	Dale Douglass T-44 70-69-77-72-288	565.56
Mac McLendon T-8	71-73-67-70-281	4,487.50	Tony Jacklin T-44 69-72-75-72-288	565.56
Monty KaserT-8	71-70-70-70-281	4,487.50	Arnold Palmer T-44 71-72-73-72 — 288	565.56
Bill Rogers T-8	69-68-72-72-281	4,487.50	Tom Watson T-44 70-73-73-72 – 288	565.55
Jack Nicklaus T-8	71-68-71-71-281	4,487.50	Kermit Zarley T-44 70-74-70-74 - 288	565.55
Bob E. Smith T-8	68-67-74-72-281	4,487.50	Wally Armstrong T-44 70-69-73-76 288	565.55
Lee Trevino T-16	69-70-72-71-282	2,900.00	Gary Koch T-44 73-69-69-77 – 288	565.55
Dr. Gil Morgan T-16	70-72-69-71-282	2,900.00	Mike Hill T-53 72-73-74-70—289	460.00
Butch Baird T-16	73-68-70-71-282	2,900.00	Ron Cerrudo T-53 73-69-72-75 — 289	460.00
Tom Kite	68-70-71-73-282	2,900.00	Tony Cerda T-53 73-69-72-75 — 289	460.00
David Eichelberger. T-20	68-73-70-72-283	2,300.00	Marion Heck T-56 71-73-74-72-290	435.00
Don January T-20	69-69-70-75-283	2,300.00	Danny Edwards T-56 70-73-74-73 — 290	435.00
Grier Jones T-22	71-71-71-68-284	1,740.00	Forrest Fezler T-58 67-77-76-72 - 292	410.00
Terrance Dill T-22	72-72-71-69-284	1,740.00	Nate Starks T-58 72-72-75-73 – 292	410.00
Bud Allin T-22	73-68-73-70-284	1,740.00	Joe Inman, Jr T-58 72-71-76-73-292	410.00
Barry Jaeckel T-22	72-70-72-70-284	1,740.00	Bruce Devlin 61 73-72-79-69 — 293	390.00
Marty Fleckman T-22			Tom StoreyT-62 74-71-74-75—294	370.00
Tommy Aaron T-22	71-71-69-73-284	1,740.00	Larry Hinson T-62 73-71-75-75 – 294	370.00
Andy Bean T-28	72-70-74-69 - 285	1,330.00	George CadleT-62 70-73-75-76-294	370.00
Miller Barber T-28	73-68-73-71-285	1,330.00	Randy Erskine 65 72-72-73-78 – 295	350.00
Ken Still T-28	73-68-73-71-285	1,330.00	Mike Nixon T-66 71-73-80-72-296	330.00
George Burns III T-28	71-70-72-72-285	1,330.00	Phil Rodgers T-66 76-69-77-74-296	330.00
Lanny Wadkins T-28	74-67-72-72-285	1,330.00	Tommy Shaw T-66 71-70-80-75-296	330.00
Gibby Gilbert T-28	69-70-72-74-285	1,330.00	Tommy McGinnis 69 70-74-73-80-297	310.00
Tom Weiskopf T-34	70-71-75-70-286	988.58	George Archer 70 70-71-80-77 – 298	300.00
Jerry Pate T-34	70-68-76-72-286	988.57	Fuzzy Zoeller 71 72-71-82-74-299	-
John Schlee T-34	68-73-73-72-286	988.57	George Knudsor 72 71-74-81-76 — 302	-
Lionel Hebert T-34	74-71-69-72-286	988.57		

# THE COLONIAL NATIONAL INVITATION

Colonial CC, Fort Worth, Texas Par: 35-35-70, 7,190 Yards

and a three-stroke margin over Miller Barber.

**LEADERS:** First round—Hubert Green and Cave Stockton had three-under par 67s to lead Miller Barber, Barry Jaeckel, Don January, Peter Oosterhuis, Lee Trevino and Tom Weiskopf by one. Second round—Lee Trevino birdied six of his last seven holes for a couse-record 29 on the back nine, en route to a six-under par 64 and an eight-under par 132. He led Miller Barber, who had a 65, by one. Third round—Trevino's two-under par 68 gave him a 13-under par 200, the all-time Colonial low for 54 holes,

Purse: \$200,000

May 13-16, 1976

ACE: Peter Oosterhuis, No. 13, three iron, the third day.

CUT: 73 players at six-over par 146. Starting field was 102 players.

**WEATHER:** Partly cloudy and breezy every day. Late in afternoon Thursday and Friday, there were brief heavy showers.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Tom Watson, 67, \$750. Team, Art Wall, 52, \$750.

#### Winner: LEE TREVINO 68-64-68-73-273 \$40,000.00

Mike Morley 2	70-68-67-69-274	22,800.00	Lanny Wadkins T-35 72-72-71-72-287	944.29
Don January T-3	68-68-69-72-277	11,800.00	Julius Boros T-35 75-66-73-73—287	944.28
Tom Weiskopf T-3	68-71-67-71-277	11,800.00	Tom Watson T-35 72-71-71-73—287	944.28
Tom Kite T-5	69-68-72-69-278	7,266.67	Don Bies	944.28
Bob Gilder T-5	69-73-66-70-278	7,266.67	Ben Crenshaw T-42 74-70-74-70 — 288	680.00
John Mahaffey T-5	69-72-68-69-278	7,266.66	Gibby Gilbert T-42 73-72-71-72-288	680.00
Grier Jones T-8	72-69-71-67-279	5,225.00	Larry Nelson T-42 72-69-73-74-288	680.00
Bob E. Smith T-8	70-72-68-69-279	5,225.00	Bobby Wadkins T-42 69-73-72-74-288	680.00
Hubert Green T-8	67-72-70-70-279	5,225.00	Lee Elder T-42 74-67-71-76—288	680.00
Miller Barber T-8	68-65-70-76-279	5,225.00	Dave Stockton T-42 67-69-75-77 - 288	680.00
John Schlee T-12	74-67-69-71-281	4,000.00	ChiChi Rodriguez T-48 72-74-73-70 - 289	506.00
Barry Jaeckel T-12	68-73-69-71-281	4,000	Wally Armstrong T-48 69-73-74-73-289	506.00
David Graham T-14	71-72-69-70-282	3,300.00	Roger Maltbie T-48 71-73-72-73-289	506.00
Jerry Pate T-14	72-70-68-72-282	3,300.00	Ken Still	506.00
Ed Sneed T-14	72-71-66-73-282	3,300.00	Hale Irwin T-48 71-70-70-78 - 289	506.00
Charles Coody T-14	72-70-67-73-282	3,300.00	Steve Melnyk T-53 77-69-70-74-290	455.00
Jerry McGee T-18	70-68-76-69-283	2,600.00	Butch Baird T-53 72-74-70-74-290	455.00
Gary Player T-18	70-67-74-72-283	2,600.00	Tommy Aaron T-53 70-71-74-75-290	455.00
Peter Oosterhuis. T-18	68-73-68-74-283	2,600.00	Bobby Cole T-53 74-71-70-75-290	455.00
Ray Floyd T-21	71-70-73-70-284	2,026.E7	Larry Hinson T-57 71-73-76-71-291	400.00
Gay Brewer, Jr T-21	71-71-68-74 - 284	2,026.67	Jim Masserio T-57 71-73-74-73-291	400.00
Marty Fleckman . T-21	71-67-69-77-284	2,026.66	Larry Ziegler T-57 71-71-76-73-291	400.00
Kermit Zarley T-24	73-69-73-70-285	1,608.00	Frank Beard T-57 76-70-73-72-291	400.00
Lou Graham T-24	74-68-73-70-285	1,608.00	Howard Twitty T-57 72-71-73-75-291	400.00
Art Wall, Jr T-24	73-68-73-71-285	1,608.00	Victor Regalado T-57 72-73-71-75-291	400.00
Don IversonT-24	70-70-74-71-285	1,608.C0	Fred Marti	400.00
Rik Massengale . T-24	72-72-69-72-285	1,608.00	Leonard Thompson T-64 72-74-77-69-292	340.00
Bob Dickson T-29	69-71-76-70-286	1,271.€7	Eddie Pearce T-64 74-71-74-73-292	340.00
Bill Rogers T-29	74-69-74-69-286	1,271.E7	Gary McCord T-64 69-77-74-72-292	340.00
B.R. McLendon T-29	72-71-72-71-286	1,271.67	Alan Tapie T-64 74-71-73-74-292	340.00
Rod Curl T-29	70-70-75-71-286	1,271.67	Jim Dent T-64 72-72-70-78-292	340.00
Forrest Fezler T-29	71-74-69-72-286	1,271.66	Dr. Gil Morgan T-69 71-73-75-74-293	305.00
Lyn Lott T-29	72-68-71-75-286	1,271.66	Tom Jenkins T-69 70-74-72-77 - 293	305.00
Al Geiberger T-35	74-72-71-70-287	944.29	Mark Hayes T-71 76-70-76-72-294	_
Terry Diehl T-35	74-72-69-72-287	944.29	Gary Koch T-71 75-70-74-75-294	_
Bruce Lietzke T-35	72-74-69-72-287	944.29	Bobby Mitchell 73 72-74-77-72-295	V 18 1

# THE DANNY THOMAS MEMPHIS CLASSIC

Colonial CC, Memphis, Tennessee Par: 36-36-72, 7,193 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Fred Marti finished with birdie-birdie-eagle-birdie-birdie for a course-record 30 and a seven-under par 65, to lead by two over Eddie Pearce. Gibby Gilbert was with five others at 68. Second round—Marti added a 68 for an 11-under par 133 and a two-stroke margin over Gilbert

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and three over Bill Rogers. *Third round*—Gilbert's six-under par 66 gave him a 15-under par 201 and a three-stroke lead over Gil Morgan. Forrest Fezler was at 206. **CUT:** 71 players at one-over par 145. Tom Watson, at 145, withdrew after Friday's play with a bad

right wrist, leaving a field of 70 players.

WEATHER: Sunny and warm every day. Windy Sunday afternoon.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Gary Player, 65, \$750. Team, Buddy Allin, Dave Stockton,

John Mahaffey, Don January, Al Geiberger, all 56, each \$540.

ATTENDANCE: 126,600

#### Winner: GIBBY GILBERT 68-67-66-72 273 \$40,000.00

John Lister T-2 69-71-69-68-277	15.466.67	Dave Hill	920.00
Dr. Gil Morgan T-2 70-69-65-73-277		Art Wall, Jr T-37 72-72-70-286	920.00
Forrest Fezier T-2 70-69-67-71—277		Ron Cerrudo T-37 71-73-71-71 – 286	920.00
George Cadle	8.200.00	Larry Ziegler T-37 72-69-68-77-286	920.00
Tom Kite	6.800.00	Rik Massengale T-41 72-73-71-71-287	720.00
Fred Marti	6.800.00	Roger Maltbie T-41 71-72-72-72-287	720.00
Howard Twitty T-8 68-72-70-70—280	5.225.00	Danny Edwards T-41 70-71-74-72-287	720.00
Gene Littler T-8 71-71-69-69—280	5.225.00	John Mahaffey T-41 73-71-70-73-287	720.00
Grier Jones T-8 68-69-72-71—280	5.225.00	Sam Snead T-41 72-72-70-73-287	720.00
Al Geiberger T-8 74-70-64-72—280	5.225.00	Jack Ewing T-41 71-70-70-76-287	720.00
Bob Wynn T-12 69-74-69-69-281	3.640.00	Tony Cerda T-47 72-70-75-71-288	535.00
Lee Trevino	3.640.00	Mike McCullough T-47 74-71-71-72-288	535.00
Jerry Pate	3.640.00	Miller Barber T-47 70-74-71-73-288	535.00
Gary PlayerT-12 71-72-67-71—281	3,640.00	Fuzzy Zoeller T-47 72-73-69-74-288	535.00
Bruce Lietzke T-12 72-68-67-74—281	3,640.00	Tom Storey T-51 75-69-75-70-289	480.00
Allen Miller T-17 71-73-71-67—282	2.600.00	Gary Groh	480.00
Andy Bean T-17 71-71-69—282	2.600.00	Mike Hill	480.00
Don January T-17 75-66-70-71—282	2,600.00	Lou Graham T-54 73-64-80-73-290	450.00
Alan Tapie T-17 69-68-74-71—282	2.600.00	Terrance Dill T-54 73-70-73-74-290	450.00
Andy North T-17 72-70-69-71—282	2,600.00	Steve Veriato T-54 75-67-71-77 - 290	450.00
Victor Regalado T-22 70-72-73-68-283	1.940.00	Nate Starks T-57 69-76-73-73-291	420.00
Bill Rogers	1.940.00	J. C. Snead T-57 75-67-77-72-291	420.00
David Eichelberger. T-24 71-73-70-70—284	1.545.72	Carlton White T-57 68-73-73-77-291	420.00
Lyn Lott	1,545.72	Randy Erskine T-60 72-72-75-73-292	395.00
Jim Simons T-24 71-71-70-72—284	1.545.72	Peter Oosterhuis T-60 71-74-71-76-292	395.00
Bob E. Smith T-24 74-69-70-71—284	1.545.71	Bill Mallon T-62 70-75-74-74—293	365.00
Ed Sneed T-24 69-72-71-72-284	1,545.71	Buddy Allin T-62 70-74-73-76-293	365.00
Billy Casper T-24 69-70-72-73-284	1,545.71	Larry Nelson T-62 76-69-72-76-293	365.00
Dick Rhyan, Jr T-24 72-69-70-73-284	1,545.71	Gary Wintz T-62 68-73-76-76-293	365.00
Ray Floyd T-31 70-71-73-71—285	1,160.00	Rick Acton 66 71-71-75-82-299	340.00
Tommy Aaron T-31 72-70-71-72—285	1,160.00	Jack Fleck T-67 71-74-77-79-301	325.00
Gay Brewer, Jr T-31 71-73-70-71 - 285	1,160.00	Tommy McGinnis T-67 72-72-84-73-301	325.00
Eddie Pearce T-31 67-73-72-73—285	1,160.00	Mike Nixon T-69 74-71-76-82-303	305.00
Barry Jaeckel T-31 75-68-69-73-285		Bobby Mitchell T-69 72-73-82-76 - 303	305.00
Bob Payne T-31 72-68-71-74-285	1,160.00		
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# THE MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

Purse: \$200,000

May 27-30, 1976

Muirfield Village GC, Dublin, Ohio Par: 36-36-72 7,072 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Don Bies birdied the final two holes for a four-under par 68 and held a one-stroke lead over Hubert Green, who bogeyed the 18th. Gibby Gilbert double bogeyed the 17th for a 70. Second round—Hubert Green, with an even-par 72, took the lead at three-under par 141 with Roger Maltbie at 71-71—142. Rod Funseth birdied five of the first six holes on the back nine for a 31 and a 67 to tie with Bies at 143. **Third round—**Maltbie added a two-under par 70 for a four-under par 212 and a two-stroke lead over Bies and three over Funseth.

CUT: 72 players at 13-over par 157. There were 92 players in the field.

**WEATHER:** Clear and sunny Thursday. Cloudy and breezy Friday. Partly cloudy Saturday. Partly cloudy Sunday.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Lee Trevino, 70, \$750. Team, Bob Murphy, 57, \$750.

# Winner: ROGER MALTBIE 71-71-70-76—288 \$40,000.00 (Won playoff with birdie on fourth extra hole).

Hale Irwin 2	71-74-74-69-288	22,800.0C	Wally Armstrong T-38	79-77-76-70-302	780.00
Don Bies	68-75-71-75-289	14,200.0C	Victor Regalado T-38	77-77-75-73-302	780.00
Jerry Pate T-4	74-73-70-73-290	8,800.0C	John Schroeder T-38	74-77-77-74-302	780.00
Jerry McGee T-4		8,800.0C	Mike Hill T-38	79-72-75-76-302	780.00
Tom Kite		6,800.0C	Dennie Meyer T-38	75-76-75-76-302	780.00
Lou Graham T-6	72-74-73-72-291	6,800.0C	Bob Shearer T-38	76-77-72-77 - 302	780.00
Jack Nicklaus T-8	71-75-73-73-292	5,650.0C	Al Geiberger T-38	75-74-76-77 - 302	780.00
Rod Funseth T-8	76-67-72-77 - 292	5,650.0C	Gay Brewer, Jr T-38	74-73-76-79-302	780.00
Ed Sneed T-10	73-71-73-76-293	4,800.0C	John Schlee T-38	73-80-72-77 - 302	780.00
Tom Weiskopf T-10	77-74-70-72-293	4,800.0C	Pat Fitzsimons T-47	78-76-79-70-303	535.00
Bruce Lietzke T-12	76-78-68-72-294	3,866.67	Julius Boros T-47	73-78-78-74 - 303	535.00
Gibby Gilbert T-12	70-75-72-77 - 294	3,866.67	Bob GilderT-47	78-74-76-75 - 303	535.00
Alan Tapie T-12	74-71-71-78-294	3,866.66	Kermit Zarley T-47	80-77-70-76-303	535.00
Bill Rogers T-15	74-76-72-73-295	3,200.0C	Tom Shaw 51	74-74-81-75-304	490.00
Lee Trevino T-15	79-74-70-72-295	3,200.0C	Bobby Nichols T-52	76-76-78-75 - 305	470.00
Hubert Green T-15	69-72-79-75-295	3,200.00	Bruce Devlin T-52	76-79-75-75 - 305	470.00
Howard Twitty T-18	72-84-72-68-296	2,400.0C	Bob Menne T-52	72-80-76-77 - 305	470.00
Johnny Miller T-18	72-74-79-71-296	2,400.0C	Barry Jaeckel T-55	76-80-75-75-306	430.00
Grier Jones T-18	76-76-74-70-296	2,400.0C	Mike Morley T-55	76-78-76-76-306	430.00
Fred MartiT-18	75-73-74-74-296	2,400.00	Mark Hayes T-55	75-82-72-77 - 306	430.00
Charles Coody T-18	73-77-72-74-296	2,400.0C	Terry Diehl T-55	75-81-72-78-306	430.00
Larry Nelson23	73-75-77-72-297	1,880.0C	Allen Miller T-55	73-76-78-79-306	430.00
Andy North T-24	77-77-75-69-298	1,710.0C	Tom Jenkins T-60	79-74-78-76-307	395.00
Ron Cerrudo T-24	76-74-73-75-298	1,710.0C	Lyn Lott T-60	74-76-79-78-307	395.00
Joe Inman, Jr T-26	73-73-81-72-299	1,450.0C	Forrest Fezler T-62	79-77-77-75-308	370.00
Takashi Murakami . T-26	76-75-76-72-299	1,450.0C	Lanny Wadkins T-62	77-79-74-78-308	370.00
Homero Blancas T-26	77-73-76-73-299	1,450.0C	Bobby Cole T-62	80-70-78-80-308	370.00
Dave Stockton T-26	77-77-72-73-299	1,450.0C	Bobby Walzel T-65	78-79-78-74-309	345.00
Bob Murphy T-26	76-76-70-77-299	1,450.0C	Miller Barber T-65	75-77-75-82-309	345.00
Bob Wynn T-26	73-72-75-79-299	1,450.0C	Jim Simons 67	78-79-77-78-312	330.00
David Graham T-32	78-72-79-71-300	1,183.34	Ed Dougherty 68	80-76-79-78-313	320.00
Ben Crenshaw T-32	74-74-73-79-300	1,183.33	Bobby Mitchell69	77-79-79-80-315	310.00
Dr. Gil Morgan T-32	76-71-74-79-300	1,183.33	Gary Koch 70	79-75-85-77-316	300.00
Gary Groh T-35	78-74-76-73-301	1,030.00	Leonard Thompson 71	77-77-83-83-320	-
Bob E. Smith T-35	75-75-76-75-301	1,030.0C	Don Iverson 72	74-79-80- DSQ	
Bruce Crampton T-35	77-72-75-77 - 301	1,030.0C	=		

# THE IVB-BICENTENNIAL GOLF CLASSIC

Whitemarsh Valley C.C., Lafayette Hill, Pennsylvania Purse: \$200,000 Par: 36-35-71, 6,687 yards June 3-6, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Tom Purtzer had six birdies for a six-under par 65 and a two-stroke lead over Randy Erskine and Ray Floyd. Second round—Purtzer's even-par 71 gave him a six-under par 136 and a one-stroke lead over Jerry McGee, Jerry Pate and Juan Rodriquez. Third round—Purtzer's one-over par 72 dropped him back into a five-way tie for the lead at five-under par 208, with McGee, Pate, Larry Nelson and Ken Still. Floyd and Terry Diehl were at 209

HOLE-IN-ONE: Tom Purtzer, 125-yard ninth hole, with nine iron, third round.

CUT: 72 players at four-over par 146.

**WEATHER:** Mostly sunny on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. There were showers early on Sunday. **PRO-AMATEUR:** \$7,500. Individual, Mike Hill, 68, S750. Team, Rod Funseth, Bob Wynn, Billy Casper and Art Wall, 59, \$581.25.

# Winner: TOM KITE 71-70-70-66—277 \$40,000.00 (Won Playoff on 5th extra hole with par 4)

Terry Diehl 2 69-70-70-68—277 Jerry Pate 3 70-67-71-70—278 Ray Floyd T4 67-71-71-0—279 Larry Nelson T4 71-71-66-71—279 Jerry McGee T4 70-67-71-71—279		Art Wall, Jr	986.00 986.00 800.00 800.00
Grier Jones	6,150.00	Bob Menne	800.00 640.00
Ken Still	6,150.00 5,400.00	Randy Erskine T44 67-75-76-71 — 289	640.00
Cal Peete	4,800.00 4,800.00	Bobby Cole	640.00
Dave Hill	3,325.00	Larry Ziegler	506.00
David Eichelberger . T12 70-72-73-68—283 Mike Hill	3,32 <sup>-</sup> 00 3,325.00	Bob Zender T48 70-73-74-73 — 290 Alan Tapie T48 72-70-75-73 — 290	506.00 506.00
Victor Regalado T12 69-73-70-71-283	3,325.00	Homero Blancas	506.00 506.00
Lyn Lott	3,325.00 3,325.00	George Johnson T53 71-71-79-70-291	455.00
ChiChi Rodriguez	3,325.00 3,325.00	Pat Fitzsimons	455.00 455.00
George Cadle T20 76-69-70-69 - 284	1,928.58	Tony Cerda	455.00 430.00
Howard Twitty T20 76-69-69-70—284 Don Bies	1,928.57 1,928.57	Joe Porter, III	415.00
Gary McCord T20 71-69-73-71 – 284 Allen Miller T20 70-72-69-73 – 284	1,928.57 1,928.57	George Knudson T58 73-71-72-77 – 293 Greg Powers T60 73-72-75-74 – 294	415.00 370.00
Bill Rogers	1,928.57	Jim Masserio T60 71-72-76-75-294	370.00 370.00
Forrest Fezler	1,928.57 1,510.00	Lon Hinkle	370.00
Mark Hayes	1,510.00 1,271.67	Phil Rodgers	370.00 370.00
Mike McCullough T29 68-71-76-71 — 286	1,271.67	Monty Kaser T60 71-74-68-81-294	370.00
Jim Colbert	1,271.67	Perry Leslie	325.00 325.00
Bruce Lietzke T29 71-70-72-73-286	1,271.66	Rod Curl	305.00 305.00
Andy North	1,271.66 986.00	Rex Caldwell 71 71-75-76-75-297	-
Leonard Thompson . T35 70-71-75-71—287 Ed Dougherty T35 73-73-71-70—287	986.00 986.00	Gary Wintz	

# THE KEMPER OPEN

Quail Hollow CC, Charlotte, N.C. Par: 36-36-72 7,160 Yards

Purse: \$ 250,000 June 10-13, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—A severe thunderstorm forced suspension of play at 3:53 p.m., and play was not resumed until 8 a.m., Friday. The entire afternoon segment of 75 players had to complete the round at that time. Lon Hinkle played his final nine holes Friday morning (the front nine on the course) and he had a record seven-under par 29 (five birdies and an eagle). It gave him a one-stroke lead, with a seven-under par 65, over Mason Rudolph and two over J. C. Snead. **Second round**—Jim Dent and Tom Purtzer, both 68-68—136, led by two over Charles Coody, Gary Groh and Mark Hayes. **Third round**—Grier Jones, with a 65, went to 11-under par 205 and led Joe Inman by one and Mark Hayes by two.

CUT: 76 players at one-over par 145. HOLE-IN-ONE: Julius Boros, 198 yard 13th.

**WEATHER:** Hot and humid every day. Thursday, a severe thunderstorm at 3:53 p.m. forced suspension of play and it was not resumed until 8 a.m., Friday. On Thursday, play officially was called at 7 p.m. Friday, the second round was delayed one hour until 9 a.m., while the field of 75 players completed its first round. Threatening weather continued in the afternoon hours on Friday and Saturday. Sunday, another storm forced suspension of play at 3:43 p.m. It was resumed at 4:33 p.m.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual-Lyn Lott, Jim Colbert and Mark Hayes, 68s, each \$625. Team-Peter Oosterhuis and Doug Sanders, 55, each \$675

# Winner: JOE INMAN, JR. 70-69-67-71-277 \$50,000.00

Tom Weiskopf T-2	71-70-67-70-278	23,125.00	Larry Ziegler T-35	74-67-71-75-287	1,206.16
Grier Jones T-2	71-69-65-73-278	23,125.00	Allen Miller T-41	73-72-74-69-288	900.00
Charles Coody T-4	68-70-71-71-280	9,750.00	Larry Nelson T-41	72-70-75-71-288	900.00
Roger Maltbie T-4	70-69-71-70-280	9,750.00	Don January T-41	72-70-75-71-288	900.00
J.C. Snead T-4	67-73-69-71-280	9,750.00	Dick LotzT-41	72-72-73-71-288	900.00
Lou Graham T-4	70-71-68-71-280	9,750.00	Rex Caldwell T-41	68-73-73-74-288	900.00
Bob Wynn T-8	71-70-70-70-281	6,531.25	Jerry McGee T-41	72-69-71-76-288	900.00
Terry Diehl T-8	71-72-68-70-281	6,531.25	Arnold Palmer T-47	74-70-74-71-289	657.60
Bob Murphy T-8	74-67-68-72-281	6,531.25	Eddie Pearce T-47	70-71-75-73-289	657.60
Mark Hayes T-8	69-69-69-74-281	6,531.25	Greg Powers T-47	72-71-72-74-289	657.60
Gary Groh T-12	69-69-74-70-282	4,687.50	Al Geiberger T-47	71-69-73-76-289	657.60
John Mahaffey T-12	68-72-71-71-282	4,687.50	Gay Brewer T-47	73-72-69-75-289	657.60
Jim Dent T-12	68-68-74-72-282	4,687.50	Rod Funseth T-52	75-70-74-71-290	587.34
Don Bies T-12	68-74-68-72-282	4,687.50	Dave Hill T-52	73-70-73-74-290	587.33
Peter Oosterhuis T-16	72-69-71-71-283	3,875.00	Jack Ewing T-52	70-74-70-76-290	587.33
Tom Purtzer T-16	68-68-73-74-283	3,875.00	Steve Melnyk T-55	74-71-76-70-291	550.00
Mason Rudolph T-18	66-73-73-72-284	2,891.67	Gil Morgan T-55	73-72-72-74-291	550.00
Ray Floyd T-18	73-67-72-72-284	2,891.67	Randy Erskine T-55	76-68-72-75-291	550.00
Bob Dickson T-18	70-75-66-73-284	2,891.67	Billy Casper T-58	73-72-74-73-292	493.84
Jerry Heard T-18	71-74-66-73-284	2,891.67	George Cadle T-58	71-73-73-75-292	493.84
Gary Kock T-18	72-70-69-73-284	2,891.66	George Knudson T-58	75-70-72-75-292	493.83
Lon Hinkle T-18	65-74-70-75-284	2,891.66	Marion Heck T-58	72-72-73-75-292	493.83
Tom Aaron T-24	73-70-72-70-285	1,970.84	Bob Lunn T-58	71-73-72-76-292	493.83
Dale Hayes T-24	74-71-70-70-285	1,970.84	Perry Leslie T-58	74-70-70-78-292	493.83
Tom Kite T-24	70-71-73-71-285	1,970.83	Tom Jenkins T-64	71-72-75-75-293	437.34
Dennis Meyer T-24	72-72-70-71-285	1,970.83	Nate Starks T-64	73-72-74-74-293	437.33
Homero Blancas T-24	72-67-73-73-285	1,970.83	Jim Masserio T-64	70-74-74-75-293	437.33
Bruce Lietzke T-24	73-72-68-72-285	1,970.83	Gene LittlerT-67		406.50
David Graham T-30	72-72-70-72-286	1,552.60	Mike Morley T-67	74-70-74-76-294	406.50
Dan Sikes T-30	71-70-72-73-286	1,552.60	Randy Glover 69	69-76-74-76-295	387.00
Wally Armstrong T-30	70-73-70-73-286	1,552.60	Bruce Fleisher 70	74-71-75-76-296	375.00
Mike Hill T-30	73-67-71-75-286	1,552.60	Steve Veriato T-71	71-73-76-77 - 297	=
Forrest Fezler T-30		1,552.60	Cesar Sanudo T-71	72-70-79-76-297	-
Andy North T-35	70-75-74-68-287	1,206.17	Bill Rogers 73		-
Jim Simons T-35		1,206.17	John Jacobs 74	75-70-74-81 — 300	-
Frank Conner T-35		1,206.17	Bruce Devlin, 75		-
Terrance Dill T-35		1,206.17	Art Wall, Jr 76	71-74-73 WD	-
Gibby Gilbert T-35	70-71-73-73-287	1,206.16			

# THE UNITED STATES OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Purse: \$268,000

June 14-20, 1976

Atlanta Athletic Club, Duluth, Georgia Par: 35-35-70 7,015 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Amateur Mike Reid with 34-33—67, three strokes ahead of five players. Second round—John Mahaffey with a 2-under par 68—138, was one stroke ahead of Al Geiberger. Ben Crenshaw, who was paired with Mahaffey and matched the 68, Rod Funseth and Jerry Pate were two shots back at even par 140. Third round—John Mahaffey's one under par 69—207 enabled him to retain a 2-shot lead over Jerry Pate, who also had a 69—209. Al Geiberger had a 71—210, and was three shots back, followed at 211 by Tom Weiskopf, who had a 68.

CUT: 66 players at 11 over par 151, including four amateurs.

**WEATHER:** Hot and humid Thursday and Friday, with scattered clouds. Thunderstorms and heavy rain Saturday forcing suspension of play from 1:48 (prior to the beginning of play by the leaders) until 3:44 PM. Third round of play completed just after darkness. Sunday, Play suspended by rain at 11:31 AM, until 12:10.

ATTENDANCE: estimated 113,084

# Winner: JERRY PATE 71-69-69-68-277 \$42,000.00

Tom Weiskopf T-2	73-70-68-68-279	18,000.00	Vic Regalado T-35 75-7	76-71-74-296	1,280.00
Al Geiberger T-2	70-69-71-69-279	18,000.00	Bobby Wadkins T-35 76-7	72-72-76-296	1,280.00
John Mahaffey T-4	70-68-69-73-280	11,250.00	Lee Elder T-35 72-7	75-78-71-296	1,280.00
Butch Baird T-4	71-71-71-67-280	11,250.00	Fuzzy Zoeller T-38 72-7	75-73-77-297	1,200.00
Hubert Green 6	72-70-71-69-282	9,500.00	Mike Shea T-38 72-7	73-72-80-297	1,200.00
Tom Watson 7	74-72-68-70-284	8,500.00	Charles Coody T-38 75-7		1,200.00
Lyn Lott	71-71-70-73-285	7,000.00	John Gentile T-38 77-7	74-73-73-297	1,200.00
Ben Crenshaw T-8	72-68-72-73-285	7,000.60	Lon Hinkle T-38 75-7	74-70-78-297	1,200.00
Johnny Miller 10	74-72-69-71-286	5,500.00	Miller Barber T-38 76-7	72-79-70-297	1,200.00
Rod Funseth T-11	70-70-72-75-287	4,000.00	Tim Collins T-44 73-7	76-72-77-298	1,150.00
Jack Nicklaus T-11	74-70-75-68-287	4,000.00	Tom Purtzer T-44 73-7	75-73-77-298	1,150.00
Raymond Floyd 13		3,000.00	Kermit Zarley T-44 75-7	73-75-75-298	1,150.00
J.C. Snead T-14	73-69-71-76-289	2,310.00	Tommy Aaron T-47 75-7	73-76-75-299	1,120.00
Mike Morley T-14	71-71-70-77 - 289	2,310.00	Bruce Lietzke T-47 76-7	73-77-73-299	1,120.00
Don January T-14	71-74-69-75-289	2,310.00	Eddie Pearce T-47 80-7	71-76-72-299	1,120.00
Andy North T-14	74-72-69-74-289	2,310.00	Gene Littler T-50 76-7	75-71-78-300	1,090.00
Mark Hayes T-14	74-74-70-71-289	2,310.00	Carlton White T-50 75-7	75-75-75-300	1,090.00
Danny Edwards T-19	73-75-70-72-290	1,875.00	Arnold Palmer T-50 75-7	75-75-75-300	1,090.00
Randy Glover T-19	72-74-76-68-290	1,875.00	a-Michael Reid T-50 67-8	81-80-72-300	
Dave Eichelberger . T-21	73-70-74-74-291	1,775.00	a-John Fought T-50 79-7	72-72-77-300	
Larry Nelson T-21	75-74-70-72-291	1,775.00	Peter Oosterhuis T-53 73-7	75-74-79-301	1,060.00
Calvin Peete T-23	76-69-74-73-292	1,650.00	Jim Colbert T-53 74-7	76-73-78-301	1,060.00
Gary Player T-23	73-77-73-70-292	1,650.00	Joey Dills T-53 77-7	73-74-77-301	1,060.00
Joe InmanT-23	75-73-74-70-292	1,650.00	John Jacobs T-56 75-7	75-74-78-302	1,035.00
Tom Jenkins T-26	72-74-75-72-293	1,540.00	Bob Gilder T-56 75-7	74-75-78-302	1,035.00
Hale Irwin T-26	75-72-75-71-293	1,540.00	Bruce Devlin T-58 75-7	73-81-74-303	1,015.00
Barry Jaeckel T-28	74-77-69-74-294	1,412.00	George Cadle T-58 79-7	71-77-76-303	1,015.00
Lou Graham T-28	75-74-72-73-294	1,412.00	Bobby Stroble T-60 77-7	70-82-76-305	1,000.00
Bob E. Smith T-28	72-75-74-73-294	1,412.00	a-Bruce Douglass T-60 73-7	76-75-81 — 305	
Grier Jones T-28	76-69-71-78-294	1,412.00	a-Martin West T-60 73-7	73-80-79 — 305	
Wayne Levi T-28	74-73-74-73-294	1,412.00	Gene Borek 61 74-7	74-76-83-307	1,000.00
Rik Massengale T-33	70-78-70-77 - 295	1,330.00	Jim Ferree 62 76-7	73-80-82-311	1,000.00
Terry Diehl T-33	71-72-76-76-295	1,330.00			

# **WESTERN OPEN**

Butler National C.C., Oak Brook, IL Par: 36-35-71 7,002 Yards Purse: \$200,000 June 24-27, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Bob Dickson's 67 lec Bruce Crampton by two strokes. Second round—Dickson shot a 69 for 136 and a six-stroke lead over Al Geiberger and Charles Coody. Six strokes is the widest margin after 36 holes on the Tour this year. Third round—Dickson shot a 74 but maintained a five-stroke lead over Coody and Geiberger.

CUT: 78 players at 11-over-par 153.

**WEATHER:** Rain during most of Thursday's round; clear and breezier on Friday. Sunny and warm on Saturday and Sunday.

**PRO-AMATEUR:** Some players started, but round was washed out by rainstorm and all professionals shared purse equally, \$144.

ATTENDANCE: 74,200

### Winner: AL GEIBERGER 71-71-73-73-288 \$40,000

Joe Porter	22.800	Tom Purtzer T-41 74-77-78-73—302	720
Hale Irwin	10,600	Kermit Zarley T-41 76-77-77-72-302	720
Charles Coody T-3 70-72-73-75-290	10,600	Bob Gilder T-41 77-74-77-74—302	720
Bob Dickson T-3 67-69-74-80 — 290	10,600	Bruce Crampton T-41 69-80-77-76-302	720
Bill Mallon 6 74-72-71-74—291	7,200	Charles Sifford T-41 78-74-74-76-302	720
Andy North T-7 74-75-73-70—292	6.150	Perry Leslie T-41 77-70-77-78—302	720
George Burns III T-7 70-73-76-73—292	6,150	Bobby Cole T-47 74-75-80-74—303	535
Peter Oosterhuis T-9 73-73-72-75—293	5.000	Gary McCord T-47 73-77-76-303	535
Steve Veriato T-9 73-71-74-75—293	5,000	Gary Groh	535
Gil Morgan T-9 71-72-73-77 — 293	5,000	Jay Haas T-47 74-79-74-76—303	535
Bobby Wadkins T-12 77-74-71-72—294	4.000	Greg Powers T-51 74-79-79-72—304	480
Rex Caldwell T-12 71-76-74-73—294	4.000	Johnny Jacobs T-51 71-77-81-75—304	480
Bob E. Smith T-14 76-76-75-69—296	3.200	J.C. Snead	480
Terry Dill	3.200	Nate Starks T-54 73-80-76-76—305	435
Tony CerdaT-14 71-82-69-74—296	3,200	Dennie Meyer T-54 77-74-77-77 – 305	435
Gay Brewer, Jr T-14 72-75-72-77 — 296	3,200	John Gentile T-54 75-74-77-79—305	435
Dave Stockton T-14 75-72-73-76—296	3.200	Bobby Stroble T-54 76-74-75-80 — 305	435
Danny Edwards T-19 74-74-77-72 – 297	2.300	Joey Dills	435
Calvin Peete T-19 72-75-78-72—297	2,300	Gary Koch T-54 74-72-76-83—305	435
Larry Nelson T-19 75-78-70-74—297	2,300	Mason Rudolph T-60 72-81-78-75 — 306	375
Jack EwingT-19 76-74-71-76—297	2,300	Ted Goin T-60 71-76-83-76—306	375
Tom Evans T-23 75-75-73-298	1.688	Curtis Strange T-60 73-74-81-78—306	375
Mac McLendon T-23 73-73-75-75-298	1,688	Jim Masserio T-60 76-72-79-79—306	375
Jim Dent	1,688	Jerry McGee T-60 76-77-74-79—306	375
Mark Hayes T-23 76-73-76-298	1,688	Chi Chi Rodriguez T-60 75-72-79-80—306	375
John Mahaffey T-23 73-73-75-78—298	1,688	George Johnson 66 73-77-84-73—307	340
Cesar Sanudo T-28 73-76-773-299	1.390	Frank Beard T-67 79-74-77-78—308	320
John Lister T-28 72-73-79-75 – 299	1,390	Bruce Lietzke T-67 72-77-80-79—308	320
Jim Wiechers T-28 75-75-73-76-299	1,390	Ken Still	320
Bobby Walzel T-28 73-75-73-76—299	1,390	Steve MelnykT-70 77-76-82-74—309	150
	1,132	Dale Haves T-70 73-79-78-309	150
Jerry Heard T-32 76-74-77-73—300		Florentino Molina T-72 74-79-79-78—310	150
Homero Blancas T-32 71-73-82-74—300	1,132		THE S
Howard Twitty T-32 74-77-75-74—300		Labron Harris, Jr T-72 73-80-77-80-310	
Tom Watson T-32 78-71-75-76—300	1,132	Leonard Thompson T-72 78-74-77-81—310	
Dick Rhyan T-32 75-78-71-76-300	1,132	George Archer	7
Jim Simons T-37 77-75-73-76—301	920	R.H. Sikes	
Ed Sneed T-37 76-76-72-77—301	920	Allen Miller	_
Ben Crenshaw T-37 74-76-74-77 – 301	920	Lanny Wadkins 78-73-77-86—WD	-
Rik Massengale T-37 73-75-73-80—301	920		

# THE GREATER MILWAUKEE OPEN

Tuckaway CC, Milwaukee, Wisc. Par: 36-36-72 7,010 Yards

Purse: \$130,000 July 1-4, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Ken Still had eight birdies for an eight-under par 64 to lead Dave Hill and Fuzzy Zoeller by two strokes. Second round—Zoeller added another 66 for a 12-under par 132 and a one-stroke margin over Dave Hill. Zoeller was eight-under par on par fives for the two days (six birdies and an eagle). Third round—Dave Hill, with a 68, took a four-stroke lead at 15-under par 201, while Homero Blancas was at 205.

CUT: 83 players at one-over par 145.

WEATHER: Sunny and most pleasant every day; breezy Saturday and Sunday.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual, Andy North, 67, \$500. Team, Mac McLendon, Gibby Gilbert, Dave Eichelberger, Jim Dent and Frank Beard, 59, \$360.

# Winner: DAVE HILL 66-67-68-69-270 \$26,000.00

John Jacobs 2 67-69-70-67-27	3 14,820.00	Gary McCord T-38 68-72-71-75-286	546.00
Dave Eichelberger T-3 70-71-72-63-27		Sandy Galbraith T-44 72-70-75-70 - 287	442.00
Ed Sneed T-3 71-66-69-70-27		Don Iverson T-44 68-76-72-71-287	442.00
Bob E. Smith T-5 71-68-71-68-27		Nate Starks T-46 74-71-74-69—288	336.56
Homero Blancas T-5 67-70-68-73-27		George Johnson T-46 67-74-77-70-288	336.56
Howard Twitty T-7 70-75-69-65-2		Alan Tapie T-46 72-72-74-70-288	336.56
Andy North T-7 68-71-71-69-2	79 3,549.00	Mike Hill T-46 71-71-74-72-288	336.56
Gibby Gilbert T-7 72-70-68-69-2	79 3,549.00	Bob Menne T-46 74-71-71-72-288	336.56
Joe Porter	79 3,549.00	Steve Melnyk T-46 67-72-76-73-288	336.55
Bill Kratzert T-7 71-70-68-70-2	79 3,549.00	Buddy Allin T-46 75-69-71-73-288	336.55
Ken Still T-12 64-73-74-69-20	30 2,437.50	Bob Goalby T-46 72-69-74-73-288	336.55
Gay Brewer T-12 67-71-72-70-2		Dennis Tiziani T-46 75-69-68-76-288	336.55
Mac McLendon T-12 67-69-74-70-2	30 2,437.50	Dave Newquist T-55 72-72-75-70-289	279.80
Lou Graham T-12 69-70-70-71-2		Lon Hinkle T-55 69-72-77-71-289	279.80
Fred Marti 16 68-70-71-72-2	31 2,080.00	Labron Harris T-55 74-71-73-71 — 289	279.80
John Lister T-17 70-73-71-68-2		Jim Jamieson T-55 71-70-76-72—289	279.80
Grier Jones T-17 71-71-71-69-2		Jack Ewing T-55 69-75-71-74-289	279.80
Cesar Sanudo T-17 67-71-73-71-2		Frank Conner T-60 74-70-75-71-290	256.50
Frank Beard T-20 73-70-71-69-2		Bob Dickson T-60 73-72-71-74-290	256.50
Lee Elder T-20 69-70-74-70-2		Andy Thompson T-62 76-65-74-76-291	243.50
Ron Cerrudo T-20 73-67-73-70-2		Richard Crawfold . T-62 70-75-69-77 - 291	243.50
Bruce Crampton T-23 69-68-77-70-2		Bob Erickson T-64 74-71-75-72-292	214.43
Barney Thompson . T-23 72-69-72-71-2		Bill Mallon T-64 72-73-75-72-292	214.43
Bob Lunn T-23 70-72-70-72-2		Bob Payne T-64 72-73-76-71-292	214.43
Jerry Heard T-23 68-69-74-73-2		Roger Parker T-64 73-72-75-72-292	214.43
Chi Chi Rodriguez . T-27 74-69-75-67-2		Gary GrohT-64 75-70-74-73-292	214.43
Miller Barber T-27 69-76-73-67 - 2		Rex Caldwell T-64 67-74-77-74-292	214.43
George Archer T-27 70-72-75-68-2	85 811.91	Larry Nelson T-64 72-70-74-76-292	214.42
Calvin Peete T-27 69-71-76-69-2		Dave Stockton T-71 71-71-79-72-293	· -
Bruce Fleisher T-27 70-72-74-69-2	85 811.91	David Sheff T-71 75-68-77-73-293	_
Ed Dougherty T-27 74-71-71-69-2	85 811.91	Bobby Wadkins T-71 76-69-74-74-293	-
Pat Fitzsimons T-27 73-69-73-70-2	85 811.91	Bill Brask T-71 74-71-74-74—293	_
Dale Douglass T-27 72-68-74-71-2	85 811.91	Babe Hiskey T-71 72-69-76-76—293	-
Bobby Walzel T-27 71-70-73-71-2		Bobby Mitchell T-71 69-73-75-76-293	-
Jim Masserio T-27 69-71-70-75-2	85 811.91	Tony Cerda 77 71-73-75-75-294	-
Fuzzy Zoeller T-27 66-66-74-79-2	85 811.90	Elroy Marti78 71-73-74-78-296	-
Gary Koch T-38 73-72-72-69-2	86 546.00	Allen Miller T-79 73-71-78-75—297	=
Forrest Fezier T-38 72-71-71-72-2		Sam Farlow T-79 72-71-78-76-297	-
Rik Massengale T-38 69-71-73-73-2		Joey Dills 81 71-72-76-79—298	
Lionel Hebert T-38 70-68-75-73-2		Mike Davis 82 72-72-78-79-301	-
Art Wall		Dan Sikes 71-74-74- WD	-

# THE ED McMAHON - QUAD CITIES OPEN

Purse: \$100,000

July 8-11, 1976

Oakwood CC, Coal Valley, Illinois Par: 35-36-71 6,305 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Fuzzy Zoeller had a course record eight-under par 35-28—63. He birdied final eight holes to tie all-time PGA record. Bob Goalby set mark in 1961 St. Petersburg Open. George Archer, with 64, was in second place. **Second round**—Zoeller was tied by Rex Caldwell and Mike Morley at eight-under par 134. John Lister and Archer were at 136. **Third round**—Lister's 65 gave him 12-under par 201 and one-stroke lead over Zoeller and two over Caldwell.

CUT: 81 players at two-over par 144.

HOLE-IN-ONE: Mike Evans, 155 yard 17th, with nine iron.

**WEATHER:** Hot and humid every day, Friday, there were strong winds up to 35 mph. Saturday, winds not quite as strong. Same on Sunday.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000. Individual, John Lister, 65, \$750. Team, Bob Dickson and George Archer, 52, \$675.

#### Winner: JOHN LISTER 68-68-65-67-268 \$20,000.00

Fuzzy Zoeller						
George Archer						370.00
Tommy McGinnis   5 67-73-65-71 = 276						
Barry Jaeckel						
Bud Allin						
Joe Porter						
Stanton Altgelt         T-8 71-68-70-69—278         2,612.50         Sam Adams         T-46 74-70-71-72—287         270.83           Barney Thompson         T-8 71-70-68-69—278         2,612.50         Jim Jamieson         T-46 70-72-72-73—287         270.83           Dave Eichelberger         T-12 69-71-73-66—279         1,875.00         Dave Newquist         T-52 69-75-73-71—288         227.50           Joey Dills         T-12 68-69-69-73—279         1,875.00         Richie Karl         T-52 72-69-74-73—288         227.50           Mike Morley         T-12 67-67-37-72—279         1,875.00         Richie Karl         T-52 72-69-74-73—288         227.50           Jim Dent         T-16 71-70-72-67—280         1,500.00         Mike Evans         T-52 70-71-73-4288         227.50           Florentino Molina         T-16 71-70-71-69—280         1,500.00         Monte Sanders         T-52 70-71-73-74—288         227.50           Howard Twitty         T-19 69-73-68-71—281         1,250.00         Mike Reasor         T-58 69-73-78—289         202.50           Ken Still         T-21 68-75-70-69—282         1,013.33         Ron Cerrudo         T-58 69-70-77-73—289         202.50           Mike McCullough         T-21 68-76-70-71—282         1,013.33         Gary McCord         T-62 69-74-73-74—290         177.50						
Barney Thompson   T-8   71-70-68-69 - 278   2,612.50   Jim Jamieson   T-46   70-72-72-73 - 287   270.83     Terrance Dill			2,612.50			
Terrance Dill	Stanton Altgelt T-8	71-68-70-69-278	2,612.50	Sam Adams T-46	74-70-71-72—287	
Dave Eichelberger         T-12         69-71-73-66—279         1,875.00         Dave Newquist         T-52         69-75-73-71—288         227.50           Joey Dills         T-12         68-69-69-73-279         1,875.00         Michie Karl         T-52         72-69-74-73-288         227.50           Mike Morley         T-12         70-70-66-73-279         1,875.00         Michie Evans         T-52         75-66-74-73-288         227.50           Jom Dent         T-16         71-70-72-67-280         1,500.00         Monte Sanders         T-52         70-71-74-70-4288         227.50           Florentino Molina         T-16         70-70-71-69-280         1,500.00         Monte Sanders         T-52         70-71-73-74-288         227.50           Dick Crawford         T-16         71-66-73-70-280         1,500.00         Mike Reasor         T-52         68-69-73-78-288         227.50           Howard Twitty         T-19         72-72-70-67-281         1,250.00         Roger Maltbie         T-58         69-70-77-32-289         202.50           Ken Still         T-21         68-75-70-69-282         1,013.33         Agn Cerudo         T-58         69-70-77-72-289         202.50           Mike McCullough         T-21         68-73-72-70-283         836.67	Barney Thompson T-8	71-70-68-69-278	2,612.50	Jim Jamieson T-46	70-72-72-73—287	
Joey Dills	Terrance Dill T-8	70-71-68-69-278	2,612.50	Grier Jones T-46	69-71-69-78-287	270.83
Mike Morley         T-12 67-67-73-72—279         1,875.00         Mike Evans         T-52 75-66-74-73—288         227.50           Tom Purtzer         T-12 70-70-66-73—279         1,875.00         Rocky Thompson         T-52 70-74-70-74—288         227.50           Jim Dent         T-16 71-70-72-67—280         1,500.00         Monte Sanders         T-52 70-71-73-74—288         227.50           Florentino Molina         T-16 70-70-71-69—280         1,500.00         Mike Reasor         T-52 68-69-73-78—288         227.50           Dick Crawford         T-16 71-66-73-70—280         1,500.00         David Lundstrom         T-58 68-69-73-78—288         227.50           Howard Twitty         T-19 72-72-70-67—281         1,250.00         Roger Maltbie         T-58 69-70-77-73—289         202.50           John Jackson         T-19 69-73-68-71—281         1,250.00         Perry Leslie         T-58 69-70-77-73—289         202.50           Ken Still         T-21 68-75-70-69—282         1,013.34         Bon Cerrudo         T-58 69-73-70-77—289         202.50           Mike McCullough         T-21 68-71-72-71—282         1,013.33         Duke Butler         T-62 66-73-77-74—290         177.50           Butch Baird         T-24 72-71-70-70-283         836.67         Larry Nelson         T-62 66-71-77-74—290         177.50	Dave Eichelberger . T-12	69-71-73-66-279	1,875.00	Dave Newquist T-52	69-75-73-71-288	227.50
Tom Purtzer         T-12 70-70-66-73-279         1,875.00         Rocky Thompson         T-52 70-74-70-74-288         227.50           Jim Dent         T-16 71-70-72-67-280         1,500.00         Monte Sanders         T-52 70-71-73-74-288         227.50           Florentino Molina         T-16 70-70-71-69-280         1,500.00         Mike Reasor         T-52 68-69-73-78-288         227.50           Dick Crawford         T-16 71-66-73-70-280         1,500.00         David Lundstrom         T-58 71-71-75-72-289         202.50           Howard Twitty         T-19 69-73-68-71-281         1,250.00         Roger Maltbie         T-58 69-70-77-73-289         202.50           John Jackson         T-19 69-73-68-71-281         1,250.00         Perry Leslie         T-58 69-70-77-73-289         202.50           Ken Still         T-21 68-75-70-69-282         1,013.34         Ron Cerrudo         T-58 69-73-70-77-289         202.50           Mike McCullough         T-21 68-71-72-71-282         1,013.33         Duke Buffer         T-62 66-73-77-74-290         177.50           Allen Miller         T-21 68-71-72-71-283         836.67         Larry Nelson         T-62 68-71-77-74-290         177.50           Butch Baird         T-24 72-71-70-70-283         836.67         Mike Mitchell         T-62 69-74-73-74-290         177.50	Joey Dills T-12	68-69-69-73-279	1,875.00	Richie Karl T-52	72-69-74-73-288	227.50
Jim Dent	Mike Morley T-12	67-67-73-72-279	1,875.00	Mike Evans T-52	75-66-74-73-288	227.50
Florentino Molina	Tom Purtzer T-12	70-70-66-73-279	1,875.00	Rocky Thompson T-52	70-74-70-74-288	227.50
Dick Crawford         T-16         71-66-73-70-280         1,500.00         David Lundstrom         T-58         71-71-75-72-289         202.50           Howard Twitty         T-19         72-72-70-67-281         1,250.00         Roger Maltbie         T-58         69-70-77-33-289         202.50           John Jackson         T-19         69-73-68-71-281         1,250.00         Perry Leslie         T-58         69-70-77-32-289         202.50           Ken Still         T-21         68-75-70-69-282         1,013.33         Bon Cerrudo         T-58         69-73-70-77-289         202.50           Mike McCullough         T-21         68-71-72-71-282         1,013.33         Duke Butler         T-62         72-72-75-71-290         177.50           Allen Miller         T-21         68-71-72-71-282         1,013.33         Gary McCord         T-62         68-73-77-74-290         177.50           Dave Stockton         T-24         68-73-72-70-283         836.67         Larry Nelson         T-62         68-71-77-74-290         177.50           Bubch Baird         T-24         70-71-71-71-283         836.67         Mike Mitchell         T-62         69-74-73-74-290         177.50           George Johnson         T-24         70-71-71-71-72-283         836.67         <	Jim Dent T-16	71-70-72-67-280	1,500.00	Monte Sanders T-52	70-71-73-74-288	227.50
Howard Twitty	Florentino Molina T-16	70-70-71-69-280	1,500.00	Mike Reasor T-52	68-69-73-78-288	227.50
John Jackson         T-19 69-73-68-71—281         1,250.00         Perry Leslie         T-58 72-72-70-75—289         202.50           Ken Still         T-21 68-75-70-69—282         1,013.34         Ron Cerrudo         T-58 69-73-70-77—289         202.50           Mike McCullough         T-21 65-76-70-71—282         1,013.33         Duke Butler         T-62 72-72-75-71—290         177.50           Allen Miller         T-21 68-71-72-70—283         836.67         Larry Nelson         T-62 66-73-77-74—290         177.50           Dave Stockton         T-24 68-73-72-70—283         836.67         Larry Nelson         T-62 69-74-73-74—290         177.50           Butch Baird         T-24 70-71-71-71-1283         836.66         Bill Kratzert         T-62 69-74-73-74—290         177.50           George Johnson         T-24 70-71-71-71-71-283         836.66         Bill Kratzert         T-62 69-74-73-74—290         177.50           Bobby Wadkins         T-27 69-74-76-65—284         710.00         Babe Hiskey         T-62 67-71-73-79—290         177.50           Carlton White         T-27 65-75-75-69—284         710.00         Bob Eastwood         T-68 65-77-76-73—291         116.25           Gay Brewer         T-27 71-69-73-71—284         710.00         Bob Eastwood         T-68 67-71-73-75—291         116.25	Dick Crawford T-16	71-66-73-70-280	1,500.00	David Lundstrom T-58	71-71-75-72-289	202.50
Ken Still         T-21 68-75-70-69—282         1,013.34         Ron Cerrudo         T-58 69-73-70-77—289         202.50           Mike McCullough         T-21 65-76-70-71—282         1,013.33         Duke Butler         T-62 72-72-75-71—290         177.50           Allen Miller         T-21 68-71-72-71—282         1,013.33         Gary McCord         T-62 66-73-77-74—290         177.50           Dave Stockton         T-24 68-73-72-70—283         836.67         Larry Nelson         T-62 69-74-73-74—290         177.50           Butch Baird         T-24 70-71-71-71-283         836.67         Mike Mitchell         T-62 69-74-73-74—290         177.50           George Johnson         T-24 70-71-71-71-283         836.66         Bill Kratzert         T-62 69-74-73-74—290         177.50           Bobby Wadkins         T-27 69-74-76-65—284         710.00         Babe Hiskey         T-62 69-74-73-74—290         177.50           Carlton White         T-27 69-74-76-65—284         710.00         Babe Hiskey         T-62 69-74-73-79—290         177.50           Carlton White         T-27 70-73-71-70—284         710.00         Bob Eastwood         T-68 65-77-76-73—291         116.25           Gay Brewer         T-27 70-73-71-284         710.00         John Gentile         T-68 67-71-75-78—291         116.25	Howard Twitty T-19	72-72-70-67-281	1,250.00	Roger Maltbie T-58	69-70-77-73-289	202.50
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Allen Miller.         T-21 68-71-72-71-282         1,013.33         Gary McCord         T-62 66-73-77-74-290         177.50           Dave Stockton         T-24 68-73-72-70-283         836.67         Larry Nelson         T-62 68-71-77-74-290         177.50           Butch Baird         T-24 72-71-70-70-283         836.67         Mike Mitchell         T-62 69-74-73-74-290         177.50           George Johnson         T-24 70-71-71-71-283         836.66         Bill Kratzert         T-62 69-74-73-74-290         177.50           Bobby Wadkins         T-27 69-74-73-75-69-284         710.00         Babe Hiskey         T-62 69-74-73-79-290         177.50           Carlton White         T-27 65-75-75-69-284         710.00         Gene Frank         T-68 65-77-76-73-291         116.25           Gay Brewer         T-27 70-73-71-70-284         710.00         Bob Eastwood         T-68 69-74-74-74-291         116.25           Woody Blackburn         T-27 71-69-73-71-284         710.00         John Gentile         T-68 69-74-74-74-291         116.25           David Sheff         T-27 68-69-72-75-284         710.00         Lon Hinkle         T-68 67-71-75-78-291         116.25           David Sheff         T-23 68-75-73-69-285         518.89         Mike Odom         T-72 69-75-73-75-292         -	Ken Still	68-75-70-69-282	1,013.34	Ron Cerrudo T-58	69-73-70-77 - 289	202.50
Dave Stockton         T-24 68-73-72-70 - 283         836.67         Larry Nelson         T-62 68-71-77-74 - 290         177.50           Butch Baird         T-24 72-71-70-70 - 283         836.67         Mike Mitchell         T-62 69-74-73-74 - 290         177.50           George Johnson         T-24 70-71-71-71 - 283         836.66         Bill Kratzert         T-62 69-74-73-74 - 290         177.50           Bobby Wadkins         T-27 69-74-76-655 - 284         710.00         Babe Hiskey         T-62 67-71-73-79 - 290         177.50           Carlton White         T-27 65-75-75-69 - 284         710.00         Babe Hiskey         T-68 65-77-76-32-991         116.25           Gay Brewer         T-27 70-73-71-70-284         710.00         Bob Eastwood         T-68 69-74-74-74-291         116.25           Woody Blackburn         T-27 71-69-73-71-284         710.00         John Gentile         T-68 72-71-73-75-291         116.25           Spike Kelley         T-32 70-74-74-67-285         518.89         Mike Odom         T-72 69-75-73-75-292         -           Jim Masserio         T-32 69-72-74-70-285         518.89         Bill Calfee         T-72 71-69-73-79-292         -           Mike Hill         T-32 70-74-76-73-285         518.89         Bill Calfee         T-75 73-68-74-78-293         -	Mike McCullough T-21	65-76-70-71-282	1,013.33	Duke Butler T-62	72-72-75-71-290	177.50
Butch Baird         T-24 72-71-70-70-283         836.67         Mike Mitchell         T-62 69-74-73-74-290         177.50           George Johnson         T-24 70-71-71-71-283         836.66         Bill Kratzert         T-62 69-74-73-74-290         177.50           Bobby Wadkins         T-27 69-74-76-65-284         710.00         Babe Hiskey         T-62 69-74-73-79-290         177.50           Carlton White         T-27 65-75-75-69-284         710.00         Babe Hiskey         T-68 65-77-76-73-291         116.25           Gay Brewer         T-27 70-73-71-70-284         710.00         Bob Eastwood         T-68 69-74-74-74-291         116.25           Woody Blackburn         T-27 71-69-73-71-284         710.00         John Gentile         T-68 72-71-73-75-291         116.25           David Sheff         T-27 68-69-72-75-284         710.00         Lon Hinkle         T-68 67-71-75-8291         116.25           Spike Kelley         T-32 68-75-73-69-285         518.89         Mike Odom         T-72 69-75-73-75-292         -           Jim Masserio         T-32 69-72-74-70-285         518.89         Bill Calfee         T-75 73-68-74-78-293         -           Marty Fleckman         T-32 70-71-72-72-285         518.89         Bill Mallon         77 67-74-81-75-297         -           Frank Conner </td <td>Allen MillerT-21</td> <td>68-71-72-71-282</td> <td>1,013.33</td> <td>Gary McCord T-62</td> <td>66-73-77-74-290</td> <td>177.50</td>	Allen MillerT-21	68-71-72-71-282	1,013.33	Gary McCord T-62	66-73-77-74-290	177.50
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Carlton White         T-27         65-75-75-69—284         710.00         Gene Frank         T-68         65-77-76-73—291         116.25           Gay Brewer         T-27         70-73-71-70—284         710.00         Bob Eastwood         T-68         69-74-74-74—291         116.25           Woody Blackburn         T-27         71-69-73-71—284         710.00         John Gentile         T-68         72-71-73-75—291         116.25           David Sheff         T-27         68-69-72-75—284         710.00         John Gentile         T-68         67-71-75-78—291         116.25           Spike Kelley         T-32         70-74-74-67—285         518.89         Mike Odom         T-72         69-75-73-75—292         —           Jack Ewing         T-32         68-75-73-69—285         518.89         Peter Beames         T-72         70-74-75-73—292         —           Jim Masserio         T-32         69-72-74-70—285         518.89         Bill Calfee         T-75         73-68-74-78—293         —           Mike Hill         T-32         70-71-72-72—285         518.89         Bill Calfee         T-75         73-68-74-78—293         —           Bob Dickson         T-32         70-74-69-72—285         518.89         Bill Mallon         77         6	Bobby Wadkins T-27	69-74-76-65-284	710.00	Babe Hiskey T-62	67-71-73-79-290	177.50
Woody Blackburn         T-27 71-69-73-71—284         710.00         John Gentile         T-68 72-71-73-75—291         116.25           David Sheff         T-27 68-69-72-75—284         710.00         Lon Hinkle         T-68 67-71-75-78—291         116.25           Spike Kelley         T-32 70-74-74-67—285         518.89         Mike Odom         T-72 69-75-73-75—292         —           Jack Ewing         T-32 68-75-73-69-285         518.89         Peter Beames         T-72 70-74-75-73—292         —           Jim Masserio         T-32 69-72-74-70—285         518.89         Bill Calfee         T-75 73-68-74-78—293         —           Mike Hill         T-32 70-71-72-72—285         518.89         Bill Calfee         T-75 73-68-74-78—293         —           Marty Fleckman         T-32 70-71-72-72—285         518.89         Bill Mallon         77 67-74-81-75—297         —           Frank Conner         T-32 70-74-69-72—285         518.89         Bill Mallon         77 67-74-81-75—297         —           Gary Groh         T-32 73-69-70-73—285         518.89         Bruce Crampton         69-75-         WD         —           Bruce Fleisher         T-32 70-72-69-74-285         518.89         Bob Wynn         70-74-         WD         —	Carlton White T-27	65-75-75-69-284	710.00			116.25
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Frank Conner	Marty Fleckman T-32	70-71-72-72-285	518.89	Gary Wintz T-75	69-72-77-75-293	
Gary Groh	Bob Dickson T-32	65-77-70-73-285	518.89	Bill Mallon	67-74-81-75-297	-
Bruce Fleisher T-32 70-72-69-74—285 518.88 Bob Wynn 70-74- WD —	Frank Conner T-32	70-74-69-72-285	518.89	Austin Straub 78	69-71-82-76-298	_
	Gary Groh T-32	73-69-70-73-285	518.89	Bruce Crampton	69-75- WD	1
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	John Harris T-41	69-75-72-70-286	370.00	Bill Rogers	71-71-75- WD	

# THE AMERICAN EXPRESS WESTCHESTER CLASSIC

Westchester CC, Harrison, N.Y. Par: 36-35-71 6,603 Yards

Purse: \$300,000 July 15-18, 1976

LEADERS: First round-David Graham and Carlton White had eight-under par 63s to lead Tom Watson and Mike Wynn by one. Second round - David Graham added a 68 for an 11-under par 131 and a four-stroke margin over White, Wynn and Larry Ziegler. Third round - Graham's one-under par 70 gave him a 12-under par 201 and a four-stroke lead over Wynn with Ziegler and Ben Crenshaw at 206.

CUT: 85 players at one-over par 143.

WEATHER: Thursday, Warm and sunny. Friday, Overcast with rain in afternoon. Saturday and Sun-

day, most sunny and very pleasant. PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Bob Wynn, Arnold Palmer and Don January, 65, each \$625.

Team, Jack Nicklaus, 52, \$750. COURSE RECORD: Jimmy Wright, 31-31-62, tied record in second round.

ATTENDANCE: 71,000

Winner: DAVID GRAHAM 63-68-70-71-272 \$60,000.00

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Tom Watson T-2	64-72-73-66-275	23.200.00	Jim SimonsT-40	69-70-71-72-282	1,080.00
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Fuzzy Zoeller T-2 Ben Crenshaw T-2	69-68-69-69-275		Gary McCord T-40	70-68-70-74-282	1,080.00
	70-68-72-67-277	8,793.75	Dave Eichelberger . T-40	69-71-68-74-282	1,080.00
Brian Allin T-5	71-70-69-67—277	8.793.75	Billy Casper T-48	72-70-73-68-283	759.00
John Mahaffey T-5	71-67-71-68-277	8,793.75	.lim Dent T-48	73-69-74-67 — 283	759.00
Ed Sneed T-5	70-71-68-68-277	8,793.75	Ken Still T-48	71-71-71-70-283	759.00
Rik Massengale T-5	70-69-70-68-277	8.793.75	Hale Irwin T-48	70-71-69-73-283	759.00
Dan Sikes T-5	65-72-71-69-277	8.793.75	Lou Graham T-48	75-66-69-73 — 283	759.00
Mike Hill T-5		8,793.75	Tommy Aaron T-53	70-72-73-69-284	675.00
Miller Barber T-5	69-68-70-70-277	8,793.75	George Burns T-53	71-68-74-71-284	675.00
Larry Ziegler T-5	68-67-71-71-277	5.250.00	Bruce Crampton T-53	70-71-72-71-284	675.00
Johnny Jacobs T-13	70-69-72-67-278		Ron Cerrudo T-53	68-75-69-72-284	675.00
Carlton White T-13	63-72-74-69-278	5,250.00	Wally Armstrong T-53	69-73-68-74-284	675.00
Mikel Wynn T-13	64-71-70-73-278		Babe Hiskey T-58	69-73-72-71-285	600.00
Al Geiberger T-13	69-71-67-71-278		Jim Colbert T-58	71-70-72-72-285	600.00
Gay Brewer, Jr T-17	66-73-73-67-279	3,750.00	Bill Calfee T-58	69-74-71-71-285	600.00
Terrance Dill T-17	71-71-70-67 - 279	3,750.00	Kermit Zarley T-58	72-71-69-73-285	600.00
Richard Crawford . T-17	72-70-68-69-279		Arnold PalmerT-58	69-67-72-77 - 285	600.00
Tom Kite T-17	72-71-66-70-279		ChiChi Rodriguez . T-63		
Johnny Miller T-17	71-67-69-72-279	3,750.00	George Johnson T-63		
Gene Littler T-17	70-69-69-71-279		Bob GilderT-63		
Jack Nicklaus T-23	70-73-69-68-280		Dave Hill T-63		
Don Bies T-23	73-70-69-68-280		Bob Charles T-63		517.50
Mac McLendon T-23	68-71-71-70-280		Barry Jaeckel T-63	69-70-70-78 — 286	517.50
Dave Stockton T-23	70-72-68-70-280		Barry Jaeckei 1-63	71-72-75-69 — 287	152.50
Andy North T-23	69-67-73-71-280		Charles Coody T-69		
J.C. Snead T-23	70-72-67-71—280		Mark Hayes T-69		
Don January T-23	71-69-69-71-280		Mike Reasor T-69		
Eddie Pearce T-23	70-67-71-72-280		Dean Refram T-69		
Jimmy Wright T-23	77-62-69-72-280		Dave Sheff T-69		
Jerry McGee T-23			George Archer T-69	the state of the s	
Bruce Lietzke T-33		1 1,551.43	Bill Rogers T-7		
Grier Jones T-33	3 71-71-70-69-28	1 1,551.43	Bob Eastwood T-7		
Dick LotzT-30	3 69-71-72-69-28	1 1,551.43	Don Iverson T-7		
Rex CaldwellT-30		1 1,551.43	Allen Miller	8 68-73-75-73 - 28	
Howard Twitty T-30			Jerry Heard 7	9 74-69-72-75-29	
Joey DillsT-30			Gene Frank 8	0 75-68-75-73 - 29	
Hubert Green T-33			Sammy Rachels T-8	1 70-71-76-75-29	2 -
Lee Elder T-40			Stan AltgeltT-8	1 74-67-73-78-29	Z –
Bobby Nichols T-4			Gibby Gilbert 8	3 72-70-76-76-29	
Bobby Wadkins T-4			Tom Joyce 8	4 71-72-78-75—29	b –
Joe Inman, Jr T-4			Forrest Fezler 8	35 72-69-76- —W	U -
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# **THE 1976 CANADIAN OPEN**

Essex Golf and CC, Windsor, Ontario Par: 35-35-70. 6,696 yards.

Purse: \$200,000 July 22-25, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—George Burns with a five-under par 32-33—65 led by one over Jerry Heard and Arnold Palmer. Second round—Jack Nicklaus, with his second-straight 67 for six-under par 134 led by two over Heard, Jerry Pate, J. C. Snead and Bob Wynn. Third round—Wynn had a four-under par 66 for an eight-under par 202 and led by two over Pate with Lyn Lott at 205 and Ben Crenshaw and Nicklaus at 206.

CUT: 79 players at four-over par 144.

**WEATHER:** Sunny and slightly humid Thursday and Friday. Sunny and pleasant Saturday and Sunday. Moderate winds, sometimes gusty, every day.

ATTENDANCE: 75,000.

# Winner: JERRY PATE 69-67-68-63-267 \$40,000.00

Jack Nicklaus2	67-67-72-65-271	22,800.00	Bill Kratzert T-37 73-71-68-73-285	900.00
Lyn Lott 3	68-70-67-69-274	14,200.00	Jim Simons T-42 70-73-72-71—286	680.00
Ed Sneed 4	68 - 71 - 69 - 67 - 275	9,400.00	Gary Groh T-42 71-69-73-73-286	680.00
Bob Eastwood T-5	69-69-71-68-277	7,700.00	Buddy Allin T-42 67-76-71-72—286	680.00
Bob Wynn T-5	68-68-66-75-277	7,700.00	Mike Mitchell T-42 70-68-73-75-286	680.00
John Miller T-7	69-72-70-67-278	5,250.00	Bobby Wadkins T-42 67-76-68-75-286	680.00
J. C. Snead T-7	70-66-74-68-278	5,250.00	Rod Funseth T-42 70-71-70-75-286	680.00
Andy North T-7	72-70-69-67-278	5,250.00	John Mahaffey T-48 72-71-75-69-287	506.00
Tony Jacklin T-7	73-66-71-68-278	5,250.00	Jim Colbert T-48 71-72-72-72-287	506.00
Dick Crawford T-7		5,250.00	Bob E. Smith T-48 74-68-72-73-287	506.00
Ben Crenshaw T-7	68-70-68-72-278	5,250.00	Gibby Gilbert T-48 72-72-70-73-287	506.00
Randy Erskine T-13	69-69-70-71-279	3,700.00	John Schlee T-48 69-71-71-76-287	506.00
Jerry HeardT-13	66-70-71-72-279	3,700.00	John Lister T-53 71-72-76-69 — 288	430.00
David Graham T-15	74-69-69-68-280	3,200.00	Jimmy Wright T-53 70-70-79-69 — 288	430.00
Charles Coody T-15	69-72-69-70-280	3,200.00	Bob Menne T-53 72-71-75-70 — 288	430.00
George Burns T-15	65-75-70-70-280	3,200.00	Kermit Zarley T-53 68-73-75-72-288	430.00
Howard Twitty T-18		2,162.50	Curtis Sifford T-53 70-71-76-71 — 288	430.00
Larry Ziegler T-18	72-71-72-66-281	2,162.50	Monte Sanders T-53 73-71-72-72-288	430.00
Tom Weiskopf T-18	72-70-71-68-281	2,162.50	Ray Floyd T-53 72-70-73-73-288	430.00
Mark Hayes T-18	71-69-72-69-281	2,162.50	Dan Halldorson T-53 72-72-71-73—288	430.00
Al Geiberger T-18	72-68-71-70-281	2,162.50	Tommy McGinnis T-53 70-71-73-74-288	430.00
Arnold Palmer T-18	66-71-74-70-281	2,162.50	Pete Brown T-62 72-72-73-72-289	360.00
Tom Kite	70-70-70-71-281	2,162.50	Mike Wynn T-62 72-69-76-72-289	360.00
Don Bies T-18	72-70-68-71-281	2,162.50	Lionel Hebert T-62 74-70-73-72-289	360.00
Allen Miller T-26		1,480.00	Don Iverson T-62 71-72-73-73-289	360.00
Calvin Peete T-26	71-67-73-71-282	1,480.00	Gary Player T-62 69-73-73-74-289	360.00
Bruce Lietzke T-26	68-70-73-71-282	1,480.00	Dale Hayes T-67 75-69-76-70-290	180.00
Rik Massengale T-26	71-71-69-71-282	1,480.00	Roger Maltbie T-67 68-75-73-74-290	180.00
Bob GilderT-26	68-72-70-72-282	1,480.00	Bob Erickson T-67 70-71-75-74-290	180.00
Bruce Crampton T-31	68-69-75-71-283	1,212.50	Dick Lotz	180.00
Stan AltgeltT-31	69-71-72-71-283	1,212.50	Jack Ewing T-67 70-71-74-75-290	180.00
Leonard Thompson T-31	68-73-71-71-283	1,212.50	Gene Littler T-67 70-74-72-74-290	180.00
Mike Hill T-31	67-72-71-73-283	1,212.50	Wally Armstrong T-67 71-70-74-75-290	180.00
Gay Brewer, Jr T-35		1,055.00	John Toepel 74 70-72-72-77 - 291	-
Rex Caldwell T-35	71-71-67-75-284	1,055.00	Julius Boros 75 70-73-76-73-292	-
Lanny Wadkins T-37	72-69-74-70-285	900.00	Gar Hamilton T-76 71-71-74-77 — 293	-
Bob Zender T-37	73-71-72-69-285	900.00	Babe Hiskey T-76 74-70-72-77-293	-
Phil Rodgers T-37		900.00	Ken Fulton 78 74-69-78-73-294	-
Bruce Devlin T-37	74-69-70-72-285	900.00	Roger Klatt 79 72-72-77-74-295	

# PLEASANT VALLEY CLASSIC

Pleasant Valley C.C., Sutton, Mass. Purse: \$200,000
Par: 36-35-71 7,119 yards July 29-August 1, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—John Schlee and Lanny Wadkins were leading with 65's Second round—Mac McLendon, Bob Gilder, Ben Crenshaw and Rex Caldwell were all tied at 137. Third round—Mac McLendon was the solo leader with a 204.

CUT: 80 players at 145, 3 over par.

HOLE-IN-ONE: Stan Altgelt on the 14th hole in the second round. Used a three iron on the 215 yard hole.

**WEATHER:** Thursday—sunny and warm. Friday's first tee off time was delayed 2 hours due to rain. Saturday was overcast and breezy, temperatures between 65 and 70. Sunday at 10:17 play was suspended for one hour and 25 minutes due to thunderstorms. Partly cloudy and windy the rest of the day. **PRO-AMATEUR:** \$7,500. Individual—Joe Inman, Dale Douglass, Lee Elder, 68, \$625.00 each.

Team-Victor Regalado, 55, \$750.00

ATTENDANCE: 62,500

#### Winner: Bud Allin 72-67-68-70-277 \$40,000.00

Ben Crenshaw 2 70-67-71-70-278	22,800.00	Babe Hiskey T-42	74-71-70-72-287	680.00
Lanny Wadkins T-3 65-76-69-69-279	10,600.00	Dale Douglass T-42	73-71-71-72 — 287	680.00
Lee Elder	10,600.00	Dan Sikes T-42	73-71-70-73-287	680.00
Bob Menne T-3 71-71-65-72-279	10,600.00	Gil Morgan T-42	69-74-71-73-287	680.00
John Lister T-6 68-73-72-67—280	5,528.58	Grier Jones T-42	72-72-69-74-287	680.00
Bob Wynn	5,528.57	Bob Lunn T-42	71-71-74-287	680.00
Mark Hayes T-6 69-69-72-70-280	5,528.57	Art Wall T-48	71-71-75-71-288	488.75
Rex Caldwell T-6 67-70-71-72-280	5,528.57	Dale Hayes T-48	72-73-71-72-288	488.75
George Burns T-6 73-69-67-71-280	5,528.57	Gibby Gilbert T-48	70-74-72-72-288	488.75
Tom Jenkins T-6 69-70-69-72—280	5,528.57	David W. Smith T-48	69-72-74-73-288	488.75
Bruce Lietzke T-6 68-72-68-72-280	5,528.57	Tony Jacklin T-48	75-70-70-73-288	488.75
Al Geiberger T-13 66-74-71-70—281	3,300.00	George Knudson T-48	72-72-69-75 - 288	488.75
Mike Hill	3,300.00	Stan AltgeltT-48	68-74-71-75-288	488.75
Rod Curl	3,300.00	Sammy RachesT-48	71-71-69-77-288	488.75
Bobby Walzel T-13 69-71-69-72—281	3.300.00	Bob Stanton T-56	73-72-74-70-289	420.00
John Schlee T-13 65-73-71-72-281	3,300.00	Mike WynnT-56	66-78-71-74-289	420.00
Mac McLendon T-13 67-70-67-77 – 281	3,300.00	Jack Ewing T-56	74-71-69-75-289	420.00
John Jackson T-19 69-72-73-68—282	2,500.00	Curtis Sifford T-56	69-72-72-76-289	420.00
Joe Inman	2,500.00	Lyn Lott	71-71-72-75-289	420.00
Rik Massengale T-21 73-68-70-72—283	2,026.67	Harry Toscano T-61	71-70-79-70-290	375.00
Bruce Devlin T-21 71-72-69-71—283	2.026.67	Tommy AaronT-61	70-73-74-73-290	375.00
Dave Stockton T-21 67-71-72-73—283	2.026.66	Cesar Sanudo T-61	71-73-73-73-290	375.00
Nate Starks T-24 71-72-73-233	1.576.67	Kermit Zarley T-61		375.00
Bob E. Smith T-24 72-73-68-71—284	1,576.67	Duke Butler T-65	71-72-77-71-291	330.00
George Cadle T-24 70-72-70-72—284	1,576.67	Gary Groh T-65	71-73-74-73-291	330.00
Howard Twitty T-24 71-74-66-73—284	1,576.67	Tony Cerda T-65	70-74-74-73-291	330.00
Bob Erickson	1,576.66	Lloyd Monroe T-65	70-74-72-75-291	330.00
Juan Rodriguez T-24 68-74-68-74 — 284	1,576.66	Bill Mallon T-65	70-74-71-76-291	330.00
Juan Rodriguez 1-24 00-74-00-74 204	1,270.00	Dick Lotz 70	71-74-73-74-292	300.00
Joe Porter		Gary PlayerT-71	70-72-72-79-293	_
Barry Jaeckel T-30 70-72-71-72—285 Dwight Nevil T-30 68-73-71-73—285		Pete BrownT-71	72-73-72-76-293	_
Bob Gilder T-30 69-68-75-73—285	1,270.00	Roger Parker T-73	70-74-75-76-295	_
George Johnson T-34 71-73-73-69—286	967.50	Victor Regalado T-73	73-72-75-75-295	-
George Johnson 1-34 7 1-73-73-09 - 200	967.50	John Melnick T-75	72-71-80-73-296	
Gary Koch	967.50	Phil Rodgers T-75	74-69-76-77-296	
Leonard Thompson T-34 67-76-73-70—286	967.50	Artie McNickle T-75	71-72-82-71-296	
Bobby Wadkins T-34 72-73-70-71 — 286		Gar Hamilton 78	70-74-75-78-297	
Miller Barber T-34 72-69-73-72 — 286		Larry Nelson79	73-72-75-78-298	
Wally Armstrong T-34 73-71-69-73—286	967.50	Dave Hill 80	72-73- WD	
Gay Brewer T-34 68-74-70-74 — 286		Datorilli		
Steve Veriato T-34 69-71-72-74 — 286	307.30			

# B. C. OPEN

Purse: \$200,000

August 5-8, 1976

Enjoie Golf Club, Endicott, N.Y. Par: 37-34-71 6,868 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Buddy Allin equaled the course record with a 33-30—63 and gained a two-stroke lead over Bob Wynn and Jerry McGee. **Second round**—Allin's 67 gave him a 12-under par 130 and he led by four over Bob Gilder and Ed Sneed Sneed finished his round birdie-birdie-eagle-birdie. **Third round**—Postponed until Sunday morning due to heavy rains, but Wynn, with five-under par 66, moved into one-stroke lead with 11-under par 202. while Sneed and Gilder were at 203.

**CUT:** 82 players at one-over par 143. After rain forced postponement of Saturday's third round until Sunday (36-hole windup), the field then was reduced to low 50 scorers and ties in accordance with regulations, for final field of 64.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, mostly sunny. Friday, overcast with a few showers. Saturday, heavy rains forced postponement until Sunday. Sunday, 36-hole final, overcast with a few light showers early in day. Heavy rains came late in afternoon. Play suspended at 5:28 with 11 players on course. Play called at 7:15 p.m., and resumed at 9:30 a.m. Monday.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Lee Trevino and Bob E. Smith, 67, \$675. Team, David Graham, 57, \$750.

ATTENDANCE 33,260

#### Winner: BOB WYNN 65-71-66-69-271 \$40,000.00

Bob Gilder	69-65-69-69-272	22,800.00	Alan Tapie T-42	70-72-72-69-283	700.00
Terry Diehl	68-70-69-67-274	9,750.00	Florentino Molina T-42	73-69-68-73-283	700.00
George Knudson, T-3	67-70-67-70-274	9,750.00	Lee Trevino T-42	69-73-72-69-283	700.00
Ed Sneed T-3	68-66-69-71-274	9,750.00	Bob Charles T-42	69-66-72-76-283	700.00
Jerry McGee T-3	65-70-70-69-274	9,750.00	Jack Ewing T-47	71-69-72-72-284	526.00
Larry Nelson 7	69-70-68-68-275	6,400.00	Grier Jones T-47	72-68-68-76-284	526.00
Wally ArmstrongT-8	73-67-69-67-276	5,650.00	Gay Brewer T-47	70-71-71-72-284	526.00
Dave Hill T-8	67-70-72-67-276	5,650.00	Dale Hayes T-47	69-68-72-75-284	526.00
Dan Sikes T-10	71-66-69-71-277	4,600.00	Tom Jenkins T-47	70-68-71-75-284	526.00
Kermit Zarley T-10	68-69-69-71-277	4,600.00	Jim Dent T-52	69-73-72-71-285	465.00
Bud Allin T-10	63-67-74-73-277	4,600.00	Homero Blancas T-52	68-71-75-71-285	465.00
Sam Adams T-13	72-68-71-67-278	3,600.00	Mike McCullough T-52	70-72-68-75-285	465.00
George Burns T-13	70-70-71-67-278	3,600.00	Butch Baird T-52	67-70-72-76-285	465.00
Bobby Walzel T-13	74-67-70-67-278	2,700.00	Richie Karl T-56	70-71-73-72-286	425.00
George Johnson T-16	70-69-70-70-279	2,800.00	Monte Sanders T-56	72-70-75-69-286	425.00
George Cadle T-16	69-72-69-69-279	2,800.00	Dick Rhyan T-56	69-72-73-72-286	425.00
Bill Mallon T-16	67-71-70-71-279	2,800.00	Dick Lotz T-56	68-74-72-72-286	425.00
Bob Murphy T-16	73-69-69-68-279	2,800.00	Dale Douglass 60	72-70-73-72-287	400.00
Allen Miller T-16	67-71-69-72-279	2,800.00	Gil Morgan 61	69-72-77-71-289	390.00
John Schlee T-21	71-69-70-70-280	1,350.00	Jim Colbert 62		380.00
Art Wall, Jr T-21	69-70-74-67-280	1,350.00	Dwight Nevil 63	73-68-73-77-291	370.00
Tom Watson T-21	69-70-73-68-280	1,350.00	Bob Stanton 64	69-73-76WD	360.00
Bob E. Smith T-21	69-72-69-70-280	1,350.00	John Mahaffey T-65		108.34
Bruce Lietzke T-21	71-71-69-69-280	1,350.00	Victor Regalado T-65	70-73 -143	108.34
Dave Stockton T-21	70-67-71-72-280	1,350.00	Ken Still T-65		108.34
Don Iverson T-27	67-73-72-69-281	1,249.10	Lou Graham T-65	71-72 -143	108.34
Joe Inman, Jr T-27	71-69-73-68-281	1,249.09	Mason Rudolph T-65	71-72 -143	108.34
Rod Curl T-27	73-67-72-69-281	1,249.09	Dick Crawford T-65	73-70 -143	108.34
Tony Jacklin T-27	74-66-67-74-281	1,249.09	George Archer T-65	70-73 - 143	108.33
Lyn Lott	72-69-70-70-281	1,249.09	Bob Eastwood T-65	71-72 -143	108.33
Tony Cerda T-27	71-68-71-71-281	1,249.09	Mike Hill T-65	72-71 -143	108.33
John Schroeder T-27	68-72-72-69-281	1,249.09	Artie McNickle T-65	73-70 - 143	108.33
Bobby Wadkins T-27	69-70-70-72-281	1,249.09	John Melnick T-65	72-71 -143	108.33
Mac McLendon T-27	68-73-73-67-281	1,249.09	Phil Rodgers T-65	67-76 - 143	108.33
Mark Hayes T-27	67-70-71-73-281	1,249.09	Bob Shearer T-65	74-69 - 143	108.33
Stan Altgelt T-27	70-72-72-67-281	1,249.09	Curtis Sifford T-65	73-70 -143	108.33
Rik Massengale T-38	70-71-73-68-282	880.00	J. C. Snead T-65	74-69 - 143	108.33
Andy North T-38	70-72-71-69-282	880.00	Nate Starks T-65	75-68 -143	108.33
Gary Player T-38	72-70-68-72-282	880.00	Steve Varieto T-65	72-71 -143	108.33
Charles Coody T-38	70-72-69-71-282	880.00	Jim Wiechers T-65	74-69 - 143	108.33
Dennie Meyer T-42	68-71-74-70-283	700.00			

# **PGA CHAMPIONSHIP**

Congressional CC, Bethesda, Maryland Par: 35-35-70 7,054 Yards Purse: \$250,950 August 12-15, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Tom Weiskopf had a five-under par 65 to lead Tom Kite and Gil Morgan by one. Second round—Morgan added a 68 and moved into a four-stroke lead at six-under par 134. Kite was at 138. Third round—Charles Coody birdied the final hole for a 67 and went to three-under par 207, while Jack Nicklaus and Morgan were at 209.

CUT: 76 players at nine-over par 149.

**WEATHER:** Thursday-Very hot and humid. Friday-Again, hot and humid. Saturday-Hot and humid, but severe thunderstorm moved into area late in afternoon. Play was suspended at 5:10 with 18 players still on course. They had to complete their round Sunday morning starting at 7:30 a.m. Sunday-Hot and humid again, but severe thunderstorm hit area in mid-afternoon and play was stopped at 2:33 p.m. The round was cancelled at 4:12. Monday-Sunny and pleasant.

HOLE-IN-ONE: Peter Oosterhuis, 211-yard 16th with one iron final day.

ATTENDANCE 139,950

# Winner: DAVE STOCKTON 70-72-69-70-281 \$45,000.00

Ray Floyd T-2 72-68-71-71-282 20	0.000.00	Howard Twitty T-38 73-71-74-74-292	1,000.00
Don January T-2 70-69-71-72—282 20	0,000.00	Tommy Aaron T-38 72-72-76-292	1,000.00
Jerry Pate T-4 69-73-72-69—283	9.750.00	Bruce Lietzke T-38 75-73-68-76 - 292	1,000.00
John Schlee T-4 72-71-70-70—283	9,750.00	Pat Fitzsimons T-43 77-71-73-72-293	725.00
JOHN JOHNOU	9,750.00	Roger Maltbie T-43 76-72-73-72-293	725.00
David Graham T-4 70-71-70-72—283	9,750.00	John Lister T-43 74-72-73-74—293	725.00
David Grandini	6.000.00	Rod Funseth T-43 71-75-73-74-293	725.00
Tom Weiskopf T-8 65-74-73-72—284	6.000.00	Kermit Zarley, Jr T-43 71-73-74-75-293	725.00
Jerry McGee T-8 68-72-72-72—284	6,000.00	Don Padgett T-43 71-71-72-79-293	725.00
Charles Coody T-8 68-72-67-77 — 284	6.000.00	Andy North T-49 72-73-79-70-294	525.00
Gil Morgan T-8 66-68-75-75—284	6.000.00	Wally Armstrong T-49 74-75-69-76-294	525.00
Tom KiteT-13 66-72-73-75—286	4,350.00	Miller Barber T-51 79-70-73-73-295	450.00
Gary Player T-13 70-69-72-75—286	4,350.00	Billy Casper T-51 75-74-72-74-295	450.00
	3,400.00	Bert Weaver T-51 73-70-78-74-295	450.00
	3,400.00	Dennis Tiziani T-51 77-68-75-75-295	450.00
	3,400.00	Don Bies T-51 76-71-72-76-295	450.00
Mark Hayes T-15 69-72-73-73-287	3.400.00	George Cadle T-51 71-70-77-77 - 295	450.00
Tom Watson T-15 70-74-70-73—287	3,400.00	Ed Sneed T-57 71-76-76-73-296	450.00
Mike Morley T-15 69-72-74-287	3.400.00	Tom Ulozas T-57 73-76-74-73-296	450.00
Lee Elder T-15 68-74-70-75—287	3,400.00	Jim Colbert T-57 72-72-75-77 – 296	450.00
Don Massengale T-22 71-74-73-70—288	2.064.29	Gene Borek T-60 73-76-72-76-297	450.00
Dave Hill	2.064.29	Jimmy Wright T-60 77-72-72-76-297	450.00
Jerry Heard. T-22 72-74-69-73—288	2.064.29	Jim Simons T-60 75-73-72-77-297	450.00
Joe Inman, Jr T-22 72-69-74-73—288	2.064.29	Jack Kiefer T-60 72-71-75-79-297	450.00
Gene Littler	2.064.28	Lyn Lott	450.00
Lou Graham T-22 74-70-70-74—288	2.064.28	Bob Dickson T-65 74-73-77-75-299	450.00
Leonard Thompson T-22 73-69-72-74—288	2.064.28	Mac McLendon T-65 77-72-76-74-299	450.00
Joe Porter	1.550.00	Forrest Fezler T-65 72-75-73-79-299	450.00
Rik Massengale T-30 71-72-73-74-290	1,425.00	Labron Harris, Jr 68 73-73-80-75-301	450.00
Grier Jones T-30 71-70-75-74—290	1.425.00	Bob Gilder	450.00
Hubert Green T-30 73-70-73-74—290	1,425.00	Clayton Cole T-69 75-74-78-76-303	450.00
Bob Zender T-30 69-71-73-77—290	1,425.00	Don Iverson T-71 73-76-81-75-305	450.00
Larry Nelson T-34 75-71-74-71 — 291	1.225.00	Stan Thirsk T-71 76-71-76-82-305	
Hale Irwin T-34 69-73-77-72—291	1,225.00	Mal Galletta 73 74-74-78-81 – 307	
Gibby Gilbert T-34 70-78-72-71 – 291	1.225.00	Buddy Allin	450.00
Bill Collins T-34 70-70-76-75—291	1.225.00	John Mahaffe** 76-72-71 WD	450.00
Peter Oosterhuis . T-38 75-73-73-71—292	1,000.00	Chuck Scally 74-73-84WD	450.00
Bruce Crampton T-38 74-71-75-72—292	1,000.00		
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# SAMMY DAVIS JR., GREATER HARTFORD OPEN

Wethersfield CC, Wethersfield, Conn. Par: 35-36-71 6,598 Yards

Purse: \$210,000 August 19-22, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Rik Massengale's six-under par 65 was good for a two-stroke lead over Billy Casper, Chi Chi Rodriguez, J. C. Snead and Art Wall. **Second round**—Massengale had another 65 for a 12-under par 130 and led Snead (67-64) by one. **Third round**—Massengale double bogeyed the 17th hole and fell back into tie for lead with Snead at 13-under par 200. Al Geiberger, Mac McLendon, Rodriguez, Lee Trevino and Bobby Wadkins were at nine-under 204.

CUT: 74 players at even-par 142 (73 professionals, one amateur).

**WEATHER:** Sunny and pleasant Thursday and Friday. Very hot and humid Saturday and Sunday. **PRO-AMATEUR:** \$7,500. Individual-Dave Stockton, 64, \$750. Team-Allen Miller, 51, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 85,000

#### Winner: RIK MASSENGALE 65-65-70-66-266 \$42,000.00

J. C. Snead T-2	67-64-69-68-268	19,425.00	Allen Miller T-33 70-70-68-7	2-280	1,063.12
Al Geiberger T-2	70-66-68-64-268	19,425.00	Art Wall, Jr T-33 67-72-68-7	3-280	1,063.12
Lee Trevino 4	68-70-66-67-271	9,870.00	Bob Eastwood T-41 73-68-73-6	7-281	695.34
Ray Floyd T-5	73-67-67-65-272	7,271.25	Florentino Molina . T-41 72-68-72-6	9-281	695.34
Wally Armstrong T-5	71-69-66-66-272	7,271.25	Dwight Nevil T-41 69-70-73-6	9-281	695.34
Barry Jaeckel T-5	71-68-66-67-272	7,271.25	Gene Littler T-41 71-67-73-7	0-281	695.33
Chi Chi Rodriguez T-5	67-69-68-68-272	7,271.25	Tom Kite T-41 70-70-71-7	0-281	695.33
Billy Casper T-9	67-68-71-67-273	5,250.00	Bill Mallon T-41 72-66-72-7	1-281	695.33
Mac McLendon T-9	68-67-69-69-273	5,250.00	Jim Masserio T-41 69-71-69-7	2-281	695.33
Hubert Green T-9	70-68-67-68-273	5,250.00	Rod Curl T-41 74-67-69-7	1-281	695.33
Bill Kratzert T-12	71-69-68-66-274	4,060.00	Jim Simons T-41 72-70-67-7	2-281	695.33
Jim Colbert T-12	68-71-68-67-274	4,060.00	Paul Moran T-50 74-67-70-7	1 - 282	519.50
Gay Brewer, Jr T-12	69-66-70-69-274	4,060.00	Craig Stadler T-50 70-72-67-7	3-282	519.50
George Burns T-15	72-67-68-68-275	3,360.00	Phil Rodgers 52 70-70-72-7	1-283	504.00
John Schlee T-15	70-66-69-70-275	3,360.00	John Schroeder T-53 70-68-75-7	1 - 284	477.75
Bobby Wadkins T-15	68-69-67-71-275	3,360.00	Steve Veriato T-53 70-71-72-7	1 - 284	477.75
Alan Tapie T-18	72-70-66-68-276	2,730.00	Gary McCord T-53 71-70-70-7	3-284	477.75
Tommy Aaron T-18	70-70-66-70-276	2,730.00	Labron Harris T-53 72-67-72-7	3-284	477.75
Larry Nelson T-18	71-67-68-70-276	2,730.00	Stan Altgelt T-57 72-68-74-7	1-285	430.60
Arnold Palmer T-21	68-70-74-66-278	1,995.00	Jack Ewing T-57 69-73-70-7	3-285	430.60
Bob Wynn T-21	71-69-72-66-278	1,995.00	Sam Farlow T-57 74-68-69-7	4-285	430.60
Homero Blancas T-21	68-68-73-69-278	1,995.00	Frank Beard T-57 69-71-70-7	5-285	430.60
Bob Murphy T-21	69-69-71-69-278	1,995.00	Sam Snead T-57 68-73-68-7	6-285	430.60
Bruce Devlin T-21	69-73-66-70-278	1,995.00	Bob Gilder 62 71-71-72-7	2-286	399.00
Steve Melnyk T-26	71-70-73-65-279	1,491.00	Victor Regalado T-63 72-68-74-7	3-287	357.00
Jim Dent T-26	68-72-72-67-279	1,491.00	Monty Kaser T-63 69-71-75-7	2-287	357.00
Rod Funseth T-26	72-67-71-69-279	1,491.00	Dan Sikes, Jr T-63 70-65-80-7	2-287	357.00
Bob Shearer T-26	69-69-71-70-279	1,491.00	Stan Lee T-63 72-69-72-7	4-287	357.00
Lyn Lott	69-72-68-70-279	1,491.00	Bobby Walzel T-63 70-71-72-7	4-287	357.00
Leonard Thompson T-26	71-70-66-72-279	1,491.00	Bob Shaw T-63 73-68-72-7	4-287	357.00
George Archer T-26	70-67-68-74-279	1,491.00	Jim Jamieson T-63 70-69-72-7	6-287	357.00
Jay Haas T-33	72-70-72-66 280	1,063.13	Don Bies T-70 72-69-74-7	3-288	157.50
Tom Jenkins T-33	68-70-74-68-280	1,063.13	Terry Diehl T-70 70-70-76-7	2-288	157.50
Jim Wiechers T-33	68-71-71-70-280	1,063.13	Tony Cerda 72 73-67-72-7	7 - 289	-
Lee Elder T-33	72-67-71-70-280	1,063.13	Arnold Salinas 73 73-69-75-7	3-290	-
Andy North T-33	69-68-73-70-280	1,063.12	*Dick Siderowf74 69-72-77-7	3-291	-
Rex Caldwell T-33	71-68-69-72-280	1,063.12			

# THE AMERICAN GOLF CLASSIC

Firestone CC, North Course, Akron, Ohio Par: 36-36-72 Yards: 7,085 Purse: \$200,000 August 26-29, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Dan Sikes birdied three of last four holes for six-under par 66 and one-stroke lead over Don Iverson, Mike McCullough, Ed Sneed, Bobby Wadkins and Fuzzy Zoeller. Second round—David Graham, with 69-67, stood at eight-under par 136 and led Ray Floyd by one. Third round—Floyd and Graham were tied at 11-under par 205 with Jim Simons at 206.

CUT: 75 players at three-over par 147.

**WEATHER:** Warm and pleasant on Thursday and Friday. Saturday, a severe storm forced suspension at 12.54. Play resumed at 3:45. Another storm hit at 6:01 and play was called for the day with nine groups still on the course. The third round was completed Sunday morning, starting at 8:30. The final round, in breezy, slightly cool weather, started at noon.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Miller Barber and Mason Rudolph, 66, \$675. Team, Gil

Morgan, 54, \$750.

ATTENDANCE: 47,500

# Winner: DAVID GRAHAM 69-67-69-69-274 \$40,000.00

Lou Graham 2	72-73-65-68-278	22 800 00	ChiChi Rodriguez T-34 70-72-74-72-288	1,010.00
Tom Jenkins3	71-67-71-70-279	14 200 00	George Cadle T-40 68-73-75-73 - 289	780.00
Bob GilderT-4	72-67-71-70-280	8,266.67	Steve Melnyk T-40 71-74-67-77 — 289	780.00
Ed Sneed T-4	67.72.68.73 _ 280	8,266.67	Larry Nelson T-40 74-73-71-71 - 289	780.00
Jim Simons T-4	71.69.67.74 280	8.266.66	Don January T-40 75-71-72-71 — 289	780.00
Rik Massengale T-7	72.60.67-73 - 281	5.900.00	Tommy Aaron T-40 70-73-75-71 — 289	780.00
Wally ArmstrongT-7	71-68-68-74-281	5,900.00	Roy Pace 45 68-75-74-73-290	660.00
Ray Floyd T-7	60-68-68-76-281	5,900.00	Lyn Lott	511.00
Jerry Pate T-10	70-72-70-71-283		Fred Marti T-46 70-72-72-77 — 291	511.00
Miller Barber T-10	74-69-69-71-283	4.240.00	Bobby Wadkins T-46 67-71-76-77 - 291	511.00
Tom Watson T-10	70-72-68-73-283	4.240.00	Charles Sifford T-46 73-71-70-77 - 291	511.00
Bob E. Smith T-10	71-69-67-76-283	4,240.00	Gil Morgan T-46 68-75-70-78-291	511.00
Jerry McGeeT-10	68-72-67-76-283	4,240.00	George Burns T-46 77-69-70-75-291	511.00
J. C. Snead T-15	70-73-70-71 - 284	3,000.00	Larry Hinson T-46 72-72-75-291	511.00
Bob Dickson T-15	71-71-71-71-284	3.000.00	Gay Brewer, Jr T-46 76-70-70-75-291	511.00
Don Bies T-15	72-72-68-72-284	3.000.00	Dave Stockton T-46 70-77-71-73-291	511.00
Mike McCullough T-15	67-73-72-72-284		Joe PorterT-46 69-76-73-73-291	511.00
Dan Sikes T-15	66-72-71-75-284	3,000.00	Bob Wynn T-56 73-71-69-79-292	435.00
Rod Funseth T-20	77-69-68-71-285	2,200.00	Jim Masserio T-56 71-70-75-76-292	435.00
Hale Irwin T-20	71-73-68-73-285	2,200.00	Jim Wiechers 58 71-75-78-69-293	420.00
Mark Hayes T-20	69-73-67-76-285	2,200.00	Rod Curl T-59 73-74-73-74-294	400.00
Phil Rodgers T-20	75-66-73-72-286	1,653.34	Mason Rudolph T-59 74-73-72-75-294	400.00
Leonard Thompson T-23	73-73-68-72-286	1,653.34	Peter Oosterhuis T-59 73-72-75-74-294	400.00
Mike Hill T-20	3 71-74-68-73-286	1,653.33	Dennie Meyer T-62 72-73-72-78-295	360.00
Andy North T-23	3 70-70-74-72 - 286	1,653.33	Forrest Fezler T-62 71-73-74-77 - 295	360.00
Mike Morley T-20	3 70-71-69-76 — 286	1.653.33	Vic Regalado T-62 73-71-74-77 — 295	360.00
Arnold Palmer T-20	3 71-74-73-68-286	1,653.33	Bob Murphy T-62 72-70-78-75 — 295	360.00
Bobby Cole T-29	72-70-71-74-287	7 1,300.00	Gary McCord T-62 68-76-78-73 - 295	360.00
Art Wall, Jr T-29	71-74-70-72-287	7 1,300.00	Martin Roesink T-67 71-76-73-78-298	320.00
Mac McLendon T-29	71-72-72-72-287	7 1,300.00	Dwight Nevil T-67 74-69-76-79 - 298	320.00
Jack Ewing T-29	71-74-71-71-28	7 1,300.00	Todd Crandall T-67 75-71-75-77 — 298	320.00
Eddie Pearce T-2	9 69-76-67-75-28	7 1,300.00	John Schlee T-70 72-74-73-80 - 299	150.00
Dean Refram T-3	4 75-72-68-73-28	8 1,010.00	Tom Shaw T-70 74-72-76-77 - 299	150.00
Alan Tapie T-3	4 77-70-67-74-28		Lanny Wadkins 72 73-69-75-83 - 300	-
Fuzzy Zoeller T-3	4 67-73-73-75-28		Lionel Hebert 73 72-74-76-83-305	-
Jim Colbert T-3	4 68-79-68-73-28		Tom Weiskopf 72-70- DSC	
Don Iverson T-3	4 67-74-70-77 - 28	8 1,010.00	Danny Edwards 71-71-82WE	) –

# THE WORLD SERIES OF GOLF

Purse: \$300,000

South Course, Firestone CC, Akron, Ohio Par: 35-35-70 7,130 Yards September 2-5, 1976

LEADERS: First round - Dave Hill and Japan's Takashi Murakami had three-under par 67s to lead Jack Nicklaus by one and Ray Floyd by two. Second round - Hubert Green had five-under par 65 for a four-under par 136 and led Hill by one and Floyd and Nicklaus by two. Third round - Nicklaus, despite bogey at 18, held two-stroke lead with three-under par 207. Green and Murakami were at 209.

WEATHER: Thursday and Friday it was warm and pleasant. Saturday, warm and pleasant most of the day, but wind increased as afternoon moved along. Heavy rain shower hit at about 5:30 as last groups were finishing. Sunday, breezy and cool.

ATTENDANCE: 57,820

# Winner: JACK NICKLAUS 68-70-69-68-275 \$100,000.00

Hale Irwin	71-70-71-67-279	50.000.00
Dave Hill	67-70-73-70-280	20,000.00
David Graham 4	70-71-71-69-281	15.000.00
Hubert Green	71-65-73-73-282	13.000.00
Tom Watson. T-6	70-73-70-70-283	10,250.00
Lee Trevino	71-70-72-70-283	10.250.00
Al Geiberger 8	73-67-72-73-285	8.000.00
Jerry Pate T-9	71-72-72-71-286	7.100.00
J. C. Snead T-9	70-71-71-74-286	7,100.00
Takashi Murakami. T-9	67-72-70-77-286	7,100.00
Buddy Allin	70-72-74-71-287	6,600.00
Ray Floyd	69-69-72-78-288	6,400.00
Bill Dunk T-14	75-71-73-73-292	6,100.00
Don January T-14	77-73-71-71-292	6,100.00
Ben Crenshaw T-16	78-71-74-70-293	5,700.00
Johnny Miller T-16	76-76-70-71-293	5,700.00
Hsu Sheng San	72-73-77-75-297	5,400.00
Dave Stockton	73-77-76-77-303	5,200.00
Allan Henning	73-76-77-78-304	5,000.00

# **WORLD OPEN**

Pinehurst CC, Course No. 2, Pinehurst, N.C. Par: 35-36-71 7,007 Yards

Purse: \$200,000 September 9-12, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—George Burns, Tom Watson and Bob E. Smith turned in six-under par 65s to lead by one over Gay Brewer and Forrest Fezler. Second round—Burns, with a second-day 68 for a nine-under par 133 led by two over Hale Irwin. Third round—Burns held his lead, but only by one stroke over Ray Floyd with an 11-under par 202.

CUT: 77 players at three-over par 145.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, play was delayed for 30 minutes due to fog, but it eventually became a most pleasant day. Friday, there was a 1 hour, 20 minute rain delay (9:50 to 11:10), and it remained cloudy through early afternoon, then became mostly sunny. Saturday and Sunday, extremely pleasant, with some wind.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500, Individual: Hubert Green, 66, \$750. Team: Buck Adams, 55, \$750 at the No. 2 Course. \$7,500, Individual: Gil Morgan, 68, \$750. Team: Bob Gilder, 55, \$750, at the Country Club of North Carolina.

# Winner: RAYFLOYD 69-67-67-71-274 \$40,000.00 (Won playoff with birdle on first extra hole.)

Jerry McGee 2 67-70-71-66-274	22 800 00	Ken Still	740.00
George Burns	14.200.00	Craig Stadler T-39 69-73-75-71 - 288	740.00
Tom Watson 4 65-71-69-71-276		Hubert Green T-39 70-73-73-72-288	740.00
Rik Massengale T-5 69-70-72-67 — 278	7,266.67	Bobby Wadkins T-39 74-71-72-71-288	740.00
Bob E. Smith T-5 65-71-70-72—278	7.266.67	Peter Oosterhuis T-39 71-74-71-72 - 288	740.00
Hale Irwin	7,266.66	John Melnick T-39 72-70-73-73-288	740.00
Bill Mallon 8 70-70-72-67 – 279	5,900.00	Ron Cerrudo T-39 69-73-73-73-288	740.00
Jim Simons T-9 69-72-71-68-280	5,200.00	Bobby Cole T-39 71-71-75-288	740.00
David Graham T-9 67-70-72-71 – 280	5,200.00	Bobby Mitchell T-48 68-71-80-70 - 289	506.00
Lee Elder T-11 70-70-71-70—281	3.800.00	Bob Murphy T-48 70-73-74-72-289	506.00
Charles Coody T-11 68-70-72-71-281	3.800.00	Fuzzy Zoeller T-48 70-71-74-74 — 289	506.00
Lou GrahamT-11 70-71-69-71—281	3.800.00	Ed Sneed T-48 72-73-68-76-289	506.00
Gay Brewer, Jr T-11 66-71-73-71-281	3.800.00	Victor Regalado T-48 74-70-69-76 - 289	506.00
Forrest Fezier T-11 66-70-72-73-281	3,800.00	John Schroeder T-53 72-73-74-71-290	430.00
Tom Weiskopf T-11 74-68-66-73-281	3,800.00	John Lister	430.00
Wally Armstrong T-17 69-70-72-71-282	2,600.00	Randy Glover T-53 71-72-75-72-290	430.00
Gibby Gilbert T-17 68-72-71-71—282	2,600.00	Bruce Lietzke T-53 72-73-74-71-290	430.00
Lyn Lott		Tom Evans T-53 73-71-74-72-290	430.00
Leonard Thompson, T-17 69-67-73-73-282		Dwight Nevil T-53 73-71-73-73-290	430.00
Calvin Peete T-17 71-67-71-73—282		Bob Dickson T-53 72-72-73-73-290	430.00
Danny Edwards T-22 73-70-71-69—283	1,825.00	Stan Altgelt T-53 72-69-74-75-290	430.00
Miller Barber T-22 70-73-70-70-283	1,825.00	Jim Colbert T-53 73-72-68-77 — 290	430.00
John Schlee T-22 72-70-69-72-283		Tony Cerda T-62 71-71-77-72-291	360.00
J.C. Snead T-22 71-68-70-74-283		Stan Lee T-62 71-72-77-71-291	360.00
Eddie Pearce T-26 72-73-71-68-284		Joe Inman, Jr T-62 70-74-73-74-291	360.00
Ben Crenshaw T-26 70-68-77-69-284		Florentino Molina T-62 69-72-74-76-291	360.00
Gil Morgan T-26 73-69-73-69 - 284		Mike McCullough T-62 71-72-71-77-291	360.00
Sammy Rachels T-26 71-72-72-69-284	1,420.00	David Lundstrom 67 69-69-77-77 – 292	330.00
Greg Powers T-26 70-75-70-69-284	1,420.00	Bob Zender T-68 71-70-79-73-293	310.00
ChiChi Rodriguez T-26 72-72-70-70-284	1,420.00	Don Iverson T-68 74-71-73-75-293	310.00
Joe Porter T-26 68-73-69-74 - 284	1,420.00	Homero Blancas T-68 70-74-73-76 - 293	310.00
Jerry Pate T-33 67-73-74-71 - 285	1,155.00	Harry Toscano T-71 73-72-74-75-294	-
Jim Dent T-33 70-72-71-72-285	1,155.00	Ed Sabo	-
George Cadle T-35 70-74-75-67 - 286	1,030.00	Sam Farlow T-71 70-73-71-80 — 294	-
Bill Kratzert T-35 70-74-74-68-286	1,030.00	Bob Spence T-74 72-73-76-74-295	-
Gary Koch T-35 70-73-73-70 - 286	1,030.00	Bruce Fleisher T-74 70-75-78-72-295	-
Alan Tapie	940.00	Bobby Walzel 76 68-77-76-75-296	-
Marion Heck T-39 70-72-75-71 - 288		Rex Caldwell 77 75-69-77-77 – 298	

# **OHIO KINGS ISLAND OPEN**

Purse: \$150,000

Sept. 16-19, 1976

Jack Nicklaus Golf Center, Mason, Ohio Par: 35-35-70 6,837 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Don Pooley and Danny Edwards each scored four-under 66s. Second round—Mike Hill scored a 64 to take the 36-hole lead with 134, one stroke ahead of John Lister. Third round—Andy North scored a 66 for 203 for a one-stroke lead over Mac McLendon.

CUT: 75 players at three-over 143

**PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500.** Individual: Ben Crenshaw, 65, \$750. Team: George Burns, 53, \$750. **WEATHER:** Ideal days on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Friday overcast with a light rain in the early afternoon.

# Winner: BEN CRENSHAW 69-69-67-66-271 \$30,000.00

Andy North 2	68-69-66-69-272	17.100.00	Mason Rudolph T-35	71-69-70-72-282	708.14
Tom Weiskopf 3	69-68-68-69-274		John Gentile T-35		708.14
Ed Sabo T-4	69-71-69-66-275	6,600.00	Mac McLendon T-35		708.14
Danny Edwards T-4	66-71-70-68-275	6,600.00	Jerry Heard T-42		540.00
Kermit Zarley, Jr T-6	70-68-71-67-276	4.668.75	Phil Rodgers T-42		540.00
Bruce Lietzke T-6	69-68-72-67-276	4.668.75	Rod Curl T-42		540.00
Jack Nicklaus T-6	71-69-69-67-276	4.668.75	Dick Crawford T-42		540.00
Bob E. Smith T-6	67-70-71-68-276	4,668.75	Bob Wallace T-46		414.00
Bill Kratzert T-10	67-72-72-66-277	3,450.00	Mike McCullough . T-46		414.00
Bob ZenderT-10	68-69-72-68-277	3,450.00	Steve Melnyk T-46		414.00
Leonard Thompson T-10	67-74-68-68-277	3,450.00	Jerry McGee T-46	70-70-73-71-284	414.00
Fuzzy Zoeller T-13	69-69-73-67-278	2,475.00	Bill Mallon T-46	69-71-71-73-284	414.00
Tom Purtzer T-13	69-74-67-68-278	2,475.00	Jim Colbert T-51	69-73-72-71-285	356.25
Gay Brewer, Jr T-13	67-71-70-70-278	2,475.00	Woody Blackburn T-51	71-71-71-72-285	356.25
Fred Marti T-13	69-69-70-70-278	2,475.00	Lyn Lott	71-72-70-72-285	356.25
Forrest Fezler T-13	71-71-67-69-278	2,475.00	John Lister T-51	68-67-75-75-285	356.25
Mike Hill T-13	70-64-73-71-278	2,475.00	Sandy Galbraith T-55	70-73-73-70-286	326.25
Tommy Aaron T-19	72-68-70-69-279	1,725.00	Gary Wintz T-55	71-72-72-71-286	326.25
Peter Oosterhuis T-19	71-67-72-69-279	1,725.00	Vic Regaldo T-55	70-69-75-72-286	326.25
Barry Jaeckel T-19	68-73-68-70-279	1,725.00	Mike Walters T-55	73-68-71-74-286	326.25
Allen Miller T-19	70-69-70-70-279	1,725.00	Ron Terry T-59	70-71-72-74-287	303.50
David Graham T-23	70-67-73-70 - 280	1,266.00	Bobby Wadkins T-59	72-71-70-74-287	303.50
Mike Wynn T-23	68-73-70-69 - 280	1,266.00	Greg Powers T-61	72-71-75-70-288	285.00
Ron Cerrudo T-23	67-73-70-70-280	1,266.00	Bill Brask, Jr T-61	71-71-73-73-288	285.00
Larry Nelson T-23	68-73-67-72-280	1,266.00	David Lundstrom T-61	70-66-74-78-288	285.00
Perry Leslie T-23	71-68-69-72-280	1,266.00	Rocky Thompson T-64	70-71-76-72-289	258.75
Bruce Fleisher T-28	70-70-73-68-281	976.15	Lanny Wadkins T-64	71-71-75-72-289	258.75
Jim Thorpe T-28	69-74-69-69-281	976.15	Terry Diehl T-64		258.75
Jim Dent T-28	69-73-69-70-281	976.14	Wally Armstrong T-64	67-72-76-74-289	258.75
Dave Newquist T-28	73-66-71-71-281	976.14	Don Pooley T-68	66-75-75-74-290	116.34
Mark HayesT-28	71-68-71-71-281	976.14	Bob Shaw T-68		116.34
Bobby Cole T-28	69-68-73-71-281	976.14	Bill Pelham T-68		116.33
Rod Funseth T-28	69-70-70-72-281	976.14	Jack Ewing T-68	70-72-72-76-290	116.33
Dennie Meyer T-35	72-68-73-69-282	708.15	George Cadle T-68		116.33
Gary KochT-35	70-71-71-70-282	708.15	Jim Masserio T-68		116.33
Miller Barber T-35	71-70-70-71-282	708.14	Rene Garza T-74		-
Dan Sikes T-35	72-71-68-71-282	708.14	Randy Erskine T-74	73-70-73-76-292	-

# KAISER INTERNATIONAL OPEN

Silverado Country Club, Napa, California North: Par: 36-36-72 6,849 Yards (4 rounds) South: Par: 35-37-72 6,602 Yards (2 rounds) Purse: \$175,000 September 23-26, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Johnny Miller set record on North course with nine-under par 63, high-lighted by hole-in-one on No. 11. It gave him two-stroke lead over Don January. Second round—Forrest Fezler, 67-68, moved into tie with Miller at nine-under par 135, with January, J. C. Snead and Jim Dent at 136. Third round—Gilbert, with 65 for a 205, took one-stroke lead over Snead and Miller Barber with Miller and Lyn Lott at 207.

CUT: 78 players at one-over par 145.

WEATHER: Sunny and warm each day with first starting time at 10:30 each day.

**PRO-AMATEUR:** North Course, \$5,000—Individual, Bruce Lietzke and Jim Colbert, 67, \$450. Team, Rik Massengale, 54, \$500. South Course, \$5,000—Individual, Steve Melnyk and Bob Murphy, 69, \$450. Team, Terry Diehl, 51, \$500.

#### Winner: J. C. SNEAD 66-70-70-68-274 \$35,000.00

Johnny Miller T-2 63-72-7	2-69-276 1	16.187.50	Don Bies	70-75-73-70-288	734.50
Gibby Gilbert T-2 66-74-6			George Knudson T-38	73-72-74-69-288	734.50
Miller Barber 4 69-70-6		8.225.00	Bill Calfee T-38	73-71-76-68-288	734.50
Don Massengale T-5 72-70-7			Don Iverson 44		612.00
Jack Ewing T-5 71-72-6		6,358.33	Bob E. Smith T-45	71-73-71-75-290	498.50
Lyn Lott			Bill Kratzert T-45	71-71-73-75-290	498.50
Andy North		5,163.00	George Archer T-45	66-74-77-73-290	498.50
Charles Coody T-9 73-70-7			Ron Cerrudo T-45		498.50
Billy Casper T-9 69-69-7	3-70-281		Gary McCord T-45		498.50
Hale Irwin T-9 71-71-6	9-70-281		Perry Leslie T-45		498.50
Don January T-9 65-71-7			Peter Oosterhuis T-51		407.00
Lee Trevino T-9 72-67-6		4.025.00	Allen Miller T-51		407.00
Lou Graham T-14 70-74-6		2.975.00	Steve Melnyk T-51		407.00
Tom Watson T-14 67-70-7		2,975.00	Mike McCullough T-51	72-72-74-73-291	407.00
Bruce Lietzke T-14 70-72-6	8-72-282	2.975.00	Rod Curl T-51	74-70-75-72-291	407.00
Dan Sikes T-17 67-71-7	5-70-283	2.537.50	Jim Masserio T-51	73-72-73-73-291	407.00
Gil Morgan T-17 70-69-7		2.537.50	Tom Jenkins T-57		358.80
Hubert Green T-19 72-71-7		2.012.50	Dick Lotz	71-73-72-76-292	358.80
Grier Jones T-19 68-74-7		2.012.50	Tom Kite	71-72-75-74-292	358.80
Bobby Cole T-19 69-71-7		2.012.50	Stan Lee	71-73-74-74-292	358.80
Jim Dent T-19 67-69-7		2.012.50	Gary Koch T-57	74-71-76-71-292	358.80
Bobby Wadkins T-23 74-71-7		1,446.84	Frank Beard T-62	71-71-74-77-293	328.50
Bruce Fleisher T-23 69-70-7		1,446.84	Bill Mallon T-62		328.50
Jim Colbert T-23 69-71-7		1,446.83	Rod Funseth T-64	71-69-77-77-294	297.60
Mike Hill T-23 69-70-7		1,446.83	Bill Pelham T-64	68-74-75-77 - 294	297.60
Tom Purtzer T-23 73-67-7		1,446.83	Tony Cerda T-64	69-75-74-76-294	297.60
Forrest Fezler T-23 67-68-7		1,446.83	Greg Powers T-64	72-70-79-73-294	297.60
Larry Ziegler T-29 72-70-7	3-71-286	1,065.50	Dwight Nevil T-64		297.60
Wally Armstrong T-29 69-75-7	2-70-286	1,065.50	Woody Blackburn 69	70-74-77-74-295	271.00
Leonard Thompson T-29 72-70-7		1,065.50	Bud Allin T-70	73-71-76-76-296	131.50
Roger Maltbie T-29 75-68-7		1,065.50	Bobby WalzelT-70	76-68-80-72 - 296	131.50
Lee Elder T-29 69-73-7		1,065.50	David Glenz	72-73-73-79-297	
Joe PorterT-29 70-70-7	3-73-286	1,065.50	Marty Fleckman	70-73-77-78-298	-
John Lister T-29 75-70-7		1,065.50	David Lundstrom	73-71-77-78-299	
Rik Massengale T-29 68-72-7		1,065.50	Bruce Summerhays	69-76-76-78-299	
R. H. Sikes 37 72-69-7		857.00	Bob Murphy	71-74-77-79-301	
Pat Fitzsimons T-38 73-70-7		734.50	Ralph Johnston	74-70-76-82-302	-
Lon Hinkle T-38 68-71-7		734.50	John Schlee	74-71-77WD	-
Gene Littler T-38 73-72-7		734.50			

# THE SAHARA INVITATIONAL

Sahara Nevada CC, Las Vegas, Nevada Par: 36-35-71 6,800 Yards Purse: \$135,000 Sept. 30-Oct. 3, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Stan Altgelt and Wally Armstrong had seven-under par 64s while Don January, Bruce Lietzke and Lou Graham were at 66. Second round—George Burns had a 65 for a 36-hole score of 10-under par 132 and a one-stroke lead over George Archer and Lietzke. Third round—January eagled the final hole for a 12-under par 2C1 and a one-stroke lead over Archer.

CUT: 72 players at one over-par 143.

WEATHER: Thursday, partly cloudy and warm Friday, rain in morning, partly cloudy in afternoon.

Saturday, windy and cloudy. Sunday, partly cloud.

PRO-AMATEUR: Tuesday-At Sahara Nevada. \$2,500. Individual, Joe Inman and Lyn Lott, 66, \$225. Team, Gary McCord, 58, \$250. At Las Veças CC, \$2,500, Individual, Bill Garrett and Dave Hill, 66, \$225. Team, Dave Hill, 59, \$250. Wednesday-At Sahara Nevada, \$2,500. Individual, Bob Wynn, 66, \$250. Team, B.R. McLendon and Bobby Cdle, 59, \$225. At Las Vegas CC, \$2,500, Individual, Homero Blancas and Grier Jones, 66, \$225. Team, Bob Eastwood, 57, \$250. Overall, 36-hole, \$5,000. Individual, Billy Casper and Dave Hill, 134, \$450. Team, Gibby Gilbert, 119, \$500.

#### Winner: GEORGE ARCHER 67-66-69-69-271 \$27,000.00

Dave Hill T-2 70-65-71-6	7-273 12 487 50	George Knudson T-38	69-63-69-74-285	566.84
Don January T-2 66-68-67-7		Leonard Thompson . T-38		566.84
Gil Morgan T-4 68-68-71-6		Dave Eichelberger T-38		566.83
Mike McCullough T-4 68-66-72-6		R. H. Sikes T-38		556.83
Bruce Lietzke T-6 66-67-76-6		Lyn Lott T-38		566.83
Rik Massengale T-6 71-67-71-6		Allen Miller T-38		566.83
Wally Armstrong T-6 64-73-70-6		Ken Still T-44		397.15
Gene Littler		Danny Edwards T-44		397.15
George Burns T-6 67-65-73-7		Bobby Walzel T-44		397.14
Bruce Fleisher 11 70-66-71-7		Gary McCord T-44		397.14
Jim Simons T-12 69-70-70-6		Forrest Fezler T-44		397.14
Bobby Cole T-12 72-65-71-7		Phil Rodgers T-44		397.14
Babe Hiskey T-14 68-72-71-6		Jim Masserio T-44		397.14
Mac McLendon T-14 69-69-71-7		Jerry McGee T-51		324.00
Lou Graham T-14 66-73-70-7		Bill Garrett T-51		324.00
Charles Coody T-14 68-66-74-7		Bob Dickson T-51	72-70-75-70 - 287	324.00
Stan Altgelt T-14 64-73-70-7		Kermit Zarley T-54		300.25
Gary Koch T-14 71-69-68-7		Rod Funseth T-54	67-71-76-74-288	300.25
Steve Melnyk T-20 67-71-73-7		Bob Goalby T-54	72-71-74-71-288	300.25
Grier Jones T-20 71-72-68-7		Steve Veriato T-54	69-73-77-69-288	300.25
Curtis Sifford T-20 67-72-71-7	71-281 1,431.00	Homero Blancas T-58	70-71-72-76-289	280.50
Larry Ziegler T-20 68-71-68-7		Woody Blackburn T-58	69-71-76-73-289	280.50
Tom Shaw T-24 72-70-70-7	70-282 1,064.17	Dwight Nevil	71-70-74-75 - 290	263.00
Ron Cerfudo T-24 70-70-72-7	70-282 1,064.17	John Mahaffey T-60	72-71-72-75-290	263.00
Dan Sikes T-24 71-69-71-7	71-282 1,064.17	Bill Pelham T-60		263.00
Don Iverson T-24 68-71-72-7	71-282 1,064.17	Perry Leslie T-63	68-72-76-75-291	246.50
Steve Taylor T-24 67-69-72-7	74-282 1,064.16	Keith Guernsey T-63	73-67-80-71-291	246.50
Gay Brewer T-24 73-69-74-6	66-282 1,064.16	Tom Purtzer T-65		226.25
Pete Brown T-30 71-72-68-7	72-283 838.40	Lon Hinkle T-65		226.25
J. C. Snead T-30 71-70-72-7	70-283 838.40	Tom Evans		226.25
Don Massengale T-30 69-67-75-7	72-283 838.40	Rocky Thompson T-65		226.25
Tom Kite		Bob Eastwood 69		210.00
Miller Barber T-30 68-67-73-7		Mike Davis70		203.00
Jim Colbert T-35 70-70-72-		Dick Payne71		-
Billy Casper T-35 70-70-70-		Ed Sneed	72-69- —WD	-
Paul Moran T-35 71-68-78-6	67-284 695.33			

# SAN ANTONIO TEXAS OPEN

Woodlake Golf Club, San Antonio Purse: \$125,000
Par: 36-36-72 7,038 Yards October 14-17, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Tom Shaw's 66 led the field of 150 by a stroke over Babe Hiskey, Frank Connor and Peter Oosterhuis. Second round—Bobby Cole, Don Iverson and John Harris all had eight-under 136s on the scoreboard when play was suspended at 2:20 P.M. Play was not resumed that day and was continued on Saturday but no one overtook the three. Third round—Miller Barber scored a seven-under 65 for 203 and a three-stroke lead over Bill Kratzert and Fred Marti.

**CUT:** Because of the overnight suspension of the second round, the field was reduced to the low 60 and ties. The cut was at even par 144 and 65 players made the final field. Thirteen players, all at 145, earned an equal amount and qualified for the Southern Open.

**WEATHER:** Sunny and balmy on Thursday. Rainy on Friday. Play was suspended for one hour starting at 12:56 P.M. A second suspension was called at 2:20 P.M. and because the course was unplayable, it was impossible to resume the round until 10:30 A.M. Saturday. The weather Saturday and Sunday was clear, cool and windy.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Mac McLendon, 67, S750. Team, Bob Dickson, 54, S750.

# Winner: BUTCHBAIRD 68-70-70-65-273 \$25,000.00 (Birdied first playoff hole-Barber parred);

		T 00 00 71 00 77 000	F+0.00
Miller Barber 2 68-70-65-70-273		Ted Goin	513.00
Bruce Lietzke 3 70-68-70-67 — 275	8,875.00	Rik Massengale T-39 68-75-69-73 — 285	513.00
Gary Koch T-4 73-68-67-70-278	4,637.40	Don Iverson T-39 68-68-80-69-285	513.00
Dave Hill T-4 70-70-71-67 – 278	4,637.40	Tom Purtzer T-44 69-73-74-71 – 287	388.00
Sandy Galbraith T-4 71-68-68-71 — 278	4,637.40	John GentileT-44 71-72-75-69—287	388.00
Al Geiberger T-4 69-69-69-71-278	4,637.40	Craig Stadler T-44 68-71-72-76—287	388.00
George Cadle T-4 71-66-71-70-278	4,637.40	Larry Ziegler T-44 72-71-70-74—287	388.00
Bill Kratzert T-9 71-70-65-73-279	2,593.75	Bobby Walzel T-44 73-70-72-72-287	388.00
Frank Conner T-9 67-74-69-69-279	2,593.75	Mike McCulloughT-49 68-73-72-75-288	314.34
Dick Crawford T-9 68-74-69-68-279	2,593.75	Dwight Nevil T-49 69-73-72-74—288	314.33
Dave Eichelberger T-9 72-68-71-68-279	2,593.75	John Erwin T-49 69-75-76-68—288	314.33
Jim Simons	2,593.75	Tommy McGinnis T-52 70-74-74-71—289	297.00
Fred Marti T-9 68-71-67-73-279	2,593.75	Babe Hiskey T-52 67-77-72-73—289	297.00
Mason Rudolph T-9 71-66-73-69-279	2,593.75	Homero Blancas T-54 71-71-73-75-290	274.80
Tom Jenkins T-9 68-69-71-71-279	2,593.75	Victor Regalado T-54 72-68-76-74-290	274.80
George Archer T-17 71-69-68-72-280	1,750.00	Forrest Fezler T-54 73-70-71-76—290	274.80
Grier Jones T-17 68-74-72-66-280	1,750.00	Bob Zender T-54 73-70-73-74-290	274.80
Jim Colbert T-17 68-71-69-72-280	1,750.00	John Harris T-54 69-67-75-79290	274.80
Ron Cerrudo T-20 70-72-70-69 - 281	1,375.00	Andy North	256.00
Steve Taylor T-20 68-69-71-73-281	1,375.00	Ralph Johnston 60 73-71-75-74 – 293	250.00
Bobby Cole T-20 71-65-72-73-281	1,375.00	Carl Higgins 61 69-74-76-75-294	244.00
Marty Fleckman T-23 71-70-71-70-282	1,078.00	Don Massengale 62 73-71-76-75 – 295	237.00
Gil Morgan T-23 72-71-68-71-282	1,078.00	Mike Nixon 63 70-71-75-80 — 296	231.00
Rod Funseth T-23 68-71-74-69-282	1,078.00	Dale Hayes 64 72-72-78-75 – 297	225.00
Peter Oosterhuis T-23 67-70-71-74-282	1,078.00	Carlton White 65 73-71-78-79 - 301	219.00
Danny Edwards T-27 70-71-70-72-283	849.72	Rick Acton T-66 73-72 - 145	76.85
Kermit Zarley, Jr T-27 70-70-71-72-283	849.72	James B. Barker T-66 70-75 — 145	76.85
Sammy Rachels T-27 69-73-68-73-283	849.72	Pete Brown T-66 72-73 — 145	76.85
Don January T-27 71-71-73-68-283	849.71	Steve Cain T-66 72-73 — 145	76.85
Lyn Lott	849.71	Charles Coody T-66 71-74 — 145	76.85
Tom Kite		Gary Groh T-66 71-74 — 145	76.85
John Schlee T-27 71-72-73-67 - 283		Keith Guernsey T-66 72-73 — 145	76.85
Keith Fergus T-34 70-71-69-74-284		Lionel Hebert T-66 71-74 — 145	76.85
Leonard Thompson T-34 72-70-69-73-284	645.20	Lon Hinkle T-66 73-72 — 145	76.84
Stanton Altgelt T-34 73-69-72-70 - 284		Mac McLendon T-66 72-73 - 145	76.84
Artie McNickle T-34 72-69-74-69 — 284		Allen Miller T-66 72-73 — 145	76.84
Bill Brask, Jr T-34 68-75-70-71—284		Rocky Thompson T-66 74-71 - 145	76.84
Ben Crenshaw T-39 69-73-72-71 – 285		Mike Wynn T-66 70-75 — 145	76.84
Ed Dougherty T-39 68-72-71-74—285			
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# THE SOUTHERN OPEN

Purse: \$125.000

October 21-24, 1976

Green Island CC, Columbus, Ga. Par: 35-35-70 6,791 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Jim Colbert's three under par 67 gave him a one-stroke margin over George Archer, Hubert Green and Mac McLencion. Second round—Green moved into the lead with his second straight 68 for a four-under par 136. McLendon was at 137 with Colbert and Jerry McGee at 138. Third round—McLendon was at 206 even with bogeys on the final two holes for a one-stroke lead over Ben Crenshaw and McGee with Green at 208.

CUT: 79 players at eight-over par 148.

**WEATHER:** Thursday—Rain in morning and cold. Friday—Cold in morning warming in afternoon. Saturday—Mostly sunny. Sunday—Overcast and cool.

PRO-AMATEUR: \$7,500. Individual, Huber Green and Bob Dickson, 68, \$675. Team, Ralph Johnston, 55, \$750.

# Winner: B. R. "Mac" MC LENDON 68-69-69-68-274 \$25,000.00

				538.00
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	4,637.40			438.00
	4,637.4C	David Eichelberger. T-43	71-76-73-69-289	438.00
	4,637.4C	Fred Marti	73-74-73-69-289	438.00
73-70-68-68-279	4,637.4C	John Schroeder T-46	72-74-71-73-290	345.20
73-70-66-70-279	4,637.4C	Bob Erickson T-46	74-74-69-73-290	345.20
75-67-74-64 — 280	3,125.0C	Tom Evans T-46	72-71-76-71-290	345.20
73-68-72-67-280	3,125.0C	Ron Cerrudo T-46	77-71-71-71-290	345.20
72-68-70-70-280	3,125.00	Bob Dickson T-46	75-72-74-69-290	345.20
72-75-67-67-281	2,343.75	Paul Moran T-51	76-72-71-72-291	290.50
74-68-72-67-281	2,343.75	Carlton White T-51	75-71-73-72-291	290.50
69-72-71-69-281	2,343.75	Frank Beard T-51	72-76-71-72-291	290.50
68-74-67-72-281	2,343.75	David Canipe T-51	73-74-73-71-291	290.50
69-70-74-69-282	1,937.50	Mike Shea T-51	74-72-74-71-291	290.50
69-71-69-73-282	1,937.50	Bob Goalby T-51	76-72-73-70-291	290.50
71-72-72-68-283	1,562.50	Greg Powers T-57	75-68-74-75-292	249.86
72-71-71-69-283	1,562.50	Lanny Wadkins T-57	76-70-72-74-292	249.86
71-70-72-70-283	1,562.50			249.86
75-69-68-71-283	1,562.50	Morris Hatalsky T-57	77-71-72-72-292	249.86
73-74-71-66-284	1,175.00	Gibby Gilbert T-57	69-75-73-75-292	249.86
75-72-71-66-284	1,175.00			249.85
75-71-69-69-284	1,175.00	Keith Guernsey T-57	76-70-76-70-292	249.85
73-68-77-67 - 285	924.72			215.50
72-72-71-70-285	924.72	Sandy Galbraith T-64	74-71-76-72-293	215.50
73-70-72-70-285	924.72			215.50
74-71-74-66-285	924.71	Butch Baird T-64	75-73-75-70-293	215.50
73-71-69-72-285	924.71	Marty Fleckman T-68	72-74-71-77-294	193.67
70-70-73-72-285	924.71	Bill GarrettT-68	78-70-71-75-294	193.67
69-72-66-78-285	924.71			193.66
73-72-72-69-286	723.25			
77-71-68-70-286	723.25			
74-72-71-69-286	723.25			
74-69-72-71-286	723.25			_
73-72-72-70-287	628.50			_
69-72-73-73-287	628.50			_
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       72-75-67-67—281         2,343.75         Paul Moran         T-51           68-72-67—281         2,343.75         Paul Moran         T-51           68-74-67-72—281         2,343.75         David Canipe         T-51           69-72-16-9—282         1,937.50         Mike Shea         T-51           69-71-69-73—282         1,937.50         Bob Goalby         T-57           71-72-72-68—283         1,562.50         Greg Powers         T-57           72-71-71-69-283         1,562.50         Morris Hatalsky         T-57           75-72-71-66-284         1,175.00         Gibby Gilbert <td< td=""><td>70-68-69-70—277         8,875.0C         Frank Conner         T-38         77-71-71-69—288           71-73-71-64—279         4,637.4C         Craig Stadler         T-43         71-73-72-73—289           71-73-67-68—279         4,637.4C         David Eichelberger         T-43         71-73-72-73—289           73-70-68-68—279         4,637.4C         Fred Marti         T-43         73-74-73-69—289           73-70-66-70—279         4,637.4C         Bob Erickson         T-46         72-74-71-73—290           73-66-70-279         4,637.4C         Bob Erickson         T-46         72-74-71-73—290           73-68-72-67-280         3,125.0C         Ron Cerrudo         T-46         72-71-76-71—290           72-68-70-70—280         3,125.0C         Ron Cerrudo         T-46         77-71-71-71-71—290           72-75-67-67-281         2,343.75         Paul Moran         T-51         76-72-71-69—291           74-68-72-281         2,343.75         Carlton White         T-51         75-71-73-72-291           68-74-67-72-281         2,343.75         David Canipe         T-51         73-74-73-71-291           69-71-69-73-282         1,937.50         Mike Shea         T-51         75-76-71-72-291           71-70-72-70-283         1,562.50         Greg Powers&lt;</td></td<>	70-68-69-70—277         8,875.0C         Frank Conner         T-38         77-71-71-69—288           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        69-71-69-73-282         1,937.50         Mike Shea         T-51         75-76-71-72-291           71-70-72-70-283         1,562.50         Greg Powers<

# THE PENSACOLA OPEN

Pensacola CC, Pensacola, Florida Par: 35-36-71 6,549 Yards Purse: \$125,000 October 28-November 1, 1976

**LEADERS:** First round—Tommy Aaron, Jerry McGee, Bob Murphy and John Schlee all had four-under par 67s for a one-stroke lead over five players. **Second round**—McGee, with a one-under par 70, had a five-under par 137 and a one-stroke margin over Frank Beard. **Third round**—Gary Wintz posted a four-under par 67 and took the lead at six-under par 207, with Beard at 206.

CUT: 83 Players at four-over par 146.

**WEATHER:** Thursday, cold and windy. Friday, it was colder with more wind. Saturday, washed out by heavy over-night rains. Play never started. Sunday, cool with some sunshine. Monday, warmer, but still cool and breezy.

**PRO-AMATEUR: \$5,000.** Individual: Mac McLendon, 65, \$500. Team: Tom Kite, Lee Trevino, Steve Melnyk, 59, \$416.67 each.

#### Winner: MARK HAYES 68-72-69-66-275 \$25,000.00

Lee Elder 2		14,250.00	Dick Crawford T-40		500.50
Frank Beard T-3		7,375.00	Don Pooley T-44		377.50
Tom Purtzer T∗3		7,375.00	Bob Gilder T-44		377.50
Phil Rodgers T-5		4,328.00	John Schlee T-44		377.50
ChiChi Rodriguez T-5		4,328.00	Mike Davis T-44		377.50
George Archer T-5	71-70-69-69-279	4,328.00	Bill Calfee T-44	73-72-73-71 — 289	377.50
Jerry McGee T-5	67-70-72-70-279	4,328.00	Peter Oosterhuis T-44		377.50
Bob E. Smith T-9	68-73-70-69-280	3,250.00	Babe Hiskey T-50		309.00
Bob Murphy T-9		3,250.00	John Gentile T-50		309.00
Jerry Pate T-11		2,375.00	Bobby Wadkins T-52		284.34
Fuzzy Zoeller T-11	71-73-69-68-281	2,375.00	Terry Diehl T-52	70-74-73-74-291	284.34
Hubert Green T-11	72-68-72-69-281	2,375.00	John Schroeder T-52		284.33
Jim Colbert T-11	71-70-70-70-281	2,375.00	Jay HaasT-52	71-73-74-73-291	284.33
Tom Jenkins T-11		2,375.00	Lee Trevino T-52		284.33
Bill Kratzert T-11		2,375.00	Jim Dent	72-74-75-70-291	284.33
Danny Edwards T-17		1,625.00	Tom Evans T-58	74-71-70-77 — 292	253.00
Larry Nelson T-17	70-74-70-68-282	1,625.00	Fred Marti		253.00
Lyn Lott	74-70-70-68-282	1,625.00	Dwight Nevil T-58	70-76-72-74-292	253.00
Tom Weiskopf T-17	68-72-72-70-282	1,625.00	Ron Cerrudo T-58	72-74-74-72-292	253.00
Gary Wintz T-17	71-69-67-75-282	1,625.00	Keith Guernsey T-62	72-72-74-75-293	234.00
Miller Barber 22	71-70-73-69-283	1,250.00	Bob Goalby T-62	75-71-75-72-293	234.00
Jim Simons T-23	72-72-73-67-284	1,104.00	Ed Dougherty T-64	70-73-76-75-294	209.34
Gary GrohT-23	70-71-73-70-284	1,104.00	Homero Blancas T-64	71-74-74-75-294	209.34
Allen Miller T-23	74-71-73-66-284	1,104.00	Steve Taylor T-64	74-72-73-75-294	209.33
Tom Kite	72-71-72-70-285	981.00	Ted Goin	73-71-77-73-294	209.33
Mike McCullough T-26	72-73-73-67-285	981.00	Bob Risch T-64	75-71-75-73 - 294	209.33
Bill Garrett	75-70-70-71-286	813.15	Sammy Rachels T-64	74-72-76-72-294	209.33
Dave Hill T-28	73-71-71-71-286	813.15	Andy North T-70	71-75-73-76-295	93.50
Stanton Altgelt T-28	71-73-70-72-286	813.14	Bobby Mitchell T-70	77-69-75-74-295	93.50
Mason Rudolph T-28	70-71-77-68-286	813.14	Arnold Salinas T-72	71-74-74-77 — 296	-
Pat Fitzsimons T-28	71-71-71-73-286	813.14	Sam Adams T-72	72-74-76-74-296	-
Charles Coody T-28	74-71-68-73-286	813.14	Paul Moran T-72	69-77-77-73-296	-
Mac McLendon T-28	70-69-73-74-286	813.14	Dick Rhyan 75	75-71-77-75-298	
Phil Hancock T-35	72-72-71-287	616.60	Bob Lunn 76	74-72-74-81-301	
George Johnson T-35	72-70-74-71-287	616.60	Frank Mize, Jr 77	74-71-80-79-304	-
Lon Hinkle T-35	70-70-76-71-287	616.60	Grier Jones	68-75WD	
Craig Stadler T-35	70-71-72-74-287	616.60	Lou Graham	74-69-74WD	_
John Jackson, Jr T-35		616.60	Gary Koch	71-75-76WD	_
Don Iverson T-40		500.50	Artie McNickle	74-72-83WD	_
Tommy Aaron T-40	67-71-76-74-288	500.50	Dan Sikes, Jr	69-75-80WD	-
Gay Brewer, Jr T-40	74-71-72-71-288	500.50	Ed Sneed	73-71-75WD	_

# WALT DISNEY WORLD NATIONAL TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP sney World, Lake Buena Vista, Fla. Purse: 200,000

Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista, Fla.
Palm Course: Par 72, 6,951 Yards.

Par 72, 6,951 Yards. November 4-7, 1976

Magnolia Course: Par 72, 7, 197 Yards.

**LEADERS:** First round—The teams of Jerry McGee-Allen Miller and Woody Blackburn-Bill Kratzert had nine-under par 63s to lead by one stroke over four teams. Second round—McGee-Miller had a 16-under par 128 to lead Joe Porter-Bob Zender by one. Blackburn-Kratzert were at 131. Third round—Blackburn-Kratzert, with a 63, moved into tie with McGee-Miller at 22-under par 194. Gay Brewer and Bobby Nichols were at 196.

CUT: 45 Teams at nine-under par 135. (Cut was to 44 teams).

PRO-AMATEUR: Magnolia Course-S5,000. Pro-Team: Arnold Palmer-Leonard Thompson, 63, \$250 each. Pro-Amateur: Julius Boros-Mike Evans, 56, \$250 each. Palm Course-\$5,000, Pro-Team: Perry Leslio-Fuzzy Zoeller, George Archer-Larry Ziegler, Gordon Jones-Al Kelley, Tom Jenkins-Bobby Walzel, Miller Barber-Don January, all 65, \$180 ∋ach player. Pro-Amateur: Randy Erskine-Barney Thompson, 57, \$250.

WEATHER: Mostly sunny every day, although there were a few more clouds on Sunday.

ATTENDANCE: 42,000

Winners: Woody Blackburn

Bill Kratzert 63-68-63-63—260 \$20,000.00 each (Won playoff—third extra hole with a birdie)

Gay Brewer, Jr.		Artie McNickle	
Bobby Nichols 2 65-67-64-64-260	12,944.00	Roger Parker T-21 65-68-71-64-268	1,110.00
Jerry McGee		Butch Baird	
Allen Miller	8,064.00	Bob Eastwood T-25 68-67-66-68 – 269 Bruce Lietzke	858.67
Bob Zender 4 64-65-69-64-262	5.336.00	Bill Rogers T-25 68-66-67-68-269	858.67
George Archer	0,000.00	Barry Jaeckel	
Larry Ziegler T-5 70-65-67-61-263	3,932.00	Gary McCord T-25 66-69-68-66-269	858.67
Don Massengale		J.C. Snead	
Rik Massengale T-5 66-66-68-63-263	3 932.00	Sam Snead T-25 69-66-68-66-269	858.67
George Burns		Dick Crawford	
Jerry Pate T-5 66-67-66-64-263	3,932.00	Dwight Nevil T-25 69-65-70-65 - 269	858.66
Cal Peete		Ben Crenshaw	
Carlton White T-5 67-67-63-66-263	3.932.00	Eddie Pearce T-25 64-68-67-70-269	858.66
Tom Jenkins		Ted Goin	
Bobby Walzel 9 65-67-66-66-264	3.064.00	Mark Hayes T-31 68-65-69-68-270	704.00
Mason Rudolph		Tom Aaron	
Dan Sikes, Jr T-10 64-68-67-66-265	2,724.00	Charles Coody T-31 68-67-69-66 - 270	704.00
Bobby Cole		Frank Beard	
John Schlee T-10 66-69-63-67-265	2,724.00	Dave Eichelberger . T-31 66-68-72-64 - 270	704.00
Ed Sneed		Marion Heck	
Tom Weiskopf T-12 65-68-67-66-266	2,194.67	Paul Moran 34 65-69-68-69 - 271	640.00
Bob E. Smith		Wally Armstrong	
Bob Wynn T-12 65-68-67-66-266	2,194.67	Danny Edwards T-35 67-68-68-69-272	304.00
Jim Dent		George Cadle	
George Johnson T-12 69-65-66-66-266	2,194.66	Frank Conner T-35 69-65-71-67 - 272	304.00
Sam Adams		Dave Hill	
Don Iverson T-15 64-70-67-66-267	1,646.67	Mike Hill	_
Homero Blancas		Jim Colbert	
Joey Dills T-15 66-67-68-66-267	1,646.67	Dean Refram T-37 66-68-68-71-273	-
Hubert Green		Ron Terry	
Mac McLendon T-15 69-65-67-66-267	1,646.67	Jim Thorpe T-37 65-70-67-71-273	
Jim Masserio		Bob Payne	
Larry Nelson T-15 68-65-68-66—267	1,646.67	Mike Wynn T-37 67-68-68-70-273	-
Bobby Wadkins		Gibby Gilbert	
Lanny Wadkins T-15 70-65-68-64-267	1,646.66	Bobby Mitchell T-37 67-67-71-68-273	-
Bruce Fleisher		Ralph Johnston	
Art Wall, Jr T-15 68-64-67-68-267	1,646.66	Austin Straub T-42 68-67-67-73-275	-
Jim Knoll		Tom Kite	
Stan Lee T-21 66-68-68-66-268	1,110.00	Bob Toski T-42 69-66-69-71-275	-
Randy Erskine		Steve Melnyk	
Barney Thompson. T-21 68-65-69-66-268	1,110.00	Andy North T-42 67-68-71-69 — 275	-
Mike McCullough	100 200	Jeff Hewes	
Gary Wintz T-21 67-68-68-65—268	1,110.00	Monte Sanders T-42 67-68-73-67—275	

# THE BRITISH OPEN

Purse: \$135,000

July 7-10, 1976

Royal Birkdale GC, Southport, England
Par: 34-38-72 7,001 Yards

**LEADERS:** First round—Severiano Ballesteros, Christy O'Connor, Jr., and Norio Suzuki all at threeunder par 69. Second round—Ballesteros added another 69 for a six-under par 138. Third round— Ballesteros with a 73 was at five-under par 211 and led Johnny Miller by two.

#### Winner: JOHNNY MILLER 72-68-73-66-279 \$13,500

Jack Nicklaus T-2	74-70-72-69-285	9,450
Severiano Ballesteros T-2	69-69-73-74-285	9,450
Ray Floyd 4	76-67-73-70-286	6,840
Tom Kite	70-74-73-71-288	5,076
Hubert Green T-5	72-70-78-68-288	5,076
Mark James T-5	76-72-74-66-288	5,076
Christy O'Connor Jr	69-73-75-71-288	5,076
Tommy Horton	74-69-72-73-288	5,076
George Burns	75-69-75-70-289	3,730
Vicente Fernandez	79-71-69-70-289	3,730
Peter Butler T-10	74-72-73-70-289	3,730
Norio Suzuki	69-75-75-70-289	3,730
Brian Barnes	70-73-75-72-290	2,880
OTHER U.S. PGA TOUR PL	AYERS	
Tom Weiskopf	73-72-76-71-292	1,682
Alan Tapie	74-72-75-72-293	941
David Graham T-21	77-70-75-71-293	941
Bob Shearer T-21	76-73-75-69-293	941
Doug Sanders T-28	77-73-73-71-294	623
Gary Player T-28	72-72-79-71-294	623
Gene Littler T-32	75-74-73-74-296	533
Bobby Cole T-32	75-71-72-78-296	533
Hale Irwin	74-72-77-73-296	533
Peter Oosterhuis	74-75-77-72-298	393
Tony Jacklin	73-77-76-72-298	393
Bob Murphy T-48	75-77-73-74-299	-
Dale Hayes	77-71-74-77-299	
Bill Garrett T-48	74-74-78-73-299	-
Arnold Palmer T-55	75-72-76-77-300	-
Danny Edwards	74-72-79-76-201	
OUT OF FINAL 18		
Tom Watson	75-72-80227	
Bill Brask	71-75-81227	
Bob Charles	72-76-81229	
Jerry Pate	73-71-87231	
OUT OF FINAL 36		
Sam Snead	79-75 154	

# 1976 SECOND TOUR RESULTS

# SUN CITY OPEN

Willow Creek Golf Course Sun City, Ariz.				Jar	Purse: \$1 nuary 15-16	
Bill Rogers         1           Steve Taylor         2           Bill Mallon         3           Monty Kaser         T-4           Don Massengale         T-4	- 66-64 - 130 65-69 - 134 67-68 - 135 65-72 - 137 67-70 - 137	\$2,000.0C 1,100.0C 800.0C 550.0C	Art Proctor.  Bob Eastwood.  John Jackson.  Rick Acton.  John Schamp.	T-7 T-7 T-7	71-66—137 69-69—138 68-70—138 71-67—138 71-67—138	550.00 375.00 375.00 375.00 375.00

PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS: \$2,000 Individual—Fuzzy Zoeller, 62, \$200. Team—Monty Kaser, 51, \$200.

# LITTLE CROSBY PRO-AM

Irvine Country Club Newport Beach, Calif.				Jar	Purse: \$1 nuary 24-25	
Bob Eastwood 1	64-75-139	\$1,700.0C	David Canipe	T-6	70-73-143	425.00
Carlton White 2	71-69-140	1,000.0C	Ted Goin	T-6	72-71-143	425.00
Bobby Stroble T-3	72-69-141	558.34	Pete Brown	T-6	70-73-143	425.00
Tommy McGinnis T-3	68-73-141	558.33	Rick Rarick	T-9	72-72-144	362.50
Gar Hamilton T-3	72-69 - 141	558.33	Fuzzy Zoeller	T-9	70-74 144	362.50

# MAGNOL A CLASSIC

Hattiesburg C.C., Hattiesburg, Miss.			Purse: \$3 April 8-11,	
	Dennie Meyer 1 67-68-69-67 – 271 \$	7,000.00	Mike Reasor	1,150.00
	Artie McNickle T2 70-69-66-68-273	3,237.50	Fred Marti	860.20
	Tom Purtzer	3,237.50	Mike Wynn	860.20
	Andy Bean	1,546.67	Jim Thorpe	860.20
	Bobby Walzel T4 68-68-68-70-274	1,546.67	Dwight Nevil	860.20
	Doug Tewell	1,546.66	Lon Hinkle	860.20
	Bob Payne T7 68-69-69-69-275	1 150 00		

**PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS:** Individual-Bob Payne, 65, \$250.00. Team-Fred Haas, 49, \$250.00.

# MINI-KEMPER OPEN

Carmel Country Club Charlotte, NC					\$10,000 8, 1976
Terry Florence	\$2,000.00	Tom Bailey	T6	69	430.00
John Jackson T2 68	767.50	Stan Lee	T6	69	430.00
Mark Pfeil	767.50	Curt Madson	T9	70	330.00
Tom Evans	767.50	Mike Davis	. T9	70	330.00
Bobby Walzel	767.50	Rick Acton	. T9	70	330.00
Bob Payne T6 69	430.00				

# CHILDREN'S MEMORIAL HOSPITAL PRO-AM CHAMPIONSHIP

Onwentsia	Country	Club
Lake Fores	st, IL	

June 28, 1976 Purse: \$20,242

Team

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66	\$2,000.00	Wally Armstrong 1	56	1,332.00
67	1,666.00	Greg Powers T-2	57	932.67
68	1,110.00	George Burns T-2	57	932.67
68	1,110.00	Bobby Mitchell T-2	57	932.66
68	1,110.00	Dave Eichelberger T-5	58	333.00
69	666.00	Jim Jamieson T-5	58	333.00
69	666.00			
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# SAMMY DAVIS, JR., FARMINGTON WOODS OPEN

Farmington Woods Country Club Avon, CT				Purse: \$1	0,000
				August 12-14,	1976
John Gentile1	72-66—138	\$2,000.00	Bill Calfee T-6		412.50
Bob Eastwood T-2	73-66-139	950.00	Alan Tapie T-10	71-72-143	271.67
Steve Varieto T-2	71-68 139	950.00	Gary Wintz T-10	72-71-143	271.67
Jeff Hewes 4	70-70 - 140	620.00	Bob Payne T-10	71-72-143	271.66
Tony Cerda 5	69-72-141	550.00	John Schroeder T-10	71-72-143	271.67
Bob Erickson T-6	72-70-142	412.50	Sammy Raches T-10	71-72-143	271.66
Mike Mitchell T-6	71-71-142	412.40	Randy Feather T-10	73-70-143	271.67
Jim Masserio T-6	71-71-142	412.50			

**PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS:** \$2,500—Individual—Bobby Walzel, Bob Eastwood, 67, \$225. Team—Bill Rogers, Bob Erickson, 55, \$225.

# **BUICK OPEN**

# Flint Elks Golf Club Grand Blanc, Mich.

# August 29, 1976 \$60,000

Ed Sabo 1	70-70-70-69-279	\$12,000.00	George Johnson T-10 72-71-69-74-286	1,440.00
Randy Erskine 2	69-69-70-71-279	6,840.00	Frank Conner T-12 70-72-71-74-287	1,028.58
(Won playoff with	birdie on third extra	hole)	Bob Eastwood T-12 72-71-72-72-287	1,028.57
Stan Altgelt T-3	69-70-71-71-281	3,540.00	Jay Haas T-12 71-69-73-74-287	1,028.57
Cal Peete T-3	68-74-71-68-281	3,540.00	Labron Harris T-12 71-69-73-74-287	1,028.57
Bill Collins5	73-73-68-69 - 283	2,460.00	Tommy McGinnis. T-12 68-75-76-68-287	1,028.57
Marion Heck T-6	70-67-72-75-284	2,040.00	Doug Tewell T-12 74-71-74-68-287	1,028.57
Dave Newquist 7	65-72-71-76-284	2,040.00	Steve Veriato T12 67-71-72-77-287	1,028.57
Pete Brown T-8	71-72-72-70-285	1,695.00	Ed Dougherty T-19 70-73-70-76-289	720.00
Bill Kratzert T-8	69-71-71-74-285	1,695.00	Bill Calfee T-19 73-71-69-76-289	720.00
Rick Acton T-10			Jack Seltzer T-19 72-71-68-78-289	720.00

PROFESSIONAL-AMATEUR WINNERS:\$5,000. At Flint Elks C.C.—Individual Woody Blackburn, 67, \$225. Ted Goin, 67, \$225. Team—Rick Rhyan, Curtis Sifford, 55, \$200 each. Rex Caldwell, 53, \$225. At Warwick Country Club—Individual—Jim Picard, 68, \$225. Dave Newquist, 68, \$225. Team—Don Pooley, 55, \$225. Bob Leaver, John Raley, 57, \$200 each.

# **SECOND TOUR**

	Tournament	Winner	Score	Margin	Money
1.	Sun City Open	Bill Rogers	130	4	\$ 2,000
2.	Little Crosby Pro-Am	Bob Eastwood	139	1	1,700
3. 1	Magnolia Classic	Dennie Meyer	271	2	7,000
4.	Mini-Kemper Open	Terry Florence	66	2	2,000
5.	Children's Memorial	John Lister	66	1	2,000
6.	SDJ-Farmington Woods Open	John Gentile	138	1	2,000
7.	Buick Open	Ed Sabo	279	Playoff	12,000

<sup>\*</sup>Official Money



# PGA TOUR STATISTICS AND RECORDS

# 1976 TOURNAMENT SUMMARY

TOURNAMENT	COURSE	WINNER	SCORE	PAR	MARGIN	MONEY	RUNNERS-UP
NBC Tucson Onen	Tuceon National	Inhniv Miller	274	14	3	\$40,000	Howard Twitty
2. Phoenix Onen	Phoenix C.C.	Bob Gilder**	268	16	2	40,000	Roger Maltbie
	Pebble Beach	Ben Crenshaw	281	7	2	37,000	Mike Morley
	Cypress Point						
4. Hawaiian Open	Waialae CC	Ben Crenshaw (2)	270	18	4	46,000	T-Hale Irwin T-Larry Nelson
5. Hope Desert Classic	Indian Wells CC Bermuda Dunes CC LaQuinta CC	Johnny Miller (2)	344	16	ю	36,000	Rik Massengale
Williams-San Diego	Torrey Pines GC	J. C. Snead	272	16	-	36,000	Don Bies
	Riviera CC	Hale Irwin	272	12	2	37,000	Tom Watson
-	InverraryCC	Jack Nicklaus	269	19	3	000'09	J. C. Snead
9. Florida Citrus	Rio Pinar CC	Hale Irwin (2)	270	18	Playoff	40,000	Kermit Zarley
		WON playoff with par on sixth extra hole.	sixth extra ho	le.			
10. Doral-Eastern	Doral CC	Hubert Green	270	18	9	40,000	T-Mark Hayes T-Jack Nicklaus
Greater lacksonville	Deerwood	Hubert Green (2)	276	12	2	35,000	Miller Barber
Heritage Classic	Harbour Town Gl	Hubert Green (3)	274	10	2	43,000	Jerry McGee
Greater Greensboro	Sedaefield CC	Al Geiberger	268	16	2	46,000	Lee Trevino
4 The Masters	Augusta National	Ray Floyd	27.1	17	8	40,000	Ben Crenshaw
915	LaCosta CC	Don January	277	11	2	45,000	Hubert Green
-	Killearn CC	Gary Koch**	277	11	-	8,000	John Mahaffey
_	Lakewood CC	Larry Ziegler	274	14	1	35,000	Victor Regalado
8 Houston Onen	Woodlands CC	Lee Elder	278	10		40,000	Forrest Fezler
	Preston Trail CC	Mark Haves**	273	11	2	40,000	Don Bies
	Colonial CC	Lee Trevino	273	7	-	40,000	Mike Morley
	Colonial CC	Gibby Gilbert	273	15	4	40,000	T-Forrest Fezler
							T-John Lister

# 1976 Tournament Summary (cont'd.)

23. IVE			WON playoff with birdie on fourth extra hole.	fourth extr	a hole.	190	40,000	Laie II WIII
	23. IVB-Philadelphia	Whitemarsh CC	Tom Kite** 277 WON playoff with par on fifth extra hole	277 fifth extra h	7 note.	Playoff	40,000	Terry Diehl
24. Ker	Kemper Open	Quail Hollow CC	Joe Inman**	277	Ξ	-	20,000	T-Tom Weiskopf T-Grier Jones
25. U.S	U.S. Open	Atlanta Athletic	Jerry Pate**	277	ო	2	42,000	T-Tom Weiskopf T-Al Geiberger
26. We	Western Open	Butler National GC	Al Geiberger (2)	288	Plus 4	-	40,000	Joe Porter
27. Gre	Greater Milwaukee	Tuckaway CC	Dave Hill	270	18	6	26,000	John Jacobs
	Quad Cities Open	Oakwood CC	John Lister**	268	16	2	20,000	Fuzzy Zoeller
*Br	British Open	Royal Birkdale	Johnny Miller	279	6	9	*13,500	T-Jack Nicklaus
			*This is a non-DGA Tour event Money is unofficial	Moneyis	laiofficial			T-Sev. Ballesteros
9W PC	29 Westchester Classic	Westchester CC	David Graham	272	12	6	60.000	T-Ran Cranchaw
								T-Tom Watson
			1					T-Fuzzy Zoeller
30. Car	Canadian Open	Essex CC, Windsor	Jerry Pate (2)	267	13	4	40,000	Jack Nicklaus
31. Ple	Pleasant Valley	Pleasant Valley CC	Brian (Buddy) Allin	277	7	-	40,000	Ben Crenshaw
	B. C. Open	Enjoie CC	Bob Wynn**	271	13	-	40,000	Bob Gilder
33. PG	PGA Championship	Congressional CC	Dave Stockton	281	Plus 1		45,000	T-Don January
								T-Ray Floyd
34. Gr.	Gr. Hartford	Wethersfield CC	Rik Massengale	266	18	2	42,000	T-Al Geiberger T-J. C. Snead
35. Am	American G. Classic	Firestone North	David Graham (2)	274	14	4	40,000	Lou Graham
36. Wo	World Series Golf	Firestone South	Jack Nicklaus (2)	275	9	4	100,000	Hale Irwin
37. Wo	World Open	Pinehurst #2	Ray Floyd (2)	274	10	Playoff	40,000	Jerry McGee
			9	on first extra hole.	hole.			
	Ohio Kings Island	Nicklaus GC	Ben Crenshaw (3)	27.1	6	-	30,000	Andy North
39. Kai	Kaiser International	Silverado CC	J. C. Snead (2)	274	14	2	35,000	T-Johnny Miller
40. Sal	Sahara Invitational	Sahara Nevada CC	George Archer	271	13	2	27,000	T-Dave Hill
								T-Don January
41. Sar	San Antonio Texas Open	Woodlake GC	Butch Baird 273 WON playoff with birdie first extra hole	273 first extra h	15 nole.	Playoff	25,000	Miller Barber
42. Soi	Southern Open	Green Island CC	Mac McLendon	274	9	2	25,000	Hubert Green
43. Pel	43. Pensacola Open	Pensacola CC	Mark Hayes	275	Plus 1	2	25,000	Lee Elder

# **1976 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.

		*****	60	lim Simone	044747
	Jack Nicklaus		62.	Jim Simons	\$44,747
	Ben Crenshaw	257,759		George Archer	43,483
	Hale trwin	252,718		Lanny Wadkins	42,849
4.	Hubert Green	228,031		Tom Jenkins	42,740
5.	Al Geiberger	194,821		Peter Oosterhuis	41,322
6.	J.C. Snead	192,645	67.	Joe Porter	40,832
7.	Ray Floyd	178,318	68.	Gay Brewer	40,655
8.	David Graham	176,174	69.	Gary Koch	38,195
	Don January	163,622	70.	Barry Jaeckel	36,888
	Jerry Pate	153,102		George Cadle	36,505
	Mark Hayes	151,699		Bob Dickson	36,149
	Tom Watson	138,202		Rod Funseth	32,800
	Lee Trevino	136,963		Rod Curl	31,402
	Johnny Miller			Juan Rodriguez	29,870
		135,887		Mike McCullough	29,491
	Tom Weiskopf	131,331			
	Jerry McGee	130,986		Jim Masserio	29,376
	Rik Massengale	124,984		Fred Marti	28,989
	Roger Maltbie	117,736		Jerry Heard	28,236
	Dave Hill	116,606		John Jacobs	27,337
	Tom Kite	116,180		Dan Sikes	26,830
21.	Lee Elder	113,263		Tom Purtzer	26,682
22.	Lou Graham	107,008		Leonard Thompson	26,566
23.	Miller Barber	106,675		Gary McCord	26,479
24.	Bob Gilder	101,262	85.	Danny Edwards	25,859
	Gibby Gilbert	97,476		Dave Eichelberger	25,813
	Bud Allin	95,775		Rex Caldwell	24,912
	Dave Stockton	94,973		Bill Rogers	24,376
	Don Bies	92,450		Allan Tapie	24,318
	Mike Morley	88,348		Eddie Pearce	24,126
	George Burns	85,732		Tommy Aaron	24,060
	Charles Coody	85,587		Bobby Walzel	23,529
			02.	Bobby Wadking	
	Larry Ziegler	84,165	04	Bobby Wadkins	23,510
	John Mahaffey	77,843		Calvin Peete	22,966
	Bob Wynn	76,849		Art Wall	22,884
	Mac McLendon	72,390		Ed Sabo	22,601
	Ed Sneed	71,675	97.		22,122
	Andy North	71,267		Homero Blancas	21,621
	Joe Inman	69,892	99.	Allen Miller	21,567
	Bruce Lietzke	69,229	100.	Ron Cerrudo	21,436
40.	Grier Jones	69,087	101.	Richard Crawford	21,416
41.	Larry Nelson	66,482	102.	Bill Kratzert	21,253
42.	Gil Morgan	61,372	103.	Bill Mallon	20,594
	Gene Littler	60,471	104.	Jim Dent	20,042
	Forrest Fezler	59,793		Pat Fitzsimons	19,595
	Mike Hill	58,478		Don Iverson	19,156
	Butch Baird	58,192	107.		18,901
	Wally Armstrong	58,125		Marty Fleckman	18,206
	Lyn Lott	57,358		Bruce Devlin	18,188
	Bob E. Smith	56,047		Phil Rodgers	
	Terry Diehl				18,153
		55,553		Tony Jacklin	18,071
51.	Howard Twitty	54,268		Ken Still	17,571
	Victor Regalado	53,686		Ed Dougherty	17,332
	Gary Player	53,668		Bobby Mitchell	17,154
	John Lister	53,173		Arnold Palmer	17,017
55.	Jim Colbert	52,722		Dale Douglass	17,010
	Fuzzy Zoeller	52,557		Dave Newquist	16,999
	Kermit Zarley	52,553		Dennie Meyer	16,736
	Bruce Crampton	50,094		John Schroeder	16,205
59.	Billy Casper	47,931	120.	Mason Rudolph	15,594
60.	Bob Murphy	47,627		Jack Ewing	14,879
61.	John Schlee	47,376		George Knudson	14,869

# 1976 Money Winners (cont'd.)

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123.	Bob Eastwood	\$14,538		Bob Lunn	
	George Johnson	14,264		Jay Haas	2,911
	Randy Erskine	14,218		Orville Moody	2,866
126.	Stan Altgelt	13,829		Craig Stadler	2,702
127.	Gary Groh	13,610		Jim Jamieson	2,698
128.	Dale Hayes	13,351		Sam Snead	2,694
129.	Terry Dill	13,155		Randy Glover	2,692
130.	Graham Marsh	12,756		Bob Goalby	2,650
131.	Frank Beard	12,654		Bob Risch	2,648
132.	Takashi Murakami	12,465		Bill Calfee	2,432
133.	Tom Shaw	12,462	203.	Lionel Hebert	2,380
	Steve Veriato	11,992	204.	Mike Mitchell	2,363
	Don Massengale	11,772	205.	John Toepel	2,322
	Dwight Nevil	11,473	206.	Labron Harris	2,236
	Bruce Fleisher	11,295	207.	Paul Moran	2,139.67
	Lon Hinkle	11,058	208.	Don Pooley	2,139.39
	Andy Bean	10,761	209.	Spike Kelley	2,018
	Gary Wintz	10,462	210.	Jim Thorpe	2,000
	Steve Melnyk	10,172		Charles Sifford	1,991
	Tommy McGiniis	10,019		MasashiOzaki	1,900
	Bobby Nichols	9,820		Woody Blackburn	1,859
		9,464		Jimmy Powell	1,832
	Mike Wynn	9,357		Dean Refram	1,822
	Carlton White	9,341		John Melnick	1,787
	Carlton White			Ted Goin	1,680
	Frank Conner	9,273		Bob Stanton	1,675
	Tony Cerda	8,879		DeWitt Weaver	1,667
	Bob Payne	8,650		Lee Wykle	1,527
	Rick Acton	7,969		Art Proctor	1,512
	Pete Brown	7,694		Gene Borek	1,450
	Barney Thompson	7,625		Bobby Stroble	1,435
	Nate Starks	7,385		Wayne Levi	
	Joey Dills	7,379		David Glenz	10 To
	Tom Storey	7,254		Dave Lundstrom	
	Florentino Molina	7,161		Monty Sanders	
	Mike Reasor	7,127		Ross Randall	
	Tom Evans	7,080		Mike Nixon	
	Bob Zender	6,865		Tim Collins	1 1 May 186
	Monty Kaser	6,677			
	Stan Lee	6,601		Jim Albus	
	Artie McNickle	6,323		Rocky Thompson	
	. R. H. Sikes	6,305		Dave Shuster	
	. Bill Dunk	6,100		. Jim Ferree	
	Sandy Galbraith	5,621		. Mike Davis	
	. Perry Leslie	5,574	007	. Michael Walters	
167	. Dick Rhyan	5,482		. Bill Brask	
	. Sammy Rachels	5,464		. Jeff Steinberg	
169	. Babe Hiskey		2.12	. Bob Shaw	
170	. Hsu Sheng San	5,400		. Dave Sheff	
	. Marion Heck			. Sam Farlow	17520152-044
	. Jim Wiechers			. Keith Guernsey	
173	. Allan Henning			Dennis Tiziani	
174	. Larry Hinson			Dan Halldorson	
175	. John Gentile			Dan Padgett	
176	. Sam Adams	4,434		Bruce Summerhays	
177	. John Jackson	4,366		. Jack Seltzer	
178	Bob Erickson	4,363		Dan O'Neill	
179	. Mike Shea	4,344		Curtis Madson	
180	. Greg Powers	4,164		). Bill Pelham	and the same and
	. Bob Shearer			. Roy Pace	
	. Cesar Sanudo			Richie Karl	
	Bob Charles		253	Keith Fergus	. 654
	. Bill Collins		254	Phil Hancock	. 616.60
185	Doug Tewell		255	. Harry Toscano	. 616.50
	Steve Taylor		3 256	6. Ron Terry	. 545
	Curtis Sifford		40, 40, 70	Al Brooks	. 538
188	Doug Sanders		2 258	B. Duke Butler	. 507
180	Bill Garrett	3,214	259	David W. Smith	. 488
	). Jimmy Wright		3 260	). John Buczek	. 473
	Julius Boros	777.5	261	. Mike Slipko	
	2. John Harris		15-6-6	2. Y. Yamamoto	
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# 1976 Money Winners (cont'd.)

263.	Guy Walkingstick	\$455	292.	T-Rick Divel	\$241	
	T-Clayton Cole		292.	T-Jim Knoll	241	
	T-Mal Galletta	450	292.	T-V. Krajewski	241	
	T-Jack Kiefer	450		T-Fred Muller		
	T-Chuck Scalley	450	296.	Mike Evans	227	
	T-Stan Thirsk	450	297.	John Schamp	197	
	T-Tom Ulozas	450		Dave Marr		
264.	T-Bert Weaver	450	299.	Elwin Fanning	176	
271.	Mark Pheil	439	300.	Dave Philo	164	
272.	Bob Wallace	414	301.	Rick Talt	145.67	
273.	Dan Elliott	404	302.	T-Lynn Janson	145.50	
274.	T-Ray Leach	375	302.	T-David Lind	145.50	
	T-Curtis Strange	375	302.	T-Gaylon Simon	145.50	
	Ernie George	370	305.	T-Hugh Baiocchi	140	
277.	Roger Parker	359	305.	T-Bob Duval	140	
278.	Isao Matsui	355	307.	T-Rich Bland	124	
279.	Andy Thompson	348	307.	T-Tommy Lynch	124	
280.	Lloyd Monroe	330	309.	Wayne Fenack	123	
281.	Jack Fleck	325	310.	Larry Griffin	116.29	
282.	T-Todd Crandall	320	311.	Gene Frank	116.25	
282.	T-Martin Roesink	320	312.	Jim Picard	112	
284.	John Erwin	314		Dwaine Knight	100.50	
285.	David Canipe	290	314.	T—George Griffin	100.00	
286.	Fred Haas	265	314.	T-David G. Smith	100.00	
287.	Ralph Johnston	250	316.	T-Glen Hall	94.50	
288.	Morris Hatalsky	249.86	316.	T-Bob Leaver	94.50	
289.	Jeff Hewes	249.85	318.	Max Anderson	90.00	
290.	Pat McDonald	245		T-James B. Barker	76.85	
291.	Carl Higgins	244	319.	T-Steve Cain	76.85	

#### 50 LEADERS IN CAREER MONEY WINNINGS

			- Coperation		Capital Section Control
		2,808,211			\$678,644
2.		1,740,131		Jerry Heard	646,558
3.	Billy Casper	1,629,538		Bob Goalby	632,107
4.	Lee Trevino	1,535,615		Homero Blancas	
5.	Bruce Crampton	1,373,494		Sam Snead	614,581
6.	Tom Weiskopf	1,356,186	-	Art Wall	608,722
7.	Gene Littler	1,264,013	38.	Mason Rudolph	551,537
8.	Gary Player	1,216,821	39.	Gardner Dickinson	533,795
9.	Miller Barber	1,101,544	40.	Tom Watson	528,309
10.	Johnny Miller	1,083,040	41.	Bob Charles	528,071
11.	David Hill	1,038,840	42.	Jim Colbert	517,213
12.	Hale Irwin	1,012,774	43.	Kermit Zarley	516,480
13.	Julios Boros	996,852	44.	Lee Elder	505,393
14.	Al Geiberger	989,327	45.	George Knudson	505,114
	Frank Beard		46.	John Mahaffey	500,996
16.	Bobby Nichols	916.098	47.	Rod Funseth	486,495
17.			48.	Dale Douglass	474,725
18.	Ray Floyd	875,906	49.	Grier Jones	474,113
19.			50.	Ken Still	470,712
20.	Don January			Table 16 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	
21.				Next in Line	
22.			51.	Phil Rodgers	470,159
	Tommy Aaron			Bud Allin	
	Bob Murphy			Jerry McGee	
	J. C. Snead			Ben Crenshaw	
	Hubert Green			Larry Ziegler	
	Gay Brewer			John Schlee	
	Charles Coody			Gibby Gilbert	and the second second second second
	Lou Graham			Don Bies	
	Bert Yancey			Lanny Wadkins	
	Juan Rodriguez			Bob Rosburg	
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### MILLION DOLLAR WINNERS ON THE PGA TOUR

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.
9 – Johnny Miller	February 8, 1976 Bob Hope Classic Winner	190	17	May 11, 1969 Texas Open Tied 23—\$810.00
10 – Miller Barber	February 29, 1976 Tournament Players Champ. Tied 43	492	9	September 20, 1959 El Paso Open Tied 26-\$77.78
11-Dave Hill	August 15, 1976 PGA Championship Tied 22	406	13	August 30, 1959 Miller Open Tied 15—\$780.00
12-Hale Irwin	September 5, 1976 World Series of Golf Second	253	7	June 30, 1968 Cleveland Open Tied 39—\$457.41

<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:

\$153,102—Jerry Pate — 1976 \$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

Tommy Aaron	Ray Floyd	Bob Lunn
1972—\$118,924	1969— 109,956	1968- 102,711
	1974— 119.385	1970- 101,685
Brian Allin	1975— 103,627	
1974— 137,950	1976- 178,318	John Mahaffey
George Archer	Al Geiberger	1973— 112,536
1968- 150,972	1975— 175,693	1974— 122,189
1969- 101,762	1975— 175,693	1975— 141,471
1971 — 147,769		Roger Maltbie
1972— 145,027	Bob Gilder	1976— 117,736
Miller Barber	1976— 101,262	Rik Massengale
1968- 105,845	David Graham	1976- 124,984
1971 — 117,359	1976- 176,174	Jerry McGee
1973- 184,014	Lou Graham	1976— 138,986
1976— 106,675	1976—\$107,008	1970- 138,900
Frank Beard		Johnny Miller
1967- 105,778	Hubert Green	1973- 127,833
1968- 101,986	1973— 114,397	1974— 353,021
1969- 175,223	1974— 211,709	1975— 226,118
1970- 124,690	1975— 113,569	1976— 135,887
1971— 112,337	1976— 228,031	B. Mitchell
Homero Blancas	Mark Hayes	1972- 113,719
1970- 100,994	1976— 151,699	Bob Murphy
Julius Boros	Jerry Heard	1968— 105,595
1967 — 126,785	1970- 112,389	1970— 120,639
1968- 148,310	1972- 137,198	1975— 127,471
	1974- 145,788	
Billy Casper	Dave Hill	Bobby Nichols
1965— 127,362	1969 156,423	1970— 103,429 1974— 124,747
1966— 145,723 1967— 129,423	1970- 118,415	The state west sent to the
1967 - 129,423	1974- 133,674	Jack Nicklaus
1969- 104.689	1976- 116,606	1963-\$102,903
1970- 147,372	Larry Hinson	1964— 116,079
1971 - 107,276	1970— 120,897	1965— 154,346
1973- 129,474		1966— 141,258 1967— 188,998
1975- 102,275	Hale Irwin	1968— 155,285
Bruce Crampton	1972— 111,539	1969— 140,167
1968- 101,095	1973— 130,388 1974— 152,529	1970- 142,149
1969- 118,955	1974— 152,529	1971 - 244,490
1970- 142,609	1976— 252,718	1972- 320,542
1971 - 106,736		1973- 308,362
1972- 111,010	Jim Jamieson	1974— 238,178
1973— 274,266	1972— 109,532	1975— 298,149
1974— 131,356	Don January	1976— 266,438
1975— 132,532	1976- 163,622	Arnold Palmer
Ben Crenshaw	Grier Jones	1963- 130,835
1976- 257,759	1972- 140,177	1964- 116,417
Rod Curl		1966— 154,692
1974— 120,154	Tom Kite	1967— 184,065
724/CO DOMESTINATO	1976— 116,180	1968- 114,602
Bruce Devlin	Tony Lema*	1969— 105,128
1970 — 112,738	1965- 108,869	1970— 128,853
1972— 119,768	Gene Littler	1971 — 209,603
D. Eichelberger	1969- 112,737	Jerry Pate
1971 — 108,312	1974- 102,822	1976— 153,102
Lee Elder	1975— 182,883	Gary Player
1976- 113,263	Dick Lotz	1969- 123,897
Forrest Fezler	1970— 124,690	1970- 101,212
1973— 106,390		1971 — 120,916
1010- 100,000		1972— 120,719
*Deceased		1974— 108,372

# Players Earning \$100,000 or More in a Single Season on Tour (cont'd.)

J. Rodriguez 1972— 113,668	Dave Stockton 1968— 100,432 1970— 108,564	Lanny Wadkins 1972-\$116,616 1973- 200,455
Doug Sanders 1966 115,671	1974- 155,105	Tom Watson
1967— 109,455 1972— 102,252	Leonard Thompson 1974— 122,349	1974— 135,474 1975— 153,795 1976— 138,202
John Schlee 1973- 118,017	Lee Trevino 1968— 132,127	Tom Weiskopf
Dan Sikes 1967— 111,508 1968— 108,330	1969— 112,417 1970— 157,037 1971— 231,202	1968— 152,946 1971— 106,538 1972— 129,422 1973— 245,463
J. C. Snead 1973— 103,601 1974— 164,486 1976— 192,645	1972— 214,805 1973— 210,017 1974— 203,422 1975— 134,206 1976— 136,963	1974— 127,529 1975— 219,140 1976— 131,331

# Number of \$100,000 (or more) Winners in a Single Year

1963- 2	1970-16
1964 – 2	1971 - 12
1965- 2	1972-16
1966- 3	1973-14
1967- 7	1974-20
1968-14	1975-14
1969-11	1976-24

## \$200,000 (or more)

1968-1	1973-5
1971-3	1974-4
1972-2	1975-4
1976	6-4

### \$300,000

1972-1 1973-1 1974-1

## **1976 TOURNAMENT TOTALS**

MAJOR TOURNAMENTS44	TOTAL EVENTS49
SECOND TOUR EVENTS 5	
TOTAL PURSE	\$9,157,522

### **PAST LEADING MONEY-WINNERS**

1934	Paul Runyan\$ 6,767.00	1956	Ted Kroll	\$72,835.83
1935	Johnny Revolta 9,543.00	1957	Dick Mayer	65,835.00
1936	Horton Smith 7,682.00	1958	Arnold Palmer	42,607.50
1937	Harry Cooper 14,138.69	1959	Art Wall	53,167.60
1938	Sam Snead	1960	Arnold Palmer	75,262.85
1939	Henry Picard	1961	Gary Player	64,540,45
1940	Ben Hogan	1962		81,448,33
1941	Ben Hogan	1963	Arnold Palmer	128,230.00
1942	Ben Hogan	1964	Jack Nicklaus	113,284.50
1943	No Statistics Compiled	1965	Jack Nicklaus	140,752.14
1944	Byron Nelson (War Bonds) 37,967.69	1966	Billy Casper	121,944.92
1945	Byron Nelson (War Bonds) 63,335.66	1967	Jack Nicklaus	188,998.08
1946	Ben Hogan	*1968	Billy Casper	205,168.67
1947	Jimmy Demaret 27,936.83	1969		164,707,11
1948	Ben Hogan	1970	Lee Trevino	157,037.63
1949	Sam Snead	1971	Jack Nicklaus	244,490.50
1950	Sam Snead	1972	Jack Nicklaus	320,542.26
1951	Lloyd Mangrum 26,088.83	1973	Jack Nicklaus	308,362.10
1952	Julius Boros	1974	Johnny Miller	353.021.59
1953	Lew Worsham 34,002.00	**1975	Jack Nicklaus	298,149.17
1954	Bob Toski	1976	Jack Nicklaus	266,438.57
1955	Julius Boros \$ 63,121.55			

<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	1958	39	\$1,005,800
1939	28	121,000	1959	43	1,187,340
1940	27	117,000	1960	41	1,187,340
1941	30	169,200	1961	45	1,461,830
1942	21	116,650	1962	49	1,790,320
1943	3	17,000	1963	43	2,044,900
1944	22	150,500	1964	41	2,301,063
1945	36	435,380	1965	36	2,848,515
1946	37	411,533	1966	36	3,704,445
1947	31	352,500	1967	37	3,979,162
1948	34	427,000	1968	45	5,077,600
1949	25	338,200	1969	47	5,465,875
1950	33	459,950	1970	55	6,751,523
1951	30	460,200	1971	63	7,116,000
1952	32	498,016	1972	71	7,596,749
1953	32	562,704	1973	75	8,657,225
1954	26	600,819	1974	57	8,165,941
1955	36	782,010	1975	51	7,895,450
1956	36	847,070	1976	49	9,157,522
1957	32	820.360			

### 1976 TOURNAMENT STATISTICS

- LOW 9:—28 (8 under), Jim Colbert, Bob Hope. Fuzzy Zoeller, Quad Cities. 29 (7 under), Billy Casper, Bob Hope. Lon Hinkle, Kemper. 29 (6 under), Lee Trevino, Colonial NIT. Jerry Heard, Canada. Wally Armstrong, Sahara. Peter Oosterhuis, Southern. There have been 13 six-under par 30s and one six-under par 31.
- LOW 18:-62 (10 under), Gary Player, Florida Citrus.
- LOW 36:—130 (12 under), Roger Maltbie, Phoenix. Bud Allin, BC Open. Rik Massengale, Hartford. 131 (13 under), Ray Floyd, Masters. 132 (12 under), Fuzzy Zoeller, Milwaukee.
- LOW 54:—200 (16 under), J.C. Snead, San Diego. 200 (10 under), Lee Trevino, Colonial NIT. 200 (13 under), Roger Maltbie, Phoenix. Al Geiberger, Greensboro. Rik Massengale and J.C. Snead, Hartford.
- LOW 72: –266 (18 under), Rik Massengale, Hartford. 268 (16 under), Bob Gilder, Phoenix. Al Geiberger, Greensboro. John Lister, Quad Cities. 269 (19 under), Jack Nicklaus, Tournament Players Championship.
- BIGGEST WIN MARGIN: -8 Strokes, Ray Floyd, Masters. 6 Strokes, Hubert Green, Doral.
- HIGHEST WINNING SCORE: -288 (4 over), Al Geiberger, Western. 281 (1 over), Dave Stockton, PGA. 288 (even), TIE—Roger Maltbie and Hale Irwin, Memorial.
- BIGGEST 36-HOLE LEAD: -6 Strokes, Bob Dickson, Western. 5 Strokes, Ray Floyd, Masters.
- BIGGEST 54-HOLE LEAD: —8 Strokes, Ray Floyd, Masters. 5 Strokes, J.C. Snead, San Diego. Don January, T. of C. Bob Dickson, Western.
- BEST COME FROM BEHIND: —5 Strokes, AI Geiberger, Western. Hale Irwin made up seven strokes to tie Roger Maltbie in the Memorial, but lost playoff on fourth extra hole.
- LOW START BY WINNER: -63 (8 under), David Graham, Westchester.
- HIGH START BY WINNER: -75 (3 over), Ben Crenshaw, Bing Crosby, 73 (3 over), Lee Trevino, Colonial NIT.
- LOW FINISH BY WINNER: -63 (9 under), Johnny Miller, Bob Hope. 63 (7 under), Jerry Pate, Canada. 65 (7 under), Jack Nicklaus, Tournament Players Championship.
- HIGH FINISH BY WINNER: -76 (4 over), Roger Maltbie, Memorial.
- LOW 36-HOLE CUT: -143 (1 under), Hawaii and San Diego. 142 (even), Phoenix, Hartford. 144 (even), Florida Citrus.
- HIGH 36-HOLE CUT: -157 (13 over), Memorial. \*47 (7 over) Southern.
- MOST PLAYERS TO MAKE CUT: -85 at 143 (1 over), Westchester.
- HOLES-IN-ONE (16):—Andy North, Tucson. John Schlee, Crosby. Wally Armstrong, TPC. Peter Oosterhuis, Colonial NIT. Tom Purtzer, Philadelphia. Julius Boros, Kemper. Mike Evans, Quad Cities. Gay Brewer, Westchester. Dick Lotz, Canada. Peter Oosterhuis, PGA. Mike Wynn, Kings Island. Johnny Miller, Mike Morley, Kaiser. Butch Baird, San Antonio. Ed Sneed, Pensacola. Jeff Hewes, Disney.
- DOUBLE EAGLE: Lyn Lott, World (Driver, 3 wood, 504-yard #16).
- TWO EAGLES ONE ROUND: Jim Colbert, Bob Hope. Gay Brewer and Mark Hayes, Greensboro. Jack Nicklaus, Masters. Dave Eichelberger, Milwaukee.
- MOST CONSECUTIVE BIRDIES: —8 by Fuzzy Zoeller, Quad Cities in first round. TIES ALL-TIME TOUR RECORD set by Bob Goalby in 1961 St. Petersburg Open.
- BEST BACK-TO-BACK ROUNDS: -65-65 by Roger Maltbie, first two rounds, Phoenix Open. 65-65 by Al Geiberger, second and third rounds, Greensboro. 65-65 by Rik Massengale, first two rounds, Hartford.
- MOST CONSECUTIVE ROUNDS AT PAR OR LESS:—15 by Mark Hayes (TPC 4, Citrus 4, Doral 4, Jacksonville 3).
- MOST CONSECUTIVE EVENTS WITHOUT MISSING CUT:—41 by Hale Irwin. Jack Nicklaus had string of 105 going back to 1970 Kaiser International, until he missed cut at 1976 World Open.
- FIRST-TIME WINNERS:—Bob Gilder, Phoenix. Mark Hayes, Byron Nelson. Joe Inman, Kemper. Gary Koch, Tallahassee. Tom Kite, Philadelphia. Jerry Pate, U.S. Open John Lister, Quad Cities. Bob Wynn, B.C. Open. B.R. McLendon, Southern.
- MULTIPLE WINNERS:—3 by Hubert Green, Doral, Jacksonville, Heritage; 3 by Ben Crenshaw, Bing Crosby, Hawaii and Ohio Kings Island; 2 by Johnny Miller, Tucson and Bob Hope (also British Open); Hale Irwin, Los Angeles and Florida Citrus; Al Geiberger, Greensboro and Western; Jerry Pate, U. S. Open and Canadian Open; David Graham, Westchester and American Golf Classic; Jack Nicklaus, Tournament Players and World Series; Ray Floyd, Masters and World Open.
- WIRE-to-WIRE LEADERS: (No ties involved) Ray Floyd, Masters. Mark Hayes, Byron Nelson.
- COURSE RECORDS (No Ties):—62 (10 under), Gary Player at Rio Rinar, Florida Citrus, Orlando. 63 (8 under), Fuzzy Zoeller at Oakwood, Quad Cities, Moline, III. 65 (7 under), Lou Graham at Firestone North, American Golf Classic. 63 (9 under), Johnny Miller at Silverado North, Kaiser.

RAIN POSTPONEMENTS:-TOURNAMENT PLAYERS CHAMPIONSHIP-Pro-Am cancelled. First round suspended with 33 players on course, darkness. Completed round before start of second round Friday. Saturday's third round washed out, played Sunday and Monday. HOUSTON OPEN—First round suspended. 36 Sunday, cut to 50. KEMPER OPEN—First round suspended at 3:53 with 75 players on course. Completed round Friday morning prior to second round. B. C. OPEN-Third round suspended. 36 holes Sunday, cut to 60. Sunday, play suspended at 5:28 with 11 players on course. They returned Monday morning to complete tournament. PGA CHAM-PIONSHIP-Play suspended 5:10 Saturday with 18 players on course. Completed round Sunday morning. Fourth round Sunday suspended at 2:33 by storm, cancelled at 4:12. Final round Monday. AMERICAN GOLF CLASSIC-Third round suspended 6:01 with 26 players on course. Completed play Sunday morning. SAN ANTONIO-TEXAS - Second round suspended at 2:20. Second round completed Saturday. 36 holes Sunday, after cut to low 60. PENSACOLA OPEN-Third round. Played Sunday and Monday.

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### OFFICIAL SCORECARD

#### ED McMAHON QUAD CITIES OPEN

OAKWOOD COUNTRY CLUB JULY 5 - JULY 11, 1976

7-8-76

HOLES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT
YARDS	510	380	145	425	405	420	340	190	325	3140
PAR	5	4	3	4	4	4.	4	3	4	35
CORE	4	5	3	4	3	4	4	3	5	35

ONTESTANT 8:24 Fuzzy Zoeller

ARKER'S SIGNATURE

12 13 15 16 17 18 TOTAL 315 380 500 140 510 355 155 435 6305 CONTESTANT'S SIGNATUR

EIGHT BIRDIES IN A ROW-Fuzzy Zoeller played the first 10 holes of the Oakwood Country Club course in even par during the first round of the 1976 Ed McMahon Quad Cities Open and then he finished with eight consecutive birds! That feat equalled a Tour record established by Bob Goalby in the 1961 St. Petersburg Open.

# ALL-TIME TOUR 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 Club, 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.

Jack Nicklaus-Masters: 1963, 1965, 1966, 1972, 1975.

#### 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; 8, Fuzzy Zoeller, at Oakwood Country Club, Coal Valley, Ill., during 1976 Quad Cities Open.

## All-Time 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 — 60, 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
  - 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*	PGA Championship.	1924-1927
Ralph Guldahi	Western Open	1936-1938
Gene Littler	Tournament of Champions	
Billy Casper	Portland Open	1959-1961
Arnold Palmer	Texas Open. Phoenix Open.	1960-1962 1961-1963
Jack Nicklaus	Walt Disney World Golf Classic	1971-1973
Johnny Miller	Tucson Open	1974-1976

<sup>\*</sup>Hagen is the only player to win a single event four consecutive years

## **PGA CHAMPIONSHIP**

YEAR 1916	WINNER James M. Barnes 1918 No Championshi	SCORE 1 up	RUNNERUP Jock Hutchinson	PLAYED AT Siwanoy C.C., Bronxville, N.Y.
				Engineers C.C., Roslyn, L.I., N.Y.
1919	James M. Barnes	6 & 5	Fred McLeod	
1920	Jock Hutchison	1 up	J. Douglas Edgar	Flossmoor C.C., Flossmore, III.
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.
		5 & 3	Leo Diegel	Salisbury G.C., Westbury, L.I., N.Y.
1926	Walter Hagen			Cedar Crest C.C., Dallas, Texas
1927	Walter Hagen	1 up	Joe Turnesa	
1928	Leo Diegel	6 & 5	Al Espinosa	Five Farms C.C., Baltimore, Md.
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.
			Craig Wood	Park C.C., Williamsville, N.Y.
1934	Paul Runyan	1 up (38)		
1935	Johnny Revolta	5 & 4	Tommy Armour	Twin Hills C.C., Oklahoma City, Okla.
1936	Denny Shute	3 & 2	Jimmy Thomson	Pinehurst C.C., Pinehurst, N.C.
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-
1000				Delaware, Pa.
1000	Heart Dinard	1 up (37)	Byron Nelson	Pomonok C.C., Flushing, L.I., N.Y.
1939	Henry Picard		Sam Snead	Hershey C.C., Hershey, Pa.
1940	Byron Nelson	1 up		Cherry Hills C.C., Denver, Colo.
1941	Vic Ghezzi	1 up (38)	Byron Nelson	
1942	Sam Snead	2 & 1	Jim Turnesa	Seaview C.C., Atlantic City, N.J.
1943	No Championship Pla	yed-World	l War II	
1944	Bob Hamilton	1 up	Byron Nelson	Manito G. & C.C., Spokane, Wash.
1945	Byron Nelson	483	Sam Byrd	Morraine C.C., Dayton, Ohio
1946	Ben Hogan	6 & 4	Ed Oliver	Portland G.C., Portland, Ore.
	Jim Ferrier	2 & 1	Chick Harbert	Plum Hollow C.C., Detroit, Mich.
1947			Mike Turnesa	Norwood Hills C.C., St. Louis, Mo.
1948	Ben Hogan	7 & 6		
1949	Sam Snead	3 & 2	Johnny Palmer	Hermitage C.C., Richmond, Va.
1950	Chandler Harper	4 & 3	Henry Williams Jr.	Scioto C.C., Columbus, Ohio
1951	Sam Snead	7 & 6	Walter Burkemo	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
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.
		4 & 3	Cary Middlecoff	Meadowbrook C.C., Detroit, Mich.
1955	Doug Ford		Ted Kroll	Blue Hill C.C., Boston, Mass.
1956	Jack Burke	3 & 2		Miami Valley C.C., Dayton, Ohio
1957	Lionel Hebert	2 & 1	Dow Finsterwald	
1958	Dow Finsterwald	276	Billy Casper	Llanerch C.C., Havertown, Pa.
1959	Bob Rosburg	277	Jerry Barber	Minneapolis G.C., St. Louis Park,
			Doug Sanders	Minn.
1960	Jay Hebert	281	Jim Ferrier	Firestone C.C., Akron, Ohio
1961	* Jerry Barber (67)	277	Don January (68)	Olympia Fields C.C., Olympia
1901	Jerry Barber (07)	211	Don danaary (oo,	Fields, III.
		070	Dak Caalbu	Aronomink G.C., Newtown Square, Pa.
1962	Gary Player	278	Bob Goalby	
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
			Arnold Palmer	
1965	Dave Marr	280	Billy Casper	Laurel Valley C.C., Ligonier, Pa.
1000	24.0		Jack Nicklaus	
1966	Al Geiberger	280	Dudley Wysong	Firestone C.C., Akron, Ohio
			Don Massengale (71)	
1967	* Don January (69)	281		Pecan Valley C.C., San Antonio,
1968	Julius Boros	281	Bob Charles	
			Arnold Palmer	Texas
1969	Ray Floyd	276	Gary Player	NCR C.C., Dayton, Ohio
1970	Dave Stockton	279	Arnold Palmer	Southern Hills C.C., Tulsa, Okla.
			Bob Murphy	
1971	Jack Nicklaus	281	Billy Casper	PGA National G.C., Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.
1070	Gary Player	281	Tommy Aaron	Oakland Hills C.C., Birmingham,
1972	Gary Flayer	201	Jim Jamieson	Mich.
		077		Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio
1973		277	Bruce Crampton	Tanglewood G.C., Winston-Salem, N.C.
1974		276	Jack Nicklaus	
1975	Jack Nicklaus	276	Bruce Crampton	Firestone C.C., Akron, Ohio
1976		281	Ray Floyd	Congressional C.C.
20000000			Don January	Bethesda, Md.

### **MASTERS**

### Augusta National Golf Club Augusta, Georgia

VEAD	WINNER	SCORE	RUNNERUP
	Horton Smith	284	Craig Wood
	*Gene Sarazen (144)	282	Craig Wood (149)
	Horton Smith	285	Harry Cooper
1936 1937	Byron Nelson	283	Ralph Guldahl
		285	Ralph Guldahl, Harry Cooper
	Henry Picard	279	Sam Snead
	Ralph Guldahl	280	
1940		280	Lloyd Mangrum
1941	Craig Wood *Byron Nelson (69	280	Byron Nelson Ben Hogan (70)
	No Tournament - World War II		Bell Hogan (70)
1943	No Tournament—World War II		
1944	No Tournament—World War II		
1945	Herman Keiser	282	Ben Hogan
1946		281	Byron Nelson, Frank Stranahan
1948	Claude Harmon	279	Cary Middlecoff
1949		282	Johnny Bulla, Lloyd Mangrum
1950		283	Jim Ferrier
1950		280	Skee Riegel
1939		286	Jack Burke, Jr.
1953	Gain Griede	274	Ed Oliver, Jr.
	*Sam Snead(70)	289	Ben Hogan (71)
	Cary Middlecoff	279	Ben Hogan
1956		289	Ken Venturi
1957		283	Sam Snead
1958		284	Doug Ford, Fred Hawkins
	Art Wall Jr.	284	Cary Middlecoff
1960		282	Ken Venturi
	Gary Player	280	Charles R. Coe, Arnold Palmer
	*Arnold Palmer (68)	280	Gary Player (71), Dow Finsterwald (77)
1963		286	Tony Lema
	Arnold Palmer	276	Dave Marr, Jack Nicklaus
1965		271	Ar old Palmer, Gary Player
	*Jack Nicklaus (70)	288	Tommy Jacobs (72), Gay Brewer, Jr. (78)
	Gay Brewer, Jr.	280	Bobby Nichols
	Bob Goalby	277	Roberto de Vicenzo
	George Archer	281	Billy Casper, George Knudson, Tom Weiskopf
	*Billy Casper (69)	279	Gene Littler (74)
1971		279	John Miller, Jack Nicklaus
1972		286	Bruce Crampton, Bobby Mitchell, Tom Weiskopf
1973		283	J. C. Snead
1974	The state of the s	278	Tom Weiskopf, Dave Stockton
1975	·	276	Johnny Miller, Tom Weiskopf
1976	Ray Floyd	271	Ben Crenshaw
1910	nayrioyu	211	Dell Crensilaw

## **UNITED STATES OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

VEAD	MINISTER	00005	DUMMERUR	DI AVED AT
YEAR	WINNER	SCORE	RUNNERUP	PLAYED AT
1895		36 Holes	Willie Dunn	Newport G.C., Newport, R.I.
1896	James Foulis 152-	36 Holes	Horace Rawlins	Shinnecock Hills G.C., Shinnecock
				Hills, L.I., N.Y.
1897		36 Holes	Willie Anderson	Chicago G.C., Wheaton, III.
1898	Fred Herd 328-	72 Holes	Alex Smith	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass.
1899	Willie Smith	315	George Low	Baltimore C.C., Baltimore, Md.
			Val Fitzjohn	
			W. H. Way	
1000	Llaver Vandan	242		Chicago C C Wheeten III
1900	Harry Vardon	313	J. H. Taylor	Chicago G.C., Wheaton, III.
1901		331	Alex Smith (86)	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass.
1902	Laurie Auchterlonie	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	Gill 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.
			Gil Nicholls	Philadelphia Cricket Club, Chestnut
1907	AlexRoss	302	GIINICIOIIS	
				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	* Alex Smith (71)	298	John McDermott (75)	Philadelphia Cricket Club, Chestnut
			MacDonald Smith (77)	Hill, Pa.
1911	* John McDermott (80)	307	Mike Brady (82)	Chicago G.C., Wheaton, III.
1011	dominion contract (do)	001	George Simpson (85)	Omeage a.e., Wheaten, in.
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)	
1914	Walter Hagen	290	Charles Evans, Jr.	Midlothian C.C., Blue Island, III.
1915	Jerome Travers	297	Tom McNamara	Baltusrol G.C., Short Hills, N.J.
1916	Charles Evans, Jr.	286	Jock Hutchison	Minikahda Club, Minneapolis, Minn.
	- 1918 No Championshi		World War I	
1919	* Walter Hagen (77)	301	Mike Brady (78)	Brae Burn C.C., West Newton, Mass.
1920	Edward Ray	295	Harry Vardon	Inverness C.C., Toledo, Ohio
1920	Edward Hay	250		inverness o.o., roledo, omo
			Jack Burke	
			Leo Diegel	
1772-278			Jock Hutchison	
1921	James M. Barnes	289	WalterHagen	Columbia C.C., Chevy Chase, Md
			Fred McLeod	
1922	Gene Sarazen	288	John L. Black	Skokie C.C., Glencoe, III.
			Robert T. Jones, Jr.	
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,
1024	Gyrn trainer	20,	110001111001100011	Mich.
1005	* \A/ \AccEctions /147\	201	D.T. Jones (149)	Worcester C.C., Worcester, Mass.
1925	* W.MacFarlane (147)	291	R.T. Jones (148)	
1926	R.T. Jones Jr.	293	Joe Turnesa	Scioto C.C., Columbus, Ohio
1927	* Tommy Armour (76)	301	Harry Cooper (79)	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
1928	*Johnny Farrell (143)	294	R.T. Jones (144)	Olympia Fields C.C., Matteson, III.
1929	* R.T. Jones Jr. (141)	294	Al Espinosa (164)	Winged Foot G.C., Mamaroneck, N.Y.
1930	R.T. Jones Jr.	287	MacDonald Smith	Interlachen C.C., Hopkins, Minn.
1931	* Billy Burke (149-148)	292	George Von Elm	Inverness Club, Toledo, Ohio
1001	Diny Burko (140 140)	LUL	(149-149)	The state of the s
1932	Gene Sarazen	286	Phil Perkins	Fresh Meadows C.C., Flushing, N.Y.
1932	Gerie Sarazeri	200		restricted was c.o., riddining, tr. r.
			Bobby Cruickshank	
1933	Johnny Goodman	287	Ralph Guldahl	North Shore C.C., Glenview, III.
1934	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,
. 50.			The second	Mich.
1938	Ralph Guldahl	284	Dick Metz	Cherry Hills C.C., Denver, Colo.
			Craig Wood (68-70)	Philadelphia C.C., Philadelphia, Pa
1939	*Byron Nelson (68-70)	204		i imadelpina o.o., rimadelpina, ra
			Denny Shute (76-	
The second	The state of the same		Elim.)	
1940	*Lawson Little (70)	287	Gene Sarazen (73)	Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio
1941	Craig Wood	284	Denny Shute	Colonial Club, Fort Worth, Texas
1942-	- 1945 No Championship	os Played -	World War II	

# United States Open Championship (cont'd.)

<b>YEAR</b> 1946	WINNER *Lloyd Mangrum	SCORE	RUNNERUP	PLAYED AT
1340	(72-72)	284	Vic Ghezzi (72-73) Byron Nelson (72-73)	Canterbury G.C., Cleveland, Ohio
1947	*Lew Worsham (69)	282	Sam Snead (70)	St. Louis C.C., Clayton, Mo.
1948	Ben Hogan	276	Jimmy Demaret	Riviera C.C., Los Angeles, Calif.
1949	Cary Middlecoff	286	Sam Snead Clayton Heafner	Medinah C.C., Medinah, III.
1950	*Ben Hogan (69)	287	Lloyd Mangrum (73) George Fazio (75)	Merion Golf Club, Ardmore, Pa.
1951	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 Doug Sanders	Oakland Hills C.C., Birmingham, 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 Al Geiberger Bob Rossurg	Champions G.C., Houston, Texas
1970	Tony Jacklin	281	Dave Hill	Hazeltine G.C., Chaska, Minn.
1971	*Lee Trevino (68)	280	Jack Nicklaus (71)	Merion Golf Club, Ardmore, Pa.
1972	Jack Nicklaus	290	Bruce Crampton	Pebble Beach G. L., Pebble Beach, Calif.
1973	Johnny Miller	279	John Schlee	Oakmont C.C., Oakmont, Pa.
1974	Hale Irwin	287	Forrest Fezler	Winged Foot G.C., Mamaroneck, N.Y.
1975	*Lou Graham (71)	287	John Mahaffey (73)	Medinah C.C., Medinah, III.
1976	Jerry Pate	277	Tom Weiskopf Al Geiberger	Atlanta Athletic Club, Duluth, Georgia.
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### THE BRITISH OPEN

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YEAR	WINNER	SCORE	RUNNERUP	PLAYED AT
1860	Willie Park	174	Tom Morris	Prestwick, Scotland
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1861	Tom Morris	163	Willie Park	Prestwick, Scotland
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1862	Tom Morris	163	Willie Park	Prestwick, Scotland
1863	Willie Park	168	Tom Morris	Prestwick, Scotland
1864	Tom Morris	160	Andrew Strath	
	(4)	27.7		Prestwick, Scotland
1865	Andrew Strath	162	Willie Park	Prestwick, Scotland
1866	Willie Park	169	David Park	Prestwick, Scotland
1867	Tom Morris	170	Willie Park	Prestwick, Scotland
1868	Tom Morris, Jr.	154	Tom Morris, Sr.	Prestwick, Scotland
1869	Tom Morris, Jr.	157	Tom Morris, Sr.	Prestwick, Scotland
1870	Tom Morris, Jr.	149	David Strath	Prestwick, Scotland
			Bob Kirk	
1871	No Championship			
	Played			
1872	Tom Morris, Jr.	166	David Strath	Prestwick, Scotland
1873	Tom Kipp	179	No Record	St. Andrews, Scotland
1874	Mungo Park	159	No Record	Musselburgh, Scotland
1875	Willie Park	166	Robert Martin	Prestwick, Scotland
1876	Robert Martin	176	David Strath	St. Andrews, Scotland
		(T	ied, But Refused Playo	off)
1877	Jamie Anderson	160	R. Pringle	Musselburgh, Scotland
1878	Jamie Anderson	157	Robert Kirk	Prestwick, Scotland
1879	Jamie Anderson	169	A. Kirkaldy	St. Andrews, Scotland
			J. Allan	
1880	Robert Ferguson	162	No Record	Musselburgh, Scotland
1881	Robert Ferguson	170	Jamie Anderson	Prestwick, Scotland
1882	Robert Ferguson	171	Willie Fernie	St. Andrews, Scotland
1883	* Willie Fernie	159	Robert Ferguson	Musselburgh, Scotland
1884	Jack Simpson	160	D. Rolland	Prestwick, Scotland
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1885	Bob Martin	171	Archie Simpson	St. Andrews, Scotland
1886	David Brown	157	Willie Campbell	Musselburgh, Scotland
1887	Willie Park, Jr.	161	Bob Martin	Prestwick, Scotland
1888	Jack Burns	171	B. Sayers	St. Andrews, Scotland
1000	Jack Burns	11.12	D. Anderson	or marcha, occinant
1889	* Willie Park, Jr.	155 (158)		Musselburgh, Scotland
1890	John Ball	164	Willie Fernie	Prestwick, Scotland
		166	Andrew Kirkaldy	St. Andrews, Scotland
1891	Hugh Kirkaldy	100	W. Fernie	St. Allurews, Scotland
		Champions	ship Extended From 36	to 72 Holes)
1000	Harold H. Hilton	305	J. Ball	Muirfield, Scotland
1892	Harold H. Hilton	305		Mulfileid, Scotland
1000	Mariniana Assantantanta	200	H. Kirkaldy	Drastwick Coatland
1893	William Auchterlonie	322	John E. Laidlay	Prestwick, Scotland
1894	John H. Taylor	326	Douglas Rolland	Royal St. Geroge's, England
1895	John H. Taylor	322	Alexander Herd	St. Andrews, Scotland
1896	* Harry Vardon	316 (157)	John H. Taylor (161)	Muirfield, Scotland
1897	Harold H. Hilton	314	James Braid	Hoylake, England
1898	Harry Vardon	307	Willie Park, Jr.	Prestwick, Scotland
1899	Harry Vardon	310	Jack White	Royal St. George's, England
1900	John Hr. Taylor	309	Harry Vardon	St. Andrews, Scotland
1901	James Braid	309	Harry Vardon	Muirfield, Scotland
1902	Alexander Herd	307	Harry Vardon	Hoylake, Scotland
1903	Harry Vardon	300	Tom Vardon	Prestwick, Scotland
1904	Jack White	296	John H. Taylor	Royal St. George's, England
1905	James Braid	318	John H. Taylor	St. Andrews, Scotland
			Rolland Jones	
1906	James Braid	300	John H. Taylor	Muirfield, Scotland
1907	Arnaud Massy	312	John H. Taylor	Hoylake, England
1908	James Braid	291	Tom Ball	Prestwick, Scotland
1909	John H. Taylor	295	James Braid	Deal, England
1000	John L. Laylor		Tom Ball	
1910	James Braid	299	Alexander Herd	St. Andrews, Scotland
1911	Harry Vardon	303	Arnaud Massy	Royal St. George's, England
1912	Edward (Ted) Ray	295	Harry Vardon	Muirfield, Scotland
		304	Edward Ray	Hoylake, England
1913	John H. Taylor	304	John H. Taylor	Prestwick, England
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1920	George Duncan	303	Alexander Herd	Deal, England
1921	* Jock Hutchison	296 (150)		St. Andrews, Scotland
1922	Walter Hagen	300	George Duncan James M. Barnes	Royal St. George's, England
1923	Arthur G. Havers	295	Walter Hagen	Troon, Scotland
1924	Walter Hagen	301	Ernest Whitcombe	Hoylake, England
1925	James M. Barnes	300	Archie Compston Ted Ray	Prestwick, Scotland
1926	Robert T. Jones, Jr.	291	Al Watrous	Royal Lytham, England
1927	Robert T. Jones, Jr.	285	Aubrey Boomer	St. Andrews, Scotland
1928	Walter Hagen	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	Hoylake, England
1937	Henry Cotton	290	R. A. Whitcombe	Carnoustie, Scotland
1938	R. A. Whitcombe	295	James Adams	Royal St. George's, England
1939	Richard Burton	290	Johnny Bulla	St. Andrews, Scotland
	- 1945 No Championship			
1946	Sam Snead	290	Bobby Locke Johnny Bulla	St. Andrews, Scotland
1947	Fred Daly	293	R. W. Horne Frank Stranahan	Hoylake, England
1948	Henry Cotton	294	Fred Daly	Muirfield, Scotland
1949	*Bobby Locke	283 (135)		Royal St. George's, England
1950	Bobby Locke	279	Roberto De Vicenzo	Troon, Scotland
1951	Max Faulkner	285	A. Cerda	Portrush, Ireland
1952	Bobby Locke	287	Peter Thomson	Royal Lytham, England
1953	Ben Hogan	282	Frank Stranahan D. J. Rees Peter Thomson	Carnoustie, Scotland
1954	Peter Thomson	283	A. Cerda S. S. Scott Dai Rees Bobby Locke	Royal Birkdale, England
1955	Peter Thomson	281	John Fallon	St. Andrews, Scotland
1956	Peter Thomson	286	Flory Van Donck	Hoylake, England
1957	Bobby Locke	279	Peter Thomson	St. Andrews, Scotland
1958	Peter Thomson	278 (139)	Dave Thomas (143)	Royal Lytham, England
1959	Gary Player	284	Fred Bullock Flory Van Donck	Muirfield, Scotland
1960	KelNagle	278	Arnold Palmer	St. Andrews, Scotland
1961	Arnold Palmer	284	Dai Rees	Royal Birkdale, England
1962	Arnold Palmer	276	Kel Nagle	Troon, Scotland
1963	* Bob Charles	277	Phil Rodgers	Royal Lytham, England
1964	TonyLema	279	Jack Nicklaus	St. Andrews, Scotland
1965	Peter Thomson	285	Brian Huggett Christy O'Connor	Southport, England
1966	Jack Nicklaus	282	Doug Sanders Dave Thomas	Muirfield, Scotland
1967	Roberto De Vicenzo	278	Jack Nicklaus	Hoylake, England
1968	Gary Player	289	Jack Nicklaus Bob Charles	Carnoustie, Scotland
1969	Tony Jacklin	280	Bob Charles	Royal Lytham, England
1970	* Jack Nicklaus	283 (72)	Doug Sanders (73)	St. Andrews, Scotland
1971	Lee Trevino	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
1975	* Tom Watson	279 (71)	Jack Newton (72)	Carnoustie, Scotland
1976	Johnny Miller	279	Jack Nicklaus S. Ballesteros	Royal Birkdale, Eng.

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### INDIVIDUAL PLAYOFF RECORDS

AARON, Tommy-0-4: 1963: Lost to Tony Lema, Memphis Open Invit; lost to Arnold Palmer, Cleveland Open. 1972: Lost to George Archer, L.A. Open; lost to George Archer, Greensboro Open.

ALLIN, Bud-1-0: 1971: Defeated Rod Funseth and Dave Eichelberger in Greater Greensboro Open.

ARCHER, George — 4-3: 1965: Defeated Bob Charles in Lucky Internat'l Open. 1969: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, Kaiser Internat'l Open. 1970: Lost to George Knudson, Robinson Open. 1971: Defeated J.C. Snead, Lou Graham, Hartford Open. 1972: Defeated Tommy Aaron, Dave Hill, L.A. Open; lost to Miller Barber, Tucson Open; defeated Tommy Aaron, Greensboro Open.

BAIRD, Butch-1-0: 1976: Defeated Miller Barber, San Antonio Texas Open.

BARBER, Miller—3-4: 1964: Lost to Gary Player, Pensacola Open Invit. 1967: Defeated Gary Player, Oklahoma City Open. 1970: Defeated Bob Charles, Howie Johnson, New Orleans. 1972: Defeated George Archer, Tucson Open. 1973: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, New Orleans; lost to Bert Greene, Liggett & Myers Open. 1976: Lost to Butch Baird, San Antonio Texas Open.

BEARD, Frank -0-3: 1968: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, American Golf Classic. 1969: Lost to Larry Hinson, New Orleans. 1974: Lost to Johnny Miller, World Open.

BIES, Don-1-0: 1975: Defeated Hubert Green, Hartford Open.

BLACKBURN, Woody—1-0: 1976: Defeated Gay Brewer/Bobby Nichols, Walt Disney Team Championship with Bill Kratzert.

BLANCAS, Homero – 1-1: 1969: Lost to Larry Ziegler, Michigan Classic. 1972: Defeated Lanny Wadkins. Phoenix Open.

BOROS, Julius—4-5: 1952: Defeated Cary Middlecoff, World Championship of Golf. 1954: Defeated George Fazio, Carling's Open. 1958: Lost to Sam Snead, Dallas Open Invit. 1959: Lost to Jack Burke, Houston Classic. 1963: Defeated Arnold Palmer, Jacky Cupit, U.S.G.A. Open; Lost to Arnold Palmer, Western Open. 1964: Defeated Doug Sanders, Greater Greensboro Open. 1969: Lost to Gene Littler, Greater Greensboro Open. 1975: Lost to Gene Littler, Westchester Classic.

BREWER, Gay—2-6: 1959: Lost to Arnold Palmer, West Palm Beach Open. 1965: Defeated Doug Sanders, Greater Seattle Open Invit; Defeated Bob Goalby, Hawaiian Open Invit. 1966: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, Masters; Lost to Arnold Palmer, Tournament of Champions. 1969: Lost to Dave Hill, IVB-Philadelphia Classic. 1974: Lost to Jim Colbert, American Golf Classic. 1976: Lost to Woody Blackburn/Bill Kratzert Disney Team Championship.

BROWN, Pete – 1-1: 1964: Lost to Billy Casper, Almaden Open Invit. 1970: Defeated Tony Jacklin, San

Diego Open.

CASPER, Billy—8-8: 1958: Defeated Ken Venturi, Greater New Orleans. 1961: Lost to Jack Burke, Buick Open. 1964: Defeated Pete Brown, Jerry Steelsmith, Almaden Open Invit. 1965: Lost to Wes Ellis, San Diego Open; Defeated Johnny Pott, Insurance City Invit. 1966: Defeated Arnold Palmer, U.S. Open. 1967: Defeated Art Wall, Canadian Open; Defeated Al Geiberger, Carling World Open; Lost to Dudley Wysong, Hawaiian Open. 1968: Lost to Johnny Pott, Bing Crosby National Pro-Am. 1969: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, Kaiser. 1970: Defeated Hale Irwin, L.A. Open; Defeated Gene Littler, Masters. 1971: Lost to Bob Lunn, L.A. Open. 1972: Lost to Juan Rodriguez, Byron Nelson. 1975: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, World Open.

CHARLES, Bob - 0-2: 1965: Lost to George Archer, Lucky International Open. 1970: Lost to Miller Bar-

ber, New Orleans Open

COLBERT, Jim - 1-0: 1974: Defeated Ray Floyd, Gay Brewer, Forrest Fezler, American Golf Classic.

COURTNEY, Chuck-0-1: 1972: Lost to Bert Weaver, Southern Open.

CRAMPTON, Bruce -0-2: 1970: Lost to Gibby Gilbert, Houston Champions. 1974: Lost to Richie Karl, B.C. Open.

DEVLIN, Bruce - 0-3: 1968: Lost to Johnny Pott, Bing Crosby National Pro-Am. 1969: Lost to Bert Yancey, Atlanta Classic. 1972: Lost to David Graham, Cleveland Open.

DIEHL, Terry-0-1: 1976: Lost to Tom Kite, IVB-Bicentennial Golf Classic.

DOUGLASS, Dale – 0-3: 1950: Between Jack Burke, Sam Snead, Smiley Quick, No Playoff, equal money. 1968: Lost to Juan Rodriguez, Sahara Invitational. 1970: Lost to Don January, Jacksonville, Open. 1971: Lost to Tom Weiskopf, Kemper Open.

EICHELBERGER, Dave - 0-1: 1971: Lost to Bud Allin, Greater Greensboro Open.

ELDER, Lee - 1-2: 1968: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, American Golf Classic. 1972: Lost to Lee Trevino, Hartford Open. 1974: Defeated Peter Oosterhuis, Monsanto Open.

ERSKINE, Randy-0-1: 1976: Lost to Ed Sabo, Buick Open.

FEZLER, Forrest-0-1: 1974: Lost to Jim Colbert, American Golf Classic.

FINSTERWALD, Dow—2-4: 1956: Lost to Doug Sanders, Canadian Open. 1957: Defeated Don Whitt, Tucson Open Invit. 1958: Lost to Art Wall, Rubber City Open. 1959: Lost to Art Wall, Buick Open; Defeated Don Fairfield, Kansas City Open Invit. 1962: Lost to Arnold Palmer, Masters.

FLECKMAN, Marty-1-0: 1967: Defeated Jack Montgomery, Cajun Classic.

FLOYD, Ray – 2-4: 1969: Defeated Gardner Dickinson, Greater Jacksonville Open. 1971: Lost to Arnold Palmer, Bob Hope Desert Classic. 1973: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, Bing Crosby National Pro-Am. 1974: Lost to Jim Colbert, American Golf Classic. 1975: Lost to J.C. Snead, Andy Williams San Diego Open. 1976: Defeated Jerry McGee, World Open.

FORD, Doug-5-7: 1951: Lost to E.J. Harrison, Texas Open; Lost to Cary Middlecoff, Kansas City Open. 1952: Defeated Sam Snead, Jacksonville Open. 1953: Lost to Earl Steward, Greensboro Open. 1954: Defeated Marty Furgol, Greensboro Open. 1955: Lost to Henry Ransom, Rubber City Open; Lost to Ted Kroll, Philadelphia Daily News Open. 1956: Lost to Mike Fetchick, Western Open. 1957: Lost to Arnold Palmer, Rubber City Open; Defeated George Bayer, Gene Littler, Billy Maxwell, Western Open. 1961: Defeated Arnold Palmer, "500" Festival Open Invit. 1962: Defeated Joe Campbell, Bing Crosy National.

FUNSETH, Rod-0-1: 1971: Lost to Bud Allin, Greater Greensboro Open.

GEIBERGER, Al-1-1: 1967: Lost to Billy Casper, Carling World Open. 1975: Defeated Gary Player, Tournament of Champions.

GILBERT, Gibby-1-0: 1970: Defeated Bruce Crampton, Houston Champions.

GOALBY, Bob — 2-1: 1962: Defeated Art Wall, Insurance City Open. 1965: Lost to Gay Brewer, Hawaiian Open, Invit. 1969: Defeated Jim Wiechers, Robinson Open.

GRAHAM, David – 1-1: 1972: Defeated Bruce Devlin, Cleveland Open; Lost to Lou Graham, Liggett & Myers Open.

GRAHAM, Lou-2-1: 1971: Lost to George Archer, Hartford Open. 1972: Defeated Hale Irwin, Larry Ziegler, David Graham, Liggett & Myers Open. 1975: Defeated John Mahaffey, U.S. Open.

GREEN, Hubert—1-1: 1971: Defeated Don January, Houston Champions. 1975: Lost to Don Bies, Hartford Open.

HARRIS, Labron-1-1: 1968: Lost to Bob Murphy, Philadelphia Golf Classic. 1971: Defeated Bert Yancey, Robinson Open.

HEARD, Jerry-0-1: 1974: Lost to Bob Menne, Kemper Open.

HEBERT, Lionel - 1-1: 1956: Lost to Mike Fetchick, St. Petersburg Open. 1962: Defeated Gary Player,

Gene Littler, Memphis Open Invit.

HILL, Dave – 4-2: 1961: Defeated Tommy Bolt, Bud Sullivan, Home of the Sun Open. 1963: Defeated Mike Souchak, Hot Springs Open. 1969: Defeated Gay Brewer, Tom Jacobs, R.H. Sikes, IVB-Philadelphia; Lost to Bob Lunn, Hartford Open. 1972: Lost to George Archer, L.A. Open. 1975: Defeated Rik Massengale, Sahara Invit.

HINSON, Larry—1-1: 1969: Defeated Frank Beard, New Orleans. 1975: Lost to Don January, San Antonio-Texas.

HISKEY, Babe-1-0: 1965: Defeated Dudley Wysong, Cajun Classic.

IRWIN, Hale – 1-3: 1970: Lost to Billy Casper, L.A. Open. 1972: Lost to Lou Graham, Liggett & Myers Open. 1976: Defeated Kermit Zarley, Florida Citrus Open; Lost to Roger Maltbie, Memorial.

JACKLIN, Tony—1-1: 1970: Lost to Pete Brown, San Diego Open. 1972: Defeated John Jacobs, Jacksonville Open.

JACOBS, John-0-1: 1972: Lost to Tony Jacklin, Jacksonville Open.

JANUARY, Don-3-5: 1956: Lost to Mike Fetchick, Western Open. 1961: Lost to Jerry Barber, PGA Championship. 1964: Lost to Chi Chi Rodriguez, Lucky Internat'l Open. 1967: Defeated Don Massengale, PGA Championship. 1969: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, Kaiser Internat'l. 1970: Defeated Dale Douglass, Jacksonville, Open. 1971: Lost to Hubert Green, Houston Champions. 1975: Defeated Larry Hinson, San Antonio-Texas Open.

JONES, Grier-2-0: 1972: Defeated Bob Murphy, Hawaiian Open. Defeated Dave Marad, Robinson's Fall Classic.

KARL, Richie - 1-0: 1974: Defeated Bruce Crampton, B.C. Open.

KITE, Tom-1-0: 1976: Defeated Terry Diehl, IVB-Bicentennial Golf Classic.

KNUDSON, George – 4-0: 1962: Defeated Jim Ferree, Maracaibo Open Invit. 1963: Defeated Mason Rudolph, Portland Open Invit. 1964: Defeated Al Balding, Fresno Open Invit. 1970: Defeated George Archer, Robinson Open.

KRATZERT, Bill-1-0: 1976: Defeated Gay Brewer/Bobby Nichols, Walt Disney Team Championship with Woody Blackburn.

LITTLER, Gene—3-6: 1955: Defeated Stan Leonard, Labatt Open. 1956: Lost to Peter Thompson, Texas Internat'l Open. 1957: Lost to Doug Ford, Western Open. 1960: Lost to Tommy Bolt, Memphis Open. 1962: Lost to Lionel Hebert, Memphis Open Invit. 1966: Lost to Joe Campbell, Tucson Open. 1969: Defeated, Orville Moody, Julius Boros, Tom Weiskopf, Greater Greensboro Open. 1970: Lost to Billy Casper, Masters. 1975: Defeated Julius Boros, Westchester Classic.

LUNN, Bob - 2-0: 1969: Defeated Dave Hill, Hartford Open. 1971: Defeated Bob Lunn, L.A. Open.

McGEE, Jerry-0-1: 1976: Lost to Ray Floyd, World Open.

McLENDON, Mac-1-0: 1968: Defeated Pete Fleming, Magnolia St. Classic.

MAHAFFEY, John - 0-1: 1975: Lost to Lou Graham, U.S. Open.

MALTBIE, Roger - 1-0: 1976: Defeated Hale Irwin, Memorial Tournament.

MARAD, Dave - 0-1: 1972: Lost to Grier Jones, Robinson's Fall Classic.

MARR, Dave — 2-0: 1961: Defeated Bob Rosburg, Jacky Cupit, Greater Seattle Open Invit. 1962: Defeated Jerry Steelsmith, Azalea Open.

MASSENGALE, Don-0-1: 1967: Lost to Don January, PGA Championship.

MASSENGALE, Rik - 0-1: 1975: Lost to Dave Hill, Sahara Open.

MAXWELL, Billy—1-2: 1955: Lost to Bo Wininger, Baton Rouge Open. 1957: Lost to Doug Ford, Western Open. 1961: Defeated Ted Kroll, Insurance City Open Invit.

MENNE, Bob-1-1: 1970: Lost to Lee Trevino, National Airlines Open. 1974: Defeated Jerry Heard, Kemper Open.

MILLER, Johnny-1-1: 1972: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, Bing Crosby National Pro-Am. 1974: Defeated Frank Beard, Jack Nicklaus, Bob Murphy, World Open.

MITCHELL, Bobby-1-0: 1972: Defeated Jack Nicklaus, Tournament of Champions

MOODY, Orville - 0-2: 1969: Lost to Gene Littler, Greater Greensboro Open. 1973: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, Bing Crosby National Pro-Am.

MURPHY, Bob – 1-4: 1968: Defeated Labron Harris, Philadelphia Golf Classic. 1970: Lost to Lee Trevino, Tucson Open. 1972: Lost to Grier Jones, Hawaiian Open. 1973: Lost to Bobby Nichols, Westchester Classic. 1974: Lost to Johnny Miller, World Open.

NICHOLS, Bobby-2-3: 1961: Lost to Eric Monti, Ontario Open. 1962: Defeated Dan Sikes, Jack Nicklaus, Houston Classic. 1973: Defeated Bob Murphy, Westchester Classic. 1975: Lost to J.C. Snead, Andy Williams San Diego Open. 1976: Lost to Woody Blackburn/Bill Kratzert, Walt Disney Team Championship.

NICKLAUS, Jack-11-8: 1962: Lost to Bobby Nichols, Houston Classic. Defeated Arnold Palmer, U.S. Open. 1963: Defeated Gary Player, Palm Springs Golf Classic. Lost to Arnold Palmer, Western Open. 1965: Lost to Doug Sanders, Pensacola Open. Defeated Johnny Pott, Memphis Open. 1966: Defeated Tom Jacobs, Gay Brewer, Masters. 1968: Defeated Frank Beard, Lee Elder, American Golf Classic. 1969: Defeated George Archer, Billy Casper, Don January, Kaiser International. 1970: Defeated Arnold Palmer, Byron Nelson Classic. 1971: Lost to Gardner Dickinson, Atlanta Golf Classic, Lost to Lee Trevino, U.S. Open. 1972: Defeated Johnny Miller, Bing Crosby Pro-Am. Lost to Bobby Mitchell, Tournament of Champions, 1973; Defeated Orville Moody, Ray Floyd, Bing Crosby Pro-Am. Defeated Miller Barber, New Orleans, 1974; Lost to Johnny Miller, World Open, 1975; Lost to Tom Weiskopf, Canadian Open. Defeated Billy Casper, World Open.

OOSTERHUIS, Peter - 1974: Lost to Lee Elder, Monsanto Open.

PALMER, Arnold - 14-10: 1956: Defeated Ted Kroll, Insurance City Open, 1957: Defeated Doug Ford. Rubber City Open. 1958: Lost to Howie Johnson, Azalea Open Internat'l. 1959: Defeated Gay Brewer, Pete Cooper, West Palm Beach Open Invit. 1960: Lost to Bill Collins, Houston Classic. Defeated Bill Collins, Jack Fleck, Insurance City Open. 1961: Defeated Al Balding, San Diego Open. Defeated Doug Sanders, Phoenix Open. Lost to Doug Ford, "500" Festival Open. 1962: Defeated Gary Player, Dow Finsterwald, Masters. Defeated Johnny Pott, Colonial Nat'l Invit. Lost to Jack Nicklaus, U.S. Open. 1963: Defeated Paul Harney, Thunderbird Classic. Lost to Julius Boros, U.S. Open. Defeated Tommy Aaron, Tony Lema, Cleveland Open. Defeated Julius Boros, Jack Nicklaus, Western Open. 1964: Lost to Gary Player, Pensacola Open. Lost to Tony Lema, Cleveland Open. 1966: Lost to Doug Sanders, Bob Hope Desert Classic. Defeated Gay Brewer, Tournament of Champions. Lost to Billy Casper, U.S. Open. 1968: Defeated Deane Beman, Bob Hope Desert Classic. 1970: Lost to Jack Nicklaus, Byron Nelson Golf Classic. 1971: Defeated Ray Floyd, Bob Hope Desert Classic.

PLAYER, Gary-3-11: 1958: Lost to Sam Snead, Greenbrier Invit. Lost to Sam Snead, Dallas Open Invit. 1959: Lost to Don Whitt, Memphis Open Invit. 1961: Lost to Jay Hebert, American Golf Classic. 1962: Lost to Arnold Palmer, Masters. Lost to Lionel Hebert, Memphis Open. 1963: Lost to Jac! Nicklaus, Palm Springs Golf Classic. 1964: Defeated Arnold Palmer, Miller Barber, Pensacola Open. 1965: Defeated Ken Nagle, U.A. Open. 1967: Lost to Miller Barber, Oklahoma City Open. 1968: Lost to Steve Reid, Azalea Open. 1971: Defeated Hal Underwood, Jacksonville Open. Lost to Tom

Weiskopf, Kemper Open. 1975: Lost to Al Geiberger, Tournament of Champions.

RODGERS, Phil - 0-1: 1965: Lost to Dick Hart, Azalea Open.

RODRIGUEZ, Chi Chi-3-1: 1964: Defeated Don January, Lucky International Open. 1966: Lost to Jacky Cupit, Cajun Classic. 1968: Defeated Dale Douglass, Sahara Invit. 1972: Defeated Billy Casper, Byron Nelson Golf Classic

RUDOLPH, Mason - 0-1: 1963: Lost to George Knudson, Portland Open Invit.

SCHLEE, John - 0-1: 1973: Lost to Ed Sneed, Kaiser Open.

SIFFORD, Charles-2-0: 1957: Defeated Eric Monti, Long Beach Open. 1969: Defeated Harold Henning, L.A. Open

SIKES, Dan-0-2: 1962: Lost to Bobby Nichols, Houston Classic. 1973: Lost to Lanny Wadkins, Byron Nelson Classic.

SIKES, R. H. -0-1: 1969: Lost to Dave Hill, IVB-Philadelphia Classic.

SNEAD, J.C .- 1-1: 1971: Lost to George Archer, Hartford Open. 1975: Defeated Ray Floyd, Bobby

Nichols, Andy Williams San Diego Open.

SNEAD, Sam - 8-6: 1945: Defeated Byron Nelson, Gulfport Open. Lost to Byron Nelson, Charlotte Open. 1947: Lost to Lew Worsham, U.S. Open. 1949: Defeated Lloyd Mangrum, Greater Greensboro Open. 1950: Defeated Ben Hogan, L.A. Open. Tied with Jack Burke, Dale Douglass, Smiley Quick, Crosby Pro-Am (no playoff, equal money). Lost to Jim Ferrier, St. Paul Open, 1952; Lost by forfeit to Doug Ford, Jacksonville Open, 1953; Lost to Earl Stewart, Greensboro Open, 1954; Defeated Ben Hogan, Masters. 1955: Defeated Tommy Bolt, Miami Beach Open. 1956: Defeated Fred Wampler, Greensboro Open. 1958: Defeated Gary Player, Greenbrier Invit. Defeated Gary Player, Julius Boros, John McMullin, Dallas Open Invit. Lost to George Bayer, Havana International.

SNEED, ED-1-0: 1973: Defeated John Schlee, Kaiser Internat'l Open.

STILL, Ken-1-0: 1970: Defeated Bert Yancey, Lee Trevino, Kaiser In ternational Open

TREVINO, Lee-5-2: 1970: Defeated Bob Murphy, Tucson Open. Defeated Bob Menne, National Airlines Open. Lost to Ken Still, Kaiser Internat'l Open. 1971: Defeated Jack Nicklaus, U.S. Open. Lost to Tom Weiskopf, Kemper Open. Defeated Art Wall, Canadian Open. 1972: Defeated Lee Elder, Hartford Open.

WADKINS, Lanny-1-1: 1972: Lost to Homero Blancas, Phoenix Open. 1973: Defeated Dan Sikes, Byron Nelson Golf Classic

WALL, Art - 6-5: 1953: Lost to Earl Steward, Greensboro Open. Defeated Cary Middlecoff, Fort Wayne Open. 1956: Defeated Bill Trombley, Gardner Dickinson, Fort Wayne Open. 1958: Defeated Jack Burke, Bob Rosburg, Eastern Open Invit. Defeated Dow Finsterwald, Rubber City Open. 1959: Defeated Dow Finsterwald, Buick Open. 1960: Lost to Stan Leonard, Western Open. 1962: Lost to Bob Goalby, Insurance City Open. 1964: Defeated Jay Dolan, Puerto Rico Open. 1967: Lost to Billy Casper, Canadian Open. 1971: Lost to Lee Trevino, Canadian Open.

WEAVER, DeWitt-1-0: Defeated Chuck Courtney, Southern Open.

WEISKOPF, Tom-2-2: 1966: Lost to Doug Sanders, Greensboro Open. 1969: Lost to Gene Littler, Greater Greensboro Open. 1971: Defeated Dale Douglass, Gary Player, Lee Trevino, Kemper Open. 1975: Defeated Jack Nicklaus, Canadian Open.

WIECHERS, Jim-0-1: 1969: Lost to Bob Goalby, Robinson Open.

YANCEY, Bert – 2-2: 1969: Defeated Bruce Devlin, Atlanta Classic. 1970: Lost to Ken Still, Kaiser Internat'l. 1971: Lost to Labron Harris, Robinson Open. 1972: Defeated Tom Ulozas, American Golf Classic.

ZARLEY, Kermit - 0-1: 1976: Lost to Hale Irwin, Florida Citrus Open.

ZIEGLER, Larry-1-1: 1969: Defeated Homero Blancas, Michigan Golf Classic. 1972: Lost to Lou Graham, Liggett & Myers Open.

### **ALL-TIME TOUR WINNERS**

1. Sam Snead	84	19. Mike Souchak	16
2. Ben Hogan	62	20. Dutch Harrison	15
3. Arnold Palmer	61	Paul Runyan	15
4. Jack Nicklaus	60	Tommy Bolt	15
5. Byron Nelson	54	Jack Burke, Jr	15
6. Billy Casper	51	Bruce Crampton	15
7. Lloyd Mangrum	34	25. Art Wall	14
8. Cary Middlecoff	33	26. Dave Hill	13
9 Jimmy Demaret	31	27. Dow Finsterwald	12
10. Gene Littler	28	Bobby Nichols	12
11. Jim Ferrier	21	Don January	12
12. Doug Sanders	20	George Archer	12
13. Doug Ford	19	31. Bob Goalby	11
Lee Trevino	19	Frank Beard	11
15. Julius Boros	18	Gay Brewer	11
Gary Player	18	Tom Weiskopf	11
17. Harold McSpaden	17	Hubert Green	11
Johnny Miller	17	Dave Stockton	11

The Championship

The second edition of the new World Series of Golf—truly "The Championship of world class players"—will be contested over the South Course of Firestone Country Club, Akron, Ohio, September 2-5 1977. Again, the purse will be \$300,000 with \$100,000 going to the Champion.

Players eligible for the 1977 Championship include:

- The defending Champion, Jack Nicklaus.
- Winner, 1977 Touranment Players Championship.
- Winner, 1977 PGA Championship.
- Winner, 1977 U.S. Open.
- · Winner, 1977 British Open.
- · Winner, 1977 Masters.
- Winner, 1976 U.S. Amateur (provided he is still an amateur).
- Winner, 1977 British Amateur (provided he is still an amateur).
- Winner, 1977 Western Open.
- · Winner, 1977 Canadian Open.
- Individual low scorer in 1976 World Cup.
- Winners of 1976-77 Winter Tour, 1977 Spring Tour and 1977 Summer Tour—if not otherwise eligible. If otherwise eligible then the first player on the point list not otherwise eligible will be selected.
- Winners of two or more cosponsored events on the PGA Tour in the preceding 12month period.
- Winners or leaders of the Order of Merit rating systems in Britain, Australia, Japan, South Africa and the Asian Golf Circuit.
- Five leaders on the PGA Tour Official Scoring Average list, beginning Jan. 1, 1977, and concluding Aug. 28, 1977.
- Five leaders on the PGA Tour Official Money List, beginning Jan. 1, 1977 and concluding Aug. 28, 1977.

### Winter, Spring and Summer Tour Point Races

The PGA Tour schedule has been divided into three seasonal segments to give continuity to the individual tournaments and to honor players who have performed well during the various seasons. The segments are known as the:

- WINTER TOUR, which started with the 1976 World Open and which will conclude with the Glen Campbell Los Angeles Open, Feb. 20, 1977.
- SPRING TOUR, which will start with the Jackie Gleason-Inverrary Classic, Feb. 24, and will conclude with the Atlanta Classic, May 29.
- SUMMER TOUR, which will start with the Kemper Open, June 2, and conclude with the Colgate Hall of Fame Classic, Aug. 28.

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.



The World Series of Golf trophy was designed by sculptor John Safer, of Rockville, Md.



A handsome goldplated money clip, with a genuine ruby, is given to each seasonal champion.

# Jack Nicklaus Wins the 1976 TPC and The Championship of the World

The year 1976 marked the beginning of an important sports spectacle, the enlarged World Series of Golf. It was a brilliant start to what is expected to quickly become the premier competition in golf.

Because of its rigid qualifications, the World Series field is an exclusive gathering of the day's champions from around the globe. A player must be a champion just to get into the starting field for the \$300,000 joust. Consequently the World Series already has been placed on a level above the traditional "majors" of the game.

It was fitting that the first of the new World Series was won by the golfer who is recognized as the best of our times, Jack Nicklaus. He qualified for the field by winning the Tournament Players Championship earlier in the year. The TPC brings together the most talented field of the year, with more depth of good players than any other championship. It seemed appropriate that the best of the TPC became the best of the world.

An Ohio native, Nicklaus has always felt at home on the South Course of Firestone Country Club in Akron, Ohio. Again, in the new World Series, Jack proved that his combination of strength and keen putting touch are just what is required at Firestone. His 68-70-69-68—275 separated himself by four strokes from the remainder of the 20-man field.

Hale Irwin finished with a 67 for 279 and second place while Dave Hill took third with 280. Ironically, Hill led the field in hitting the greens in regulation strokes or better, but he was last in the field in putting skill.

History repeated itself in the 1976 Tournament Players Championship, although the event was only in its third year.

The 1976 TPC was a carbon copy of the 1974 TPC, which was held at Atlanta Country Club, Atlanta, Ga., in that the winner and runnerup were the same—Jack Nicklaus and J.C. Snead, in that order.

At the Inverrary Country Club, Lauderhill, Fla., rain marred much of the early rounds in 1976—as it had in 1974. And, like the TPC of two years before, part of the first round's play was suspended and the round had to be completed on the following morning.

But in 1976 the entire third round was washed out early in the day by the unplayable conditions. The next morning, however, the Fort Lauderdale New's headline read: "The TPC At Inver-rainy Goes On."

It did indeed and it proved to be one of Jack Nicklaus' more spectacular efforts. Jack's card read 66-70-68-65—269. He was 19 under par on the rain-soddened course which measured 7,127 yards. His 72-hole total established a new TPC record—one below Al Geiberger's winning score in 1975 at Colonial Country Club, Fort Worth, Texas. Jack's total also was four-under the previous tournament record at Inverrary, which Bob Murphy had set in winning the 1975 Jackie Gleason Inverrary Classic.

Jack Nicklaus receives trophies from Commissioner Beman for winning the 1976 World Series of Golf (below) and the 1976 Tournament Players Championship (right) as wife, Barbara, watches.





# 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 Approved 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 competition 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 tournament. 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 1976 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 Golf Plantation, North Myrtle Beach, S.C. June 8-13, 1976

Name	Home	Pos.			Sc	ore	8	
Woody Blackburn	Jacksonville, Fla.	T-1	73	71	68	70	72	72-426
Robert Shearer	Melbourne, Australia	T-1	70	71	68	70	72	75-426
Bill Calfee	Tampa, Fla.	3	75	74	70	70	71	71 - 431
Al Brooks	Campbell, Calif.	T-4	73	76	73	72	70	68-432
Sam Farlow	Birmingham, Ala.	T-4	71	72	72	67	77	73-432
Bill Kratzert	Fort Wayne, Ind.	T-4	68	74	73	69	74	74-432
Jeff Hewes	Santa Barbara, Calif.	7	71	75	73	73	70	72-434
Morris Hatalsky	Las Vegas, Nev.	T-8	75	72	72	75	69	73-436
Bob Impaglia	Auburn, N.Y.	T-8	70	68	75	74	74	75-436
David Lind	Glen Ellyn, III.	T-8	72	70	73	75	73	73-436
Bill Brask	Vista, Calif.	11	70	74	71	73	73	76-437
Mike Craven	Irving, Tex.	T-12	74	72	74	73	74	71 - 438
Jim Knoll	Mountain View, Calif.	T-12	71	72	72	74	75	74-438
Elroy Marti	Houston, Tex.	T-12	72	76	73	71	74	72-438
Craig Stadler	La Jolla, Calif.	T-12	72	70	72	75	72	77-438

### 1976 Fall Qualifying School

The 1976 Fall Qualifying School was held December 9–17 at Rancho Viejo Country Club, Brownsville, Texas. The printing deadline for this Guide prevented the inclusion of thumbnail sketches of the qualifiers. Sketches will be published in the Guide's Supplement No. 1 early in 1977. Meanwhile, copies of the thumbnails may be obtained on Tour or through the Washington office.

### 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:

(1) 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

Year	Played at	Date	F	Result			
1927	Worcester Country Club, Worcester, Mass	June 3-4	U.S.	91/2	Britian	21/2	
1929	Moortown, England	April 27-28	Britain	7	U.S.	5	
1931	Scioto Country Club, Columbus, Ohio	June 26-27	U.S.	9	Britain	3	
1933	Southport & Ainsdale Courses, England	June 26-27	Britain	61/2	U.S.	51/2	
1935	Ridgewood Country Club, Ridgewood, N.J.	Sept. 28-29	U.S.	9	Britain	3	
1937	Southport & Ainsdale Courses, England	June 29-30	U.S.	8	Britain	4	
	Ryder Cup Matches not held d	uring World War	Il years.				
1947	Portland Golf Club, Portland, Oregon	Nov. 1-2	U.S.	11	Britain	1	
1949	Ganton Golf Course, Scarborough, England	Sept. 16-17	U.S.	7	Britain	5	
1951	Pinehurst Country Club, Pinehurst, N.C.	Nov. 2-4	U.S.	91/2	Britain	21/2	
1953	Wentworth, England	Oct. 2-3	U.S.	61/2	Britain	51/2	
1955	Thunderbird Ranch and Country Club,						
	Palm Springs, Calif.	Nov.5-6	U.S.	8	Britain	4	
1957	Lindrick Golf Club, Yorkshire, England	Oct. 4-5	Britain	71/2	U.S.	41/2	
1959	Eldorado Country Club, Palm Desert, Calif.	Nov. 6-7	U.S.	81/2	Britain	31/2	
1961	Royal Lytham and St. Anne's Golf Club,						
	St. Anne's-On-The-Sea, England	Oct. 13-14	U.S.	141/2	Britain	91/2	
1963	East Lake Country Club, Atlanta, Georgia	Oct. 11-13	U.S.	23	Britain	9	
1965	Royal Birkdale Golf Club, Southport, England	Oct. 7-9	U.S.	191/2	Britain	121/2	
1967	Champions Golf Club, Houston	Oct. 20-22	U.S.	231/2	Britain	81/2	
1969	Royal Birkdale Golf Club, Southport, England	Sept. 18-20	U.S.	16-Tie	Britain	16	
1971	Old Warson Country Club, St. Louis, Mo.	Sept. 16-18	U.S.	181/2	Britain	131/2	
1973	Muirfield, Scotland	Sept. 20-22	U.S.	18	Britain	13	
1975	Laurel Valley Golf Club, Ligonier, Pa.	Sept 19-21	U.S.	21	Britain	11	

RECAPITULATION: 21 Events - U.S. 17 wins - Great Britain 3 wins - Ties 1.

### Ryder Cup Matches (cont'd.)

# 1975 Match Results

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. AI 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 6½, Great Britain-Ireland 1½.

#### 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 12½, Great Britain-Ireland 3½

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 2½

### SUNDAY

Morning Singles

Murphy, USA, defeated Jacklin, GBI, 2 ar. 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 17½, Great Britain-Ireland 6½ 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 The Professional Golfers' Association of Great Britain at Royal Lytham and St. Annes Golf Club in Lancashire, September 15-17.

Points for the United States team are awarded to eligible players starting with the 1976 Milwaukee Open through the 1977 Western Open.

The 1977 PGA Champion and the winner of the 1977 World Series of Golf will automatically become members of the 1977 U.S. Ryder Cup team, if otherwise eligible.

Points are awarded to the first 10 positions in each tournament during the appropriate time period on the following basis:

PGA Championship and World Series of Golf: 1st-115; 2nd-70; 3rd-45; 4th-35; 5th-30; 6th-25; 7th-20; 8th-15; 9th-10; 10th-10.

All other events: 1st-70; 2nd-42; 3rd-28; 4th-21; 5th-18; 6th-14; 7th-11; 8th-10; 9th-8; 10th-6. If a player who is eligible finishes in one of those positions, no points are awarded for that position.

### 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 Henry 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	1959	Art Wall	70.35
1938	Sam Snead	520	1960	Billy Casper	69.95
1939	Byron Nelson	473	1961	Arnold Palmer	69.85
1940	Ben Hogan	423	1962	Arnold Palmer	70.27
1941	Ben Hogan	494	1963	Billy Casper	70.58
1942-			1964	Arnold Palmer	70.01
1946-	No Award-World War II		1965	Billy Casper	70.85
1947	Jimmy Demaret	69.90	1966	Billy Casper	70.27
1948	Ben Hogan	69.30	1967	Arnold Palmer	70.18
1949	Sam Snead	69.37	1968	Billy Casper	69.82
1950	Sam Snead	69.23	1969	Dave Hill	70.34
1951	Lloyd Mangrum	70.05	1970	Lee Trevino	70.64
1952	Jack Burke	70.54	1971	Lee Trevino	70.27
1953	Lloyd Mangrum	70.22	1972	Lee Trevino	70.89
1954	E. J. Harrison	70.41	1973	Bruce Crampton	70.57
1955	Sam Snead	69.86	1974	Lee Trevino	70.53
1956	Cary Middlecoff	70.35	1975	Bruce Crampton	70.51
1957	Dow Finsterwald	70.30	1976	Don January	70.56
1958	Bob Rosburg	70.11			

<sup>\*</sup>Point system used, 1937-'41.

### 1976 LEADERS FOR VARDON TROPHY

Pos	. Player	Rounds	Average	Pos. Player	Rounds	Average
1.	Don January	96	70.56	<ol><li>Tom Watson</li></ol>	94	70.93
2.	Hale Irwin	84	70.65	7. Al Geiberger	97	70.95
3.	Lee Trevino	80	70.67	<ol><li>Tom Weiskopf</li></ol>	84	71.05
4.	Hubert Green	101	70.76	9. Lee Elder	94	71.10
5.	Ray Floyd	88	70.87	10. Tom Kite	103	71.13

### PGA PLAYER-OF-THE-YEAR AWARD

1948-Ben Hogan	1957-Dick Mayer	1967-Jack Nicklaus
1949-Sam Snead	1958 - Dow Finsterwald	1968-Not Awarded
1950-Ben Hogan	1959-Art Wall	1969-Orville Moody
1951-Ben Hogan	1960-Arnold Palmer	1970-Billy Casper
1952-Julius Boros	1961 - Jerry Barber	1971-Lee Trevino
1953-Ben Hogan	1962-Arnold Palmer	1972-Jack Nicklaus
1954-Ed Furgol	1963-Julius Boros	1973-Jack Nicklaus
1955-Doug Ford	1964-Ken Venturi	1974-Johnny Miller
1956-Jack Burke	1965-Dave Marr	1975-Jack Nicklaus
	1966-Billy Casper	1976-Jack Nicklaus

Each year the PGA of America honors the Tour's leading player by presenting him the PGA Player-of-the-Year Award.

The award now is made on the basis of playing record for the year. Points are awarded on the following basis: 25 points to winner of PGA, World Series of Golf and U.S. Open. 10 points to winners of all other co-sponsored or approved events, including Masters, Canadian and British Opens. Points also awarded to top 10 on the year's money list and top 10 on year's scoring average list (10 for first, nine for second, eight for third, etc. down to one for 10th).

# WINNERS OF MAJOR U.S. AMATEUR EVENTS

	NCAA Champions (Since 1949)	U.	S. Amateur Champions (Since 1949)		U.S. Public Links Champions (Since 1949)
Year	Winner	Year	Match Play		Match Play
1949	Harvie Ward, North Carolina	1949	Charles R. Coe	1949	Kenneth J. Towns
1950	Fred Wampler, Purdue	1950	Sam Urzetta	1950	Stanley Bielat
1951	Tom Nieporte, Ohio State	1951	Billy Maxwell		Dave Stanley
1952	Jim Vickers, Oklahoma	1952	Jack Westland		Omer L. Bogan
1953	Earl Moeller, Oklahoma State	1953	Gene A. Littler	1953	Ted Richards, Jr.
1954	Hillman Robbins, Memphis St.	1954	Arnold Palmer	7.75	Gene Andrews
1955	Joe Campbell, Purdue	1955	E. Harvie Ward, Jr.	1955	Sam D. Kocsis
1956	Rick Jones, Ohio State	1956	E. Harvie Ward, Jr.		James H. Buxbaum
1957	Rex Baxter, Jr., Houston	1957	Hillman Robbins, Jr.		Don Essig, III
1958	Phil Rodgers, Houston	1958	Charles R. Coe		Daniel D. Sikes, Jr.
1959	Dick Crawford, Houston	1959	Jack W. Nicklaus	- CARS CO. 1971	William A. Wright
1960	Dick Crawford, Houston	1960	Deane R. Beman		Verne Callison
1961	Jack Nicklaus, Ohio State	1961	Jack W. Nicklaus		Richard H. Sikes
1962	Kermit Zarley, Houston		Labron E. Harris, Jr.		Richard H. Sikes
1963	R. H. Sikes, Arkansas	1963	Deane R. Beman		Robert Lunn
1964	Terry Small, San Jose State	1964	William C. Campbell	70.7	William McDonald
1965	Marty Fleckman, Houston				Arne Dokka
1966	Bob Murphy, Florida		Stroke Play	1966	Lamont Kaser
1967	Hale Irwin, Colorado	1965	Robert J. Murphy 29	1	
1968	Grier Jones, Okla. State		Gary Cowan 28		Stroke Play
1969	Bob Clark, Los Angeles St.		Robert B. Dickson 28		7 Verne Callison 287
1970	John Mahaffey, Houston	1968	Bruce Fleisher 28		8 Gene Towry 292
1971	Ben Crenshaw, Texas		Steven N. Melnyk 28		9 J. M. Jackson 292
1972	Ben Crenshaw, Texas		Lanny Wadkins *27		O Robert Risch 293
	Tom Kite, Texas		Gary Cowan 28		'1 Fred Haney 290
1973	Ben Crenshaw, Texas	1972	Vinny Giles 28		2 Bob Allard 285
1974	Curtis Strange, Wake Forest				3 Stan Stopa 294
1975	Jay Haas, Wake Forest		Match Play	197	4 Chas. Barenaba 290
1976	Scott Simpson, S. California		Craig Stadler	Second	
			Jerry Pate		tch Play
			Fred Ridley	0.000	5 Chas. Barenaba
		1976	Bill Sander	197	'6 Eddie Mudd

NCAA Tournament began in 1897. Individual championship determined at match play prior to 1965 when 72-hole stroke-play format was adopted.

### 1976 National Open Long Driving Championship

Congressional Country Club Bethesda, Maryland August 11, 1976

The 1976 National Open Long Driving Championship was jointly sponsored by the PGA Tour and Golf Digest. Each contestant was permitted to hit three golf balls but the shot had to come to rest within the fairway to be measured.

In the two previous years, The PGA Tour Long Drive Contest was won by Jim Dent. In 1974 Dent hit a drive of 324, eight inches and in 1975 he won with a drive of 317 yards, three inches. The 1976 results were:

 1. Evan Williams, Leonia, N.J.
 307 yds. 23 ins.
 6. Terry Forcum, Ponca City, Ok. 283 yds. 16 ins.
 2. Jeoffrey Long, Ft. Mitchell, Ky. 298 yds.
 7 ins.
 7. Bruce Lietzke, Beaumont, Tex. 282 yds. 27 ins.
 229 yds. 3 ins.
 8. Cotton Dunn, Danvers, Mass. 279 yds. 14 ins.
 279 yds. 14 ins.

 4. Jim Dent, St. Petersburg, Fla. 5. Warren Kovar, Houston, Tex. 292 yds.
 292 yds. 1 in.
 10. Bill Eastep, Scottsborough, Ala. 271 yds. 9 ins.

<sup>\*</sup>Record score for stroke play.

# PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTION CHARTS

201									200
\$100			50,000		175,0			200,0	
PLACE	PRIZE	PLAC		PLA		PRIZE	PLA		PRIZE
1	\$20,000		- \$30,000	1		35,000	1		40,000
2	11,400		- 17,100	2		19,950	2		22,800
3	7,100		- 10,650	3		12,425	3		14,200
4	4,700		- 7,050	4		8,225	4		9,400
5	4,100		- 6,150	5	-	7,175	5		8,200
6	3,600		- 5,400	6		6,300	6		7,200
7	3,200		- 4,800	7		5,600	7		6,400
8	2,950		- 4,425	8		5,163	8		5,900
9	2,700		- 4,050	9		4,725	9		5,400
10	2,500		- 3,750	10		4,375	10 11		5,000
11	2,300		- 3,450	11		4,025			4,600
12	2,100		- 3,150	12		3,675	12		4,200 3,800
13	1,900		- 2,850 - 2,700	13		3,325 3,150	14		3,600
14	1,800		- 2,700 - 2,550	15		2,975	15		3,400
15	1,700	2.44	- 2,400	16		2,800	16		3,200
16 17	1,600	17 -	- 2,250	17		2,625	17		3,000
17	1,500		- 2,100	18		2,450	18		2,800
19	1,300		- 1,950	19		2,275	19		2,600
20	1,200		- 1,800	20		2,100	20		2,400
21	1,100		- 1,650	21		1,925	21		2,200
22	1,000		- 1,500	22	-	1,750	22		2,000
23	940		- 1,410	23	_	1,645	23		1,880
24	880		- 1,320	24		1,540	24		1,760
25	830		- 1,245	25		1,453	25		1,660
26	800		- 1,200	26		1,400	26		1,600
27	770		- 1,155	27		1,348	27		1,540
28	740		- 1,110	28		1,295	28		1,480
29	710		- 1,065	29		1,243	29		1,420
30	680		- 1,020	30		1,190	30		1,360
31	650	31 -	- 975	31		1,138	31		1,300
32	620		930	32		1,085	32		1,240
33	590	33 -	- 885	33		1,033	33		1,180
34	565	34 -	848	34		989	34		1,130
35	540	35 -	810	35		945	35		1,080
36	515	36 -	772	36		901	36		1,030
37	490	37 -	735	37		857	37		980
38	470	38 -	705	38		822	38		940
39	450	39 -	675	39		787	39		900
40	430		645	40		752	40		860
41	410	41 -	595	41		717	41		820
42	390		585	42		682	42		780
43	370		555	43		647	43		740
44	350	44 -	525	44		612	44		700
45	330		495	45		577	45		660
46	310		465	46		542	46		620
47	290	47 -	435	47		507	47		580
48	270		405	48		472	48		540
49	260		390	49		455	49		520
50	250	50 -	375	50		438	50		500
51	245		367	51		429	51		490
52	240		360	52		420	52 53		480
53	235	53 -	353	53		411	54		470
54	230		345	54		403	55		460 450
55			337	55		394	56		440
56			330	56 57		385	57		430
57			323			376	58		420
58 59			315 307	58 59		368 359	59		410
				60			60		400
60			300 293	61		350 341	61		390
-				62		333	62		380
62			285 277	63		324	63		370
64				64		315	64		360
65			270 263	65		306	65		350
66			255	66		298	66		340
67			247	67		289	67		330
68			- 240	68		280	68		320
69			233	69		271	69		310
70			225	70		263	70		300

Prize	Money I	Distribu	ution	Charts	(cont'd.)
\$225,000	\$250			300,000	PRO-AM
PLACE PRIZE	PLACE	PRIZE	PLAC		CHARTS
1 \$45,000		\$50,000		\$60,000	\$5,000
2 25,650 3 15,975	2	28,500	877	34,200	Individual
3 —— 15,975 4 —— 10,575	3	17,750 11,750		21,300 14,100	& Team
5 9,225	5	10,250	1	12,300	PLACE PRIZE
6 8,100	6	9,000		10,800	1 \$ 500
7 7,200	7	8,000	7 -	9,600	2 400 3 350
8 6,650	8	7,375		8,850	4 300
9 6,075	9	6,750		8,100	5 250
10 5,625 11 5,175	10 11	6,250 5,750	4.7	7,500 6,900	6 200
12 4,725	12	5,250	12.2	6,900 6,300	7 155
13 4,275	13	4,750		5,700	8 130
14 4,050	14	4,500	14 -	5,400	9 115 10 100
15 3,825	15	4,250		5,100	\$7,500
16 3,600	16	4,000	0.000	4,800	Individual
17 3,375 18 3,150	17 18	3,750		4,500	& Team
18 —— 3,150 19 —— 2,925	18	3,500 3,250		4,200 3,900	PLACE PRIZE
20 2,700	20	3,000		3,600	1 \$ 750
21 2,475	21	2,750		3,300	2 600 3 525
22 2,250	22	2,500	22 -	3,000	3 525 4 450
23 2,125	23	2,350		2,820	5 375
24 1,975	24	2,200		2,640	6 300
25 1,875 26 1,800	25 —— 26 ——	2,075		2,490	7 225
26 1,800 27 1,725	26 —— 27 ——	2,000 1,925		2,400 2,310	8 200
28 1,650	28	1,850		- 2,220	9 175
29 1,600	29	1,775		2,130	10 150 <b>\$10,000</b>
30 1,525	30	1,700	30 -	2,040	Individual
31 1,475	31	1,625		1,950	& Team
32 1,400	32	1,550		1,860	PLACE PRIZE
33 1,325 34 1,275	33 34	1,475 1,413		1,770 1,695	1 \$1,000
35 1,225	35	1,350		1,695 1,620	2 800
36 1,160	36	1,287		1,545	3 700 4 600
37 1,100	37	1,225	37 -	1,470	4 600 5 500
38 1,060	28	1,175		1,410	6 400
39 —— 1,015 40 —— 965	39	1,125		1,350	7 310
40 965 41 925	40 —— 41 ——	1,075 1,025		1,290 1,230	8 260
42 875	42	975		1,170	9 230
43 830	43	925		1,110	10 200
44 790	44	875	44 -	1,050	
45 740	45	825	0.5	990	
46 700 47 650	46 47	775		930	
47 650 48 610	47 —— 48 ——	725 675	47 - 48 -	870 810	
49 585	49	650		- 780	
50 565	50	625	50 -	- 750	
51 550	51	613	51 -	735	
52 540	52	600	52 -	720	
53 525 54 515	53	587	53 -	705	
54 — 515 55 — 505	54 —— 55 ——	575 563	54 - 55 -	690 675	
56 495	56	550	-	660	
57 485	57	537		- 645	
58 475	58	525	58 -	630	
59 460	59	513		615	
60 450 61 435	60	500		600	
00	61	487	61 -	585 570	
63 420	62 63	475 463		570 555	
64 400	64	450	64 -	540	
65 390	65	437		525	
66 380	66	425	66 -	510	
67 370 68 360	67	413	67 -	495	
000	68	400	68 -	480	
70 — 350 340	69 —— 70 ——	387 375	69 – 70 –	465 450	
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## **Seasonal Tour Point Standings**

### WINTER TOUR

1. Johnny Miller314.00
2. Hale Irwin 260.50
3. Jack Nicklaus 231.00
4. Ben Crenshaw 224.00
5. J. C. Snead 206.00
6. Don January177.24
7. Dave Hill 145.17
8. Rik Massengale 114.00
9. Mike Morley 100.92
10. Bob Gilder100.00
10. Hubert Green 100.00

### SPRING TOUR

1. Hubert Green 365.50
2. Lee Trevino 175.00
3. Tom Kite 173.00
4. Ray Floyd 171.84
5. Mark Hayes 169.67
6. Don January 154.66
7. Gibby Gilbert 140.96
8. Al Geiberger 137.50
9. Ben Crenshaw 132.00
10 Larry Ziegler 129.00

### SUMMER TOUR

	1. Jerry Pate 220.25
	2. David Graham 218.25
	3. Al Geiberger193.00
	4. Buddy Allin 129.97
	5. Bob Wynn 127.43
	6. Rik Massengale 123.63
	7. Ben Crenshaw 122.31
	8. Dave Hill
	9. John Lister 109.43
١	0. Ed Sneed 104.47

# 1976 FOREIGN EVENTS WON BY PGA TOUR MEMBERS

South African PGA

**Holiday Inns Tournament** 

South African Open

**General Motos Classic** 

**South African Dunlop Masters** 

Kerrygold International

**British Open** 

Irish Open

**Piccadilly Match Play** 

**Pacific Masters** 

Australian Open

Canadian PGA

Ontario Open

**Atlantic Open** 

Chrysler Classic, Australia

**New Zealand PGA** 

Garden City Classic, New Zealand

Chunichi Crowns, Japan

**Dale Hayes** 

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**Gary Player** 

**Gary Player** 

Tony Jacklin

**Johnny Miller** 

Ben Crenshaw

**David Graham** 

**Jerry Pate** 

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George Knudson

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**Bob Shearer** 

John Lister

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**David Graham** 

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