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SHIPPEN CUP LEADERBOARD

PLAYER	RANK	POINTS
Errol Blake	1	235.83
Marlon Matthews	2	218.33
Keith Kirkland	3	193.33
Mel Knight	4	188.33
Walter McNeil	5	186.67
Mike Conrad	6	175
David Willaims	7	174.17
Joseph Holloway	8	172.67
Walter Frye	9	170
Derrick Bethune	10	167.5
George Thomas	11	163.33
Hugh Lecky	12	162.5
Tony Jenkins	13	150
Harold White	14	148.33
Anthony Darby	15	143.33
Burnell Williams	16	140

NESHANIC TOP GROSS

Marlon Matthews	79
Eric Henriquez	85
David Williams	86
Greg Ward	88
Avery Hackett	91
Tony Jenkins	91

Marlon Matthews makes his mark at Neshanic



Marlon Matthews (left) and Eric Henriquez finished 1st and 2nd at Neshanic Valley

100% chance of heavy rain. That was the main opponent of the 30 Ball Strikers who showed up to play the Neshanic Valley major Shippen Cup event. I'm sure many golfers thought they would not get to tee off on hole #1 and few thought they would finish the round. Backing up the storm forecast was the angry sky and the cool gusty winds that debuted during warm-ups and continued through the afternoon.

It appeared that at any moment a massive rain storm would chase us from the course and wash our rounds down the drain. But the storms never came. With the exception of a few minutes of light rain, we remained dry. So kudos to

the guy who made the go/no go decision for this event. In the absence of the club president, Mike Conrad, this decision was made by the club treasurer, Bruce Arthur. Bruce made this decision when he paid everyone's greens fee about 30 minutes before the first tee off time. I'm sure the Ball Strikers earned points with the Neshanic Valley leadership by delivering 30 golfers on a day when most golfers called in to cancel their tee time reservations.

Marlon Matthews posted a tidy net 72 in winning the Neshanic Valley stroke play event. Mathews also won his individual match to secure 80 Shippen Cup points for the day.

Greg Ward placed second in stroke play at net 73. Eric Henriquez finished in third place one stroke behind Ward. High Lecky shot net 76 to finish in fourth place.

With only club champ weekend left on the Ball Striker schedule many golfers remain competitive for the 2021 Shippen Cup title. Errol Blake continues as the Shippen Cup leader. Marlon Matthews moved up to second place compliments of his winning the Neshanic major event. Behind Blake and Matthews are any number of Strikers who could compete for the Shippen Cup title. It will all come down to who can come up with a special performance club champ weekend. Stay tuned.

Match Play Results

Neshanic Valley Event 8/28/2021, Match Play Results									
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	Forward T	HI	Course HC	MATCH	TEAM	Match Result	Match Ended	Match Points
Leak	Brad		10.6	10	5 A		WIN	2&1	20
Brown	Maurice		14.9	15	5 B		LOSE	2&1	
LeBrew	Rod		17.2	17	15 A		LOSE	1&0	
Thomas	George		18.1	19	15 B		WIN	1&0	20
Hackett	Avery		5.7	4	1 A		LOSE	7&6	
Matthews	Marlon		8.2	7	1 B		WIN	7&6	20
Lecky	Hugh		18.2	19	16 A		WIN	1&0	20
White	Eli		20	21	16 B		LOSE	1&0	
Bethune	Derrick		16.2	16	12 A		WIN	2&0	20
Nelson	Cornell		15.3	15	12 B		LOSE	2&0	
Blake	Errol		18.8	19	14 A		WIN	6&4	20
Arthur	Bruce		20	21	14 B		LOSE	6&4	
LuSane	Melvin		23.9	25	6 A		WIN	4&2	20
Brock	Demetrius		24.2	26	6 B		LOSE	4&2	
McNeil	Walter		16.7	17	13 A		WIN	2&1	20
Bell	Garrick		15.5	16	13 B		LOSE	2&1	
Whitaker	Greg		33.5	26	3 A		WIN	5&4	20
Thomas	Kobina		33.2	26	3 B		LOSE	5&4	
Darby	Anthony		15.1	15	9 A		WIN	1&0	20
Kirkland	Keith		15.9	16	9 B		LOSE	1&0	
Henriquez	Eric		11.8	11	8 A		WIN	3&2	20
Ward	Greg		14.9	15	8 B		LOSE	3&2	
White	Harold		20.1	21	10 A		WIN	3&2	20
Fraser	Earl		22.3	23	10 B		LOSE	3&2	
Holloway	Joseph	YES	34.7	26	2 A		WIN	DEFAULT	20
Natoli	Curtis		33.7	26	2 B		DEFAULT	DEFAULT	
Branson	Jesse		21.8	23	7 A		DEFAULT	DEFAULT	
McLaughlin	Joe		22.7	24	7 B		WIN	DEFAULT	20
Jenkins	Tony		8.6	8	4 A		LOSE	3&1	
Williams	David		9.6	9	4 B		WIN	3&1	20
Weekes	George		17.8	18	11 A		WIN	9&7	20
Woolfolk	Raymond		18.3	19	11 B		LOSE	9&7	

Match play format is individual match play, player A versus player B

Regular tees = Blue Tees, Forward tees = Silver Tees

Net Stroke Play Results

Neshanic Valley 8/28/2021, Net Stroke Play Results								
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	HC INDEX	Forward T	Course HC	GOSS	NET	RANK	Stroke Points
Matthews	Marlon	8.2		7	79	72	1	60.00
Ward	Greg	14.9		15	88	73	2	40.00
Henriquez	Eric	11.8		11	85	74	3	30.00
Lecky	Hugh	18.2		19	95	76	4	20.00
Thomas	George	18.1		19	96	77	5	18.33
LuSane	Melvin	23.9		25	102	77	5	18.33
Kirkland	Keith	15.9		16	93	77	5	18.33
Darby	Anthony	15.1		15	92	77	5	18.33
Blake	Errol	18.8		19	96	77	5	18.33
White	Eli	20		21	98	77	5	18.33
Williams	David	9.6		9	86	77	5	18.33
McNeil	Walter	16.7		17	95	78	12	10.00
Fraser	Earl	22.3		23	101	78	12	10.00
White	Harold	20.1		21	100	79	14	10.00
Weekes	George	17.8		18	98	80	15	10.00
Brock	Demetrius	24.2		26	106	80	15	10.00
LeBrew	Rod	17.2		17	98	81	17	10.00
Jenkins	Tony	8.6		8	91	83	18	10.00
McLaughli	Joe	22.7		24	107	83	18	10.00
Bethune	Derrick	16.2		16	99	83	18	10.00
Bell	Garrick	15.5		16	101	85	21	10.00
Leak	Brad	10.6		10	95	85	21	10.00
Arthur	Bruce	20		21	107	86	23	10.00
Hackett	Avery	5.7		4	91	87	24	10.00
Brown	Maurice	14.9		15	103	88	25	10.00
Whitaker	Greg	33.5		26	114	88	25	10.00
Holloway	Joseph	34.7	YES	26	115	89	27	10.00
Woolfolk	Raymond	18.3		19	108	89	27	10.00
Nelson	Cornell	15.3		15	104	89	27	10.00
Thomas	Kobina	33.2		26	126	100	30	10.00

Gross Hole by Hole

Neshanic Valley 8/258/2021 Ranked by GROSS																										
RANK	LAST	TEE	HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOT	HDC	NET
			PAR	4	4	4	3	5	3	4	5	4	36	4	4	3	4	5	4	4	3	5	36	72		72
1	Matthews, Marlon	BLU	8.2	4	4	5	3	7	4	3	6	4	40	4	4	3	5	5	5	4	4	5	39	79	7	72
2	Henriquez, Eric	BLU	11.8	5	4	4	4	6	6	4	4	6	43	5	5	3	4	5	4	4	4	8	42	85	11	74
3	Williams, David	BLU	9.6	4	4	5	4	9	4	4	6	5	45	5	5	4	5	5	5	4	3	5	41	86	9	77
4	Ward, Greg	BLU	14.9	6	5	4	4	5	4	7	5	4	44	6	4	4	6	6	4	4	4	6	44	88	15	73
5	Valdez, Herminia	BLU	5	5	5	5	3	8	5	5	6	5	47	6	4	4	5	5	5	4	4	6	43	90	3	87
6	Jenkins, Tony	BLU	8.6	5	4	6	5	6	4	5	5	5	45	6	4	4	5	8	4	4	4	7	46	91	8	83
6	Hackett, Avery	BLU	5.7	4	5	5	3	6	6	4	6	5	44	6	5	6	6	6	5	5	4	4	47	91	4	87
8	Darby, Anthony	BLU	15.1	5	4	6	4	8	6	4	7	4	48	8	4	4	5	6	4	5	3	5	44	92	15	77
9	Kirkland, Keith	BLU	15.9	5	5	6	3	10	4	5	6	5	49	5	3	4	5	6	6	5	4	6	44	93	16	77
10	Lecky, Hugh	BLU	18.2	5	4	5	4	7	4	5	7	5	46	5	5	2	8	7	6	5	5	6	49	95	19	76
10	McNeil, Walter	BLU	16.7	6	4	6	5	10	4	6	6	5	52	6	5	4	6	6	4	4	3	5	43	95	17	78
10	Leak, Brad	BLU	10.6	6	5	6	4	7	5	6	5	4	48	6	5	5	6	6	4	5	4	6	47	95	10	85
13	Blake, Errol	BLU	18.8	4	6	5	4	8	4	6	6	7	50	7	4	3	5	7	5	4	4	7	46	96	19	77
13	Thomas, George	BLU	18.1	6	5	5	4	4	4	8	6	5	47	6	4	5	6	5	7	6	5	5	49	96	19	77
15	White, Eli	BLU	20	8	6	6	6	5	4	6	5	5	51	6	4	4	6	7	4	6	4	6	47	98	21	77
15	Weekes, George	BLU	17.8	5	6	5	4	8	5	4	6	4	47	7	4	5	5	6	5	7	3	9	51	98	18	80
15	Lebrew, Rod	BLU	17.2	5	7	6	6	5	5	7	6	4	51	5	5	3	5	7	7	5	4	6	47	98	17	81
18	Bethune, Derrick	BLU	16.2	5	5	8	5	8	4	4	9	8	56	5	5	3	6	6	4	5	3	6	43	99	16	83
19	White, Harold	BLU	20.1	4	6	6	4	6	4	6	7	6	49	7	6	4	4	10	5	5	4	6	51	100	21	79
20	Fraser, Earl	BLU	22.3	6	5	8	4	7	4	5	7	7	53	6	4	5	6	5	6	6	4	6	48	101	23	78
20	Bell, Garrick	BLU	15.5	5	5	6	4	9	4	7	7	7	54	6	5	3	5	8	4	3	5	8	47	101	16	85
22	Lusane, Melvin	BLU	23.9	5	7	7	4	8	5	5	7	5	53	5	6	4	6	7	8	4	3	6	49	102	25	77
23	Brown, Maurice	BLU	14.9	6	5	7	4	10	4	6	7	6	55	7	6	4	5	6	4	5	4	7	48	103	15	88
24	Nelson, Cornell	BLU	15.3	8	6	5	4	6	5	5	8	5	52	5	6	4	6	8	8	4	6	5	52	104	15	89
25	Brock, Demetrius	BLU	24.2	6	5	6	5	6	6	6	6	7	53	5	6	5	7	8	4	6	4	8	53	106	26	80
26	McLaughlin, Joe	BLU	22.7	6	6	5	4	9	4	6	6	8	54	7	8	4	6	7	5	5	5	6	53	107	24	83
26	Arthur, Bruce	BLU	20	5	7	4	6	8	6	7	7	5	55	5	4	4	8	8	6	5	5	7	52	107	21	86
28	Woolfolk, Raymond	BLU	18.3	7	7	7	5	9	6	5	7	8	61	5	5	4	4	6	8	4	5	6	47	108	19	89
29	Whitaker, Greg	BLU	33.5	8	5	7	6	8	4	6	8	5	57	7	4	4	5	10	6	6	6	9	57	114	26	88
30	Holloway, Joseph	SLV	34.7	6	6	6	4	10	6	6	8	6	58	8	8	4	6	9	6	5	3	8	57	115	26	89
31	Thomas, Kobina	BLU	33.2	6	8	7	6	8	6	8	7	6	62	8	7	6	5	10	5	7	6	10	64	126	26	100

Skins & Skills

NESHANIC VALLEY SKINS & SKILLS August 28, 2021

Gross Skins (skin pool = \$160)

<u>Hole</u>	<u>Par</u>	<u>Score</u>	<u>Golfer</u>	<u>Skin</u>
# 5	5	4	George Thomas	\$26
# 7	4	3	Marlon Matthews	\$26
# 8	5	4	Eric Henriquez	\$26
#10	4	4	Marlon Matthews	\$26
#16	4	3	Garrick Bell	\$26
#18	5	4	Avery Hackett	\$26

Closest to the pin # 4 Brad Leak 13' 3"

Closest to the pin #12 Hugh Lecky 4' 10"

Long Drive # 8 Errol Blake 283 yards

50/50 Avery Hackett \$22

Skins

Neshanic Valley Skins, 8/28/2021

		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOT	
LAST	TEE	4	4	4	3	5	3	4	5	4	36	4	4	3	4	5	4	4	3	5	36	72	
Bell, Garrick	BLU	5	5	6	4	9	4	7	7	7	54	6	5	3	5	8	4	3	5	8	47	101	
Bethune, Derrick	BLU	5	5	8	5	8	4	4	9	8	56	5	5	3	6	6	4	5	3	6	43	99	
Blake, Errol	BLU	4	6	5	4	8	4	6	6	7	50	7	4	3	5	7	5	4	4	7	46	96	
Brown, Maurice	BLU	6	5	7	4	10	4	6	7	6	55	7	6	4	5	6	4	5	4	7	48	103	
Darby, Anthony	BLU	5	4	6	4	8	6	4	7	4	48	8	4	4	5	6	4	5	3	5	44	92	
Hackett, Avery	BLU	4	5	5	3	6	6	4	6	5	44	6	5	6	6	6	5	5	4	4	47	91	
Henriquez, Eric	BLU	5	4	4	4	6	6	4	4	6	43	5	5	3	4	5	4	4	4	8	42	85	
Holloway, Joseph	SLV	6	6	6	4	10	6	6	8	6	58	8	8	4	6	9	6	5	3	8	57	115	
Jenkins, Tony	BLU	5	4	6	5	6	4	5	5	5	45	6	4	4	5	8	4	4	4	7	46	91	
Leak, Brad	BLU	6	5	6	4	7	5	6	5	4	48	6	5	5	6	6	4	5	4	6	47	95	
Matthews, Marlon	BLU	4	4	5	3	7	4	3	6	4	40	4	4	3	5	5	5	4	4	5	39	79	
Thomas, George	BLU	6	5	5	4	4	4	8	6	5	47	6	4	5	6	5	7	6	5	5	49	96	
Ward, Greg	BLU	6	5	4	4	5	4	7	5	4	44	6	4	4	6	6	4	4	4	6	44	88	
Weekes, George	BLU	5	6	5	4	8	5	4	6	4	47	7	4	5	5	6	5	7	3	9	51	98	
Williams, David	BLU	4	4	5	4	9	4	4	6	5	45	5	5	4	5	5	5	4	3	5	41	86	
Woolfolk, Raymond	BLU	7	7	7	5	9	6	5	7	8	61	5	5	4	4	6	8	4	5	6	47	108	
Minimum Score		4	4	4	3	4	4	3	4	4		4	4	3	4	5	4	3	3	4			
# of min scores		4	5	2	2	1	9	1	1	5		1	7	5	2	4	8	1	5	1			

Event Statistics

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Neshanic Valley Golf Club

Round 1 -- August 28, 2021

<i>Hole #</i>	<i>Yardage</i>	<i>Par</i>	<i>Stroke Avg</i>	<i>Hole Rank</i>	<i>Eagles</i>	<i>Birdies</i>	<i>Pars</i>	<i>Bogeys</i>	<i>D. Bogeys</i>	<i>Others</i>
1	336-365	4	5.52	7	0	0	5	12	10	4
2	299-324	4	5.35	12	0	0	7	12	7	5
3	349-384	4	5.77	4	0	0	3	10	11	7
4	117-152	3	4.35	13	0	0	4	17	5	5
5	422-497	5	7.45	1	0	1	3	6	4	17
6	150-175	3	4.71	5	0	0	0	17	6	8
7	310-342	4	5.52	8	0	1	6	8	10	6
8	459-503	5	6.42	11	0	1	4	12	10	4
9	296-364	4	5.52	9	0	0	6	13	5	7
10	356-387	4	5.97	2	0	0	1	11	10	9
11	286-316	4	4.97	17	0	1	12	10	5	3
12	105-132	3	4.03	16	0	1	6	17	5	2
13	377-404	4	5.55	6	0	0	3	13	12	3
14	501-533	5	6.81	3	0	0	6	10	6	9
15	332-361	4	5.26	14	0	0	11	9	6	5
16	300-330	4	4.87	18	0	1	11	12	5	2
17	142-170	3	4.16	15	0	0	7	15	6	3
18	443-471	5	6.45	10	0	1	6	13	4	7

<i>Holes</i>	<i>Yardage</i>	<i>Par</i>	<i>Stoke Avg</i>	<i>Eagles</i>	<i>Birdies</i>	<i>Pars</i>	<i>Bogeys</i>	<i>D. Bogeys</i>	<i>Others</i>
<i>Out</i>	2738-3106	36	50.61	0	3	38	107	68	63
<i>In</i>	2842-3104	36	48.06	0	4	63	110	59	43
<i>Total</i>	5580-6210	72	98.68	0	7	101	217	127	106

SHIPPEN CUP STANDINGS August 29, 2021

				FoxHollow		Architects		GreenPond		SpookyB		Riverview		AshBrook		HarborP		Shawnee		Galloping		Berkshire		Neshanic		Champ	
				4/10		4/24		5/1		5/19		5/15		6/12		8/22		7/31		8/7		8/14		8/28		9/11	9/12
Last Name	First Name	RANK	TOTAL PNTS	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Match	Stroke	Stroke	Stroke
Blake	Errol	1	235.83	10	10	20	60	10	10			10	5		10	7.5	5	5	30		5			20	18		
Matthew	Marlon	2	218.33		5	20	40								20	13	10	10		10	5		5	20	60		
Kirkland	Keith	3	193.33	10	5	20	10					10	25	20	10			10	20	10	25			18			
Knight,M	Melvin	4	188.33			20	25	10	25				5	20	43	10	10	5	10		5						
McNeil	Walter	5	186.67	10	5	20	20		5				5	20	20			5	6.7	10	15	10	5	20	10		
Conrad	Michael	6	175		5	20	20	10	25			10	25	20	20					10	10						
Williams	David	7	174.17		5		20							20	43	10	15					10	13	20	18		
Holloway	Joseph	8	172.67	10	5	20	10	10	5				10	20	10		5	6	6.7		5	10	10	20	10		
Frye	Walter	9	170	10	20	20	20					10	15	20	20	10	10					10	5				
Bethune	Derrick	10	167.5		5	20	10		5			10	10	20	20	7.5	5		10		5		10	20	10		
Thomas	George	11	163.33	10	5		10	10	10			10	5	20	10			10	10	10	5			20	18		
Lecky	Hugh	12	162.5		5		10						10		20	10	10			10	25	10	13	20	20		
Jenkins	Tony	13	150			20	10	10	10			10	5		10	10	25	10	10		10				10		
White,H	Harold	14	148.33		5		10		10				5	20	43		5			10	10			20	10		
Darby	Anthony	15	143.33	10	30		25	10	5								5			10	5		5	20	18		
Williams	Burnell	16	140		5	20	10	10	5			10	10	20	10	10	10			10	10						
Fraser	Earl	17	136.67		12	20	20					10	5	10	10	10	10	10	5		5				10		
LuSane	Melvin	18	130	10	10	20	10		5				5			5	5	12		5		5	20	18			
LeBrew, F	Rod	19	125	10	5		10	10	15				5	20	10		5			5	10	10		10			
Brown, M	Maurice	20	120	10	5	20	10		5				10		10	10	25					5		10			
Smith	Allen	21	118.33		5		10		10			10	10		13					10	10	10	30				
Hackett	Avery	T22	110	10	10	20	20		5							5						10	20		10		
Leak	Brad	T22	110	10	5		10		5			10	5			10	10		5	10				20	10		
Ward,G	Greg R	T22	110	10	5	20	10								10					10	5				40		
Jeffries	Darryl	25	108.34	10	12		10	10	10					20	10			5	12			10					
White,E	Eli	26	103.33		10	10	10							20	20					10	5				18		
Henrique	Eric	27	100				10	10	5					10						5		10	20	30			
McLaughlin	Joe	28	95		5		10					10	5	10	10					10	5		20	10			
Weekes	George	29	86.67				10		5				5				5	12		10	5		5	20	10		
Arthur	Bruce	T30	75		10	10	10	10	10						10						5			10			
Brock	Demetrius	T30	75	10	5		10						5	20	10						5				10		
Smith	Charles	32	70				10							20	10					10	5	10	5				
Bell	Garrick	T33	65		5	20	10					5		10			5								10		
Whitaker	Greg	T33	65		5				5								5				5	10	5	20	10		
Livingston	Otis	35	56.67				10		5						10		5	5	6.7	10	5						
Woolfolk	Raymond	36	56.667		12				5												10	10	10		10		
Rucker	Donald	37	55		5	20	10	10	5												5						
Natoli	Curtis	T38	40	10	5		10								10						5						
Thomas	Kobina	T38	40		5		10		5						10										10		
Harp	Rodney	40	35		5		10						5		10							5					
Nelson	Cornell	41	30				10						10												10		
Pack	Joe	42	25				10																				
Branson	Jesse	43	23.333		5											10		5									
Easter	James	44	10													10											
Jackson	Bernard	45	5										5														
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Furlow	Lawrence	T47	0																								
Joyner	Tony	T47	0																								
Morton	Ronald	T47	0																								
Salami	Ezra	T47	0																								
Yamba	Zack	T47	0																								
Cosby	Edward	T47	0																								
Gibson	Harold	T47	0																								
Gresham	George	T47	0																								
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