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Knight tames Neshanic Valley

SHIPPEN CUP LEADERBOARD

PLAYER	RANK	POINTS
Allen Smith	1	81.67
George Weekes	2	70.83
Tony Jenkins	3	64.17
Mel Knight	4	59.17
Jesse Branson	5	56.67
Maurice Brown	6	47.5
Rod LeBrew	7	46.25
Joseph Holloway	8	45
Derrick Bethune	9	44.17
Eli White	10	41.25
Mel LuSane	11	40
Errol Blake	12	32.92
David Williams	T13	30
Donald Rucker	T13	30
Blake LeBrew	15	29.17

NESHANIC TOP GROSS

Mel Knight	81
David Williams	83
Tony Jenkins	84
Maurice Brown	85
Greg Ward	85
Avery Hackett	87



Joe Pack (left), Mel Knight (center) and Maurice Brown were top performers at Neshanic

Neshanic Valley is a tough tract. The 28 Ball Strikers who participated in the Neshanic Shippen Cup event reached consensus on this contention, again. But all 28 were up to the challenge on a cool rainy day in May.

Reining Shippen Cup champion, Mel Knight, was undaunted by the challenge and parlayed a net 70 into a first place finish in stroke play. Knight also teamed with Joe Pack for a four ball match victory resulting in a 40 point day.

Maurice Brown and George Weekes were hot on Knight's heels, each shooting net 71 for T2 finishes. Greg Ward and David Williams rounded out the top five in stroke play with net 73's. Brown and Weekes won their four ball matches. Brown with partner Rod LeBrew and Weekes teamed with Joseph Holloway.

Other four ball match winners at Neshanic were the teams of Errol Blake/Eli White, George Thomas/Donald Rucker,

Tony Jenkins/Avery and Allen Smith/Derrick Bethune.

Going into the next major Shippen Cup event at Riverview, Allen Smith holds the overall Shippen Cup lead. George Weekes and Tony Jenkins hold down second and third place respectively.

Top grossers at Neshanic Valley were Mel Knight (81), David Williams(83), Tony Jenkins(84), Maurice Brown(85, Greg Ward(85) and Avery Hackett(87).

Neshanic Match Play Results

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	Forward T	H_I	Course HC	MATCH	TEAM	Match Result	Match Ended	Match Points
Weekes	George		17.7	17	4	A	WIN	4&2	10
Holloway	Joseph	YES	29.5	24	4	A	WIN	4&2	10
Alley	Frederick		18	18	4	B	LOSE	4&2	
Cosby	Edward	YES	26.1	21	4	B	LOSE	4&2	
Williams	David		10.1	10	2	A	LOSE	2&0	
Conrad	Michael		12.6	12	2	A	LOSE	2&0	
Knight	Melvin		11.5	11	2	B	WIN	2&0	10
Pack	Joe		14	14	2	B	WIN	2&0	10
LuSane	Melvin		17.6	17	5	A	LOSE	2&1	
Frye	Walter		20.4	20	5	A	LOSE	2&1	
Blake	Errol		18	18	5	B	WIN	2&1	10
White	Eli		19.5	19	5	B	WIN	2&1	10
Fraser	Earl		18.2	18	3	A	LOSE	5&3	
Gibson	Harold	YES	31.7	26	3	A	LOSE	5&3	
Thomas	George		18.7	18	3	B	WIN	5&3	10
Rucker	Donald		19.4	19	3	B	WIN	5&3	10
Brown	Maurice		14.6	14	6	A	WIN	6&4	10
LeBrew	Rod		16.9	17	6	A	WIN	6&4	10
Morton	Ronald		14.7	14	6	B	LOSE	6&4	
Darby	Anthony		18.4	18	6	B	LOSE	6&4	
Ward	Greg		12.3	12	1	A	LOSE	1&0	
Branson	Jesse	YES	17.4	13	1	A	LOSE	1&0	
Jenkins	Tony		7.2	7	1	B	WIN	1&0	10
Hackett	Avery		12	12	1	B	WIN	1&0	10
Lecky	Hugh		15.9	16	7	A	LOSE	4&3	
Culp	Thomas	YES	18.9	14	7	A	LOSE	4&3	
Smith	Allen		15.9	16	7	B	WIN	4&3	10
Bethune	Derrick		16	16	7	B	WIN	4&3	10

Neshanic Net Stroke Play Results

Neshanic Event, 5/20/2017, Stroke Play Results								
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	HC_INDEX	Forward T	Course HC	GOSS	NET	RANK	Stroke Points
Knight	Melvin	11.5		11	81	70	1	30.00
Weekes	George	17.7		17	88	71	2	17.50
Brown	Maurice	14.6		14	85	71	2	17.50
Ward	Greg	12.3		12	85	73	4	10.00
Williams	David	10.1		10	83	73	4	10.00
Smith	Allen	15.9		16	90	74	6	10.00
Hackett	Avery	12		12	87	75	7	10.00
Branson	Jesse	17.4	YES	13	90	77	8	10.00
Jenkins	Tony	7.2		7	84	77	8	10.00
Lecky	Hugh	15.9		16	95	79	10	6.25
LeBrew	Rod	16.9		17	96	79	10	6.25
Blake	Errol	18		18	97	79	10	6.25
White	Eli	19.5		19	98	79	10	6.25
Conrad	Michael	12.6		12	92	80	14	5.00
Cosby	Edward	26.1	YES	21	101	80	14	5.00
Pack	Joe	14		14	96	82	16	5.00
Thomas	George	18.7		18	100	82	16	5.00
Morton	Ronald	14.7		14	97	83	18	5.00
Bethune	Derrick	16		16	99	83	18	5.00
Fraser	Earl	18.2		18	102	84	20	5.00
Gibson	Harold	31.7	YES	26	110	84	20	5.00
Darby	Anthony	18.4		18	103	85	22	5.00
LuSane	Melvin	17.6		17	105	88	23	5.00
Frye	Walter	20.4		20	108	88	23	5.00
Rucker	Donald	19.4		19	109	90	25	5.00
Culp	Thomas	18.9	YES	14	108	94	26	5.00
Holloway	Joseph	29.5	YES	24	121	97	27	5.00
Alley	Frederick	18		18	120	102	28	5.00

Neshanic Gross Hole by Hole

<i>Neshanic</i>																						
<u>Gross Scores for Round 1 - May 20, 2017</u>																						
		<i>Hole:</i>																				
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOTAL	
Rank		Par	4	4	4	3	5	3	4	5	36	4	4	3	4	5	4	4	3	5	36	72
1	KNIGHT, Melvin		5	5	4	2	7	4	5	5	41	4	4	3	5	6	5	4	3	6	40	81
2	WILLIAMS, David		5	5	4	3	5	4	4	5	40	4	4	4	5	5	6	5	4	6	43	83
3	JENKINS, Tony		4	4	5	4	4	5	7	42	4	4	3	5	6	6	5	3	6	6	42	84
T4	BROWN, Maurice A.		5	6	5	3	5	4	5	5	43	4	5	4	5	5	4	6	4	5	42	85
	WARD, Greg R		5	5	5	3	7	3	6	5	44	5	5	3	5	6	5	4	3	5	41	85
6	HACKETT, Avery		5	6	5	3	8	4	5	6	48	4	5	4	4	4	5	5	3	5	39	87
7	WEEKES, George		4	5	4	2	6	3	4	7	41	6	5	3	5	6	5	5	3	10	48	89
T8	SMITH, Allen		5	7	5	2	8	5	5	5	47	5	5	3	8	5	4	4	4	5	43	90
	BRANSON, Jesse		5	6	5	3	6	4	7	6	46	4	5	3	6	5	4	6	5	6	44	90
10	CONRAD, Michael		6	4	5	5	6	5	5	6	47	5	5	3	7	6	6	4	4	5	45	92
11	LECKY, Hugh		5	5	6	3	7	4	7	6	48	4	4	3	6	7	5	7	4	7	47	95
T12	LEBREW, Rod		6	5	5	6	5	5	5	4	46	6	6	3	6	7	6	5	4	7	50	96
	PACK, Mr. Joseph		6	4	4	4	7	5	7	5	47	5	5	4	8	5	4	8	4	6	49	96
T14	BLAKE, Errol		4	6	5	4	7	4	4	6	46	6	6	4	6	7	5	6	4	7	51	97
	MORTON, Ronald		6	4	7	4	5	4	8	6	48	5	5	2	7	8	6	6	3	7	49	97
16	WHITE, Eli		4	5	6	4	7	5	5	7	49	6	4	3	6	6	5	6	6	7	49	98
17	BETHUNE, Derrick		4	6	5	3	8	4	5	8	49	4	8	3	5	6	4	7	4	9	50	99
18	THOMAS, George George		4	4	7	4	7	4	4	8	48	6	8	4	7	5	4	6	4	8	52	100
19	COSBY,, Edward		5	5	6	4	7	4	4	7	47	5	8	5	6	6	5	6	4	9	54	101
20	FRASER, Earl		7	8	6	4	5	6	5	5	52	7	7	4	5	6	5	4	5	7	50	102
21	DARBY, Anthony		5	6	6	4	7	5	5	6	50	5	6	5	7	7	6	6	5	6	53	103
22	LUSANE, Melvin		6	6	6	3	10	4	6	7	53	6	6	5	5	7	7	5	4	7	52	105
T23	CULP, Thomas Sr.		5	7	6	5	9	5	5	6	54	6	6	4	7	8	5	6	5	7	54	108
	FRYE, Walter		5	5	7	4	10	5	6	7	57	7	5	4	6	6	4	6	5	8	51	108
25	RUCKER, Donald		6	5	5	5	10	6	8	7	57	4	5	5	8	6	5	6	6	7	52	109
26	GIBSON, Harold		7	7	6	3	9	5	6	7	57	7	6	4	6	7	6	6	4	7	53	110
27	ALLEY, Fred		7	7	8	6	10	6	6	9	66	6	7	5	5	10	5	6	3	7	54	120
28	HOLLOWAY, Joseph		7	5	5	6	10	6	6	9	60	7	7	4	7	10	6	7	5	8	61	121

Neshanic Net Hole by Hole

Neshanic Valley Golf Course - Lake/Ridge																							
Net Scores for Round 1 - April 23, 2016																							
Rank		Holes	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOTAL
		Par	4	4	4	3	5	3	4	5		36	4	4	3	4	5	4	4	3	5	36	72
1	Melvin Knight		4	5	4	1	6	3	4	5	3	35	3	4	2	5	5	5	4	2	5	35	70
T2	George Weekes		3	4	3	1	5	2	3	6	4	31	5	4	2	5	5	4	4	2	9	40	71
	Maurice A. Brown		4	5	5	2	4	3	4	5	4	36	3	4	3	5	4	4	5	3	4	35	71
T4	David Williams		4	5	4	2	4	3	4	5	4	35	3	4	3	5	4	6	5	3	5	38	73
	Greg R Ward		4	5	5	2	6	2	5	5	4	38	4	5	2	5	5	5	3	2	4	35	73
6	Allen Smith		4	6	5	2	7	4	4	4	3	39	4	4	2	8	4	3	3	3	4	35	74
7	Avery Hackett		4	6	5	2	7	3	4	6	5	42	3	5	3	4	3	5	4	2	4	33	75
T8	Tony Jenkins		3	4	5	3	3	4	5	7	4	38	4	4	2	5	5	6	5	2	6	39	77
	Jesse Branson		4	5	5	2	5	3	6	6	3	39	3	5	2	6	4	4	5	4	5	38	77
T10	Eli White		3	4	5	3	5	4	4	6	5	39	5	3	2	5	5	4	5	5	6	40	79
	Errol Blake		3	5	4	3	6	3	3	5	5	37	5	5	3	5	6	4	5	3	6	42	79
	Hugh Lecky		4	4	6	2	6	3	6	5	4	40	3	3	2	6	6	4	6	3	6	39	79
	Rod Lebrew		5	4	4	5	4	4	4	3	4	37	5	5	2	6	6	5	4	3	6	42	79
T14	Edward Cosby,		4	4	5	3	5	3	3	6	3	36	4	7	4	5	5	4	5	2	8	44	80
	Michael Conrad		5	4	5	4	5	4	4	6	4	41	4	5	2	7	5	6	3	3	4	39	80
T16	George George Thomas		3	3	6	3	6	3	3	7	5	39	5	7	3	6	4	3	5	3	7	43	82
	Mr. Joseph Pack		5	3	4	3	6	4	6	5	4	40	4	4	3	8	4	4	7	3	5	42	82
T18	Derrick Bethune		3	5	5	2	7	3	4	7	5	41	3	7	2	5	5	3	6	3	8	42	83
	Ronald Morton		5	3	7	3	4	3	7	6	3	41	4	4	1	7	7	6	5	2	6	42	83
T20	Harold Gibson		5	6	5	1	7	4	5	6	5	44	5	5	2	5	5	5	5	2	6	40	84
	Earl Fraser		6	7	5	3	4	5	4	4	5	43	6	6	3	4	5	4	3	4	6	41	84
22	Anthony Darby		4	5	5	3	6	4	4	5	5	41	4	5	4	6	6	5	5	4	5	44	85
T23	Melvin Lusane		5	5	5	2	9	3	5	6	4	44	5	5	4	5	6	6	4	3	6	44	88
	Walter Frye		4	4	6	3	8	4	5	6	7	47	6	4	3	5	5	3	5	3	7	41	88
25	Donald Rucker		5	4	4	4	8	5	7	6	4	47	3	4	4	7	5	4	5	5	6	43	90
26	Thomas Culp Sr.		4	6	6	4	8	4	4	6	5	47	5	5	3	7	7	5	5	4	6	47	94
27	Joseph Holloway		6	4	4	4	8	5	5	8	4	48	6	6	2	6	8	5	6	3	7	49	97

Neshanic Skins & Skills

<u>Hole</u>	<u>Gross</u>	<u>Winner</u>	
5	4	Tony Jenkins	\$54
8	4	Rod LeBrew	\$54
12	2	Ronald Morton	\$54
13	4	Avery Hackett	\$54
14	4	Avery Hackett	\$54

50-50

Joe Pack \$30

Skills Contest

Ridge 4, Melvin Knight 8'7

Lake 3, Ron Morton 6'7

Long Drive, Avery Hackett

Neshanic Event Statistics

Neshanic Neshanic Valley Golf Course - Lake/Ridge

Round 1 -- May 20, 2017

<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>
5	422-497	4-5	7.21	1	0	1	5	3	9	10
18	443-471	4-5	6.79	2	0	0	5	6	9	8
8	142-503	3-5	6.32	3	0	1	7	7	7	6
13	377-404	4	6.00	4	0	0	1	10	8	9
16	300-330	4	5.61	5	0	0	5	6	13	4
11	286-316	4	5.57	6	0	0	5	11	6	6
6	1-175	3	4.54	7	0	0	2	13	9	4
2	299-324	4	5.46	8	0	0	5	11	7	5
3	349-384	4	5.46	9	0	0	4	12	8	4
7	300-342	4	5.46	10	0	0	5	12	6	5
9	364-443	4	5.43	11	0	0	4	12	9	3
14	501-533	5	6.36	12	0	1	6	11	6	4
1	336-365	4	5.29	13	0	0	6	12	6	4
10	356-387	4	5.25	14	0	0	9	7	8	4
15	332-361	4	5.11	15	0	0	7	12	8	1
17	142-170	3	4.11	16	0	0	7	13	6	2
4	117-152	3	3.82	17	0	2	10	10	3	3
12	105-132	3	3.71	18	0	1	11	11	5	0

Statistics derived from the # of Rounds Played = 28

<u>Holes</u>	<u>Yardage</u>	<u>Par</u>	<u>Stroke Avg</u>	<u>Eagles</u>	<u>Birdies</u>	<u>Pars</u>	<u>Bogeys</u>	<u>D. Bogeys</u>	<u>Others</u>
Out	2409-3106	33-36	49.000	0	4	48	92	64	44
In	2842-3104	35-36	48.500	0	2	56	87	69	38
Total	5251-6210	68-72	97.500	0	6	104	179	133	82







