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## SHIPPEN CUP LEADERBOARD

PLAYER	RANK	POINTS
DeLano Bonner	1	130
Greg Whitaker	2	110
Anthony Darby	3	105
Bruce Arthur	T4	100
Tony Jenkins	T4	100
Donald Rucker	6	95
Errol Blake	T7	90
Terry Carothers	T7	90
Perry Medina	9	87.5
Greg Cavanaugh	10	86.7
Larry Jones	11	80
Ray Woolfolk	12	65
Joe McLaughlin	13	60
Joseph Holloway	T14	55
Sebastian Sepulved	T14	55

## GAMBLER TOP GROSS

Perry Mediina	79
Tony Jenkins	79
DeLano Bonner	84
Greg Ward	86
Keith Davenport	87

## Whitaker beats the heat & the field at Gambler



(left to right) Greg Whitaker, Errol Blake and Hugh Lecky topped the leaderboard at Gamblers Ridge

Okay, Olay, Okay !!! I must admit that I've been crying about the rain, or threat of rain, in all of this season's newsletters. Well, I'm here to tell you that there are things worse than rain. I'm talking HEAT and HUMIDITY. Energy sapping, foot dragging HEAT and HUMIDITY. We had it at Gamblers big time. So, I'm gonna stop crying about rain and just hope for a pleasant day.

Greg Whitaker was the last Ball Striker to sign up for the Gambler Ridge event. And well after the deadline, I might add. But there were open slots so we fit him in. He must have had that feeling. You

know, that I'm going to have a great round feeling. And, sure enough, Whitaker had the great round he was feeling. I'm talking net 69, five strokes clear of the field. Whitaker capped his day by teaming with Joseph Holloway to win their four ball match and collecting 40 Shippen Cup points for his day's work.

Hugh Lecky, Perry Medina and Errol Blake all shot net 74 to finish at T2 in stroke play. Four ball winners at Gamblers were the teams of Larry Jones/Errol Blake, Tony Jenkins/Donald Rucker, DeLano Bonner/Bruce Arthur, Greg Cavanaugh/Sebastian Sepulveda, and Greg Whitaker/Joseph

Holloway. Hugh Lecky won his individual match.

With a top ten finish in stroke play and a match win, DeLano Bonner held on to his lead in the overall Shippen Cup competition. Greg Whitaker parlayed his 40 point day into second place. Anthony Darby, Bruce Arthur and Tony Jenkins round out the top five, all within striking distance of the leaders. Next Saturday's major event at Fox Hollow is sure to bring more clarity to the Shippen Cup race.

Top grossors at Gamblers were Perry Medina(79), Tony Jenkins(79), DeLano Bonner(84), Greg Ward(86) and Keith Davenport(87).

## Match Play Results

Gambler Ridge, 6/21/2025, Match Play Results					
Match	Points	Team/Player A	Team/Player B	Points	Match
2 & 1	10	Lecky, Hugh	Smith, Charles		
	-	Weekes, George	Lecky, Hugh		4 & 2
		Medina, Perry	Jones, Larry	10	1 & 0
		Carothers, Terrell	Blake, Errol	10	
		Ward, Greg	Jenkins, Tony	10	6 & 5
		Davenport, Keith	Rucker, Donald	10	
4 & 2	10	Bonner, DeLano	Thomas, George		
	10	Arthur, Bruce	Yamba, Zack		
5 & 4	10	Cavanaugh, Gregory	Woolfolk, Raymond		
	10	Sepulveda, Sebastian	Kirkland, Keith		
		Thomas, Kobina	Whitaker, Greg	10	5 & 4
		Goore, Hamlet	Holloway, Joseph	10	
Green background = Match WIN					
Pink background = Match LOSS					
Blue background = Match TIE					
Yellow background = odd man in Odd Man Match					

## Net Stroke Play Results

Pos.	Player	To Par Net	Total Net	Points
1	Whitaker, Greg	-2	69	30
T2	Lecky, Hugh	3	74	15
T2	Medina, Perry	3	74	15
T2	Blake, Errol	3	74	15
T5	Jenkins, Tony	4	75	10
T5	Rucker, Donald	4	75	10
T7	Ward, Greg	6	77	10
T7	Davenport, Keith	6	77	10
T7	Bonner, DeLano	6	77	10
T10	Smith, Charles	7	78	6.67
T10	Weekes, George	7	78	6.67
T10	Cavanaugh, Gregory	7	78	6.67
T13	Sepulveda, Sebastia	8	79	5
T13	Kirkland, Keith	8	79	5
15	Arthur, Bruce	9	80	5
16	Carothers, Terrell	10	81	5
T17	Jones, Larry	11	82	5
T17	Yamba, Zack	11	82	5
19	Woolfolk, Raymond	13	84	5
20	Holloway, Joseph	16	87	5
21	Thomas, George	20	91	5
22	Goore, Hamlet	23	94	5
23	Thomas, Kobina	24	95	5

# Gross Hole by Hole

Gambler Ridge Event 6/21/2025 Ranked by GROSS																										
RANK	NAME	TEE	HOLE PAR	1 4	2 4	3 3	4 5	5 4	6 4	7 3	8 5	9 4	OUT 36	10 4	11 3	12 4	13 4	14 3	15 4	16 5	17 4	18 4	IN 35	TOT 71	HDC	NET 71
1	Medina, Perry	WHT	9.3	6	4	2	4	4	6	4	4	5	39	5	3	4	5	3	4	7	5	4	40	79	5	74
1	Jenkins, Tony	WHT	8.3	4	4	5	5	3	5	3	6	4	39	4	3	4	4	3	5	6	5	6	40	79	4	75
3	Bonner, DeLano	WHT	11.7	5	4	4	6	5	5	6	4	5	44	4	4	4	4	4	4	7	4	5	40	84	7	77
4	Ward, Greg	WHT	13	5	7	4	5	4	6	4	5	5	45	5	4	5	5	3	4	5	5	5	41	86	9	77
5	Davenport, Keith	WHT	14.1	4	7	3	5	5	6	4	7	5	46	5	3	6	5	3	5	6	4	4	41	87	10	77
6	Lecky, Hugh	WHT	18.2	5	4	3	7	6	7	4	4	5	45	6	5	5	5	4	4	4	5	5	43	88	14	74
7	Blake, Errol	WHT	19.5	4	6	3	7	4	4	4	5	5	42	5	5	7	5	4	5	6	5	5	47	89	15	74
7	Rucker, Donald	WHT	17.9	6	6	5	6	5	8	3	6	4	49	4	3	4	4	5	4	7	5	4	40	89	14	75
9	Jones, Larry	WHT	12.8	6	5	4	6	3	4	4	5	6	43	5	3	4	4	5	8	8	6	5	48	91	9	82
10	Cavanaugh, Gregory	WHT	18.3	5	5	3	6	5	6	4	7	6	47	4	4	5	5	3	6	5	6	7	45	92	14	78
10	Carothers, Terrell	WHT	15	4	6	3	6	6	4	6	8	5	48	5	3	4	6	3	6	7	6	4	44	92	11	81
12	Smith, Charles	WHT	19.3	5	5	6	6	3	6	3	5	5	44	6	4	5	6	4	5	6	8	5	49	93	15	78
13	Weekes, George	WHT	20.2	5	4	4	6	5	5	5	6	6	46	7	6	5	5	4	5	5	6	5	48	94	16	78
13	Yamba, Zack	GLD	18.5	5	5	4	6	5	5	4	5	5	44	7	5	6	5	4	6	6	6	5	50	94	12	82
15	Whitaker, Greg	GLD	33.4	5	4	4	6	5	8	6	7	6	51	6	3	4	4	4	5	8	4	6	44	95	26	69
15	Kirkland, Keith	WHT	20	6	6	4	6	3	6	4	7	7	49	5	6	6	4	4	5	6	5	5	46	95	16	79
17	Arthur, Bruce	WHT	20.9	5	3	5	8	6	8	6	6	6	53	6	5	4	4	4	5	5	4	6	43	96	16	80
18	Sepulveda, Sebastian	WHT	22.1	6	6	5	8	6	5	5	6	6	53	6	3	4	4	3	6	6	7	5	44	97	18	79
19	Woolfolk, Raymond	WHT	19	7	5	5	6	5	6	6	7	5	52	4	4	5	6	5	3	9	4	7	47	99	15	84
20	Thomas, George	WHT	15.7	4	5	6	7	4	6	4	8	5	49	7	5	7	5	4	5	8	6	6	53	102	11	91
21	Holloway, Joseph	GLD	40.3	6	6	4	8	6	8	4	7	7	56	7	6	5	5	5	6	8	8	7	57	113	26	87
21	Goore, Hamlet	WHT	25.9	6	6	4	8	8	8	4	5	8	57	7	4	4	8	4	8	7	8	6	56	113	21	92
21	Thomas, Kobina	WHT	22.2	7	6	3	8	8	7	4	6	6	55	7	5	5	5	5	8	10	7	6	58	113	18	95

## Skins & Skills

### GAMBLER RIDGE SKINS & SKILLS, June 21, 2025

Gross Skins (skins pool = \$80)			
Player	Skins	Purse	Details
Medina, Perry	3	\$80.00	Birdie on 3, Birdie on 4, Birdie on 8
Total Purse Allocated:\$80.00			
High Handicap Gross Skins (skins pool = \$100)			
Player	Skins	Purse	Details
Smith, Charles	2	\$20.00	Birdie on 5, Par on 7
Lecky, Hugh	2	\$20.00	Birdie on 8, Birdie on 16
Blake, Errol	2	\$20.00	Par on 1, Par on 6
Woolfolk, Raymond	2	\$20.00	Par on 10, Birdie on 15
Arthur, Bruce	1	\$10.00	Birdie on 2
Sepulveda, Sebastian	1	\$10.00	Par on 14
Total Purse Allocated:\$100.00			

**Closest to the Pin, Hole #7   Hamlet Goore 19' 6"**

**Closest to the Pin, Hole #11   Larry Jones 20' 4"**

**Long Drive, Hole #16   Greg Ward 292.7 yards**

**50/50      Terry Carothers    \$27**

## Skins

6/21/2025																						
Gambler Ridge 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	TOT
NAME	TEE PAR	4	4	3	5	4	4	3	5	4	36	4	3	4	4	3	4	5	4	4	35	71
Carothers, Terrell	WHT	4	6	3	6	6	4	6	8	5	48	5	3	4	6	3	6	7	6	4	44	92
Jenkins, Tony	WHT	4	4	5	5	3	5	3	6	4	39	4	3	4	4	3	5	6	5	6	40	79
Jones, Larry	WHT	6	5	4	6	3	4	4	5	6	43	5	3	4	4	5	8	8	6	5	48	91
Medina, Perry	WHT	6	4	2	4	4	6	4	4	5	39	5	3	4	5	3	4	7	5	4	40	79
Rucker, Donald	WHT	6	6	5	6	5	8	3	6	4	49	4	3	4	4	5	4	7	5	4	40	89
Thomas, George	WHT	4	5	6	7	4	6	4	8	5	49	7	5	7	5	4	5	8	6	6	53	102
Ward, Greg	WHT	5	7	4	5	4	6	4	5	5	45	5	4	5	5	3	4	5	5	5	41	86
Weekes, George	WHT	5	4	4	6	5	5	5	6	6	46	7	6	5	5	4	5	5	6	5	48	94
Minimum Score		4	4	2	4	3	4	3	4	4		4	3	4	4	3	4	5	5	4		
# of min scores		3	3	1	1	2	2	2	1	2		2	5	5	3	4	3	2	4	3		
Gambler Ridge 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	TOT
NAME	TEE PAR	4	4	3	5	4	4	3	5	4	36	4	3	4	4	3	4	5	4	4	35	71
Smith, Charles	WHT	5	5	6	6	3	6	3	5	5	44	6	4	5	6	4	5	6	8	5	49	93
Arthur, Bruce	WHT	5	3	5	8	6	8	6	6	6	53	6	5	4	4	4	5	5	4	6	43	96
Blake, Errol	WHT	4	6	3	7	4	4	4	5	5	42	5	5	7	5	4	5	6	5	5	47	89
Holloway, Joseph	GLD	6	6	4	8	6	8	4	7	7	56	7	6	5	5	5	6	8	8	7	57	113
Lecky, Hugh	WHT	5	4	3	7	6	7	4	4	5	45	6	5	5	5	4	4	4	5	5	43	88
Sepulveda, Sebastie	WHT	6	6	5	8	6	5	5	6	6	53	6	3	4	4	3	6	6	7	5	44	97
Weekes, George	WHT	5	4	4	6	5	5	5	6	6	46	7	6	5	5	4	5	5	6	5	48	94
Whitaker, Greg	GLD	5	4	4	6	5	8	6	7	6	51	6	3	4	4	4	5	8	4	6	44	95
Woolfolk, Raymond	WHT	7	5	5	6	5	6	6	7	5	52	4	4	5	6	5	3	9	4	7	47	99
Yamba, Zack	GLD	5	5	4	6	5	5	4	5	5	44	7	5	6	5	4	6	6	6	5	50	94
Minimum Score		4	3	3	6	3	4	3	4	5		4	3	4	4	3	3	4	4	5		
# of min scores		1	1	2	5	1	1	1	1	5		1	2	3	3	1	1	1	3	6		

## Event Statistics

### *250621 Gambler Ridge*

#### Gambler Ridge Golf Club

Round 1 -- June 21, 2025

<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	299-324	4	5.26	10						
2	308-314	4	5.17	11	0	0	5	9	7	2
3	95-100	3	4.04	13	0	1	6	6	8	2
4	449-464	5	6.35	7	0	1	6	9	5	2
5	248-254	4	4.96	14	0	1	3	11	3	5
6	253-264	4	6.04	1	0	4	4	8	5	2
7	130-138	3	4.39	6	0	0	3	5	8	7
8	441-474	5	5.91	15	0	0	3	13	2	5
9	322-333	4	5.52	4	0	3	6	6	6	2
10	318-341	4	5.52	5	0	0	2	11	7	3
11	148-161	3	4.17	12	0	0	5	7	5	6
12	300-320	4	4.87	18	0	0	8	6	6	3
13	265-287	4	4.91	16	0	0	10	8	3	2
14	167-174	3	3.91	17	0	0	8	11	3	1
15	338-354	4	5.30	9	0	0	7	11	5	0
16	465-489	5	6.61	2	0	1	5	9	5	3
17	345-361	4	5.61	3	0	1	4	7	5	6
18	331-341	4	5.35	8	0	0	5	7	6	5
					0	0	4	10	6	3

<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>	2545-2665	36	47.65	0	10	38	78	51	30
<i>In</i>	2677-2828	35	46.26	0	2	56	76	44	29
<i>Total</i>	5222-5493	71	93.91	0	12	94	154	95	59



**Distance Marker** DATE 6-21

HOLE # 7

☐ LONGEST PUTT    ☐ MOST PUTTS  
☐ CLOSEST 2nd SHOT    ☐ LEAST PUTTS  
☐ LONGEST DRIVE    ☐ SHORTEST DRIVE  
☒ CLOSEST TO PIN    ☐ CLOSEST 3rd SHOT  
☐ OTHER

1. Chuck Smith 37' 8"  
2. K. Kirkland 27' 11"  
3. James (Not on green) 19' 0"  
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8. **NJ BALL STRIKERS**  
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**Distance Marker** DATE 6-21

HOLE # 16

☐ LONGEST PUTT    ☐ MOST PUTTS  
☐ CLOSEST 2nd SHOT    ☐ LEAST PUTTS  
☒ LONGEST DRIVE    ☐ SHORTEST DRIVE  
☐ CLOSEST TO PIN    ☐ CLOSEST 3rd SHOT  
☐ OTHER

1. WEEKES  
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**Distance Marker** DATE 6-21

HOLE # 11

☐ LONGEST PUTT    ☐ MOST PUTTS  
☐ CLOSEST 2nd SHOT    ☐ LEAST PUTTS  
☐ LONGEST DRIVE    ☐ SHORTEST DRIVE  
☒ CLOSEST TO PIN    ☐ CLOSEST 3rd SHOT  
☐ OTHER

1. Larry Jones 20' 4"  
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8. **NJ BALL STRIKERS**  
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