

Oktoberfest 2005

On Sunday, October 16th Airway Meadows held their 7th Annual Oktoberfest Golf Tournament. Fifty-Nine golfers competed in the Handicapped 4-player scramble with prizes being awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams in two flights. Afterwards two separate competitions were held, a putting contest and a pitching contest with the winners of each receiving a free 2006 Gold Membership.

Sunday's Results:

A-Flight

- 1st: Joan Taylor, Roxanne Andrews, Mary Assey, Sue Delonor (55)
- 2nd: Mike Gulli, John Donnelly, Russ Palmateer, Dan Donnelly (57)
- 3rd: Ray Schultz, Jay Skiff, Steve Brown, Kathy Jones (59)

B-Flight

- 1st: Frank Casale, Dave Ryan, Rob Zielinski, Matt Sullivan (58)
- 2nd: Jeff Yeackel, Tony Yeackel, Marty Holtby, Tom Alteiri (59)
- 3rd: Bob Picard Sr, Bob Picard Jr, Geri Picard, Jeff Picard (59)

Straightest Drive on Hole #5: Dave Ryan
Closest to the pin on Hole #9: Frank Casale
Closest to the pin on Hole #17: Roxanne Andrews
Men's Longest Drive on Hole #8: Bob Picard
Women's Longest Drive on Hole #10: Kathy Jones

Putting and Pitching contests for 2006 Membership

Putting Contest:

Each participant was given three chances to make a cross-green putt through a small hole. Two players were successful in the task: Roxanne Andrews and Mark Fitzpatrick. In the playoff which was a closest to the hole putt-off from about 20 feet and the winner of 2006 Gold membership was Roxanne Andrews. Mark Fitzpatrick received a consolation prize.

(photo of two finalists)

Pitching Contest:

Each participant was given three chance to pitch a ball into a large barrel about 25 yards away. Four players were successful, the first time in seven years that more than one had made the shot. Those that made it were: Donna Denué, Kathy Jones, Kathy Callan and Brian Driscoll. In the playoff, which was a closest to the pin from about 40 yards away, the winner was Brian Driscoll with the other three receiving consolation prizes.

(photo of four finalist)

The day began with a continental breakfast during registration then burgers, hotdogs, beer and soda on the turn. A BBQ was served during the contests consisting of strip steaks, german and american dishes and plenty of drink for all. Many prizes were awarded and along with raffle results. Although the day was brisk in weather as evidenced by the golf cart covers and heaters used by one foursome, it was warm with friendly competition and comradery. Lots of smiles that day. (photo of two covered golf cars)

The date will be set for the 2006 Oktoberfest this winter and put on our web site.