

By Bill Travis

Thursday, 7/15/2021, was a special day. The Ironmen and the Shonis had their annual mixer this week with 18 Ironmen and 15 Shonis participating. The field of 6 foursome teams and 3 threesome teams (with similar average handicaps on the Par 3 course) played a team tournament with only the two best balls from each team counting. The weather was perfect; a great day for golf, and the results are as follows:

The First Place team, with a net score of 13 under par and taking 50% of the pot, was comprised of:

Jack Bindon
Prakash Deshmukh
Betty Hall
Tahera Khalil

Second place was a two-way tie between teams with net scores 12 under par. The tie was broken by comparing the team's scores on the longest hole on the course, the 135 yard hole 6. The Second Place team, with a net score of 12 under par and a net 4 on hole 6 and taking 30% of the pot, was comprised of:

Bill Travis
Herb Rogers
Meg Rogers

The Third Place team, with a net score of 12 under par and a net 5 on hole 6 and taking 20% of the pot, was comprised of:

Chuck Benjamin
Patrick McMordie
Lil Yamada

It was a closely scored tournament with the other teams scoring:

- 4) 11 under par
- 5) 10 under par
- 6) 10 under par
- 7) 9 under par
- 8) 7 under par
- 9) 1 under par

Most of the field came by the Clubhouse afterward to hear the results, congratulate the winners, have a drink, visit with neighbors and enjoy the lunch (many thanks to John Yu and his staff for the set-up).

Deep thoughts:

A physicist can describe the perfect golf swing and write it down in scientific language, but the smart golfer doesn't read it. The smart golfer gives it to his/her opponent to contemplate. Dr. Fran Pirozzollo, sports psychologist

A golf swing is a collection of corrected mistakes. Carol Mann, Hall of Fame golfer

