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- The RCGA has developed Canada's first national, centralized web-enabled handicap and communication network service for RCGA members and member clubs.
- The Manitoba Men's Mid - Amateur age eligibility will remain at 40 and over for 2006. The RCGA has decided to change the eligibility for the National Championship to 25+. Golf Manitoba will make this change in 2007.



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The parade of provincial champions from the 2005 season is the feature of this year's cover, keeping with a tradition of saluting the provincial winners. That's Manitoba Golfer of the Year **Garth Collings** in the middle as the main attraction in recognition of his achievements, which included the men's mid-amateur championship and a leading role in Manitoba's victory in the national mid-amateur competition.

Surrounding him, clockwise from the top, are:

Jo-Ann Lindsay, women's senior champion

Jordan Krantz, men's amateur champion

Jesse Skelton, men's junior champion

Gavin Speirs, men's senior champion

Brian Kornelsen, men's match play champion

Dean North, Manitoba CPGA Player of the Year

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FROM THE **Editor's Chair** WITH **Ralph Bagley**

TEEING IT UP is the way to start a golf game and we like to think the preparation for this annual publication is like "teeing it up" for the upcoming golf season. It's interesting each year to look back a little and salute all our provincial champions from the previous season, and it is also interesting to get through the winter and get some idea of what lies ahead on the local golf scene.

We try to keep one eye on the past and one eye on the future as the Journal begins to take form each year, but this year it has been a real chore trying to stay on top of the local developments. It's quite usual for a few staffing moves to be made, but this year it has been a real challenge catching up to the many, many changes which have been made or were still in progress.

We have tried to bring Manitoba golfers up to date with the changes and that is the theme of the article which starts on page 12, but there were still more staff moves going on as we headed for the printers, so you might hear of a few more after you read what is in this issue. Many of you will have heard of most of the changes by the time this is in your hands, but some of you may be surprised by what has transpired. I know I was quite amazed as the list grew with each passing day back in the late part of the winter as clubs scrambled to ensure they had their staffs in place before the season opened.

IT HAS BEEN A TOUGH YEAR in the Bagley household since my dear wife **June** passed away in September and I want to take just a moment to pass on the appreciation of the family for the kind expressions of sympathy and the great feelings of admiration we received from her many golfing friends. We are certainly thankful that her fine golfing accomplishments were recognized with her induction into both the Manitoba Sports Hall of the Fame and the Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame while she was still with us and able to appreciate the honours.

I am thankful that I have the Golf Manitoba Journal to occupy much of my time and fill the great void. I have to give some special thanks to my daughter **Nancy**, who shares many of the duties in putting this annual production together and is largely responsible for making the whole package presentable. The cover design for this issue was her baby and we are proud of the way it turned out.

THE PARADE OF CHAMPIONS continues to be a feature of this annual magazine and it is our way of recognizing those the golfers who won championships and played on our provincial teams in national competitions in the 2005 season. Our buddy **Bob Picken** also comes in for credit in this department. His name appears only on the lead article of the Parade of Champions (pages 27 to 35) but he is the author of all of the stories in this section as he continues to be a keen observer of the competitive side of the sport in our area.

The elected officials and the staff of Golf Manitoba, the Manitoba Division of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association and the Manitoba Golf Superintendents Association have, as always, been very co-operative in providing the information and keeping us updated with what is happening on the Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario golf scene and they help us to achieve our goal of making the Journal a one-stop source of information for the golfers.

In addition to our salute to the champions of the past year, we provide information about the tournament results, an on-going record of the past champions, reports on the Manitoba Golf of Fame inductions and the Golfer of the Year award, an up-to-date directory of all the member clubs of Golf Manitoba and the schedule of tournaments for our amateur men, women and juniors as well as the professional golfers.

A Message from the Executive Director

Each spring, golfers in Manitoba and Northwest Ontario wait in anticipation for Mother Nature to bring back the warm weather so we can go out and play the game we love. We try to predict the first day of spring golf and pray to the golf gods that once the courses open, they will remain open for the season. If this winter is any indication of spring weather, our prayers will be answered and we'll have an early to mid-April start. I try not to dwell on the weather of the past two springs, which created a number of difficulties in the golf industry, and continue to be hopeful of an early start.

With the new season quickly approaching, there are a number of changes and noteworthy items the golfing community of Manitoba and Northwest Ontario should be aware of.

The Royal Canadian Golf Association (RCGA) has developed a new online handicap and communication network which is available to all member clubs at no additional cost. The system, known as the RCGA Network, is designed to replace the existing RCGA stand-alone system and has communication capabilities to assist the RCGA, Golf Manitoba, our member clubs as well as individual members. The RCGA Network operates at its optimum through a high-speed internet band and can also be utilized by a dial-up connection. Information on the new system will be distributed to member clubs in early spring. If you require more information, or would like to sign up, please contact the Golf Manitoba office or Matt MacKay at the RCGA, 1-800-263-0009, ext. 209.

At the January RCGA Annual General meeting, a change in the format for the National Mid-Amateur Championship was approved. The national event will now be open to competitors 25 years and older as opposed to the previous requirement of 40 years and older. Golf Manitoba will wait until 2007 to make the change as plans were already in place for the 2006 format when the RCGA made the change. As a result of this, Manitoba will be sending a 40+ team to the national event. The RCGA also developed a quota system for the new national Mid-Amateur which grants each province a number of spots based on past results. Golf Manitoba was granted 11 spots this year and will develop a qualifying formula to fill these spots from the Mid-Amateur as well as from the 25+ competitors playing in our provincial Amateur Championship.

This year, the USGA released a new version of the Decisions on the Rules of Golf. The biggest amendment states that by local rule, the committee may allow the use of distance measuring devices (Decision 14-3 / 0.5). Our Official's Committee recommended the concept and the Golf Manitoba Board of Directors recently adopted this as a local rule. Similar to golf balls and driver heads, there will be a conforming list of acceptable and



DAVE COMASKEY
Executive Director, Golf Manitoba

non-acceptable tools. A number of devices on the market measure additional things such as humidity and elevation changes which are currently not permitted. Also, the use of a non-conforming distance measuring device is not permitted for the calculation of a handicap. Please be sure your measuring tools are on the conforming list.

Each year, Golf Manitoba provides an extensive tournament schedule. There are no additional tournaments this year but there will be some modifications to existing events. Most notable are the changes made to the Men's Amateur Championship. The field size has been reduced to 144 players from the previous 171, we will now conduct three qualifiers (two during the weekday and the addition of a weekend qualifier) and the cost for the qualifier has been reduced to \$50 from \$70.

Golf Manitoba has placed an emphasis on the Men's Best Ball this year. This tournament is in its third year of existence

and attendance grows each year. We will continue to monitor participation and competitor feedback to evaluate competitor interest. I would encourage all adult males who enjoy a competitive experience similar to the weekly Mundie Putter matches to consider this event. This tournament has major potential to continue growing in popularity.

With the recent amalgamation of our two national bodies, the Canadian Ladies' Golf Association and the Royal Canadian Golf Association, the new national governing body of golf in Canada established a blended fee for members. In the past, the national portions of men's and women's membership dues were different. In 2006, the provincial portion (\$9.00 for adults & \$7.00 for juniors) and the national portion (\$7.00 for adults and \$2.50 for juniors) will be the same.

Golf Manitoba is a not-for-profit association that could not operate as we do without the many hours of service from our dedicated volunteers. Whether it is course rating, starting and scoring, officiating, club representatives, non-playing captains with our many teams, booths and trade shows, our Board of Directors and the committees that report to the Board, the time these people contribute continues to amaze me. On a side note, this past winter we lost a few of our volunteers which included **Les Hembroff**, who was to become President at the AGM in October. Les was an example of someone who devoted himself to Golf Manitoba and his services will be missed. Please take every opportunity to thank our volunteers for generously donating their time.

Enjoy the 2006 golf season.

Director of Player Development reports busy agenda for 2006 season

By **GARTH GOODBRANDSON**
Director of Player Development

Every winter is spent analyzing the previous year's programs as well as planning for the next season. The Player Development Committee, chaired by **Trish Jordan** of Southwood, met regularly to establish a plan to help continue to grow the game in our province. As a result, the Golf Manitoba Player Development Program will have many new development programs in 2006.

Over the past few years, there has been a decline in junior golfers, both at the novice and competitive level. Golf Manitoba plans to offer camps and clinics that will focus on these junior golfers with provincial coaches **Garth Goodbrandson** and **Derek Ingram** spearheading the majority of these programs.

One of the most notable program plans will be an expansion of the partnership with the City of Winnipeg in their week-long summer camps. CPGA Professional **Glen Sirkis** will lead the instruction for the popular camps July through August.

Another exciting new venture for our association is the development of a partnership with **Jason Sweeney** and his staff at The Meadows at East St. Paul Golf Course. Jason and **Glen Sirkis** of the Shooters Golf Center will play key roles in the growth of a "Youth at Risk Program". Sweeney successfully started

the program in 2005 and plans are underway to expand on it this year.

We will continue to grow the McDonald's Small Fry Clinic which has proven to be very well-liked by the young participants. Over 250 kids have attended the first two years of these entry level clinics that are taught by the players of the University of Manitoba Men's and Women's team. The Bison players act as excellent role models for the young golfers and make sure that all the kids have a fun and positive introduction to the game.

Golf Manitoba will continue to offer clinics in schools as well to Golf Manitoba member clubs who do not employ a CPGA Golf Professional. These two programs have been offered for many years and continue to be well received.

Golf Manitoba will also offer many programs for the competitive junior player. A junior team is annually chosen to play in the Men's Mundie Putter League which provides some of Manitoba and Northwest Ontario's top juniors the opportunity to play against some of the top amateur golfers on courses that juniors have seldom played. The team, along with our top junior female players, will also compete in the second annual Golf Manitoba Juniors versus the University of Manitoba Golf Team Matches. The matches were a huge success in the inaugural 2005 season with the U of M Men's team defeating the Juniors 12.5 to 10.5 and the U of M Women's team win-



Garth Goodbrandson

ning 6 to 2. This unique competitive opportunity allowed the juniors to get to know the U of M players as well give them the opportunity to get information on university golf.

A "Practise with the Bisons" day will be available to juniors in May. Male and female juniors, 16 years and younger, will spend a day and get a chance to practise with the Bison team members followed by a round of golf. Bison players will again act as role models and will be prepared to answer any questions on university golf.

Clinics with the focus of a tune-up for the Manitoba Junior will be offered in June. Goodbrandson and Ingram will conduct these clinics to assist juniors in preparing for the provincial championship. Items such as pre-tournament preparation, short game, driving and bunker play will be discussed.

Golf Manitoba directs a large number of resources toward an extensive Junior Program but continues to offer many different programs for the adult player. In a similar manner to the junior program, we will partner with the City of Winnipeg to offer adult golf lessons. Led by the instruction of Glen Sirkis, lessons will be provided for the adult player who is newer to the game and is looking to improve. Anyone interested in either the junior or the adult City of Winnipeg lessons can sign up through the City of Winnipeg Leisure Guide.

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three, one-day Player Development Clinics for both Men and Women covering many aspects of the game. All players who competed the Men's and Women's Amateurs will receive an invitation to these clinics. Anyone else who is interested, please contact our office. In 2005, two successful Women's Regional Clinics were held in Pinawa and Morden. Plans are underway to continue and hopefully expand this program in 2006.

Golf Manitoba is very excited to offer the expertise of the RCGA National Men's Team Coach, **Henry Brunton**. Henry will assist in conducting a University and College Scholarship and junior information night on Monday, May 8. The information provided at this seminar will be very valuable for both parents and young people who are interested or about to embark into a university/college program. On Tuesday, May 9, Henry will provide an extensive club-fitting/equipment information seminar. Henry operates an authorized Titleist Fitting Centre in southern Ontario and is one of the nation's top experts on equipment for all types of players. He will conclude his visit by assisting with the first ever Golf Manitoba's Players Forum. This Forum will include a panel of many of Manitoba's top players to discuss a variety of topics to provide Manitoba players insight on their successes.

University of Manitoba Golf Team

The fall of 2005 will be remembered as a historic time for the University of Manitoba Golf Team. The RCGA Foundation graciously awarded the U of M team with a three-year grant of \$25,000 per year. The grant along with the contributions of The Optimist Club, The Optim-UM Golf tournament and some local business leaders have assisted the team to become one of the top university golf programs in Canada. The

team's budget has grown from \$6,000 in 2000 to \$68,000 in 2005 and will now allow the team to offer scholarships in the fall of 2006.

The team has placed a focus on the players giving back to the game. The athletes are the lead instructors at the McDonald's Small Fry Clinic, will assist Golf Manitoba's junior programs and act as role models for young Manitoba golfers. They have also assisted in three fund-raising charity events in 2005.

Some of the highlights from the 2005 season are:

The Women's Team

- Competed in five events and won the Dragon Invite in Fargo, ND.
- Finished seventh in the 2005 Canadian University Championship.
- Six players finished with a stroke average under 90.
- Angela Klindtworth** was named the team MVP in 2005. Angela was medalist in the Dragon Invite and had an 84.1 stroke average in the fall season.

The Men's Team

- Competed in seven events in 2005 and won UND's Sioux Invite and the Mankato State Invitational tournament in Mankato, MN.
- Finished fourth in the Canadian University Championship.
- Brad Kirton** was named the team MVP in 2005. Brad was tied for Medalist in two tournaments and finished the season with a 72.8 stroke average.
- Seven individual team records were broken in 2005.

Both the University of Manitoba program and the Golf Manitoba Player Development program continue to expand annually. We strive to develop programs to assist Manitoba players with the opportunities to fulfill their golfing goals.

You can't use scores from non-member clubs

Manitoba golfers are reminded that only golf clubs that are members in good standing of the RCGA and Golf Manitoba are permitted to use the RCGA Handicap System, RCGA Software and RCGA Course Rating System and related trademarks and service marks.

Golfers are reminded that scores from non-member clubs are not acceptable for the purpose of maintaining an official RCGA Handicap Factor.

All "away" scores generated at non-member clubs are unacceptable for the purpose of maintaining an official RCGA Handicap Factor. Golfers can contact the Golf Manitoba office or website for a list of clubs which have opted to NOT be members of Golf Manitoba and the RCGA and therefore do not have a valid Course Rating or handicap system.

3 national events in '08

The month of August in 2008 will be a busy period on the Manitoba golf scene with three national championship events slated at Winnipeg courses.

The Royal Canadian Golf Association has scheduled the 2008 Canadian Junior Men's championship for Aug. 4-7 at St. Charles Country Club; the 2008 Canadian Amateur Men's championship for Aug. 8-15 at Niakwa Country Club; and the 2008 Canadian Amateur Women's championship for Aug. 11-15 at Elmhurst Golf and Country Club.

Only one national event is scheduled in Manitoba this year – the 2006 Canadian Senior Men's championship Sept. 18-21 at Glendale Golf and Country Club. There are no national events slated for Manitoba in 2007.

Lou Spado elected president

His rise to the top position came a little earlier than expected, but Lou Spado was fully prepared to take over the chair as president of Golf Manitoba at the association's annual general meeting held Oct. 24 at the Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club.

A member of St. Boniface Golf Club since 1987, the 69-year-old former City of Winnipeg police inspector has served on the Manitoba Golf Association and subsequently Golf Manitoba board since 2000 and his history with the provincial organization dates back to 1992.

He succeeds **Don MacDonald** of Rossmere Country Club as president, moving up after president-elect **Les Hembroff** of the Pinawa Golf Club became ill and then passed away last year.

"I was originally slated to become the president-elect under Les, but plans had to be changed due to his illness," Spado explained. "The move to the presidency came a little earlier than anticipated, but I look forward to the challenge."

He began his association with the provincial organization in 1992 as a volunteer starter and scorer for tournaments. He became a rules official in 1996. Spado served as representative for the St. Boniface Golf Club in 1994 and became a member of the Board of Directors in 2000. He was involved with the amalgamation of the MGA and Manitoba Ladies' Golf Association.

He served as co-chair of the officials committee during the 2005 season and earlier worked with the marketing, membership and tournament committees.

Before joining the St. Boniface club, he was a member of the Winnipeg Canoe Club for 10 years. He served two years on the executive at the Canoe Club and was on the executive at St. Boniface for four years. He also served on the Golden Falcon golf committee and is a past president and still a director of the Grey Owl golf committee.

Before his involvement with golf, his first love in sports was football. He played at the high school and junior levels and is proud of the fact he competed in four Canadian Junior championship games as a member of the Winnipeg Rods before reaching the age of 21. He also coached football at the high school, junior and bantam levels.

Spado and his wife **Pat** have two children – daughter **Cindy Zeglinski** in Maple Ridge, BC, and son **Gordon Spado**, who is following his dad's footsteps as a member of the City of Winnipeg police force. There are four grandchildren, two in BC and two in Winnipeg.

On the golf scene, Spado intends to continue serving as a rules official at some of the Golf Manitoba tournaments because "I really enjoy doing the officiating at tournaments" and one of his major projects during his term of office will be to try to speed up play both in tournaments and in casual golf.

"The pace of play is a real concern, not only to us but throughout the golf world," he said. "I know the USGA is looking into a new model and we have to speed things up for the enjoyment of the game. The onus is really on the



Lou Spado

players to police themselves but we will do whatever is necessary to help keep things moving."

He hopes to see more clubs become involved in raising funds for the golf scholarship fund and he wants to see the number of entries in the provincial men's amateur tournament reduced to 144 players from the 171 in recent seasons.

Golf Manitoba will be looking into the change in the national eligibility for the Mid-Amateur championship, where the RCGA has approved lowering the age from the previous 40 down to 25. It takes effect this season on the national scene and the provincial associations are to make their own decisions.

"I think we will likely have to follow the national rules next year, but we may remain at the 40 limit for this season," Spado said. "The idea is to attract the 25-40 players for this event because many in that age group find it difficult to compete with the young college players in the amateur field."

He has hopes of enlarging the volunteer base for Golf Manitoba, particularly after a season like 2005, when many events had to be changed on short notice due to adverse weather conditions. He also has high praise for the Golf Manitoba staff.

"We really have tremendous stars in the Golf Manitoba office and all of them are very efficient and dedicated in their positions and help to make our job as volunteers much easier," he said. "I really look forward to the coming season because we have a solid board and a solid staff. Since we amalgamated into a single organization, there has been a good mix of males and females in charge of golf in this province."

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Scholarship Fund receives \$10,000 boost

And \$10,000 more in smaller donations

A generous \$10,000 single donation was the highlight of a successful year of growth for the Manitoba Golf Scholarship Fund Inc. and officials anticipate there may be more and/or larger scholarship awards in the very near future.

Dr. Daya K. Gupta, an eye surgeon and ardent golfer, turned over a cheque for \$10,000 to the fund to provide a special \$1,500 scholarship to be awarded in his name over the next seven or more years to the scholarship applicant with the highest scholastic marks. It will be in addition to the other annual scholarship awards provided by the scholarship fund.

"This is a perfect example of the type of major donations we hope to attract as we continue to grow this scholarship program to assist talented young golfers in the continuation of their education," said committee chairman **Jim Scollan** as he accepted the cheque from Dr. Gupta.

"I hope this will go toward helping some young people to continue their education," Dr. Gupta explained. "I feel that education is truly the building block for everything in life. Education is very, very important and I am happy to provide this assistance."

Dr. Gupta is an avid golfer himself and has been a member of Niakwa Country Club for 18 years. He terms himself as an average golfer, with handicap in the 16-18 range, and notes that he is a year-round participant in the sport, having played in several major pro-am events in the company of many star golfers on the PGA Tour over the years. His office walls are lined with pictures of himself and members of many pro-am foursomes and most are also autographed by the professionals in the groups.

Golf is a family sport for the Guptas, with all member of the family also involved in the field of medicine. **Dr. Chander Gupta**, his wife, is a noted gynecologist who was awarded the Order of Manitoba in 2005, and is also active at Niakwa, where she will serve as chairman for the first Pearl of Life tournament in July with proceeds to go toward ovarian cancer research.



Dr. Daya K. Gupta (right) presents cheque for \$10,000 to provide new scholarship to Jim Scollan, president of the Manitoba Golf Scholarship Fund Inc.

His son **Abhay Gupta** was a low handicap player at Niakwa and now resides in California, where he is a plastic surgeon. His daughter **Anjali Gupta** is in general practice and also plays golf at Niakwa.

While this \$10,000 donation will provide an extra scholarship over the next several years, the growth of the Manitoba Golf Scholarship Fund Inc. was further enhanced in this past year with a total of \$10,801 raised through 83 donations from organizations and individuals – an average of \$130 per donation.

It was pointed out that it was the smaller donations in the \$10 to \$50 range that accounted for the largest number of donations in the past year. Fifty-four donations were in that category. There were 12 donations in the \$51 to \$100 range, 15 in the \$101 to \$999 range and two of \$1,000 or more.

Donations have been received from individuals, in memory of individuals as well as from golf clubs and golf groups (many provided through special events in aid of the fund). The fund is a registered charity and tax-deductible receipts are provided for all donations.

The donations are added to the capital base of the fund and the scholarships are provided by the interest revenue earned from that base. Dating back to 1986, a total of \$94,000 in scholarships have been awarded to 101 recipients, including five \$1,000 scholarships in 2005.

The scholarships are awarded annually to individuals who have demonstrated scholastic excellence and have participated in the Manitoba golf community. Application forms are available through the Golf Manitoba office and the deadline for applications is July 1.

The 2005 recipients of \$1,000 scholarships were:

Ashlen Christie of St. Charles Country Club, enrolled in pharmacy at Butler University.

Jill Hardy of Niakwa Country Club, enrolled in pharmacy at the University of Manitoba.

Scott Markham of Niakwa Country Club, enrolled in commerce at the University of Manitoba.

Kaitlin Troop of Clear Lake Golf Course, enrolled in science at Illinois State University.

Tyson Ehnes of Minnewasta Golf and Country Club, enrolled in science at the University of Manitoba, who received the award sponsored by professional golfer **Glen Hnatiuk**.



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Brittany Piche, Cole Roblin claim honours in Optimist Junior event

Kevin Giesbrecht shoots 69 at National competition; 2006 tournament set for June 10, 11

While the annual Manitoba Optimist Junior Open Golf Championship attracts major attention, it is just one of several tournaments of golf sponsored each year by the Optimist International Organization.

The 2006 edition of the Junior Open event is scheduled for June 10 and 11 at the Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club and The Meadows at East St. Paul Golf Course.

The 2005 tournament provided a challenge, having to deal with poor weather and conflicting dates and schedules for players and parents. However, all in all, the players did well and officials look forward to the 2006 season.

The National and International representatives from Manitoba provided the best showing ever in these events and Optimist representatives are proud of their efforts.

The 2005 Manitoba Junior tournament had **Brittany Piche** of the Shilo Golf and Country Club and **Cole Roblin** of Niakwa Country Club emerge as the major winners. As the overall winners in the age 16-18 division, they earned the right to represent Manitoba in the Optimist World International Junior Golf Championship at the PGA National Resort and Spa in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida.

Also representing Manitoba were **Kaitlin Troop** and **Matt Burman**, who qualified in 2004. **Riley Unger**, who qualified at the Optimist Canadian National Championship in the 14-15 Division, also played in the Florida Tournament.

In the Manitoba tournament, Piche was followed in the girls' competition by **Kaitlin Troop** and **Ann Arnason**. The Boys' competition saw **Spencer Harris** and **Jesse Skelton** place after **Cole Roblin** in the 16-18 division.

Kayla Ketcheson topped the Girls 14-15 age division, followed by **Aynsley O'Donovan**. The Boys 14-15 group was won by **Lucas Wazney**, with **Kevin Giesbrecht** the runner-up.

In the Girls 12-13 age division the winner was **Tasia Zuk** followed by **Jenna Roadley**. In the Boys 12-13 division, **Steve Minion** and **Taylor Reilly** tied for first place followed by **Christy O'Donnell**.

The 14th annual Canadian Optimist Junior Golf National Championships was held in Ingersoll, ON, August 14-17 with 220 players registered from Canada and the USA, including five from Manitoba.

Kevin Giesbrecht placed second in the 14-15 division and also shot 69 on the second day, which was the lowest round of the National Tournament. Others participating from Manitoba were **Aynsley O'Donovan**, **Ann Arnason**, **Lucas Wazney** and **Spencer Harris**.

The National Event in Ontario and the International Competition in Florida are the headline events for Optimist International as the organization follows its Motto: Friends of Youth. There are

119,000 members, men and women, belonging to more than 3700 clubs around the world. Six million young people are served each year with 65,000 projects and programs.

On the local scene, Optimists and Friends raise funding for their golf programs through the **Optim-Um Golf Tournament**, to be held June 20 at Larters at St. Andrews. Money raised will be earmarked for the University of Manitoba Golf Program, Golf Manitoba Bantam Clinics, Take Flight Golf Camp and the Optimist Junior Golf Program.

Golfers wishing to enter teams or contribute to the Optim-Um Tournament can contact the co-chairmen, **Rick Sobey** (633-3602) or **Darren Cale** (985-6075).

The University of Manitoba Golf Program enables athletes in Manitoba to continue developing their abilities in golf while receiving a quality education at an affordable cost here at home.

At the Optim-Um Tournament, many of the U of M Bison Golf Team members will be on hand to assist and will also provide instruction at the McDonald's Small Fry Clinics for ages 5-12 years at Golf Central.

Manitoba Optimist Junior Open Golf Championship

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What's New on the Manitoba golf scene

BY RALPH BAGLEY

In most years, this space has been occupied with a feature called What's New on the Manitoba Golf Scene, where the main focus has been on the changes to golf courses and facilities around the province and Northwestern Ontario.

There's a different slant to the story as the 2006 golf season opens. It's not so much WHAT is new for the year but rather a question of WHO is new on the golf scene.

Since the close of the 2005 season, there has been a multitude of personnel changes. There have been changes in ownership, changes in managerial positions, changes in the pro shops and changes in the golf superintendent department.

It's reached the stage where a golf fan almost needed a program to know who was where as one change led to another, creating an effect like toppling dominoes. As one position was filled, it led to another

opening and the changes were still going on as we reached the deadline for this edition of the Golf Manitoba Journal.

This then, is an attempt to bring readers as up-to-date as possible. Here, in no particular order, are some of the changes reported (and a few that were still unconfirmed) as the opening of a new season approached.

OWNERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

The course which has been known as **Rat River Golf** at St. Pierre-Jolys has been sold by **Real Cure** to a group which has not been officially identified but reliable sources confirm that **Michael Guertin** of Guertin Equipment Ltd. is one of the major participants.

The course underwent extensive renovations after it was closed in mid-season last year due to continuing flood problems. It was expected the course would remain closed as the new sea-

son opens and be ready for play during the summer.

It has been reported from reliable sources that the name of the facility is to be changed before the re-opening and word on that change was still on hold as this was written.

What is known is that an advertisement was placed for a golf superintendent to handle both the Rat River course and the St. Vital Golf Centre on the South Perimeter Highway, with replies directed to McGibby's Golf. The unconfirmed reports indicate **Barry Gibson** and **Darren McMillan** will continue to operate the St. Vital Centre and pro shop and will also handle the management of the facility and pro shop at St. Pierre.

It is expected Cure, whose family built the Rat River layout and who has been the superintendent as well as owner and operator, will continue to work with the superintendent staff to put the finishing touches on the course changes and improvements and he also plans to continue to handle the food operation at the club.

Expect further news on this as the new seasons get underway and look for the re-opening of the course under a new name.

Operation and management of the **Hecla Golf Course** and the Gull Harbour Resort, has been taken over from Venture Manitoba by the Paletta Group, which operates several hotels and resorts.

The Gull Harbour Resort is being renovated and enlarged and will not be in operation this season. Plans call for a



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larger modern resort to be ready for 2007. Officials promise there will be a major upgrading at the resort to provide more rooms and larger facilities to accommodate conventions and tournaments.

Meanwhile, the golf course will feature a large tent by the existing pro shop to handle food and beverage services for the 2006 season. **Scott Parker** has taken over duties as head pro and manager of the Hecla facility.

Venture Manitoba continues to operate the Falcon Lake Golf Course, where **Sandy Kurceba** is going into his second season as head professional.

In March, it was announced that **Derek Ingram** and **Dave McMillan** have sold their **Golf Central** practice and training facility on Plessis Road to an unspecified local group, to become effective May 1. McMillan will continue to serve as head professional at Transcona Golf Club, while Ingram plans to concentrate on his coaching and teaching career.

ORGANIZATION CHANGES

There have also been changes in some of the organizations which govern golf operations in the province.

The Manitoba Division of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association has been in the market for a new executive director to replace **Brock Balog**, who resigned from that position and as executive professional at Tuxedo Golf Club, to take on new duties in Alberta.

The National Golf Course Owners Association has added a new position of regional director for the Manitoba and Saskatchewan chapters and that position has been filled by **Janet Jones**, former manager of the Rossmere Country Club (more details on her duties on page 19 of this issue).

The status quo is maintained by the Manitoba Golf Superintendents

Association, where **Bob Hamm** continues as the executive director and by Golf Manitoba, where **Dave Comaskey** rules as the executive director.

PRO SHOPS AND MANAGEMENT

The most noticeable changes that will greet golfers as they start out in this 2006 season will be in the personnel in the pro shops and in many cases the management of the various clubs and courses.

There was a whirlwind of activity in this area during the late winter months as clubs scrambled to get their staffs in place in time to make proper arrangements for the season. The larger-than-usual number of changes was driven partly by some managers and pros leaving the province and what followed was the domino-effect changes as those positions were filled.

It would be impossible to try to list these changes in any chronological order, but rather we are attempting to follow how one change led to another along the way.

Glenn Singleton moved from Nova Scotia to take over the manager's position at Rossmere Country Club, which was vacated when Jones joined the NGCOA staff.

Pine Ridge Golf Club manager **Jeff Scott** left the club to take up a position at the Silver Springs course in Calgary. That led to the appointment of **Jason Ludke** to the position of general manager at Pine Ridge. Ludke had been the Director of Golf and was managing the operations at St. Boniface Golf Club.

His place at St. Boniface has been filled by **Geoff Kehler**, who left his position as head pro at Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club to become the Director of Golf

Operations/General Manager at St. Boniface. He will look after the clubhouse operations and the pro shop. **Adam Boge**, who had been head pro at St. Boniface, moved into the affiliate membership category with the MPGA as a manufacturing representative for See Your Game!

At Larters, executive pro **Peter Ewert** announced the appointment of **Larry Robinson** as the new head pro for the club, moving over from The Meadows at East St. Paul Golf Course. He served last season as an associate professional under head pro **Jason Sweeney**, who retains that post at The Meadows. Robinson was a long-time head pro at the Steinbach Fly-In Golf Club.

Dave Rhodes, who served for several years as the Head Pro/Manager at Bel Acres Golf and Country Club, left the business to go into automobile sales and that opening was filled by **Steve Wood**, who left his position as head pro at the Kitchen Creek Golf and Country Club at Fort Frances last fall. Wood also became president of the Manitoba Division of the CPGA (see more on the pro golf pages). There has been no word on a pro replacement at Kitchen Creek but **Donna Lee** has been named manager of the club.

At Kenora Golf and Country Club, **Jennifer Ross** has been appointed head professional, moving up a notch after serving as an associate pro under **Rob Guthrie**, who left the golf club business last fall to become manager at the Winnipeg Winter Club. Guthrie also stepped down from his position as Manitoba CPGA president, the position Wood moved into a year ahead of schedule.

CPGA Master Professional **Harry Brotchie**, president of Lakeland Golf

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Garth Collings Golfer of



Garth Collings (left) receives the Labatt Golfer of the Year Award from Labatt's Dave Lavallee

Breezy Bend star claims third win after 11th nomination

Leading his mates to Manitoba's first Canadian Men's Mid-Amateur team championship was a major accomplishment for Breezy Bend's **Garth Collings** as he claimed his third Labatt Manitoba Amateur Golfer of the Year award.

The award presentation was one of the highlights of the Golf Manitoba annual general meeting held Oct. 24 at the Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club.

Other finalists for the 2005 honours were **Jordan Krantz** of Dryden's Eagles Landing Golf Club and **Scott Loewen** of Elmhurst Golf and Country Club.

For Collings, 47, it marked the 11th time he had been chosen as a finalist in the Golfer of the Year voting. He also won the award in 1999 and 2003. In addition to leading the team to the national title, he claimed the individual 54-hole medal honours at the championship event in Charlottetown. He also won the Manitoba Mid-Amateur crown for the fourth time and Saskatchewan Mid-Amateur title for a third time. Collings won the Grey Owl tournament in Clear Lake for a fifth time and added

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Golfer of Year Finalists



JORDAN KRANTZ

a Manitoba Ping Invitational tournament victory at Elmhurst.

Krantz, 24, was selected after he carded a seven-under-par 65 at the Links at the Lake in Gimli to come from behind and win his second straight Manitoba Amateur championship. He was the only member of the Manitoba Willingdon Cup team to make the 36-hole cut into match play at the Canadian Amateur championship. He lost his first-round match. While completing his education at the University of Texas at Arlington, Krantz led his school's golf team to the Southland Conference championship, winning medallist honours by five strokes.

Loewen, 20, was a finalist for a second straight year. He was second individually and paced Texas' Odessa College to the U.S. National Junior College golf title last year. Locally, Loewen won the Fargo, North Dakota Invitational Amateur tournament, was the low amateur in the MTS Classic at Pine Ridge, and with a fourth place finish in the Manitoba Amateur he repeated as a member of the Provincial Willingdon Cup team.

Three other golfers received honourable mentions from the selection panel -- **Judi Lidstone** of Elmhurst Golf and Country Club, **Jesse Skelton** of Bel Acres Golf and Country Club, and **Jamie Jones** of Southwood Golf and Country Club.

Lidstone won the Manitoba Senior Women's Club Champions title, made two provincial teams by finishing runner-up in the Manitoba Senior and tied for third in the provincial Women's Amateur, and was



SCOTT LOEWEN

second in the City and District tourney.

Skelton was a double winner, capturing the Manitoba Junior Men's Championship, and the Men's Amateur Club Champions title.

Jones won the City and District Women's Championship, and earned a provincial team position for a third place tie with Lidstone in the Manitoba Women's Amateur tournament.

The 2005 season marked the 31st presentation of the Labatt Manitoba Amateur Golfer of the Year Award, which originated in 1975.

Rob McMillan, now a professional, claimed the Manitoba Golfer of the Year six times from 1990 through 1996, including the only shared title in 1994 when he and **Aileen Robertson** both won national amateur titles. **Todd Fanning** was a four-time winner of the award and Collings joined **Terry Hashimoto** as three-time winners. **Dale Goehring** and **Billy Parker** won the award twice.

In the 2004 season, **Jill Hardy** of Niakwa Country Club was the fifth female to claim the Golfer of the Year honours. The other female winners were **Shauna Gechel** in 1981, **Gail Anderson** in 1983, **Aileen Robertson** in 1994 and **Jo-Ann Lindsay** in 2000.

The 2006 Manitoba Amateur Golfer of the Year award will be voted on after the completion of the season and will be presented this fall at the annual general meeting of Golf Manitoba.




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Hall of Fame inductees and representatives gather around a golf cart after the ceremony. Left to right are Ron Castelane, who accepted for Don Gardner, Jo-Ann Lindsay, Wilf Homenuik and Marjorie Johnston, who accepted for Arthur Johnston.

Four new inductees for Golf Hall of Fame

Membership in the Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame and Museum was increased by four – three athletes and a builder – as the third annual induction ceremony was held Sept. 26 at the McPhillips Street Station, under the sponsorship of the Casinos of Winnipeg division of the Manitoba Lotteries Commission.

The 2005 inductees into the Hall were golfers **Don Gardner, Wilf Homenuik** and **Jo-Ann Lindsay** along with **W. Arthur Johnston** as a builder of the sport.

The inductions raised the honoured membership in the Hall to 20 individuals, 15 in the athlete category and five in the builder category.

The initial group of inductees when the Golf Hall of Fame was started in 2003 included golfers **Allan Boes, Jimmy Doyle, Dan Halldorson, George Knudson, Bobby Reith** and **Anne Tachan**, along with builders **Peggy Colonello** and **John Steel**.

The second group of inductees in 2004 featured golfers **June Bagley, Marj Edey, Marg Homenuik, Ted Homenuik, Merlene Netterfield** and **Bill Pidlaski**, as well as builders **Jack Blair** and **Aihlin Walker**.

Until a permanent site can be provided, plaques honouring the 20 inductees are on display at the offices of Golf Manitoba. The deadline to submit nominations is April 30 each year and forms are available through the Golf Manitoba office or on the website (www.golfmanitoba.mb.ca).

Joyce Collier, president of the Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame and Museum, welcomed the inductees and their families and friends, while **Clayton Dreger** served as master of ceremonies for the

proceedings. Greetings were brought from director **Karen Hewson** of the Canadian Golf of Fame and from **Winston Hodgins**, president and CEO of the Manitoba Lotteries Commission, who also assisted in the presentations.

Though he was born in Manitoba and started his golf career in this province, the late **Don Gardner** also earned some major accomplishments in British Columbia. He won the Manitoba junior men's championship in 1946 and 1949 and the Manitoba amateur title in 1958. He was also the medalist in the amateur championships in 1954 and 1958. He played on four Manitoba Willingdon Cup teams in 1954, 1956, 1957 and 1958 and was on the BC Willingdon Cup in 1963.

He played on BC senior teams eight times and won the BC senior men's championship in 1985 and 1992. He was runner-up in the Canadian men's senior championship in 1987. Gardner was a member of Charleswood Golf Club from 1948 to 1956, spent three years at Niakwa, then moved to Ontario for four years before settling in Vancouver. He also made his mark on the executive side of the sport, serving as executive director of the British Columbia Golf Association from 1987 to 1995.

His Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame award was accepted on behalf of the family by long-time friend **Ron Castelane** of Niakwa.

The presentation capped an exciting weekend for **Wilf Homenuik**, who was also formally inducted into the Canadian Golf Hall of Fame in a ceremony at Glendale Country Club. He got his golfing start in Yorkton, SK and later made a name for himself as an amateur and professional in Manitoba before settling in Ontario, where he serves as teaching pro at the Oakdale



DON GARDINER

club. He won the Saskatchewan men's amateur championship as a junior in 1953, then won the Saskatchewan junior title in 1954. In Manitoba, he was provincial amateur champion in 1956 and 1957. He played on Willingdon Cup teams for Saskatchewan in 1953 and for Manitoba in 1956 and 1957.

He served as an assistant pro at Elmhurst and Glendale before becoming head pro at Bel Acres from 1963 to 1965. On the national scene, Homenuik was Canadian junior runner-up in 1954, low Canadian in the Canadian Open in 1962, won the CPGA championship in 1965 and 1968 and the CPGA match play title in 1967 and 1968. He played for Canada on three World Cup teams, in 1965 with **George Knudson**, 1971 with **Moe Norman** and 1974 with **Ben Kern**.

He accepted his Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame award and entertained the gathering as he recalled some of his golf memories.



JO-ANN LINDSAY



WILF HOMENUIK

Capturing golf titles over a span of 50 years earned **Jo-Ann Lindsay** her place in the Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame. She was **Jo-Ann Percy** when she won her first Manitoba junior women's championship at the age of 14 in 1955. She won the provincial junior crown again in 1957 and played on Manitoba junior teams in 1955-56-57, as well as on a BC junior team in 1959. After seven years away from competitive golf, she returned as **Jo-Ann Snyder** to win her first Manitoba women's amateur championship in 1965, then retired from the scene again until 1974.

As **Jo-Ann Lindsay** she won two more provincial amateur championships in 1997 and 2000 and also claimed the City and District title five times from 1978 to 2000. Her greatest achievements came in the senior division, highlighted by victory in the Canadian senior women's championship in 1991. She tied for second in that event in 1992 and 2000 and was in the top five three times in that period. She won

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the Manitoba senior women's championship nine times from 1992 to 2005 and was runner-up in 2001. In addition to her junior teams, Lindsay played for Manitoba on eight amateur teams from 1958 to 2001 and was on four consecutive Manitoba senior teams in 1996 through 1999. She was named Manitoba Amateur Golfer of the Year in 2000 and a finalist in voting for Manitoba female athlete of the year twice, in 1998 and 2000.

She accepted her Golf Hall of Fame award and expressed thanks to members of her family and her many golfing partners in Manitoba for their support over the years.

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His contributions to the sport of golf in the builder category earned the late **W. Arthur Johnston** his membership into the Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame. His talents were recognized provincially, nationally and on the international scene. He served as president of the Pine Ridge Golf Club in 1952, then was on the Manitoba Golf Association executive from 1952 to 1956, when he was elected president of the MGA.

That led him to the national scene as a member of the Royal Canadian Golf Association board and executive from 1957 to 1965, including a year as national president in 1964. He served on the RCGA rules committee and became the only Canadian member of the Royal and Ancient rules committee from 1968 to 1976. He also had a seat on the five-man negotiating team that met with the United States Golf Association to establish the 1972 and 1976 Code of Rules to be followed by players worldwide. He is an honorary life member of both the Manitoba Golf Association and the Royal Canadian Golf Association.

His Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame award was accepted by his widow, **Marjorie Johnston**, and his son **Bill Johnston** expressed the thanks on behalf of the family.

The Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame and Museum was formed to acknowledge the contributions and accomplishments made by Manitobans to the game of golf and is a partnership of Golf Manitoba, the Manitoba Golf Superintendents Association and the Manitoba division of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association.

Joyce Collier continues as president of the Hall's board of directors, with **Rick Thain** as vice-president, **Lorraine MacLeod** as treasurer and **Dave Comaskey** as secretary. Board members include **Mark Jordan** and **Dave Tkachuk** for the MGSA, **Steve Wood** and **Gord Workum** for the MPGA and **Rudy Boivin**, **Ken Mould**, **Don MacDonald** and **Lezlie Parker**.

Don Craig is chairman of the selection committee, which includes Collier, Thain and Jordan from the board of directors, along with **Peggy Colonello**, **Jim Collins**, **Bob Picken**, **Ralph Bagley** and **Tim Campbell**.

The 2006 induction ceremony for the Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame and Museum is scheduled for Sept. 25, again presented by the Casinos of Winnipeg division of the Manitoba Lotteries Commission at the McPhillips Street Station. The names of the inductees will be announced during the summer.



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Janet Jones takes on new duties with course owners

After spending the past 10 seasons dealing with the daily activities of one club, **Janet Jones** has taken on a new task involving golf courses throughout two provinces.

The former general manager of Rossmere Country Club took on a new job last fall as the regional director for the Manitoba and Saskatchewan chapters of the National Golf Course Owners Association Canada (NGCOA), which represents the business interests of golf course owners and operators across Canada. Jones expects to see a lot of the two provinces as she works on recruiting membership.

In the past, one representative took care of all of Western Canada, working out of Edmonton. Jones will be dealing directly with courses in Manitoba and Saskatchewan only.

"There are more than 100 golf locations in Manitoba and Saskatchewan has an even greater number, so I expect I will be doing a fair amount of travelling," Jones said. "There are 41 members in Manitoba and I will be working to build on that number. It will be a bigger job in Saskatchewan."



JANET JONES
NGCOA regional director

Membership in NGCOA Canada is available to all golf clubs and most of the major clubs in the Winnipeg area and several rural clubs are included in the current list. The national organization provides a purchasing program for members, Grow the Game initiatives (such as Take a Kid to the Course Week, demo days and tournaments) and access to a website for assistance programs.

Jones has a diverse background in the golf industry, including pro shop, retail, food and beverage and club management. As regional director, she will execute regional marketing programs and provide support for national programs within the two chapters.

Manitoba member clubs heading into the 2006 season include: 17 Wing Winnipeg Golf Club, Black Bear Golf, Breezy Bend Country Club, Bridges Golf Course, CFB Shilo Golf and Country Club, Carman

Golf Club, Cottonwood Country Club, Elmhurst Golf and Country Club, Fungoes Golf Center, Gimli Golf and Country Club, Glendale Country Club, Grand Pines Golf Course, Heritage Golf Course, John Blumberg Golf Course, Kingswood Golf and Country Club, Lake of the Sandhills Golf Course, Lakeland Golf Management Inc., Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club, Links at the Lake Golf Course, Lorette Golf Course, Mulligan's Driving Range and Practice Center, Netley Creek Golf and Country Club, Niakwa Country Club, Northern Pines Golf Course, Northernnaire Golf and

Country Club, Oakgrove Golf Course, Oakwood Golf Course, Pine Ridge Golf Club, Portage Family Fun Centre Ltd., Rat River Golf, River Oaks Golf Course, Rossmere Country Club, Sandy Hook Golf Club, Scotswood Links, Shooters Family Golf Centre, South Interlake Golf and Country Club, Southport Golf Club/Denlyn Golf Enterprise, Southside Golf Course, St. Charles Country Club, The Links at Quarry Oaks Golf and Country Club and Tuxedo Golf Club.

In addition to her new duties, Jones hopes to help spearhead a drive to solidify the work of the National Golf Allied Associations (NAGA), an organization comprised of all groups involved in the sport in Canada, including the Canadian Golf Industry Association, the Canadian Golf Superintendents Association, the Canadian Professional Golfers Association, the Canadian Society of Club Managers, the Canadian Professional Golf Tour, the National Golf Course Owners Association Canada and the Royal Canadian Golf Association. Formed seven years ago, the NAGA objective is to work together as industry leaders to ensure a strong future for golf in Canada.

"I want to be part of the drive to firmly establish the NAGA program in Manitoba and bring the various groups together because I believe that what is good for the game is good for all of us," Jones said.

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Who's new on the scene

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Management, had a busy spring hiring and moving personnel around various courses following the departure of **Brock Balog**, who left his position as head pro at Tuxedo Golf Club to become Director of Golf in the Highwood Golf and Country Club at High River, AB.

Al Scott, who has been head professional and manager at Grand Pines Golf Course near Grand Beach, has been promoted to Director of Golf Course Operations for Lakeland, which operates four courses in Manitoba and four in Regina. Scott will also serve as Director of Golf for Grand Pines and the Links at the Lake course in Gimli. Lakeland also operates Harbour View Golf Course and Recreation Complex and the Tuxedo Golf Course in Winnipeg, along with the Tor Hill, Murray, Joanne Goulet and Lakeview courses in Regina.

Tom Betz becomes the new head professional at Grand Pines after serving several seasons in that capacity at the Clear Lake Golf Course.

Jason Duncan, who served several seasons as head pro at the Portage Golf Club, moved back to Winnipeg to become Executive Pro at Tuxedo. **Brent Hardy**, who was an associate pro at Larters, has been named head pro at Tuxedo.

At Harbour View, **Stephen Read** remains as head professional and Brochie announced that **Michel Pilon** is returning to that course as an associate pro. He had been the head pro at Lorette Golf Club.

Jacques Lavack has added head pro duties to his managing position at Lorette, where plans are under way to add a second 18 holes in the near future.

Scott Parker, who was the head pro at Swan River Golf Club for the past three seasons, has moved south to become head pro at the Hecla Golf Course. The position in Swan River wasn't filled at this writing.

Dean North is the new head professional at Selkirk Golf and Country Club, moving from a position as associate pro at St. Charles Country Club. He replaces **Darcy Lachance**, who left the business.

Ed Boge has been named head pro at the Winkler Golf Club and will also continue his teaching duties at Golf Central.

Greg Hesom also goes to Winkler as an associate after serving as an apprentice at Minnewasta Golf and Country Club.

The Portage Golf Club's new head professional is **Gordon Crossman**, who comes here from Thunder Bay and served as head pro at Marathon, ON, last season. He replaces Jason Duncan.

At Bridges Golf Course at Starbuck, **Wayne Meek** left his position as head pro/manager and was unattached at this writing. **Brad Wlasiuk** has been promoted from associate pro to head pro for Bridges and **Kevin Blahey** has joined the staff as associate pro after serving at Teulon Golf and Country Club. **Robert Morse** remains general manager.

As this issue went to the printers, there had been no word about professional openings at the Clear Lake and Swan River locations.

There was some movement among the apprentice, assistant and associate professionals, though not all transactions had been completed before this article was prepared. **Chris Isaac** left his assistant pro post at Niakwa Country Club to move west and join the new staff of Balog at High River, AB. **Darren Hayden**, who had been an associate pro at Southwood Golf and Country Club, moved to Niakwa. **Jared Ladobruk** moved to associate professional at St. Charles after serving in that post at the Links at Quarry Oaks. **Steven Bucko** has become an apprentice pro at Larters after passing his playing ability test last fall.

SUPERINTENDENTS

The most newsworthy move in the ranks of the golf course superintendents occurred at St. Charles Country Club, where **Curtis Collins** departed after many years as the head superintendent. That post has been filled by **Kerry Watkins**, who comes to Winnipeg from the east.

Other new members for the Manitoba Golf Superintendents Association include: **Russell Parry**, assistant at Links at the Lake; **Mike Mudry**, assistant at Tuxedo; **Don Rose**, assistant at St. Boniface; and students **Jason Magnusson**, **Carmen Henry**, **Kerry Laing** and **Matthew Kulczyk**.



Steve Wood

Steve Wood heads Manitoba PGA

Hectic start for new president

Cory Kartusch takes honours as club pro of year

Head pro **Cory Kartusch** of St. Charles Country Club was named the Manitoba Club Professional of the Year for the 2005 season at the annual awards banquet of the Manitoba Division of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association.

Kartusch, 33, has been the head professional at St. Charles for three seasons and also served two years as an associate under **Mike Sherman**. He moved to Winnipeg from Regina.



Cory Kartusch

His pro shop staff last season included **Dean North**, **Craig Strand**, **Kris Ehnes** and **Trevor Daley**. North has moved to a head pro position in Selkirk for the 2006

season and joining the St. Charles pro shop staff is **Jared Ladobruk**, who has moved from Quarry Oaks.

Other awards handed out at the gathering included Assistant Professional of the Year honours to **Kris Ehnes**, also from the St. Charles pro shop; Merchandiser of the Year to **Wayne Meek**, head pro at the Bridges Golf Course; Teacher of the Year to **Derek Ingram** of Golf Central; Junior Leader of the Year to **Ed Boge**, also from Golf Central.

Steve Wood probably had no idea of the busy spring he had ahead of him when he took over the chair as president of the Manitoba Division of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association in the fall of 2005.

His rise from the position of vice-president came a year earlier than had been expected because **Rob Guthrie** stepped down after one year of his two-year term after he left Kenora Golf and Country Club to take on a new job as manager of the Winnipeg Winter Club.

Wood also had left his position as head professional at the Kitchen Creek Golf and Country Club and was in the job market for a new post himself. That put him in the mix of a multitude of changes on the pro golf scene through the winter months.

Gord Workum named national rep for MPGA

Pine Ridge Golf Club head pro **Gord Workum** has been appointed national representative on the Canadian PGA national board of directors.

Workum assumed these duties in July, 2005, replacing **Wayne Meek**, head pro of the Bridges Golf Course, who stepped down in the pursuit of other endeavors in the industry and to enjoy time with his family.

Meek served as national representative for the Manitoba division for the past five years and had been instrumental in leading the Canadian PGA out of its financial difficulties and was the lead change agent for national office reform. He will remain on the Manitoba PGA board as a member at large.

Members who have any concerns or questions regarding the direction of the Association are asked to contact Workum at the Pine Ridge Golf Club.

The problems were compounded when **Brock Balog** left as head pro at Tuxedo Golf Club and also stepped down as the executive director of the Manitoba Division of CPGA, to take on Director of Golf duties in the Highwood Golf and Country Club at High River, AB.

While Balog continued to serve as executive director through to the end of March, the search was on to find a replacement. The position was unfilled at this writing. In the meantime, Wood served as the division's source of information.

Wood found his new post as the Director of Golf at Bel Acres Golf and Country Club, one of many changes of position in the Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario pro ranks (as reported elsewhere in this issue). He set about arranging his staff at Bel Acres while also keeping an eye on the developments in the division.

Wood, 34, has been a member of the Manitoba pro ranks since 1995, when he served as an assistant pro under **Craig Yahiro** at Rossmere Country Club. He moved to South Interlake Golf and Country Club in 1997, then became the head pro at Kitchen Creek in 2000. Wood and his wife **Michelyn** have a 11-month-old daughter **Elle**.

Along with keeping up with the changes on the scene, he was also busy as the MPGA prepared for a general meeting of the Canadian PGA in March at the Inn at the Forks in Winnipeg, held here in connection with the close of a two-year term as national president for **Al Scott**, who was head pro at Grand Pines and this year was promoted to Director of Golf Course Operations for Lakeland Golf Management. It has been a busy start to his two-year term at the helm of the Manitoba PGA, but Wood said he is looking forward to future developments.

"I believe we in the CPGA have a role to play as ambassadors for the game of golf and I hope our Manitoba division will continue to serve in that role," he said. "There will be changes along the way and I hope I can make a major contribution."

Dean North claims Player of Year honours

Winning the Manitoba PGA championship was a major step along the way as **Dean North** claimed the division's Coca-Cola Player of the Year honours for the 2005 season. He was an associate pro at St. Charles Country Club last season and has now taken over duties as head professional at the Selkirk Golf and Country Club.



Dean North

North amassed a total of 66 points as the golf results from each player's four best tournaments were added. He finished four points ahead of runner-up **Rob Doucette** of Southside Golf Course. **Dave Scinocca** of the Northern Pines Golf Course in Brandon, the 2004 winner, finished in third place with 55 points, followed by **Derek Ingram** of Golf Central with 49 and **Dave McMillan** of the Transcona Golf Club and **Bill North** of The Players Club, tied for fifth with 44.

In addition to the provincial PGA championship, North also was the winner of two Assistants Tour events, the Top-Flite Assistants Tour championship, the first of two Greg Norman/Reebok package tournaments and the National Leasing Manitoba PGA Match Play championship. The second in that series was won by his brother **Bill North** and the two Norths combined to win the Fletcher Pro-Pro event.

North on top in match play, too

Sixteen golfers were in the starting field as the Manitoba PGA Match Play championship was played Sept. 6 and 7 at the Links at the Lake Golf Club in Gimli under the sponsorship of National Leasing.

Chalking up four victories over the two days, Dean North of St. Charles Country Club claimed the title, defeating **Rob Doucette** of Southside Golf Club in the final.

In the semi-final round, North triumphed over **Michel Pilon** of Lorette Golf Club, while Doucette eliminated **Dave Scinocca** of Northern Pines Golf Club. North was a winner of his boss, head pro **Cory Kartusch** of St. Charles in the quarter-finals, which also saw Pilon defeat **Rob Guthrie** of Kenora Golf and Country Club, Doucette won over **Jared Ladobruk** of Quarry Oaks Golf Course and Scinocca defeated **Bill North** of The Players Course.

MPGA Directors for 2006

President

Steve Wood, Bel Acres Golf & Country Club

Vice-President

Geoff Kehler, St. Boniface Golf Club

Finance

Wayne Meek, unattached

Past President

Rob Guthrie, Winnipeg Winter Club

National Representative

Gord Workum, Pine Ridge Golf Club

Directors

Sherri Moorhouse, Carman Golf Club
Rob Damsgaard, The Wildewood Club
Barry Gibson, McGibby's Golf
Jason Ludke, Pine Ridge Golf Club
Cory Kartusch, St. Charles Country Club

Executive Director

To be announced

2006 Manitoba PGA Tournament Schedule

MAY

15	— YES Golf Head Pro Series #1	Niakwa
19	— John Blumberg Pro-Am	John Blumberg
23	— Top-Flite Assistants Tour #1	Glendale
24	— Pro-Lady Tournament	Quarry Oaks
30	— Piston Ring Invitational	Niakwa

JUNE

5	— Larters Pro-Am	Larters
9	— Adams Golf Package #1	South Interlake
12	— YES Golf Head Pro Series #1	Grand Pines
13	— Wilson Assistants Tour #2	Meadows
17	— Morden Pro-Am	Minnewasta
26	— Adams Golf Package #2	Bel Acres
28	— Club Car Pro-Exec-Supt	Minnewasta

JULY

10	— Srixon Pro-Assistant	Pinawa
18-19	— Golf Supply House Asst Champ	Breezy Bend
21	— Breezy Bend Pro-Am	Breezy Bend
31	— Titleist/Footjoy MPGA Champs	St. Boniface

AUGUST

1-2	— Titleist/Footjoy MPGA Champs	St. Boniface
8	— Playing Ability Test	South Interlake
14	— Great West Life Invitational	St. Charles
16	— Glendale Invitational	Glendale
18	— Fletcher Pro-Junior	Bridges
15	— Fletcher Golf Pro-Pro	Kenora
17	— Glendale Invitational	Glendale
26	— Niakwa Pro-Am	Niakwa

SEPTEMBER

5-6	— National Leasing Match Play	Links at the Lake
13-14	— Callaway Fall Classic	Larters
TBA	— Titleist Cup Matches (with SK)	Saskatchewan

Man-Sask victory

Manitoba golfers came out on top when the annual competition between the Manitoba and Saskatchewan divisions of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association was played Sept. 18-20 at St. Charles Country Club.

The Manitoba team of 12 players had a victory margin of 15.5 to 8.5 over their Saskatchewan counterparts in the event sponsored by Titleist. Manitoba won the best ball matches 4-2, the teams split the alternate shot points at 3-3, then Manitoba won the singles matches 8.5 to 3.5.

Manitoba's wins in the best ball matches were registered by the pairings of Cory Kartusch and Dave McMillan, Scott Davidson and Michel Pilon, Geoff Kehler and Bill North and Mike Coghill and Ben Smirnov. The teams of Al Scott and Derek Ingram and Scott Parker and Rob Doucette lost their matches.

In alternate shot competition, Smirnov/Coghill, McMillan/Ingram and Davidson/Pilon were winners, while Saskatchewan teams defeated the Manitoba pairings of North/Kehler, Kartusch/Scott and Parker/Doucette.

In the singles competition, the Manitoba wins were scored by Smirnov, Pilon, Kehler, Kartusch, Scott, McMillan, Parker, Ingram and Davidson while Kehler split his match. North, Coghill and Doucette were on the losing end of their matches.

Bucko leads ability test

Ten golfers passed the Manitoba Professional Golfers Association playing ability test in a two-round competition Aug. 2 at South Interlake Golf and Country Club.

Steven Bucko from Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club led the 36-hole test with rounds of 81 and 70 for a 151 total, one stroke better than Scott McCallum of Dauphin Lake Golf Club and Graham Frey of Elmhurst Golf and Country, who shared the runner-up position at 152. McCallum had rounds of 74-78, while Frey shot 75-77.

A 36-hole score of 159 or better was required to pass the playing ability test and the others who made the grade were Sean Lancaster of Bel Acres Golf and Country Club, 77-77—154; Troy Kehler of Steinbach Fly-In Golf Club, 77-78—155; Josh Hiebert of Pine Ridge Golf Club, 79-77—156; Craig Strand of St. Charles Country Club, 78-79—157; Mike Dern of Hecla Golf Course, 79-79—158; Geoff Carriere of The Players Course, 71-77—158; and Will Hudson of Pine Ridge Golf Course, 80-79—159.

THE 2005 PRO'S SCOREBOARD

COCA-COLA PLAYER OF THE YEAR FINAL STANDINGS

Dean North, St. Charles	66
Rob Doucette, Southside	62
Dave Scinocca, Northern Pines	55
Derek Ingram, Golf Central	49
Dave McMillan, Transcona	44
Bill North, Players	44
Geoff Kehler, Larters	39
Darren McMillan, St. Vital	37
Cory Kartusch, St. Charles	36
Ben Smirnov, John Blumberg	35
Mike Coghill, Bel Acres	35
Michel Pilon, Lorette	35

ASSISTANTS TOUR EVENT #1

May 16 at Links at the Lake	
Dean North, St. Charles (\$800)	72
Darren McMillan, St. Vital (\$500)	74
Joel Rhodes, Bel Acres (\$500)	74
Johnny London, Kitchen Creek (\$275)	76
Dave Scinocca, Northern Pines (\$275)	76

GREG NORMAN/REEBOK

PACKAGE EVENT #1

June 1 at Bridges Golf Club	
Dean North, St. Charles (\$1,200)	73
Derek Ingram, Golf Central (\$800)	75
Ben Smirnov, John Blumberg (\$587.50)	76
Scott Westman, Killarney (\$587.50)	76
Steve Witiuk, South Interlake (\$587.50)	76

TAYLOR-MADE HEAD PROFESSIONAL SERIES EVENT #1

June 9 at Hecla Golf Course	
X-Cory Kartusch, St. Charles (\$800)	69
Adam Boge, St. Boniface (\$500)	69
Rob Doucette, Southside (\$350)	70
Bill North, Players (\$350)	70
Scott Parker, Swan River (\$208.50)	71
Emerson Mahoney, Niakwa (\$208.50)	71
Al Scott, Grand Pines (\$208.50)	71
X-won in playoff	

ASSISTANTS TOUR EVENT #2

June 21 at Hecla Golf Course	
Dean North, St. Charles (\$800)	68
Dave Scinocca, Northern Pines (\$500)	70
Jeff Heiland, Falcon Lake (\$350)	72
Joel Rhodes, Bel Acres (\$350)	72
Mike Coghill, Bel Acres (\$250)	74

GREG NORMAN/REEBOK

PACKAGE EVENT #2

June 23 at Transcona Golf Club	
x-Bill North, Players (\$1,200)	67
Al Scott, Grand Pines (\$800)	67
Scott Davidson, Deer Ridge (\$650)	68
Rob Doucette, Southside (\$650)	68
Steve Witiuk, South Interlake (\$525)	69
Barry Gibson, McGibby's (\$525)	69
X-won in playoff	

TAYLOR-MADE HEAD PROFESSIONAL SERIES EVENT #2

July 5 at Selkirk Golf & Country Club	
Rob Doucette, Southside (\$800)	68
Steve Wood, Kitchen Creek (\$450)	72
Jim Steep, Glendale (\$450)	72
Geoff Kehler, Larters (\$300)	73
Bill North, Players (\$194)	74
Mike Gottfred, Carman (\$194)	74
Al Scott, Grand Pines (\$194)	74
Derek Ingram, Golf Central (\$194)	74

TOP-FLITE ASSISTANTS TOUR CHAMPIONSHIP

July 12-13 at Jonh Blumberg Golf Course

Dean North, St. Charles	64-71—135
Dave Scinocca, Northern Pines	69-70—139
Scott Davidson, Deer Ridge	69-70—139
Darren McMillan, St. Vital	69-73—142
Joel Rhodes, Bel Acres	72-71—143

WILSON PRO-ASSISTANT EVENT

July 18 at Hecla Golf Course

Ingram/Boge, Golf Central (\$1,600)	68
Wood/Mills, Kitchen Creek (\$1,200)	69
Witiuk/Hildebrand, South Interlake (\$725)	70
Kading/Davidson, Deer Ridge (\$725)	70
Bowen/Levine, John Blumberg (\$725)	70
Doucette/Van Camp, Southside (\$725)	70

TITLEIST/FOOTJOY MPGA CHAMPIONSHIP

July 25-27 at Elmhurst Golf & Country Club

Dean North, St. Charles (\$3,500)	71-72-71—214
Rob Doucette, Southside (\$2,500)	72-73-77—222
Dave Scinocca, N. Pines (\$1,750)	78-74-71—223
Scott Davidson, D. Ridge (\$1,750)	74-75-74—223
Scott Parker, Swan River (\$1,125)	75-77-72—224
Dave McMillan, Transcona (\$1,125)	68-79-77—224

GOLF SUPPLY HOUSE PRO-JUNIOR EVENT

Aug. 9 at St. Boniface Golf Club

Lorette (124) — Pro Michel Pilon with Daniel Gregoire, Drew Westwood, Landon Kopp	
St. Boniface (125) — Pro Jason Ludke with Colin Parsons, Eric Saleen, Keith Parsons	
Kitchen Creek (126) — Pro Glen Mills with Jordan Sinclair, Jordan Davis, Taylor Jorgeson	
St. Charles (126) — Pro Trevor Daley with Jacob Wall, Andrew Dick, Randy Pennycook	
St. Boniface (126) — Pro Adam Boge with Vishnu Persad, Brett Thompson, Eric Baert	
Pinawa (126) — Pro Greg Love with Kevin Hicks, Roland Van Gend, Alex Simard	
Breezy Bend (126) — Pro Mike Cyndroski with Ryan Cook, Jeff Havisbeck, Mike Swiowski	

FLETCHER PRO-PRO EVENT

Aug. 15 at Kenora Golf & Country Club

Dean North, Bill North (\$1,400)	58
Dave McMillan, Derek Ingram (\$1,000)	61
Bryan Johnstone, Johnny London (\$800)	64
Rob Guthrie, Dave Gray (\$450)	65
Barry Gibson, Darren McMillan (\$450)	65
Chris McCannell, Chris Kading (\$450)	65
Steve Wood, Glen Mills (\$450)	65

CLUB CAR PRO-EXECUTIVE- SUPERINTENDENT EVENT

Aug. 19 at South Interlake Golf & Country Club

Neepawa (52) — Pro Shawn Woods with Shannon Hockins and Joe Chartrand	
Players (55) — Pro Bill North with Garth Recksiedler and Frank Abraham	
Southside (56) — Pro Rob Doucette with Wendy Mandryk and Gord McKay	
Carman (57) — Pro Mike Gottfred with Elaine Owen and Rob Hamm	

CALLAWAY GOLF MPGA FALL CLASSIC

Sept. 11-12 at Glendale Golf & Country Club

X-Rob Doucette, Southside (\$2,000)	68-70—138
Dave Scinocca, N. Pines (\$1,200)	71-67—138
Emerson Mahoney, Niakwa (\$1,000)	67-73—140
Sean Murphy, Glendale (\$787.50)	72-70—142
Dean North, St. Charles (\$787.50)	71-71—142
Derek Ingram, Golf Central (\$787.50)	70-72—142
Michel Pilon, Lorette (\$787.50)	67-75—142

Some questions about the work of golf course Superintendents



TONY FEHEREGYHAZI

Tony Feheregyhazi, course superintendent at the Bridges Golf Club and president of the Manitoba Golf Superintendents Association, prepared this set of common questions and replies in an effort to keep the golfing public aware of the work of the superintendents. He is in the second years of his two-year term as MGSA president.

What is the nature of a superintendent's job?

One might call a superintendent a jack-of-all-trades. Depending on the situation he/she may need to be part scientist, environmentalist, horticulturalist, personnel manager or agronomist to name a few.

Surveys have shown that golf superintendents love to be outdoors and truly love the game. I feel this love for the outdoors is what makes most superintendents true Environmental Stewards. On the course, superintendents can show how their work activities make the environment safe for golfers, adjacent landowners and wildlife in the area.

A quick tour of a golf course will reveal many of the latest innovations in environmental stewardship, such as the use of effluent water for irrigation, composting, hazardous material storage units, and wildlife/wetland habitats, among others.

What are the MGSA's primary goals for today and the future?

The MGSA is committed to providing education and training for its members to better serve our industry. Our concern has always been the environment and as an association over the years we have been a leader nationally in this area.

As an association we have always worked hand in hand with government bodies and at the moment have just completed an Integrated Pest Management Program for both the golf and landscape industries. This IPM program is specific to concerns in our province and at the very least will educate our membership in all aspects of IPM.

What is IPM?

Integrated pest management is the use of a number of different techniques to combat pest problems like weeds, insects and turf diseases.

The emphasis is to use controls that are the least harmful to the environment. The goal of any IPM program is control without the use of pesticides. As an association we offer our membership the tools and know how to implement an IPM program at their courses.

What type of other special training do golf course superintendents need?

The educational background of golf course superintendents makes them uniquely qualified to serve as environmental stewards, both on and off the course.

That education usually entails a college degree in agronomy, turfgrass science or horticulture, combined with continuing education through the MGSA, other turfgrass associations and additional training sponsored by companies that provide products to the golf course management industry.

Superintendents and their assistants must by law have certification to apply chemicals. As an association we feel so strongly about this that someone who does not take the necessary pesticide application training cannot become an "A" member.

What message would you like the public to have?

An important message that I would like the public to have is that golf superintendents are approachable. I cannot think of a time when a question pertaining to anything going on at a golf course would not be answered by myself or any of my colleagues.

We also have a very formal web page (www.mgsa.mb.ca) with a public section where questions or comments may be left. I feel the interaction between golfer and course superintendent is critical.

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Only one change on MGSA Board

One newcomer was welcomed as the 2006 Board of Directors was introduced at the annual general meeting of the Manitoba Golf Superintendents Association held in November at the Victoria Inn in Winnipeg.

Ian Brooks, superintendent at the Selkirk Golf and Country Club, was the only new board member elected. **Tony Feheregyhazi** of the Bridges Golf Course continues to lead the organization in the second year of his term as president. He succeeded **Dave Turner** of the Falcon Lake Golf Course, who remains on the board as past president.

Dave Tkachuk of The Wildewood Club was re-elected as vice-president. Other members of the board are **Darren Kalyniuk** of St. Boniface Golf Club, **Dan Ciekiewicz** of Elmhurst Golf and Country Club, **Tom Kowalchuk** of Glendale Golf and Country Club and **Mike Trager** of the Virden Well View Golf Club.

Brooks has been appointed chairman of the association's Turf Research golf tournament and other committee leaders for this year are Ciekiewicz and Tkachuk on news; Trager on education and scholarships; Tkachuk and Brooks on course selection and meetings; Feheregyhazi and Kalyniuk on the Prairie Turf Grass Conference; Kowachuk on environment; and Feheregyhazi on public relations and long-range planning.

Ian Brooks named Superintendent of Year

Selkirk Golf and Country Club course superintendent **Ian Brooks** was in the spotlight twice at the annual general meeting of the Manitoba Golf Superintendents Association in April.

Not only did he become the only new member on the association's board of directors, but Brooks also was proclaimed the Manitoba Superintendent of the Year to acknowledge his performance at the Selkirk course.



The 34-year-old Brooks is heading into his sixth season as the head superintendent at the course, though he has been associated with the Selkirk layout since 1988, working for several years under former head superintendent **Parker Sutherland**. He also spent two seasons at the Netley Creek Golf Course before moving back to Selkirk for the top job.

Brooks was recognized for his overall work on the Selkirk course. He was involved with the rebuilding of the course after flooding wiped out an entire season and he and the staff have continued to make improvements, including building up dikes to keep the river at bay, drainage work and construction of ponds and getting the layout into good shape for the annual Glen Hnatiuk tournament.

"I'm really honoured to be recognized by my fellow superintendents," Brooks said, "and I am looking forward to working with the guys on the board this year."



2006 BOARD OF DIRECTORS — Front row, left to right - Darren Kalyniuk, Past President Dave Turner, President Tony Feheregyhazi, Vice President Dave Tkachuk
Back row, left to right - Dan Ciekiewicz, Tom Kowalchuk, Ian Brooks, Michael Trager

Ian Martinusen completes term as CGSA president

He remains on the national board as the past president but **Ian Martinusen** has completed his one-year term as president of the Canadian Golf Superintendents Association and looks back on a memorable year at the top of the organization.

Martinusen, who has been the head superintendent at Breezy Bend Golf and Country Club for 17 years, took office in March last year and recently was succeeded as national president by **Neil Blaney** of Alberta.

"I got more out of my year as president than I ever expected," Martinusen said after he returned from the annual general meeting in March. "It was certainly one of the greatest experiences of my life."

There was a considerable amount of travel associated with the national post, but Martinusen pointed out most of it took place during the off season and didn't interfere with his duties at Breezy Bend. He attended conferences in California, England, Louisiana and Vancouver.



"I think I may have been away a total of about seven days during the actual golf season," he noted. But he experienced much more travelling from September through into spring, including a trip to John Deere world championship event in Palm Springs. He also attended the Canadian Open golf championship as a representative of the CGSA.

Martinusen, 44, has been active in the Manitoba Golf Superintendents Association for several years and was the provincial president in the 1993-94 seasons. He was a member of the national board as the Manitoba representative since 1997. He began his golf career working at Breezy Bend and moved on to courses in Lethbridge and Regina before returning to Breezy Bend to become the superintendent in 1989.

Greg Holden, superintendent of the Clear Lake Golf Course, is the current Manitoba representative on the CGSA board, serving along with Martinusen.

Mid-Amateur team wins national title

By BOB PICKEN

On his way to claiming a third Manitoba Amateur Golfer-of-the-Year award, **Garth Collings** spearheaded the provincial team to the first ever Canadian Mid-Amateur Team Championship in Charlottetown.

The Breezy Bend veteran, who turned 48 this April, teamed with clubmate **Dave Anderson**, **Bruce North** of Carman, and **Mark Starodub** of Pine Ridge, to win the R. Bruce Forbes trophy at the Belvedere Golf Club on Prince Edward Island.

Collings also won the individual 54-hole medal in the tournament, posting rounds of 68-72-74---214, two under par. He led Manitoba to a four-stroke victory over runner-up Saskatchewan, using the best three of four scores for the first two days.

North added strong support by carding 70-75--145 for the 36-hole team event distance, while Anderson was 74-75--149 for a two-round total of 434, and Starodub carded 77-84--161. Collings

- Garth Collings -
*Mid-Amateur
Champion*



said in a year when Manitoba teams were finishing far back in inter-provincial play, it was a major achievement.

"Provinces like Ontario, B.C., and Alberta have many good golfers to pick from to form their teams," he pointed out. "When we come second or third in a national, it's pretty good for us. When we win one, that's very special."

North has been on a number of provincial teams, but never a winner before. "I was second once, in 1986 on a Willingdon Cup team with **Todd Fanning**, **Glen Hnatiuk** and **Craig Kindrat**," he remembered. "But this is fantastic, to finally play on a championship foursome."

North and Collings were the only Manitobans to qualify for the 32-man match play portion of the tournament, but neither advanced past the first round. North lost 5 and 4 to **Karl Parrington** of Saskatoon, while Collings was sidelined 3 and 2 by **Michael Jackson** of Collingwood, Ontario.

Collings won the Canadian Mid-amateur individual title in 2003 in Regina, while **Frank Van Dornick** of Camrose, Alta., was the champion at Breezy Bend in 2004. The winner in Charlottetown was **Rob Collins** of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia.

The success of Collings in mid-amateur ranks has earned him prime recognition in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and across the country. He won his third consecutive Saskatchewan title last year, shooting four rounds in the 60s for a 17-under-par 271 at Meadow Lake, winning by 14 strokes.

In the Manitoba mid-am at Steinbach he was simply outstanding, carding a brilliant course-record 10-under-par 62 to open, and adding 71-68 for a dazzling 201, 15 under par, to win a fourth title.

"That 62 was a career round," confirmed Collings. "I was disappointed in not making the Manitoba amateur team earlier in the month, but the difference in Steinbach was on the greens. Everything dropped. I even made a 40-footer for an eagle on the 16th hole the last day."

North was 10 strokes back in second place, and Starodub fourth. **Helmut Dahl** of Surrey, B.C., was third but ineligible for the provincial team, and Anderson filled when **Dean Stowell** of Transcona had to decline the trip to the Maritimes.



Men's Mid-Amateur Team

Back Row - Bruce North, Dave Anderson
Front Row- Mark Starodub, Garth Collings

Kaitlin Troop repeats as Junior Women's champ

Brandon's **Kaitlin Troop** matched the performance of Jordan Krantz in the men's amateur by repeating as the Manitoba Junior women's champion, breezing to victory by 11 strokes at South Interlake.

Troop posted rounds of 79-79-73 for a 231 total, an effort that put her in a class by herself in the 54-hole tournament.

The only challenge Troop really faced was in carrying her clubs due to a shortage of pull carts the final day. "I hadn't been carrying my clubs the first two days, but maybe it kept me more in focus on what I was doing in the last 18 holes," said Troop. "It also didn't hurt when the putts started to drop for me."

Sarah Stebeleski of Lorette was the runner-up, carding a closing round 77 for 242, followed by **Brittany Piche** of Shilo at 246, and **Ashlen Christie** of St. Charles at 256.

They joined the 17-year-old Troop for the junior nationals at Cobble Hill, B.C., near Victoria, and Manitoba finished in seventh place in the team event, behind winning British Columbia. Troop had rounds of 75-85-77—237 to lead the Manitoba foursome.

Bethany Goran of Dauphin teamed with Piche to represent Manitoba in the Western Juvenile tournament in Grande Prairie, Alberta, while Lauren Rousseau of Breezy Bend and Anne Thorimbert of Elmhurst were added to the provincial team for the Manitoba-Minnesota junior matches in Minneapolis.



- Kaitlin Troop -
Women's Junior Champion



Women's Junior Team

Kaitlin Troop, Sarah Stebeleski, Brittney Piche, Ashlen Christie



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Jesse Skelton claims Junior Men's title



Men's Junior Team

Russ Romaniuk (non-playing captain), Jesse Skelton, Nathan Wazney, Burke Nagle, Riley Unger

"I had butterflies in my stomach before I started the final round, and the way Nathan was playing gave me a bad case of the nerves all day," said **Jesse Skelton** of Bel Acres, after winning the 2005 Manitoba Junior men's championship.

Skelton fought off the tension and **Nathan Wazney** of Elmhurst in the final round at South Interlake, shooting a two-under-par 69 for a 54-hole total of even par 213. He won by one stroke over Wazney, who led the opening 18 holes with a par 71 at John Blumberg, and finished 74-69 at the Warren layout for 214.



- Jesse Skelton -
Men's Junior Champion

663-yard monster par five 14th hole the last day. "I was one down at that point, and after two shots I still was 200 yards from the green," he reflected. "That's when I hit the best five-

Riley Unger of Plum Coulee, who plays out of Pleasant Valley near Belmont, pulled into third place at 216, and **Burke Nagel** of Breezy Bend was fourth at 219.

Heavy rain forced a reduction from 72 to 54 holes for the tournament, and a shift to Blumberg for the first round from the super-saturated Transcona Golf Club.

Skelton thought a turning point in his favour came on the

iron in my life to about a foot from the pin and I birdied it."

Wazney and Unger both were juveniles last year, and should be among the favourites for junior honours in 2006. Wazney won the 15-16 age group shield, while **Brock Helgeson** of Red Lake led the 13-14 age division, and **Scott Mazur** of Transcona was tops for the 12 and under bracket.

Michael Goldberg of Glendale, the 2004 junior champion, finished three strokes behind Nagel, but accompanied Skelton, Wazney, Unger and Nagel to the junior nationals in Woodstock, Ontario. Manitoba finished ninth, behind winning British Columbia, in the team event, and all five players missed the 54-hole cut.

Joey McInnes of Red Lake, **Cody MacAulay** of Killarney, and **Tristan Schneider** of Kingswood travelled with Wazney to the Western Juvenile Championship in Grande Prairie, and Goldberg, McInnes, **Chris Gardner** of Dryden, and **Steven Bryk** of Little Falls were additions to the provincial foursome for the Manitoba-Minnesota junior matches.



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- Stacey Bieber -
Women's Amateur Champion

Stacey Bieber claims Women's Amateur title

Winning the women's Manitoba Amateur golf championship had been at the top of the list of personal goals for **Stacey Bieber** of St. Charles Country Club, who was delighted to cross it off in 2005 at Bel Acres Golf and Country Club.

In a tournament shortened from 54 to 36 holes due to heavy rain, Bieber coasted to the provincial title by shooting a three-under-par 69 and a 73 for 142, and a seven-stroke winning margin over **Angela Daykin** of Thunder Bay, at 75-74-149. The 11th hole at Bel Acres was reduced from a par four to a three due to the soggy conditions.

Bieber followed up on her victory in the Manitoba junior in 2003, and now in her third year at Texas Christian University, at 21 years of age she will be looking for more success on the fairways.

"It's an awesome feeling to win the amateur," she said last July. "My golf game has been steadily improving each season, and this removes some of the disappointment of the last round in 2004." Bieber had a four-stroke lead on **Jill Hardy** of Niakwa with three holes to play, and wound up losing on an extra hole.

This time she made no mistakes coming down the stretch. Daykin finished seven more strokes in front of **Jamie Jones** of Southwood and **Judi Lidstone** of Elmhurst, who had matching cards of 77-79-156 to qualify for the Manitoba inter-provincial team.

Hardy missed the Manitoba tournament due to extensive travel on Canada's national women's golf team, but one of her perks was an exemption into the Canadian Amateur Championship in Squamish, B.C., where she joined the provincial team members.

Manitoba finished in fifth place in the team competition, and after making the 54-hole cut, Bieber finished in 23rd place with a 72-hole score of 316, while Hardy was 45th at 327.

Bieber said the Squamish Valley Country Club was an excellent course and in outstanding condition. "It was a great experience," she said. "To play against the best amateurs in the country was a special thrill, and I intend to work hard to do it again."



Women's Amateur Team

Stacey Bieber, Angela Daykin, Jamie Jones, Judi Lidstone



Western Canadian Team

Jamie Jones, Angela Daykin, Carolyn Learmonth, Sarah Stebeleski

Krantz repeats Amateur charge



WILLINGDON CUP TEAM

Jordan Krantz, Stewart Bannatyne, Les Hembroff (non-playing captain) Scott Markham, Scott Loewen

Jordan Krantz, the pride of Vermilion Bay, ON, produced his second blazing finish in as many years to retain his men's Manitoba Amateur Golf Championship last summer.

Krantz was trailing **Stewart Bannatyne** of St. Charles by four strokes and Elmhurst's **Scott Loewen** by three, going into the final round of the 72-hole medal play event at Gimli's Links at the Lake. The Ontario southpaw wiped out that deficit with a superb seven-under-par 65, to win by one stroke over Bannatyne and **Scott Markham** of Niakwa.

In 2004, Krantz became the first left-hander to win the amateur title in its 84-year history by shooting a three-under-par 69 in the final round at Pinawa to edge **Garth Collings** by a single stroke.

"That 65 was my best closing round ever in a tournament," said Krantz, who plays out of Eagles Landing in



- Jordan Krantz -
Men's Amateur Champion

Dryden. "I shot that low only once before, in a state tournament in my senior year at the University of Texas at Arlington."

Krantz posted 72-74-69-65-280, six under par, to become the first amateur champion to successfully defend his title since Rob McMillan did it in 1996. "I knew I'd have a chance in the final 18 holes after I birdied the first three holes," he said. "I just hit a lot of greens, and my putter did the rest." He had seven birdies and 11 pars in his round.

Markham also had a sparkling finish, carding a six-under-par

66 to zoom into the second place tie, with 69-77-69-66-281, only to see Krantz beat him with his seventh birdie on the par-five 17th hole.

Bannatyne had the lead or a share of it in the first three rounds, and was two-under-par in his closing round for 68-72-71-70-281, which he thought would be good enough to win. "I had a 70 as my last round target," he said ruefully. "There's not much you can do about it when a guy goes out and shoots a 65."

Loewen also carded a two-under 70 in the final 18 holes to finish all alone in fourth place at 71-70-71-70-282, two strokes up on **Matt Johnston** of St. Charles Country Club at 284. The top four golfers, Krantz, Markham, Bannatyne and Loewen, formed Manitoba's Willingdon Cup team for the men's Canadian Amateur Championship in Baddeck, NS, where the foursome finished seventh in the team event behind winning Alberta.

Krantz was the only Manitoba player to make the 36-hole cut into the 64-man Canadian Amateur match play with 75-73-148, but he lost his first match 1 up to Dave Williamson of Halifax.

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- Jo-Ann Lindsay -
Women's Senior Champion

Lindsay takes Senior Women's title (again)

Jo-Ann Lindsay celebrated the news she was about to be inducted into the Manitoba Golf Hall of Fame by chalking up a 14th provincial title to her credit last July.

Now living back in Minneapolis, Lindsay won her ninth Manitoba senior women's championship at Bel Acres, to go with two junior crowns and three provincial women's amateur titles. Her achieve-

ments have extended over a period of more than 50 years.

"I grew up playing at Charleswood with hand-me-down clubs and no lessons, but somehow I had a natural golf swing and despite the problems that come as you get older, the tempo never seems to go away," said Lindsay, after finishing three strokes up on **Judi Lidstone** of Elmhurst.

Lindsay shot 75-78-153 to Lidstone's 77-79-156, over the reduced 36-hole distance, while **Judy Lang** of Niakwa posted 77-85-162, **Donna Brownridge** of Elmhurst was 84-79-163, and **Karen Saarimaki** of the Kenogamis club in Geraldton, ON, tied for fourth with 78-85-163.

Lindsay wasn't eligible for the provincial team for the national seniors in DeWinton, Alta., so it fell to Saarimaki to lead Manitoba to a third place finish at the Cottonwood Golf and Country Club, just one stroke behind co-leaders Ontario and British Columbia.

This was another event shortened by rain to 36 holes, and Saarimaki carded 79-76-155 to tie for fourth individually, while Lidstone was 12th with 159, Brownridge 162, and Lang 181.

Alison Murdoch of Victoria shot 73-74-147 to retain the Canadian senior title she won in 2004 in Steinbach.



Women's Senior Team

Judi Lidstone, Judy Lang, Donna Brownridge, Karen Saarimaki



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Speirs claims second Senior Men's title



Men's Senior Team

David McLeod, Don Jackson, Gavin Speirs, Ken Mould

Gavin Speirs of St. Charles captured the Manitoba Senior men's title for the second time last year, wiping out a five-stroke deficit in the closing round to vault in front of Don Jackson of Portage.

With strong breezes gusting around Southwood on the final day, scores went soaring. Speirs produced the best closing round, a two-over-par 72, for a 54-hole total of 221. Jackson led through 18 and 36 holes with 70-74 but skidded to a 78 for 222.

"When the wind started to get up I thought I had a chance," said Speirs. "On a breezy day, silly things can happen in a golf tournament. And, my putter was working much better. I putted very solidly," he concluded.



Gavin Speirs
Men's Senior Champion

Speirs, who was 61 last year, won the Dave McDonald Memorial trophy, named after the former MGA secretary-treasurer, the first time in 2001. He prepared for the seniors by playing in the Manitoba Mid-amateur tourney, and finished in 13th place.

Jackson lost his advantage on the front nine of the final round, ballooning to a seven-over 41, including a triple-bogey eight on the par five fourth hole. Speirs also had trouble with two double bogeys, but a string of three birdies on the 15th, 16th and 17th holes turned the outcome his way.

Dave McLeod of St. Boniface had a closing round 74 to move into third place at 224, followed by Ken Mould of St. Charles and Terry More of Quarry Oaks, who tied at 226. Mould won

the fourth senior team berth by beating More with a par on the first hole of their playoff.

In the senior nationals in Beloeil, PQ, Manitoba finished in a sixth place tie with the home province, behind winning Ontario. Jackson led the team with rounds of 75-77-78-230, Mould had 236, Speirs 241, and McLeod missed the 36-hole cut.

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Jones wins City & District

Jamie Jones of Southwood, who was selected as Manitoba's female athlete-of-the-year for volleyball excellence in 1983 when she was Jamie Hancharyk, has blossomed into an impressive competitive golfer.



Jones won the women's City and District championship on the second hole of a playoff with Judi Lidstone of Elmhurst. Jones carded 77-79-156 to Lidstone's 78-78-156 over the 36-hole distance at John Blumberg and St. Boniface, in a field of 25 golfers.

"I seem to play well in this event," said Jones. "I was fourth and won the first flight in the 2004 tournament." Coupled

with her first-time appearance on the Manitoba women's amateur team, it was a year of golf emergence for Jones.

Mindy Lichtman of St. Boniface finished third at 160, followed by Tammy Gibson of St. Boniface at 162, and Karen Foster of Morden at 163. Defending champion Charmaine Puhach of Southwood finished well off the pace at 170.

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Front row, left to right: Dennis Prystayko (non-playing captain), Lauren Rousseau, Brittany Piche, Anne Thorimbert, Ashlen Christie, Kaitlin Bryk, Sarah Stebeleski, Brenda Prystayko (non-playing captain).

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U of M Scott Borsa, Chanse Robertson, Steven Bucko, Tyler Mancini, Brian Kornelsen, Kurt Scherle, Tyler Kerslake, Scott Markham, Kurt Kelly, Mike Iannone, Lucas Skelton

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WESTERN JUVENILE MIXED TEAM



Left to right: Dennis Prystayko (non-playing captain), Tristan Schneider, Joey McInnes, Cody MacAuley, Nathan Wazney, Brittany Piche, Bethany Goren, Brenda Prystayko (non-playing captain).

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1938	Kas Zabowski	Pine Ridge	138	Pine Ridge
1939	Kas Zabowski	Pine Ridge	141	Southwood
1940	Arthur Land	St. Charles	149	Niakwa
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1942	G. Kennedy	St. Charles	141	Southwood
1943	Allan Boes	Southwood	149	Niakwa
1944	Allan Boes	Southwood	143	Southwood
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1949	Harold Eidsvig	Assiniboine	142	Assiniboine
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1998	Dave McMillan	Winnipeg	138	Blumberg
1999	Scott Parker	Rossmere	208	Blumberg
2000	Scott Parker	Rossmere	209	Transcona
2001	Dave McMillan	Golf Central	211	Transcona
2002-2005 Event not played				

LOW AMATEURS IN MAN. OPEN (Harold Eidsvig Memorial Trophy)

Year	Player	Club	Venue
1962	Nick Mickoski	Elmhurst	Pine Ridge
1963	Wally Keep	St.Boniface	Southwood
1964	Nick Mickoski	Elmhurst	Pine Ridge
1965	Gord Lenton	Selkirk	Elmhurst
1966	Gord Lenton	Selkirk	Glendale
1967	Barry McKenzie	Rossmere	Elmhurst
1968	Nick Mickoski	Elmhurst	Bel Acres
1969	Jim Doyle	Elmhurst	Brzy Bend
1970	Jim Doyle	Elmhurst	Niakwa
1971	Barry Chipka	Elmhurst	Rossmere
1972	Daniel Talbot		Glendale
1973	Barry Chipka	Elmhurst	Niakwa
1974	Jim Doyle	Elmhurst	St. Charles
1975	Matt Poleschuk	Elmhurst	Brzy Bend
1976	Terry More	Elmhurst	Elmhurst
1977	Terry More	Elmhurst	Brzy Bend
1978	Terry More	Elmhurst	Pine Ridge
1979	Terry Hashimoto	St.Chas	Glendale
1980	Terry Hashimoto	St.Chas	Pine Ridge
1981	Terry More	Elmhurst	Brzy Bend
1982	Craig Kindrat	Selkirk	Elmhurst
1983	Carl Lechman	Rossmere	Rossmere
1984	Craig Kindrat	Selkirk	Niakwa
1985	Michael Hutcheon	T. Bay	Southwood
1986	Chris Nelson	Southwood	Southwood
1987	John Wade		Southwood
1988	Todd Fanning	Southwood	Southwood
1989	Todd Fanning	Southwood	Southwood
1990	Carl Lechman	Elmhurst	Southwood
1991	Gary Kullman	Elmhurst	Brzy Bend
1992	Todd Fanning	Southwood	Brzy Bend
1993	Rob McMillan	Pine Ridge	Brzy Bend
1994	Rob McMillan	Pine Ridge	Pine Ridge
1995	Rob McMillan	Pine Ridge	Pine Ridge
1996	Rob McMillan	Pine Ridge	Pine Ridge
1997	Doug LaBelle	Wisconsin	Elmhurst
1998	Garth Collings	Brzy Bend	Blumberg
1999	Garth Collings	Brzy Bend	Blumberg
2000	Ben Bandura	Niakwa	Transcona
2001	Jay Doyle	Niakwa	Transcona
2002-2005 Event not played			

MANITOBA AMATEUR

Year	Player	Club	Score	Venue
1922	AJ Wilson	Pine Ridge		
1923	J.T. Cuthbert	Winnipeg		
1924	F.F. Tribe	Norwood		
1925	J.T. Cuthbert	Norwood		
1926	Ross Sommerville	London		
1927	C.L. Hodgman	Niakwa		
1928	A.C. MacWilliams	Elmhurst		
1929	A.A. Weir	Niakwa		
1930	D.N. Arnott	Assiniboine		
1931	D.N. Arnott	Assiniboine		
1932	R.J. Reith	Assiniboine		
1933	R.J. Reith	Assiniboine		Pine Ridge
1934	A.A. Weir	Wpg Beach		St. Charles
1935	R.J. Reith	Assiniboine		Elmhurst
1936	R.J. Reith	Assiniboine		Wasagmg
1937	R.J. Reith	Assiniboine		Niakwa
1938	Ernie Palmer	Southwood		Pine Ridge
1939	Ernie Palmer	Southwood	6&5	St. Charles
1940	Howard Bennett	Southwood	4&3	Elmhurst
1941	Allan Boes	Southwood	8&6	Southwood
1942	Howard Bennett	Southwood	6&4	Niakwa
1943	Allan Boes	Southwood	9&8	Southwood
1944	Allan Boes	Southwood	3&2	St. Charles
1945	Charlie Woods	Niakwa	3&2	Niakwa
1946	Harold Eidsvig	P.Ridge	6&5	Elmhurst
1947	Harold Eidsvig	P.Ridge	3&2	Pine Ridge
1948	Allan Boes	Southwood	2&1	St.Boniface
1949	Mike Pidlaski	St.Boniface	4&3	Niakwa
1950	Mike Pidlaski	St.Boniface	2&1	Elmhurst
1951	Bill Budd	St.Boniface	2&1	Southwood

1952	Merv Moxley	Niakwa	8&7	Niakwa
1953	Roy Kepron	Elmhurst	6&5	Pine Ridge
1954	Jack Jacobs	Tuxedo	5&4	St. Charles
1955	Rod McCulloch	Assin.	10&9	Elmhurst
1956	Wilf Homenuik	Elmhurst	7&6	Glendale
1957	Wilf Homenuik	Elmhurst	5&4	Pine Ridge
1958	Don Gardner	Niakwa	5&4	Elmhurst
1959	Ron Fiddler	St.Boniface	3&2	Southwood
1960	Bill Pidlaski	Elmhurst	9&8	Elmhurst
1961	Ted Homeniuk	Rossmere	37th	Elmhurst
1962	Ron Fiddler	Elmhurst	9&8	BrzyBend
1963	Bill Pidlaski	Elmhurst	39th	St. Charles
1964	Don Alexander	Niakwa	3&2	Niakwa
1965	Barry McKenzie	Rossmere	4&3	St. Boniface
1966	Nick Mickoski	Elmhurst	8&6	Rossmere
1967	Terry More	Southwood	5&4	Southwood
1968	Barry Chipka	Rossmere	5&3	Rossmere
1969	Ted Homeniuk	Elmhurst	8&7	Bel Acres
1970	David Krucik	Elmhurst	4&2	Elmhurst
1971	Gary Kullman	Rossmere	4&3	BrzyBend
1972	Steve Bannatyne	Rossmere	288	Pine Ridge
1973	Gary Kullman	Rossmere	292	St. Boniface
1974	Steve Bannatyne	Rossmere	286	Rossmere
1975	Jim Doyle	Elmhurst	286	Glendale
1976	Gary Kullman	Rossmere	296	Glendale
1977	Ted Homeniuk	Rossmere	289	St. Charles
1978	Bill Parker	Elmhurst	299	St. Charles
1979	Bill Parker	Elmhurst	289	Elmhurst
1980	Craig Dearden	Glendale	292	Ross/St.Bon
1981	Dan Scanlon	Brzy Bend	289	Niak/S'wood
1982	Bill Parker	Brzy Bend	288	Glen/B'Acres
1983	Pat Doyle	Sandy Hook	287	Blum/StChas
1984	Todd Fanning	Southwood	296	Brzy Bend
1985	Terry Hashimoto	St. Chas	281	Elm/P.Ridge
1986	Glen Hnatiuk	Selkirk	275	Blum/Glen
1987	Garth Collings	Brzy Bend	289	Brzy Bend
1988	Kevin Baker	St. Charles	286	B'Acres/Elm
1989	Dave McMillan	Rossmere	290	St.C/P.Ridge
1990	Todd Fanning	Southwood	291	St. Boniface
1991	Todd Fanning	Southwood	280	Rossmere
1992	Todd Fanning	Southwood	280	Southwood
1993	Rob McMillan	Pine Ridge	296	Niakwa
1994	Garth Collings	Brzy Bend	284	Glendale
1995	Rob McMillan	Pine Ridge	296	Brzy Bend
1996	Rob McMillan	Pine Ridge	283	Bel Acres
1997	Jamie Wilkie	Glendale	285	Rossmere
1998	Terry Hashimoto	Brzy Bend	286	Minn/St.Chas
1999	Adam Speirs	St. Charles	283	S'bach/Niak
2000	Kevin Kotyk	Rossmere	288	St.B/Pinawa
2001	Adam Speirs	St. Charles	278	Selk/PelBch
2002	Mike Keast	Niakwa	278	Ross/S'bach
2003	Kevin Kotyk	Elmhurst	285	St. Boniface/ Winkler/Elmhurst
2004	Jordan Krantz,	Eag.Lndg	284	Quarry Oaks/ Steinbach/Pinawa
2005	Jordan Krantz,	Eag.Lndg	280	Larters/Links at the Lake

MANITOBA JUNIOR

Year	Player	Home	Score	Venue
1923	F.Woolley			
1924	Robert Lawson			
1925	Ernest Palmer			
1926	R. Bannister			
1927	R. Bannister			
1928	C. Reid			
1929	Bud Donovan			
1930	R.J. Reith			
1931	D. Critchley			
1932	H. Critchley			
1933	A. Cotton			
1934	D. Mitchell			
1935	Pete Shympko			
1936	Harry McClure			
1937	Howard R. Bennett			
1938	Howard R. Bennett			
1939	James R. Inglis			
1940	Edward P. Asetline			

Women's Champions of the Past

AMATEUR

Year	Player	Home course
1921	Mrs. Douglas Laird	St. Charles
1922	Mrs. H. Hutchings	WinnipegGC
1923	Mrs. Douglas Laird	St. Charles
1924	Mrs. B.P. Pellenz	Elmhurst
1925	Mrs. R.K. Beairsto	St. Charles
1926	Mrs. R.K. Beairsto	St. Charles
1927	Mrs. K.C. Allen	St. Charles
1928	Mrs. B.P. Pellenz	Elmhurst
1929	Mrs. G. Konantz	St. Charles
1930	Mrs. B.P. Pellenz	Elmhurst
1931	Mrs. R.K. Beairsto	St. Charles
1932	Mrs. J.A. Rogers	St. Charles
1933	Mrs. R.K. Beairsto	St. Charles
1934	Mrs. G. Konantz	St. Charles
1935	Mrs. Douglas Laird	St. Charles
1936	Miss Heather Leslie	Alcrest
1937	Miss Heather Leslie	Niakwa
1938	Mrs. J.A. Rogers	St. Charles
1939	Mrs. R.K. Beairsto	St. Charles
1940	Mrs. R.K. Beairsto	St. Charles
1941	Mrs. Bruce Campbell	St. Charles
1942	Mrs. J.L. Peterson	Niakwa
1943	No Competition	
1944	No Competition	
1945	Mrs. Bruce Campbell	St. Charles
1946	Mrs. W.S. Edey	Charleswood
1947	Mrs. W.S. Edey	Charleswood
1948	Mrs. W.S. Edey	Charleswood
1949	Mrs. Bruce Campbell	St. Charles
1950	Mrs. W.S. Edey	Charleswood
1951	Mrs. W.S. Edey	Charleswood
1952	Miss June Baker	Niakwa
1953	Mrs. J.K.A. Brown	Niakwa
1954	Miss Marg Dubec	Southwood
1955	Mrs. Doreen Brown	Niakwa
1956	Miss Marlene Wach	Niakwa
1957	Miss Donna Patton	St. Charles
1958	Miss Donna Patton	St. Charles
1959	Miss Donna Patton	St. Charles
1960	Miss Ollie Hyndiuk	St. Boniface
1961	Mrs. Marg Homenuik	Rossmere
1962	Mrs. Marg Homenuik	Rossmere
1963	Mrs. Marg Homenuik	Rossmere
1964	Mrs. Marg Homenuik	Rossmere
1965	Mrs. Jo-Ann Snyder	Charleswood
1966	Mrs. Marg Homenuik	Rossmere
1967	Miss Tannys Aspegiv	Rossmere
1968	Miss Lynda Devine	Thunder Bay
1969	Miss Tannys Aspegiv	Rossmere
1970	Miss Tannys Aspegiv	Rossmere
1971	Miss Tannys Aspegiv	Rossmere
1972	Mrs. Marg Homenuik	Rossmere
1973	Miss Lynda Devine	Thunder Bay
1974	Miss Lynda Devine	Thunder Bay
1975	Mrs. Pam Falk	Transcona
1976	Mrs. Pam Falk	Transcona
1977	Brenda Lunsford	J. Blumberg
1978	Brenda Lunsford	J. Blumberg
1979	Lynda Lauder	Strathcona
1980	Joanne Goulet	Regina
1981	Joanne Goulet	Regina
1982	Lynda Palahniuk	Elmhurst
1983	Gail Anderson	St. Charles
1984	Cathy Burton	Harbour View
1985	Gail Anderson	St. Charles
1986	Cathy Burton	Harbour View
1987	Lynda Palahniuk	Elmhurst
1988	Lynda Palahniuk	Elmhurst
1989	Aileen Robertson	St. Charles
1990	Aileen Robertson	St. Charles
1991	Aileen Robertson	St. Charles

1992	Lynda Palahniuk	Elmhurst
1993	Kim Brozer	Saskatchewan
1994	Aileen Robertson	St. Charles
1995	Aileen Robertson	St. Charles
1996	Aileen Robertson	St. Charles
1997	Jo-Ann Lindsay	St. Charles
1998	Tammy Gibson	St. Boniface
1999	Angela Martens	Southwood
2000	Jo-Ann Lindsay	St. Charles
2001	Jill Hardy	Niakwa
2002	Bobbi Brandon	Saskatoon
2003	Christin Thomson	Kitchen Creek
2004	Jill Hardy	Niakwa
2005	Stacy Bieber	St. Charles

SENIOR

Year	Player	Home course
1928	Mrs. C. Kreger	
1929	Mrs. C. Kreger	
1930	No Competition	
1931	No Competition	
1932	Mrs. D. Laird	
1933	Mrs. S.M. Campbell	
1934	Mrs. S.M. Campbell	
1935	Mrs. G.T. Koester	
1936	Mrs. S.M. Campbell	
1937	No Competition	
1938	Mrs. C.C. Balfour	
1939	No Competition	
1940	No Competition	
1941	No Competition	
1942	No Competition	
1943	No Competition	
1944	No Competition	
1945	No Competition	
1946	Mrs. R.K. Beairsto	St. Charles
1947	Mrs. J. Beveridge	Niakwa
1948	Mrs. L.P. Mason	St. Charles
1949	Mrs. L.P. Mason	St. Charles
1950	Mrs. J.E. Dangerfield	Niakwa
1951	Mrs. Kay Gow	Niakwa
1952	Mrs. J.E. Dangerfield	Niakwa
1953	Mrs. L.P. Mason	St. Charles
1954	Mrs. J.L. Peterson	St. Charles
1955	Mrs. J.L. Peterson	St. Charles
1956	Mrs. Kay Gow	Niakwa
1957	Madeline McFeteridge	Niakwa
1958	Irene Swail	Niakwa
1959	Mrs. I. Sutton	
1960	Connie Clubine	Southwood
1961	Midge Cole	St. Boniface
1962	Marg Edey	Charleswood
1963	Marg Edey	Charleswood
1964	Marg Edey	Charleswood
1965	Marg Edey	Charleswood
1966	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1967	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1968	Doreen Rungay	
1969	Pat Petrow	St. Boniface
1970	Fern Crook	Southwood
1971	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1972	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1973	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1974	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1975	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1976	Marg Ford	Pine Falls
1977	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1978	Marg Ford	Pine Falls
1979	June Bagley	Canoe Club
1980	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1981	June Bagley	Canoe Club
1982	Ann Tachan	Elmhurst
1983	Merlene Netterfield	Pine Ridge
1984	Marg Ford	Pine Falls
1985	Merlene Netterfield	Pine Ridge
1986	Merlene Netterfield	Pine Ridge
1987	Merlene Netterfield	Pine Ridge
1988	Merlene Netterfield	Pine Ridge

1989	Joy Knudson	Wildewood
1990	Judy Lang	Niakwa
1991	Merlene Netterfield	Pine Ridge
1992	Jo-Ann Lindsay	Minneapolis
1993	Jo-Ann Lindsay	Minneapolis
1994	Pat Piper	J. Blumberg
1995	Jo-Ann Lindsay	St. Charles
1996	Jo-Ann Lindsay	St. Charles
1997	Jo-Ann Lindsay	St. Charles
1998	Jo-Ann Lindsay	St. Charles
1999	Jo-Ann Lindsay	St. Charles
2000	Jo-Ann Lindsay	St. Charles
2001	Barb Wilson	Saskatoon
2002	Judi Lidstone	Elmhurst
2003	Judi Lidstone	Elmhurst
2004	Betty Ann Houde	Niakwa
2005	Jo-Ann Lindsay	Interlachen

JUNIOR

Year	Player	Home course
1948	June Baker	Canoe Club
1949	Barbara Morrison	Selkirk
1950	Janet Bell	Charleswood
1951	Marlene Wach	Niakwa
1952	Ruth Thorvaldson	St. Charles
1953	Marlene Wach	Niakwa
1954	Marlene Wach	Niakwa
1955	Jo-Ann Percy	Charleswood
1956	Donna Patton	Assiniboine
1957	Jo-Ann Percy	Charleswood
1958	Donna Patton	Assiniboine
1959	Heather Lawrence	Wasagaming
1960	Heather Lawrence	Wasagaming
1961	Pat Kiggins	Rossmere
1962	Marian Lawrence	Wasagaming
1963	Marian Lawrence	Wasagaming
1964	Nancy Mitchell	
1965	Bonnie Brekke	Rossmere
1966	Bonnie Brekke	Rossmere
1967	Tannys Aspegiv	Rossmere
1968	Tannys Aspegiv	Rossmere
1969	Lynda Smith	St. Boniface
1970	Lynda Smith	St. Boniface
1971	Cathy Nixon	Breezy Bend
1972	Jane Lord	St. Charles
1973	Jane Lord	St. Charles
1974	Debbie Suzuki	Breezy Bend
1975	Diane Fredrickson	St. Charles
1976	Joanne Ariza	Rossmere
1977	Diane Fredrickson	St. Charles
1978	Marjorie Weday	Portage
1979	Carrie Triffo	Wildewood
1980	Carrie Triffo	Wildewood
1981	Shauna Gechel	Breezy Bend.
1982	Gail Anderson	St. Charles
1983	Janet Cochran	St. Charles
1984	Janet Cochran	St. Charles
1985	Barbara Maslanko	Pine Ridge
1986	Aileen Robertson	St. Charles
1987	Aileen Robertson	St. Charles
1988	Cynthia Hogue	Thunder Bay
1989	Alissa Lauder	Thunder Bay
1990	Raina Best	Southwood
1991	Christine Power	Pine Falls.
1992	Dana Kidd	Saskatchewan
1993	Brionie Brown	St. Charles
1994	Leila Chartrand	Victoria
1995	Leila Chartrand	Victoria
1996	Bobbi Brandon	Saslatoon
1997	Carla Rae Dobchuk	Saskatchewan
1998	Kathleen Zeweniuk	St. Boniface
1999	Jillian Hardy	Niakwa
2000	Kathleen Zeweniuk	St. Boniface
2001	Tanis Hastmann	Rossmere
2002	Kathleen Zeweniuk	St. Boniface
2003	Stacey Bieber	St. Charles
2004	Kaitlin Troop	Clear Lake
2005	Kaitlin Troop	Brandon

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THE 2005 MEN'S SCOREBOARD

U of M/ JUNIOR MATCHES

May 7-8 at Quarry Oaks

OVERALL RESULTS

University of Manitoba 12.5 Mundie Putter Juniors 10.5

Day 1 Results

Best Ball matches

University of Manitoba 3 Juniors 3

Nathan Wazny(J) def. Chanse Robertson(U), 5&4

Curtis Nichol/Joey McInnes (J) def. Brian Kornelsen/Steve Bucko (U), 3&2

Jesse Skelton/Carlos Jeong (J) def. Tyler Mancini/Scott Markham (U), 2&1

Tyler Kerslake/Mike Iannone (U) def. Sean Robertson/Austin Steinberger (J), 3&2

Kurt Scherle/Scott Borsa (U) def. Cody MacAulay/Spencer Harris (J), 1 up

Kurt Kelly/Lucas Skelton (U) def. Riley Unger/Burke Nagle (J), 1 up

Alternate Shot

University of Manitoba 4 Juniors 2

Chanse Robertson/Derek Ingram (U) def.

Nathan Wazny/Kaitlin Troop (J), 1 up

Brian Kornelsen/Steve Bucko (U) and Curtis Nichol/Joey McInnes (J), even

Tyler Mancini/Scott Markham (U) def. Jesse Skelton/Carlos Jeong (J), 3&2

Sean Robertson/Austin Steinberger (J) def.

Tyler Kerslake/Mike Iannone (U), 3&2

Kurt Scherle/Scott Borsa (U) def. Cody

MacAulay/Spencer Harris (J), 4&3

Kurt Kelly/Lucas Skelton (U) and Riley

Unger/Burke Nagle (J), even

Day 2 Results

Single Matches

University of Manitoba 5.5 Juniors 5.5

Steve Bucko (U) def. Jesse Skelton (J), 1 up

Brian Kornelsen (U) def. Joey McInnes (J), 4&3

Scott Markham (U) def. Curtis Nichol (J), 1 up

Tyler Mancini (U) def. Sean Robertson (J), 3&2

Carlos Jeong (J) def. Kurt Scherle (U), 3&2

Scott Borsa (U) def. Cody MacAulay (J), 2&1

Riley Unger (J) def. Mike Iannone (U), 3&2

Burke Nagle (J) def. Tyler Kerslake (U), 2 up

Spencer Harris (J) def. Kurt Kelly (U), 5&3

Nathan Wazny (J) def. Lucas Skelton (U), 1 up

Chanse Robertson (U) and Austin Steinberger

(J), even

MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

Qualifying May 22 at Carman

(May 21 cancelled due weather)

Matches May 27-June 2 at Niakwa

MEDALIST LEADERS

Dave Michaleski, Selkirk	69
Peter More, Elmhurst	71
Steve Bucko, Larters	72
Brian Kornelsen, Pine Ridge	72
Todd Slatnik, Niakwa	73
Tyler Mancini, Pine Ridge	74
Justin McDonald, Niakwa	75
Lucas Skelton, Bel Acres	75
Brad Kirton, Elmhurst	75
Scott Markham, Niakwa	76
Tyler Nahorny, Breezy Bend	76

Quarter Finals

Brad Kirton, Elmhurst def. Michael

Goldberg, Glendale, 4 & 2

Scott Borsa, Selkirk def. Shawn Baker,

Southwood, 2 up

Scott Markham, Niakwa def. Peter More, Elmhurst, 5 & 3

Brian Kornelsen, Pine Ridge def.

Tyler Mancini, Pine Ridge, 19th hole

Semi-Finals

Kirton def. Borsa, 2 & 1

Kornelsen def. Markham, 19th hole

Final

Kornelsen def. Kirton, 3 & 2

MIXED TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

June 18-19 at Minnewasta G & CC, Morden

Overall Championship

Troy Ehnes/Karen Foster	74-72--146
Donna and Alan Brownridge	78-73--151
Dave and Sharon Anderson	74-77--151
Darcy and Jamie Jones	79-74--153
Mark Starodub/Charlene Fox	79-75--154
Shawn Baker/Michelle Gisiger	80-74--154
Mike MacKenzie/Lori O'Neil	77-77--154
David and Karen Martin	80-76--156
Cherise Chambers/Jonathan Hykawy	79-78--157

Flight One

x-Donna and Alan Brownridge	78-73--151
Dave and Sharon Anderson	74-77--151
Darcy and Jamie Jones	79-74--153

(x-won in playoff)

Flight Two

Cherise Chambers/Jonathan Hykawy	79-78--157
Brent Armstrong/Michelle Lee	82-77--159
Bob and Sharon Chapman	80-83--163

Flight Three

John and Cheryl Kooning	89-85--174
Alvin and Shirley Gregorash	90-87--177
Bill and Martha Sinyard	95-94--189

Best Ball Championship

June 25-26 at the Links at Quarry Oaks

Overall Championship

Alan Ediger/David McLeod	68-68--136
Shawn Baker/David Mosscep	71-66--137
Zach Stein/Jeremy Kehler	70-71--141
Joey Ringaert/Ken Ringaert	74-69--143
Alan Brownridge/Mike Brownridge	71-74--145
Drew Adam/Neal McDonald	74-72--146

Flight One:

Zach Stein/Jeremy Kehler	70-71--141
Alan Brownridge/Mike Brownridge	71-74--145
Drew Adam/Neal McDonald	74-72--146

Flight Two

Joey Ringaert/Ken Ringaert	74-69--143
John Kooning/Tony Genyk	72-76--148
Donald MacDonald/Dennis Langrell	79-76--155

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

July 6-8 at John Blumberg and South

Interlake

Overall Championship

Jesse Skelton, Bel Acres	72-72-69--213
Nathan Wazney, Elmhurst	71-74-69--214
Riley Unger, Pleasant Valley	70-74-72--216
Burke Nagle, Breezy Bend	77-72-70--219
Chris Gardner, Eagles Landing	68-80-73--221
Michael Goldberg, Glendale	72-77-73--222
Steven Bryk, Little Falls	70-76-76--222
Joey McInnes, Red Lake	72-80-71--223
Eric Johnson, Breezy Bend	73-77-74--224
Curtis Nichol, Killarney	74-79-72--225
Kenny Keeler, Portage	70-80-75--225
Tyler Friesen, Winkler	74-75-76--225
Stefan Schneider, Kingswood	73-76-76--225
Cody MacAulay, Killarney	72-76-77--225

12 years and Under --

Scott Mazur, Transcona	83-94--177
Myles Sullivan, Portage	88-93--181

13-14 years --

Brock Helgeson, Red Lake	78-79--157
Burke Wiebe, Southwood	75-85--160

15-16 years --

Nathan Wazney, Elmhurst	71-74-69--214
Riley Unger, Pleasant Valley	70-74-72--216

17-18 years --

Jesse Skelton, Bel Acres	72-72-69--213
Burke Nagle, Breezy Bend	77-72-70--219
Chris Gardner, Eagles Landing	68-80-73--221
Junior Provincial Team - Jesse Skelton, Nathan Wazney, Riley Unger, Burke Nagle	
Manitoba/Minnesota Team - Jesse Skelton, Nathan Wazney, Riley Unger, Burke Nagle, Chris Gardner, Michael Goldberg, Steven Bryk, Joey McInnes	

Western Juvenile Team - Nathan Wazney, Joey McInnes, Cody MacAulay, Tristian Schneider

RURAL JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

July 14-15 at Winkler

Overall Championship

Kenny Keeler, Portage	70-67--137
Tyson Ehnes, Minnewasta	70-69--139
Shayne Fredborg, Selkirk	68-71--139
Riley Unger, Pleasant Valley	70-72--142
Carlos Jeong, Larters	71-77--148
Brock Helgeson, Red Lake	77-72--149
Austin Steinberger, Selkirk	73-76--149
Bryce Moar, Portage	78-72--150
Micky Gilbert, Eagles Landing	79-72--151
Joey McInnes, Red Lake	72-79--151
Taylor McNamee, Wheat City	75-77--152
Peter Moon, Larters	76-76--152

13-14 years --

Brock Helgeson, Red Lake	77-72--149
Austin Steinberger, Selkirk	73-76--149
Jeff Havixbeck, Breezy Bend	78-81--159

15-16 years --

Riley Unger, Pleasant Valley	70-72--142
Joey McInnes, Red Lake	72-79--151
Peter Moon, Larters	76-76--152

17-18 years --

Shayne Fredborg, Selkirk	68-71--139
Carlos Jeong, Larters	71-77--148
Bryce Moar, Portage	78-72--150

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

July 18-21 at Larters at St. Andrews and

Links at the Lake

Overall Championship

Jordan Krantz, EaglesLndg	72-74-69-65--280
Scott Markham, Niakwa	69-77-69-66--281
Stewart Bannatyne, St.Chas	68-72-71-70--281
Scott Loewen, Elmhurst	71-70-71-70--282
Matt Johnston, St. Charles	75-69-71-69--284
Peter More, Elmhurst	72-76-69-72--289
Tyler Mancini, Pine Ridge	71-75-76-68--290
Garth Collings, Brzy Bend	75-71-72-72--290
Dave Michaleski, Larters	68-76-71-75--290
Mike Keast, Niakwa	72-70-74-75--291
Carlos Jeong, Larters	74-73-74-71--292
Kurt Scherle, Larters	73-74-74-72--293
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FLIGHT WINNERS

First Flight -- Dean Stowell, Transcona; Dave Anderson, Breezy Bend

Second Flight -- Keith Fawcett, Selkirk; David Mossdrop, Southwood

Third Flight -- Ab Guanlao, PAGASA; Al Briscoe, Transcona

Fourth Flight - James Brown, Wildewood; Cheyenne Keith, Carman

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FLIGHT WINNERS

First Flight - Tom Wilson, Niakwa; Ross Burnett, Niakwa

Second Flight - John Matthews, Southwood; Bob Desrochers, Pine Ridge

Third Flight - Jim Tibbs, Pine Ridge; Les Duncan, Pine Ridge

Fourth Flight - James Scollan, Elmhurst; Mel Melstead, Elmhurst

Super Senior (70+) - Dave Keep, St. Boniface

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Aug. 17-18 at Northfield Golf Club, MN

OVERALL POINTS

Manitoba 4 Minnesota 12

FOUR SOME MATCHES

Manitoba 2 Minnesota 2

Trent Peterson/Jan Trasamar (MN) def. Joey McInnes/Eric Johnson (MB), 1 up
Jesse Skelton/Michael Goldberg (MB) def. Don Constable/Bryce Hanstad (MN), 1 up
Riley Unger/Steve Bryk (MB) def. Matt Schneider/Bryant Black (MN), 1 up
Brett Benson/Ryan Peterson (MN) def. Nathan Wazney/Chris Gardner (MB), 6 and 5

FOURBALL MATCHES

Manitoba 1 Minnesota

Skelton/Goldberg (MB) def. T.Peterson/R.Peterson (MN), 5 and 4
Benson/Trasamar (MN) def. McInnes/Johnson, 1 up
Constable/Schneider (MN) def. Unger/Bryk (MB), 2 and 1
Hanstad/Black (MN) def. Wazney/Gardner (MB), 1 up

SINGLES MATCHES

Manitoba 1 Minnesota 7

T.Peterson (MN) def. Skelton (MB), 5 and 4
Constable (MN) def. Johnson (MB), 6 and 4
Benson (MN) def. Goldberg (MB), 4 and 3
Trasamar (MN) def. Unger (MB), 5 and 4
R.Peterson (MN) def. Gardner (MB), 2 and 1
McInnes (MB) def. Black (MN), 3 and 2
Schneider (MN) def. Wazney (MB), 4 and 3
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(decided on net scores)

Kenora G & CC -- 309 -- Kerry Westlund, Rob Worsnop, Charlie Strachan, John Daley.

Teulon G & CC - 315 -- Don Ingram, Ken Harman, Craig Bork, Kelly Burnett.

Grand Pines GC - 324 -- Al Fisher, Don Robson, J.J. Wiens, Ron Zelinsky.

Thompson - 331 -- Kerry Freund, Kurt Brass, Mervin McKay, Art Lafreniere.

Transcona GC - 334 -- Tom Knott, Dave Kilimnik, Lorne Gardiner, John Papadopoulos.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

Aug. 10 at Lake of the Sandhills

City Division

1. Elmhurst Golf and Country Club (220) -- Peter More, Chad Selk, Brad Kirton, Tom Humniski
2. St. Boniface Golf Club (224) -- Brent Clague, Dave McLeod, Mike Walker, Alan Ediger

Rural Division

1. The Links at Quarry Oaks (233) Yvan St. Vincent, Jonathon Doerksen, Norman Larocque, Andy Lavack
2. Oakview Golf and Country Club (233) Tom Kroeker, Len Wolfe, Dan Hoepfner, Pete Wall

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Aug. 15 at Kingswood

City Division

1. Niakwa Country Club (226) -- Cole Roblin, Eric Bench, Blake Chartier, Andrew Gaudry
2. Breezy Bend Country Club (241) - Ryan Cook, Jeff Havixbeck, Steve Minion, Sean Roberetson

Rural Division

1. Larters at St. Andrews Golf and Country Club (244) -- Carlos Jeong, John Moon, Peter Moon, Jimmy Seekings
2. Portage Golf Club (246) -- Kenny Keeler, Branden Leslie, Bryce Moar, Daniel Moar

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Sept. 7 at Pinawa

City Division

1. Pine Ridge Golf Club (233)-- Len Sovak, Bob Desrochers, Cliff Davis, Barry Birch
2. Rossmere Country Club (234)-- Allan Wheeler, David Martin, Jay Kang, Wally Gallagan

Rural Division

1. Teulon Golf and Country Club (248)-- Larry Hayden, Henry Schmidt, Durrell Sanders, Dennis Vande
2. Kenora Golf and Country Club (249)-- Jack Thompson, Grant Green, Jim Greene, Kerry Westlund

Golf Manitoba 2006

Tournament Schedule

Event	Date	Club
Match Play Qualifier (M & W)	May 20-21	The Meadows
Match Play Championship (M & W)	May 27-28, 30-31, June 3	Niakwa
Women's Alternate Shot	June 5	Pine Ridge
Optimist Junior	June 10-11	Larters and Meadows
CN Prairie Future Links	June 15-18	Elmhurst
Mixed Team	June 17-18	Minnewasta
Women's City & District	June 19-20	South Interlake
Men's Best Ball	June 24-25	Pinawa
Junior Bantam	June 24-25	Players Course
Men's Amateur Qualifier	June 29 July 1	Minnedosa/Blumberg Quarry Oaks
North America Cup Matches	June 30, July 1-2	Larters
Junior Championships (M & W)	July 4-7 July 4-5	Breezy Bend Carman
MTS Classic Qualifier	July 10	Elmhurst
Women's Amateur/Senior	July 10-12	Rossmere
Men's Rural Junior	July 13-14	Gilbert Plains
Western Juvenile Team Matches	July 17-20	Edmonton, AB
Men's Amateur	July 18-19 July 20-21	Transcona St. Charles
Men's Mid-Amateur	July 24-26	Elmhurst
Women's Interclub B	August 3	Glendale
Women's Interclub A	August 8	Kingswood
Men's Senior Championship	August 8-10	St. Boniface
Men's Provincial Interclub	August 11	Minnedosa
Men's Rural Amateur/Senior	August 13-14	Selkirk
Manitoba/Minnesota Junior Matches	August 20-22	Pine Ridge
Men's Provincial Team Handicap	August 28	Links at the Lake
Men's Senior Interclub	September 13	Lake of the Sandhills
High School Championships	September 22	TBA

WINNIPEG REGION

ASSINIBOINE GOLF CLUB

2045 Ness Avenue
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Pro Shop: (204) 988-9313
Head Pro: Dale Esopenko
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Sturgeon Road, 4 km north
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Director of Golf: Steve Wood
Superintendent: Craig Mitchell
18 holes - Par 72/73-Semi-Private

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Headingley, MB.
Club: (204) 895-7205
Pro Shop: (204) 895-7206
Head Pro: Sandy Paterson
Manager: Cory Johnson
Superintendent: Ian Martinusen
18 holes - Par 72 - Private

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Garven Road, Springfield
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Club: (204) 224-2244
Pro Shop: (204) 222-5511
Head Pro: Randy Brekke
Manager: Julian Cusworth
Superintendent: Dan Ciekiewicz
18 holes - Par 71/74 - Private

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Head Pro: Jim Steep
Manager: Raman Talwar
Superintendent: Craig MacLeod
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Headingley, MB.
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Head Pro: John Bowen
Manager: Ben Smirnov
Superintendent: Greg Hollins
27 holes - Par 71 /73 - Public

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Manager: Jim Keele
Superintendent: Norbert Philippot
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18 holes - Par 72 - Public

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620 Niakwa Road
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Pro Shop: (204) 256-2013
Head Pro: Emerson Mahoney
Manager: Brian Kullman
Superintendent: Jim Barr
18 holes - Par 72 /74 - Private

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Head Pro: Gord Workum
Superintendent: Derrick Chlopecki
18 holes - Par 72/75 - Private

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Superintendent: Garth Recksiedler
9 holes - Par 68 - Public

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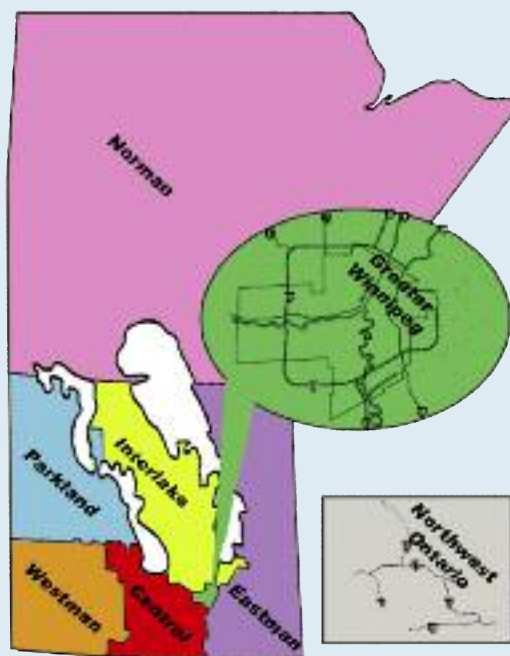
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Manager: Glenn Singleton
Superintendent: Mark Jordan
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Superintendent: Gord MacKay
18 holes - Par 63 - Public



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Manager: Ted Charles
Superintendent: Ray Savard
18 holes - Par 70 - Private

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100 Youville Street
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Director of Golf Operations/
General Manager: Geoff Kehler
Superintendent: Darren Kalyniuk
18 holes-Par 72 /74- Semi-Private

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100 Country Club Blvd.
Club: (204) 889-4444
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Head Pro: Cory Kartusch
General Manager: Cameron Gray
Superintendent: Kerry Watkins
27 holes - Par 72 - Private

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2120 Dugald Road
Club: (204) 224-5927
Pro Shop: (204) 222-6171
Head Pro: Dave McMillan
Manager: Al Campbell
Superintendent: Greg Haus
18 holes- Par 70/72- Semi-Private

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CPGA Master Professional:
Harry Brothie
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Head Pro: Brent Hardy
Superintendent: Ralph Schofield
18 holes - Par 69/71 - Public

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761 North Drive
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Pro Shop: (204) 284-7385
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Superintendent: Dave Tkachuk
9 holes - Par 72 - Semi-Private

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10 Des Meurons Ave.
Club/Pro Shop: (204) 986-3006
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Superintendent: Norbert Philippot
18 holes - Par 68/69 - Public

NORTHWEST ONTARIO REGION

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Pro Shop: (807) 223-3433
Manager: Rena Madden
Superintendent: Dam Pietila
9 holes - Par 72 - Semi-Private

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Manager: Karrie Caron
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9 holes - Par 72 - Semi-Private

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18 holes - Par 72/73 - Public

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18 holes - Par 71/72-Semi-Private

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9 holes - Par 72 - Public

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9 holes - Par 70 - Public

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18 holes - Par 72 - Public

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Pro Shop Manager: Myles Weiner
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27 holes - Par 72/74 - Public

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18 holes - Par 72 - Public

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Manager: Rosey Martin

Superintendent: Ian Brooks

18 holes - Par 71/73 - Semi-Private

SOUTH INTERLAKE GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Warren, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 322-5335

Head Pro: Steve Witluk

Superintendent: Gord Robinson

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TEULON GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Teulon, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 886-4653

Head Pro/Mgr: Rana Macleod

Superintendent: Kito Nishibata

Club Manager: Lynn Willis

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CENTRAL REGION

BRIDGES GOLF COURSE

Starbuck, MB.

Club: (204) 735-3000

Pro Shop: (204) 735-5000

Head Pro/Manager: Brad Wlasiuk

General Manager: Robert Morse

Superintendent: Tony Feheregyhazi

18 holes - Par 72 - Public

CARMAN GOLF CLUB

Carman, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 745-2366

Head Pro: Mike Gottfred

Manager: Andre Jeanson

Superintendent: Rob Hamm

18 holes - Par 71 - Semi-Private

DELAHUNT GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Treherne, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 723-2502

Manager: Lindsay Hutlet

Sup'tendent: Michael Greenwood

9 holes - Par 72 - Public

GLADSTONE GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Gladstone, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 385-2998

Manager: Cathy Rink

Superintendent: Darren Younger

9 holes - Par 72 - Semi-Private

KINGSWOOD GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

LaSalle, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 736-4079

Head Pro: Brad Keats

Manager: Gary Curtis

Superintendent: John Evans

18 holes - Par 71/73 - Semi-Private

MACGREGOR TOWN & COUNTRY GOLF CLUB

MacGregor, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 685-2585

Manager: Terry Parker

Superintendent: Bob Leckie

9 holes - Par 70/76 - Public

MANITOU TOWN & COUNTRY GOLF CLUB

Manitou, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 242-2287

Manager: Lyle Andrews

Superintendent: Terry Desender

9 holes - Par 68/70 - Public

MIAMI GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Miami, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 435-2756

Manager: Deanna Black

Superintendent: Brian Unger

9 holes - Par 70/71 - Public

MINNEWASTA GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Morden, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 822-4992

Head Pro/Mgr: Traci Zonneveld

Superintendent: Marcel Deneer

18 holes - Par 72 - Public

OAKVIEW GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Altona, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 327-5590

Head Pro: Eugene Letkeman

Manager: Larry Dueck

Superintendent: Ed Martens

9 holes - Par 72 - Public

PORTAGE GOLF CLUB

Portage la Prairie, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 857-6177

Head Pro: Gordon Crossman

Superintendent: Ed Larkin

18 holes-Par 70/72- Semi-Private

PILOT MOUND TOWN & COUNTRY CLUB

Pilot Mound, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 825-2766

9 holes-Par 72- Public

ROLAND GOLF CLUB

Roland, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 343-2409

Manager: Myra Graham

Superintendent: Murray Peirson

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WINKLER GOLF CLUB

Winkler, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 325-7582

Manager: Jake Ediger

Head Pro: Ed Boge

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Superintendent: Doug McMillan
9 holes - Par 68 - Public

CARBERRY SANDHILLS GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Carberry, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 834-2325
Manager: Pat Harrison
Superintendent: Chris Anderson
9 holes - Par - Semi-Private

DELORAINE GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Deloraine, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 747-2411
Manager/Sup: Roy Clelland
9 holes - Par 72 - Public

GLENBORO GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Glenboro, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 827-2856
Manager: Irma Wood
Superintendent: Bruce Anderson
9 holes - Par 70/72 - Public

KILLARNEY LAKESIDE GOLF CLUB

Killarney, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 523-8277
Head Pro/Mgr: Scott Westman
Superintendent: Joel Baggeley
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LAKESIDE GOLF CLUB

Shoal Lake, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 759-2002
9 holes - Par 72 - Public

MELITA GOLF CLUB

Melita, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 522-3820
Manager: Gene Banks
Superintendent: Derrall Walker
9 holes - Par 70/74 - Public

MINNEDOSA COUNTRY CLUB

Minnedosa, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 867-3151
Head Pro/Manager: Chris Worley
Superintendent: Jeremy Sokol
18 holes - Par 72 - Public

PLEASANT VALLEY GOLF CLUB

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Club/Pro Shop: (204) 537-2487
Manager/Supt: Wally Hall
18 holes - Par 69/71 - Public

RESTON GOLF CLUB

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Manager: Steve Vandenberg
9 holes - Par 68 - Public

SHILO GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Shilo, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 765-3623
General Manager/ Superintendent:
Scott Ramsay
18 holes - Par 71 - Public

SOURIS GLENWOOD GOLF CLUB

Souris, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 483-2956
Manager: Cheryl Brown
Superintendent: Kevin Robertson
9 holes - Par 70/72 - Public

VIRDEN WELL VIEW GOLF CLUB

Virden, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 748-1721
Manager: Janis Sprott
Superintendent: George Trowell
9 holes - Par 72 - Public

WHEAT CITY GOLF COURSE

Brandon, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 729-2177
Head Pro/Manager: Gary Poole
Superintendent: Ken Martens
18 holes - Par 71/74 - Public

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Manager: Ian Sarna
Superintendent: Greg Holden
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DAUPHIN LAKE GOLF CLUB

Dauphin, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (306) 638-9400
Head Pro/Manager: Gary Brandon
Superintendent: Ken Ushkowski
18 holes - Par 70 - Semi-Private

GILBERT PLAINS COUNTRY CLUB

Gilbert Plains, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 548-2118
General Manager: Henry Hemmes
Superintendent: Mike Buchanan
18 holes - Par 71 - Semi-Private

ROBLIN GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Roblin, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 937-4774
Manager: Laura Znak
Superintendent: Merv Doering
9 holes - Par 68/72 - Public

RUSSELL GOLF CLUB

Russell, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 773-2969
Manager: Sarah Wilkinson
Superintendent: Cory Lowe
9 holes - Par 71/72 - Public

SWAN RIVER GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Swan River, MB.

Club: (204) 734-3935
Pro Shop: (204) 734-9393
Superintendent: Mike Smith
9 holes - Par 72 - Public

NORMAN REGION

THOMPSON GOLF CLUB

Thompson, MB.

Club/Pro Shop: (204) 778-5537
Head Pro: Mike Fenske
9 holes - Par 74 - Public



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The 19th Hole

WHEN YOU SINK THAT FINAL PUTT as you complete your round of golf, a visit with your pals at the 19th Hole is a fine way to end the day. That's the way it is when you reach the end of an annual publication. We've done our best, had some fun along the way and we're ready to relax.

Our hope is that this issue of the Golf Manitoba Journal has provided the information to help you find your way around the golf scene in Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario for another year.

Of course, the end of one round usually leads to planning for the next one and that's the way it is with the Golf Manitoba Journal. We will begin the planning for the 2007 edition during the summer months and we'll be happy to hear from the golfers

of Manitoba and Northwestern Ontario regarding your opinions on this issue and any ideas you would like us to look into for items in the next one.

And, we can't close out this issue without a reminder that our golfing friends should show their appreciation for the clubs and companies that provide the advertising support needed to produce a magazine. Please patronize the Journal advertisers and be sure to mention where you saw their ad.

Now that this edition is completed, we look forward to an enjoyable season on the links — hopefully much warmer and drier than the past two years have been. Golfers, course owners and operators and especially the golf professionals and the course superintendents will certainly echo that sentiment.

Have a great season and remember, as always, try to keep it in the fairways!
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