

## 2019 MONTENYOHL SUMMARY

2019 was the first year for the Montenyohl to be played in November.

Unfortunately, it was the absolute worst weather week of the entire month. The week before and after were great! How lucky can we be?

On Tuesday, Nov. 12 at Rocky Branch it poured and only got to play the back 9. Tee gifts of magnetic ball clips were distributed.

On Wednesday, Nov. 13 at Gordon Lakes we did get in 18. However, the sun brought wind a starting wind chill of 24 degrees.

On Friday, Nov. 15 at Woodside the tournament was cancelled. The course was unplayable after 2 holes. The pro shop at Woodside was gracious enough to give the players a "rain check".

There was a tie for Runner Up. The tournament guide states an on course play off was to be done. Since the course closed and the option of a score card playoff was not available, the executive board agreed to get a duplicate prize for the second Runner Up. The exact trophy was not available, and additional cost was incurred to get a similar trophy.

The four Medalist gifts (3 days & a tie) were distributed. There were medalists for day 1 & 2. The other 2 gifts were split up and given as prizes at the 50/50 raffle.

Sincerely,

Marion Hansen & Sue O'Connell Woodside Plantation

## RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MONTENYOHL

- 1) Move the deadline to 14 days prior to the first day of the tournament AND STICK TO IT! Full refunds 7 days prior to the first day of the tournament. Cart fees only by 6PM the day prior to the first day. Entrants have 48 hours prior to the first day if they will be attending the luncheon or not. No refunds on the luncheon.
- 2) If there is no on course playoff available for the Champion and Runner Up places, then go to a scorecard playoff.
- 3) Eliminate the category of "TOP 10". Use these funds toward other prizes. In 2019 8 out of 10 players in the "Top 10" were winners in their flight. Maybe take the "Top 10" funds and divide it like regular events-20% to the Champion & Runner Up. The balance to the flight winners.
- 4) Revamp the financial report (MC-6). There is no room for "lunch only" income, there are no longer medallions, engraving costs will come in later, more room for itemizing, *no "TOP 10" Section.*
- 5) In cases such as having to play only 9 holes, cart path only, and tee boxes the decision should be made by the CSRA President and club rep. The rep is familiar with safety, drainage issues, and course elevation.
- 6) The Tournament Result Sheet (MC-5) has no room for the 50/50 winners or Daily Medalists.
- 7) Coordinate the schedule from the last regular tournament and the start of the Montenyohl with clubs and Handicap Chairman. Make sure there is enough time between events so that the Handicap Chair can process all of the year's results.
- 8) Make a determination early enough to decide what date's handicap will be used for the tournament, such as the Monday prior to the start of the tournament.