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SHIPPEN CUP LEADERBOARD

PLAYER	RANK	POINTS
DeLano Bonner	1	110
Anthony Darby	2	105
Terry Carothers	T3	85
Bruce Arthur	T3	85
Tony Jenkins	5	80
Donald Rucker	6	75
Perry Medina	7	72.5
Greg Cavanaugh	T8	70
Greg Whitaker	T8	70
Errol Blake	T10	65
Larry Jones	T10	65
Joe McLaughlin	T12	60
Ray Woolfolk	T12	60
Earl Fraser	T14	45
George Thomas	T14	45

HIGH BRIDGE TOP GROSS

Tony Jenkins	78
Perry Mediina	80
Donald Rucker	80
Ray Woolfolk	86
Greg Ward	90

Rucker reaches summit at High Bridge Hills



(left to right) Donald Rucker, Ray Woolfolk and Greg Cavanaugh placed 1st, 2nd & 3rd respectively at High Bridge Hills

Okay, Olay, Okay !!! The bad news is it rained (AGAIN). The good news is we played anyway. Do you believe it! For the fourth consecutive event, we faced a serious rain threat. For the third consecutive event we played through it. A light, but steady rain for the last 3 hours of the event could not dampen spirits at High Bridge Hills. Twenty five Ball Strikers signed up, and twenty five Ball Strikers showed up, ready to rumble. And rumble they did.

Rainy weather must bring out the best in Donald Rucker and Ray Woolfolk. Rucker was "lights out", shooting net 65 to

lap the field in Shippen Cup stroke play. Woolfolk shot net 70 to finish alone in second place. Rucker and Woolfolk were four ball partners. So, needless to say, they won their match.

Greg Cavanaugh finished third at net 72. Tony Jenkins and Perry Medina both shot 73 to finish at T4.

DeLano Bonner's top ten finish in stroke play, and four ball match win with partner, Perry Medina, enabled him to hold onto his lead in the overall Shippen Cup competition. Top ten finishes and match wins also allowed Anthony Darby and Terry

Carothers to maintain their second and third place positions. The same deal, top ten & match win, moved Terry Carothers and Tony Jenkins into the top five. But nobody is running away with anything at this point. With four major Shippen Cup events remaining on the schedule, everyone is still in the championship hunt.

PACE

A comment on pace of play. If there is an open hole ahead of you, your group is the problem. You can only control you. So, just make sure everyone in the group is aware of the problem and, hopefully, each golfer will make an effort to close the gap.

Submitted by Anonymous (New Ball Striker columnist – You'll never guess who)

Another golfing Saturday, with an imminent forecast of rain....

As you step off the final green, the day's journey flashes through your mind. Each swing, each putt, and every bounce of the ball forms a R&B medley of moments that define your round. The course offered its challenges and surprises, weaving its way into the rhythm of your game.

How was your round?



Did you have a great round that hid all the luck that was shown you? Did you save bogey with a lucky ship?

- Did you save par with a lucky scramble?
- Did you flub a birdie putt only to sink a long par putt?
- Did your teammate put added pressure on your performance or free you up to play better?
- Did you make a birdie or two?
- Do you want to remember or forget your round?

Can't wait to do it again!

Match Play Results

High Bridge Hills, 6/7/2025, Match Play Results					
Match	Points	Team/Player A	Team/Player B	Points	Match
		Thomas, George	Darby, Anthony	10	4 & 3
		Lecky, Hugh	Cavanaugh, Gregory	10	
1 & 0	10	Medina, Perry	Smith, Allen		
	10	Bonner, DeLano	Carothers, Terrell		
5 & 4	10	Jenkins, Tony	Williams, David		
	10	Brown, Maurice	Jones, Larry		
		McLaughlin, Joe	Rucker, Donald	10	8 & 7
		Yamba, Zack	Woolfolk, Raymond	10	
		Smith, Charles	Kirkland, Keith	10	5 & 3
		Whitaker, Greg	Arthur, Bruce	10	
3 & 2	10	Blake, Erroll	Fraser, Ear		
		Weekes, George	Sepulveda, Sebastian	10	2 & 1
		Holloway, Joseph	Sepulveda, Sebastian		4 & 3
Green background = Match WIN					
Pink background = Match LOSS					
Blue background = Match TIE					
Yellow background = odd man in Odd Man Match					

Net Stroke Play Results

High Bridge Hills Event, 6/7/2025, Net Stroke Play Results				
Pos.	Player	To Par Net	Total Net	Points
1	Rucker, Donald	-5	65	30
2	Woolfolk, Raymond	E	70	20
3	Cavanaugh, Gregory	2	72	15
T4	Medina, Perry	3	73	10
T4	Jenkins, Tony	3	73	10
T6	Lecky, Hugh	6	76	10
T6	Smith, Allen	6	76	10
8	Arthur, Bruce	7	77	10
9	Darby, Anthony	8	78	10
T10	Bonner, DeLano	9	79	7.5
T10	Yamba, Zack	9	79	7.5
12	Jones, Larry	10	80	5
T13	Carothers, Terrell	11	81	5
T13	Whitaker, Greg	11	81	5
T15	Smith, Charles	12	82	5
T15	Blake, Errol	12	82	5
T15	Sepulveda, Sebastia	12	82	5
T18	Brown, Maurice	14	84	5
T18	Kirkland, Keith	14	84	5
T18	Fraser, Earl	14	84	5
T21	Thomas, George	15	85	5
T21	Weekes, George	15	85	5
23	McLaughlin, Joe	17	87	5
24	Williams, David	20	90	5
25	Holloway, Joseph	21	91	5

Gross Hole by Hole

		High Bridge Hills Event, 6/7/2025 Ranked by GROSS																								
		HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN	TOT	HDC	NET	
RANK	NAME	TEE PAR	5	4	5	3	4	3	4	3	4	35	4	4	3	4	3	5	4	4	4	35	70		70	
1	Jenkins, Tony	WHT	8.3	5	4	5	4	6	4	5	5	3	41	4	4	4	6	3	4	4	4	4	37	78	5	73
2	Rucker, Donald	WHT	18.7	6	5	6	2	5	3	5	5	4	41	5	5	3	6	4	4	4	4	4	39	80	15	65
2	Medina, Perry	WHT	9.6	5	5	5	3	5	4	5	3	5	40	5	5	4	4	3	6	4	4	5	40	80	7	73
4	Woolfolk, Raymond	WHT	19.4	5	4	6	5	5	4	6	3	5	43	5	4	2	6	3	7	5	4	7	43	86	16	70
5	Cavanaugh, Gregory	WHT	18.1	6	5	7	4	6	2	5	4	6	45	4	6	4	6	3	6	4	4	5	42	87	15	72
5	Smith, Allen	WHT	14.3	5	5	6	4	6	4	5	3	6	44	5	5	4	6	3	4	5	5	6	43	87	11	76
5	Bonner, DeLano	WHT	11.1	6	5	6	3	4	4	5	4	5	42	4	5	3	6	6	5	6	5	5	45	87	8	79
8	Yamba, Zack	GLD	18.3	7	5	6	4	4	5	6	3	5	45	5	5	3	5	4	6	5	5	6	44	89	10	79
9	Jones, Larry	WHT	12.8	5	5	9	3	6	3	5	4	7	47	4	7	4	5	4	5	5	3	6	43	90	10	80
10	Lecky, Hugh	WHT	18.2	7	6	6	4	6	4	5	4	4	46	5	5	4	5	4	5	5	5	7	45	91	15	76
11	Darby, Anthony	WHT	17.1	9	4	7	3	4	4	5	3	4	43	7	6	3	8	5	5	5	5	5	49	92	14	78
12	Carothers, Terrell	WHT	14.7	5	7	6	3	6	3	5	5	7	47	7	4	4	5	3	7	5	5	6	46	93	12	81
13	Arthur, Bruce	WHT	20.8	6	5	7	3	8	3	6	4	5	47	5	5	3	7	3	6	5	7	7	48	95	18	77
13	Brown, Maurice	WHT	13.7	6	7	8	3	6	3	5	4	5	47	7	4	3	6	4	7	5	6	6	48	95	11	84
15	Williams, David	WHT	10.1	10	5	6	3	6	3	5	4	6	48	4	8	4	6	4	5	8	5	5	49	97	7	90
16	Blake, Errol	WHT	18.9	6	6	7	4	5	4	6	4	7	49	6	5	6	8	4	7	5	4	4	49	98	16	82
16	Smith, Charles	WHT	19.3	7	6	8	3	5	4	5	5	6	49	6	5	4	5	5	7	5	6	6	49	98	16	82
16	Thomas, George	WHT	15.7	6	7	6	3	5	4	5	6	5	47	6	6	5	6	5	4	9	5	5	51	98	13	85
19	Kirkland, Keith	WHT	19.6	5	6	7	3	6	5	6	5	6	49	6	6	4	5	4	7	8	6	5	51	100	16	84
20	Sepulveda, Sebastian	WHT	21.9	6	7	8	5	5	4	6	6	6	53	8	5	4	4	5	5	6	5	6	48	101	19	82
21	Weekes, George	WHT	20	7	7	8	5	6	2	4	3	7	49	6	5	4	6	4	7	8	7	6	53	102	17	85
21	McLaughlin, Joe	WHT	17.9	8	6	6	4	6	4	6	4	7	51	6	6	3	5	5	8	5	7	6	51	102	15	87
23	Whitaker, Greg	WHT	33.4	6	7	9	4	4	4	5	4	6	49	6	8	4	4	5	10	6	7	6	56	105	24	81
24	Fraser, Earl	WHT	26	6	8	8	4	6	5	6	5	6	54	6	5	3	6	6	8	8	5	6	53	107	23	84
25	Holloway, Joseph	WHT	40	7	7	8	5	6	6	6	4	8	57	6	7	4	7	5	10	8	7	6	60	117	26	91

Skins & Skills

HIGH BRIDGE HILLS SKINS & SKILLS, June 7, 2025

Gross Skins (skins pool = \$90)			
Player	Skins	Purse	Details
Jenkins, Tony	2	\$25.00	Birdie on 9, Par on 18
Weekes, George	2	\$25.00	Birdie on 6, Par on 7
Darby, Anthony	1	\$12.00	Par on 5
Medina, Perry	1	\$12.00	Par on 13
Jones, Larry	1	\$12.00	Birdie on 17
Total Purse Allocated:\$86.00			
High Handicap Gross Skins (skins pool = \$110)			
Player	Skins	Purse	Details
Woolfolk, Raymond	4	\$44.00	Par on 1, Par on 2, Par on 11, Birdie on 12
Rucker, Donald	3	\$33.00	Birdie on 4, Birdie on 15, Par on 16
Weekes, George	2	\$22.00	Birdie on 6, Par on 7
Whitaker, Greg	1	\$11.00	Par on 13
Total Purse Allocated:\$110.00			

Closest to the Pin, Hole #4 Maurice Brown 8' 0"

Closest to the Pin, Hole #12 Ray Woolfolk 1' 8"

Long Drive, Hole #11 Errol Blake 287.4 yards

50/50 Joseph Holloway \$20

Skins

6/7/2025																					
High Bridge Hills Event Gross Skins																		Total HC		Net	
	HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN
NAME	TEE PAR	5	4	5	3	4	3	4	3	4	35	4	4	3	4	3	5	4	4	4	35
Brown, Maurice	WHT	6	7	8	3	6	3	5	4	5	47	7	4	3	6	4	7	5	6	6	48
Carothers, Terrell	WHT	5	7	6	3	6	3	5	5	7	47	7	4	4	5	3	7	5	5	6	46
Darby, Anthony	WHT	9	4	7	3	4	4	5	3	4	43	7	6	3	8	5	5	5	5	5	49
Jenkins, Tony	WHT	5	4	5	4	6	4	5	5	3	41	4	4	4	6	3	4	4	4	4	37
Jones, Larry	WHT	5	5	9	3	6	3	5	4	7	47	4	7	4	5	4	5	5	3	6	43
Medina, Perry	WHT	5	5	5	3	5	4	5	3	5	40	5	5	4	4	3	6	4	4	5	40
Thomas, George	WHT	6	7	6	3	5	4	5	6	5	47	6	6	5	6	5	4	9	5	5	51
Weekes, George	WHT	7	7	8	5	6	2	4	3	7	49	6	5	4	6	4	7	8	7	6	53
Williams, David	WHT	10	5	6	3	6	3	5	4	6	48	4	8	4	6	4	5	8	5	5	49
Minimum Score		5	4	5	3	4	2	4	3	3		4	4	3	4	3	4	4	3	4	
# of min scores		4	2	2	7	1	1	1	3	1		3	3	2	1	3	2	2	1	1	
High Bridge Hills Event High Handicap Gross Skins																		Total HC		Net	
	HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	OUT	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	IN
NAME	TEE PAR	5	4	5	3	4	3	4	3	4	35	4	4	3	4	3	5	4	4	4	35
Arthur, Bruce	WHT	6	5	7	3	8	3	6	4	5	47	5	5	3	7	3	6	5	7	7	48
Blake, Errol	WHT	6	6	7	4	5	4	6	4	7	49	6	5	6	8	4	7	5	4	4	49
Fraser, Earl	WHT	6	8	8	4	6	5	6	5	6	54	6	5	3	6	6	8	8	5	6	53
Holloway, Joseph	GLD	7	7	8	5	6	6	6	4	8	57	6	7	4	7	5	10	8	7	6	60
Lecky, Hugh	WHT	7	6	6	4	6	4	5	4	4	46	5	5	4	5	4	5	5	5	7	45
Rucker, Donald	WHT	6	5	6	2	5	3	5	5	4	41	5	5	3	6	4	4	4	4	4	39
Smith, Charles	WHT	7	6	8	3	5	4	5	5	6	49	6	5	4	5	5	7	5	6	6	49
Weekes, George	WHT	7	7	8	5	6	2	4	3	7	49	6	5	4	6	4	7	8	7	6	53
Whitaker, Greg	WHT	6	7	9	4	4	4	5	4	6	49	6	8	4	4	5	10	6	7	6	56
Woolfolk, Raymond	WHT	5	4	6	5	5	4	6	3	5	43	5	4	2	6	3	7	5	4	7	43
Yamba, Zack	GLD	7	5	6	4	4	5	6	3	5	45	5	5	3	5	4	6	5	5	6	44
Minimum Score		5	4	6	2	4	2	4	3	4		5	4	2	4	3	4	4	4	4	
# of min scores		1	1	4	1	2	1	1	3	2		5	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	

Event Statistics

202506HIGH BRIDGE HILLS

High Bridge Hills Golf Club

Round 1 -- June 7, 2025

Hole #	Yardage	Par	Stroke Avg	Hole Rank	Eagles	Birdies	Pars	Bogeys	D. Bogeys	Others
1	413-479	5	6.28	11	0	0	7	10	5	3
2	336-378	4	5.76	2	0	0	3	9	5	8
3	433-469	5	6.84	1	0	0	2	10	5	8
4	107-121	3	3.64	18	0	1	11	9	4	0
5	309-401	4	5.48	8	0	0	4	7	13	1
6	69-79	3	3.80	16	0	2	6	13	3	1
7	289-318	4	5.32	10	0	0	1	15	9	0
8	94-179	3	4.16	14	0	0	6	11	6	2
9	355-402	4	5.64	5	0	1	3	7	8	6
10	309-351	4	5.52	7	0	0	5	7	9	4
11	316-335	4	5.44	9	0	0	4	12	5	4
12	97-105	3	3.72	17	0	1	8	14	1	1
13	241-328	4	5.72	3	0	0	3	7	11	4
14	145-163	3	4.16	15	0	0	7	9	7	2
15	389-434	5	6.20	12	0	4	6	4	7	4
16	189-308	4	5.72	4	0	0	4	12	3	6
17	326-356	4	5.20	13	0	1	6	10	3	5
18	331-374	4	5.60	6	0	0	3	7	12	3

Holes	Yardage	Par	Stoke Avg	Eagles	Birdies	Pars	Bogeys	D. Bogeys	Others
Out	2405-2826	35	46.92	0	4	43	91	58	29
In	2343-2754	35	47.28	0	6	46	82	58	33
Total	4748-5580	70	94.20	0	10	89	173	116	62

SHIPPEN CUP STANDINGS, 6/8/2025

				Berkshire	GreatBear	Riverview	Highbridge	Gambler	FoxHollow	Warmstead	HominyHill	Neshanic	Architects	Champ
				5/3	5/17	5/31	6/7	6/21	6/28	7/12	8/2	8/16	8/30	9/6 9/7
Last Name	First Name	RANK	TOTAL PNTS	Match Strake	Match Strake	Match Strake	Match Strake	Match Strake	Match Strake	Benur Strake	Match Strake	Match Strake	Match Strake	Strake Strake
Bonner	DeLano	1	110	18	10 10	20 35	10 7.5							
Darby	Anthony	2	105	5		20 60	10 10							
Arthur	Bruce	T3	85	10 30	5	10 10	10 10							
Carothers	Terry	T3	85		10 30	20 20	5							
Jenkins	Tony	5	80	10 10	10 10		20 10 10							
Rucker	Donald	6	75		5	20 10	10 30							
Medina	Perry	7	72.5	10 18	5	10 10	10 10							
Cavanaugh	Greg	T8	70	10 10	10 5		10 15							
Whitaker	Greg	T8	70	10 10		5 20 20	5							
Blake	Errol	T10	65			10 20 20	10 5							
Jones	Lawrence	T10	65		5		20 35	5						
Mclaughlin	Joe	T12	60	10 5		20 20	5							
Woolfolk	Raymond	T12	60		10	5 5	10 20							
Fraser	Earl	T14	45			10 10	10 5							
Thomas	George	T14	45			10 20	10 5							
Conrad	Michael	T16	40	10 10	5 5		10							
Holloway	Joseph	T16	40			5 20 10	5							
Sepulveda	Sebastian	T16	40		5 10 10		10 5							
Weekes	George	T16	40		10		5 20	5						
Yamba	Zack	20	30			10 13		7.5						
Lecky	Hugh	T21	25	10 5			10							
Smith	Charles	T21	25	10 10			5							
Williams	David	T21	25			10 10	5							
Williams	Burnell	24	22.5			10 13								
Brock	Demetrius	T25	20		10 10									
Brown, M	Maurice	T25	20			5		10 5						
Kirkland	Keith	T25	20		5			10 5						
Smith	Allen	T25	20				10	10						
Ward,G	Greg R	T25	20				20							
Frye	Walter	T30	5			5								
LeBrew,F	Rod	T30	5			5								
Sathe	Milind	T30	5			5								



EVENT NJ Ballstrikers

CONTEST CTP

HOLE 4

Greg Cav 11'5"

De/ans 11'7"

Maurice 8'-0"



EVENT NJ Ballstrikers

CONTEST Longest Drive

HOLE 11

Charles Small

ERROL BLAKE



EVENT NJ Ballstrikers

CONTEST CTP

HOLE 12

Jenkins 30'8"

RAY 1'8"