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Eli wins Woodlake, leads Shippen Cup

SHIPPEN CUP LEADERBOARD

PLAYER	RANK	POINTS
Eli White	1	40
Greg Ward	2	30
Derrick Bethune	3	25
George Thomas	T4	20
Earl Fraser	T4	20
Mike Conrad	T4	20
Herbie Lewis	T7	16.67
Joe Holloway	T7	16.67
Darryl Jeffries	T9	15
Rod LeBrew	T9	15
Walter Frye	T11	10
George Weekes	T11	10

WOODLAKE TOP GROSS

Greg Ward	90
Derrick Bethune	91
Darryl Jeffries	94
George Thomas	97



Eli White (left) wins the Woodlake event. Greg Ward (center) and Derrick Bethune placed second and third respectively.

It was a long, hard Winter. Seemed like it would never end. For that reason, I'm sure for many Ball Strikers the Woodlake event was the 1st time out on a golf course this season. And though temperatures were seasonably comfortable, it was an exceptionally breezy day. And, as often happens early in the season, the greens at Woodlake were recently aerated, making every putt an adventure. So there were ample excuses for high scores at Woodlake (and I, for one, am using every one of them).

In spite of all this, Eli White came ready to play and won the event with a 1st place finish in Shippen Cup stroke play and a match victory with team-

mate Joe Holloway. Greg Ward and Derrick Bethune scored 2nd and 3rd place respectively in stroke play and teamed up to win their 4 ball match to hold down 2nd and 3rd place overall.

George Thomas, Earl Fraser and Mike Conrad had T4's in the overall event standings by scoring match victories and top 10 finishes in stroke play.

PACE OF PLAY

On a negative note, the Woodlake event was a giant step backward regarding pace of play. We got negative feedback from the course rangers, the club pro and many golfers who were backed up on the golf course (including Ball Strikers).

We have made improving

"pace of play" one of our major objectives over the past 3 seasons so our pace of play performance at Woodlake was very disappointing. At meetings, events and in correspondence we have discussed ways of improving our pace of play as a club, but the fact is that we can't force members to play faster. Each of us must decide to get with the program. It only takes one or two golfers to slow down the entire group.

The bottom line is every group must keep up with the group ahead. We need everyone working together to this end while remembering we are all out here to enjoy ourselves. Hopefully, we will see a marked improvement in future events.

Woodlake Match Play Results

Last Name	First Name	Forward T	H_I	Course HC	MATCH	TEAM	Match Result	Match Ended	Match Points
LeBrew	Rod		14.8	15	4	A	WIN	2&1	10
Conrad	Michael		15.2	16	4	A	WIN	2&1	10
Williams	Burnell		14.9	15	4	B	LOSE	2&1	
Bell	Garrick		15.1	16	4	B	LOSE	2&1	
Atkinson	Curtis		9.6	10	1	A	WIN	DEFAULT	10
Beatty	Calvin		11	11	1	A	WIN	DEFAULT	10
Jeffries *	Darryl		10.1	10	1	B	WIN	3&2	10
Gibson **	Harold	YES	31.8	26	7	A	LOSE	5&3	
White	Eli		25.4	26	7	B	WIN	DEFAULT	10
Holloway	Joseph	YES	27.6	25	7	B	WIN	DEFAULT	10
Woolfolk	Raymond		13.4	14	3	A	LOSE	6&5	
Flores	Steve		14.2	15	3	A	LOSE	6&5	
Ward	Greg		13.7	14	3	B	WIN	6&5	10
Bethune	Derrick		13.8	14	3	B	WIN	6&5	10
Lewis	Herbie	YES	18.5	16	2	A	WIN	DEFAULT	10
Rucker	Donald		17.8	18	6	A	LOSE	2&0	
Williamson	Dan		23.2	24	6	A	LOSE	2&0	
Thomas	George		18.2	19	6	B	WIN	2&0	10
Fraser	Earl		19.9	20	6	B	WIN	2&0	10
Frye ***	Walter		17.7	18	5	A	TIE	0&0	5
Weekes ***	George		16.6	17	5	B	TIE	0&0	5
Match play format is 2 person team best ball (4 ball). Team A vs. Team B									
* Jeffries played Atkinson in an odd man match									
** Gibson played White in an odd man match									
*** Frye played Weekes in individual match play									
Regular tees = White Tees, Forward tees = Yellow Tees									

Woodlake Stroke Play Results (net)

Woodlake Event, 4/11/2015, Stroke Play Results							
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	Forward T	Course HC	GOSS	NET	RANK	Stroke Points
White	Eli		26	98	72	1	30.00
Ward	Greg		14	90	76	2	20.00
Bethune	Derrick		14	91	77	3	15.00
Thomas	George		19	97	78	4	10.00
Williamson	Dan		24	103	79	5	10.00
Fraser	Earl		20	100	80	6	10.00
Gibson	Harold	YES	26	106	80	6	10.00
Conrad	Michael		16	98	82	8	10.00
Lewis	Herbie	YES	16	99	83	9	6.67
Williams	Burnell		15	98	83	9	6.67
Holloway	Joseph	YES	25	108	83	9	6.67
Jeffries	Darryl		10	94	84	12	5.00
Rucker	Donald		18	103	85	13	5.00
Woolfolk	Raymond		14	99	85	13	5.00
Bell	Garrick		16	102	86	15	5.00
Flores	Steve		15	104	89	16	5.00
LeBrew	Rod		15	104	89	16	5.00
Atkinson	Curtis		10	101	91	18	5.00
Frye	Walter		18	109	91	18	5.00
Beatty	Calvin		11	102	91	18	5.00
Weekes	George		17	112	95	21	5.00

Woodlake Gross Hole by Hole

Woodlake Country Club																							
Gross Scores for Round 1 - May 3, 2014																							
		Holes	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOTAL
Rank		Par	4	5	4	3	4	5	4	3		36	4	4	5	3	4	5	4	3	4	36	72
1	WARD, Greg R		4	7	4	3	4	7	6	5	4	44	7	4	5	4	5	7	5	4	5	46	90
2	BETHUNE, Derrick		4	7	5	3	3	6	4	3	5	40	8	8	6	4	5	5	5	4	6	51	91
3	JEFFRIES, Darryl		5	5	6	3	4	8	7	4	5	47	6	5	6	4	6	5	5	6	4	47	94
4	THOMAS, George		4	7	5	5	4	9	5	2	5	46	6	6	8	4	5	8	4	5	5	51	97
T5	CONRAD, Michael		6	5	6	4	6	7	5	4	6	49	5	7	3	6	7	5	5	5	6	49	98
	WHITE, Eli		6	8	5	4	5	8	4	5	6	51	7	6	6	4	5	5	4	4	6	47	98
	WILLIAMS, Bernell		4	7	6	3	5	7	6	4	6	48	5	8	4	6	7	6	4	4	6	50	98
T8	LEWIS, Herbie		5	7	7	3	5	8	6	5	5	51	5	5	7	6	4	6	5	4	6	48	99
	WOOLFOLK, Raymond		4	8	7	4	6	6	8	4	6	53	6	5	7	5	5	6	4	4	4	46	99
10	FRASER, Earl		6	6	5	5	5	6	8	3	7	51	5	5	8	4	5	8	6	4	4	49	100
11	ATKINSON, Curtis		4	6	5	3	6	7	8	4	5	48	8	5	7	6	5	7	5	5	5	53	101
T12	BEATTY, Calvin		5	7	5	3	6	8	5	5	6	50	5	6	7	6	5	7	5	5	6	52	102
	BELL, Garrick		5	8	6	3	6	9	6	4	5	52	6	7	4	6	8	5	4	5	5	50	102
T14	RUCKER, Donald		5	5	6	5	4	9	8	5	6	53	7	5	5	4	7	7	4	6	5	50	103
	WILLIAMSON, Mr. Dan		6	8	5	3	8	8	6	4	6	54	7	3	5	6	6	6	7	4	5	49	103
T16	FLORES, Stephen		5	9	6	3	7	8	7	6	6	57	6	4	7	4	4	9	6	3	4	47	104
	LEBREW, Rod		4	6	8	4	5	8	6	4	5	50	5	7	5	5	5	8	8	6	5	54	104
18	GIBSON, Harold		7	7	7	6	6	6	5	6	6	56	6	6	7	5	4	7	6	4	5	50	106
19	HOLLOWAY, Joseph		5	7	6	6	5	10	5	3	7	54	5	6	7	4	5	10	8	4	5	54	108
20	FRYE, Walter		8	7	6	6	4	7	7	5	6	56	5	8	7	4	5	7	7	6	4	53	109
21	WEEKES, George		8	8	5	5	7	8	7	5	6	59	5	7	7	4	7	10	5	4	4	53	112

Woodlake Skins & Skills

<u>Hole</u>	<u>Gross</u>	<u>Skin Winner</u>	
3	4	Greg R Ward	\$30
5	3	Derrick Bethune	\$30
8	2	George Thomas	\$30
9	4	Greg R Ward	\$30
11	3	Dan Williamson	\$30
12	3	Michael Conrad	\$30
17	3	Stephen Flores	\$30

50-50 Winner

Joseph Holloway \$40

Long Drive No Winner

Closest to pin #4 Garrick Bell - 26 feet 3 inches

Closest to pin #17 George Weekes 33 feet 4 inches

Woodlake Event Statistics

Woodlake County Club Woodlake Country Club

Round 1 -- May 3, 2014

<u>Hole #</u>	<u>Yardage</u>	<u>Par</u>	<u>Stroke Avg</u>	<u>Hole Rank</u>	<u>Eagles</u>	<u>Birdies</u>	<u>Pars</u>	<u>Bogeys</u>	<u>D. Bogeys</u>	<u>Others</u>
1	380	4	5.24	15	0	0	7	7	4	3
2	510	5	6.91	4	0	0	3	3	9	6
3	407	4	5.76	8	0	0	1	8	8	4
4	150	3	4.00	18	0	0	10	4	4	3
5	340	4	5.29	13	0	1	5	6	6	3
6	496	5	7.57	1	0	0	1	3	5	12
7	356	4	6.14	2	0	0	2	5	6	8
8	202	3	4.29	14	0	1	3	8	7	2
9	395	4	5.67	9	0	0	1	7	11	2
10	363	4	5.95	3	0	0	0	9	6	6
11	410	4	5.86	6	0	1	2	6	5	7
12	485	5	6.10	16	1	2	4	3	9	2
13	193	3	4.81	7	0	0	0	11	3	7
14	324	4	5.43	11	0	0	3	11	2	5
15	542	5	6.91	5	0	0	4	5	6	6
16	378	4	5.33	12	0	0	6	8	3	4
17	168	3	4.52	10	0	0	1	12	4	4
18	339	4	5.05	17	0	0	6	8	7	0

Statistics derived from the # of Rounds Played = 21

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In	3202	36	49.952	1	3	26	73	45	41
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