

In 2012 each division was a blowout. Salish Cliffs was a hard course for most...except for the division winners! Division 1 winner: Stephen Lloyd, Division 2 winner: Randy Pettis, Division 3 winner: Vaughn Kercher.

In 2012, we set out to challenge ourselves with a tougher day 2 course by going to Salish Cliffs. Beautiful course, great casino nearby and other than the scores being higher, good experience. The last time we did something similar was back in 2007 at Indian Summer. Both times it seems that the courses did a good job of separating people by their skill levels. In 2007, Mark “Ole” Olsen quieted a lot of griping as he showed that it was possible to score well at a hard course. This year it was Stephen Lloyd’s, Randy Pettis’ and Vaughn Kercher’s turn. Salish turned out to be the second hardest course we have played as displayed by the scores. The hardest was Indian Summer, where we averaged 98.3 strokes, and at Salish Cliffs we averaged 97.7 strokes.

On day 2, the Salish Cliffs location allowed early finishers to get over to the casino. Possibly with the logic that if you suck at golf, there is no way that you’ll also suck at gambling.

For a few of us, the day was severely dampened by the loss of one of our Federal Way High School Students. He was a boy that I coached in the hurdles, and was a very promising 9th grade athlete. He did not know how to swim and overestimated his ability to be in water over his head, and unfortunately drowned during our round at a lake in Federal Way. Very tragic. Prior to our awards a few of the FW coaches were attending to messages sent by students and teachers about the situation. Devastating...

Division 1: Stephen Lloyd made things look (too) easy! In winning the green jacket, he scored 80 points, which was 5 points better than second place. He also had the low gross of 158, being the only player in the tourney who broke 80 at Limerick, followed by being four shots better than anyone else at Salish. Impressive win coach!



			Day 1: Lake Limerick Course					Day 2: Salish Cliffs					2012 Total	
Div 1			Gross Score	Gross Pts	Hdcp Pts	Day 1 Total Pts	Day 1 Rank	Gross Score	Gross Pts	Hdcp Pts	unused Mull	Day 2 Total Pts	Total Points	Total Rank
1	Stephen Lloyd	83	78	30	9.0	39	2	80	32	9.0		41	80	1
2	Scott Mylan	86	83	29	11.0	40	1	88	24	11.0		35	75	2
2	Mark Sievert	86	85	26	11.0	37	3	89	27	11.0		38	75	2
4	Mark Olsen	83	88	24	9.0	33	7	86	27	9.0		36	69	4
5	Tom Ellertson	83	88	22	9.0	31	10	84	28	9.0		37	68	5
6	Kevin Clark	81	80	30	7.0	37	3	90	23	7.0		30	67	6
7	Mike Minahan	82	82	28	8.0	36	5	89	21	8.0		29	65	7
7	Randy Tough	80	82	27	6.5	33.5	6	87	25	6.5		31.5	65	7
9	Tim McManemy	83	87	24	9.0	33	7	91	18	9.0	1	28	61	9
9	John Meagher	81	91	23	7.0	30	11	87	24	7.0		31	61	9
11	Scott Ellertson	81	84	25	7.0	32	9	93	21	7.0		28	60	11
12	Johnny Stevens	85	93	18	10.5	28.5	12	95	17	10.5		27.5	56	12
13	David McColgan	86	99	15	11.0	26	13	97	16	11.0		27	53	13
Averages			86.2	24.7		33.5	3	88.9	23.3	11.0		32.2	65.8	

Division 2: Just like Stephen Lloyd, Randy Pettis dominated in division 2. Randy won the tourney going wire to wire leading after day 1 and holding onto the lead. His 40.5 points at Limerick was 5.5 pts better than second place and he was the only D.2 player to break 90 strokes on day 2. This was his second win. In our tournament history his two wins were likely two of the biggest blowouts we have had. Great work Randy!



				Day 1: Lake Limerick Course					Day 2: Trophy Lake					2012 Total	
	Div 2			Gross Score	Gross Pts	Hdcp Pts	Day 1 Total Pts	Day 1 Rank	Gross Score	Gross Pts	Hdcp Pts	unused Mull pts	Day 2 Total Pts	Total Points	Total Rank
1	Randy Pettis	88		86	28.5	12.0	40.5	1	89	21.5	12.0	1	34.5	75	1
2	Dave Basinger	96		98	16	18.0	34	4	97	17	18.0		35	69	2
3	Jerv Heinlen	92		94	20	15.0	35	3	103	14.5	15.0		29.5	64.5	3

Division 3: Vaughn Kercher completed the “domination” weekend with a 4.5 point win. He started off with a 42 pt effort, which was second to Matt Matthews. Somehow Matt mysteriously withdrew...not saying he was coerced but....???? Vaughn secured his win in his 10th year by not only scoring the most points but also shooting the low round of D.3. Excellent work Vaughn!



			Day 1: Lake Limerick Course					Day 2: Trophy Lake					2012 Total		
Div 3			Gross Score	Gross Pts	Hdcp Pts	Day 1 Total Pts	Day 1 Rank	Gross Score	Gross Pts	Hdcp Pts	unused Mull pts	Day 2 Total Pts	Total Points	Total Rank	
1	Vaughn	Kercher	100	93	21	21.0	42	2	101	14.5	21.0		35.5	77.5	1
2	Tom	Seeley	100	97	17	21.0	38	7	101	13.5	21.0	0.5	35	73	2
3	Scott	Wingate	100	101	17	21.0	38	7	110	13	21.0		34	72	3
4	Randy	Kaczor	99	94	19	20.0	39	3	104	12	20.0	0.5	32.5	71.5	4
5	Ted	Carlson	105	109	13.5	25.0	38.5	5	116	7.5	25.0		32.5	71	5
6	Steve	McCully	102	103	15.5	23.0	38.5	5	117	8.5	23.0		31.5	70	6
7	Doug	Helgerson	97	106	13.5	19.0	32.5	12	103	18	19.0		37	69.5	7
7	Val	Rowell	97	92	20	19.0	39	3	110	11.5	19.0		30.5	69.5	7
9	Chris	Brauer	99	106	10.5	20.0	30.5	14	98	18	20.0	0.5	38.5	69	9
9	Trent	Erickson	102	116	8.5	23.0	31.5	13	105	14.5	23.0		37.5	69	9
10	Joel	Gray	98	100	15.5	19.5	35	9	109	11.5	19.5		31	66	10
11	Dave	Ditlefsen	108	117	7	27.0	34	10	120	4.5	27.0		31.5	65.5	11
	Matt	Mathews	113	106	15	28.5	43.5	1			28.5		28.5	DNF	
	Mark	Roberts	103	109	10.5	23.5	34	10			23.5		23.5	DNF	
		Averages		104.3	14.0		36.3		108.5	12.0		0.5	32.6	69.6	

Scramble:

In the scramble there was a two team tie at an impressive 14 under score...The two teams were Meagher, Swanson, Logue, Textor, Ditlefsen and McColgan, McManemy, McCully, Mesick, Erickson.