

## 2008 GRIFFITH HARRIS EARLY-BIRD BACK-NINE CHAMPIONSHIP

| June 6, 2008 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | FINAL |
|--------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|
| Phil - Ray   | -  | -  | -  | -  | 1  | -  | -  | -  |    |       |
| Pete - Matt  | -  | 1  | 2  | 2  | -  | 2  | 2  | 2  |    | won   |

Returning from a stint on the disabled list, Matt returned to the matches and was paired with Pete once again. Ray and Matt both drove into the left rough, Pete into the trees on the right, and Phil long and straight down the middle even with the trap. Pete tried to cut a shot out of the trees but hit it straight, stopping against a trap rake, from where he chipped and made his par putt. Phil hit his short wedge past the pin, and when he was not able to make birdie the hole was halved. Matt hit a high hybrid into the fog on the par three eleventh, and when the players walked down the fairway they saw that the ball was about six or eight feet below the hole, an excellent birdie opportunity which Matt converted to win the hole and put his team one up. Pete was on the twelfth green in regulation, and even though he did not make his birdie putt after Matt saved par from the woods, those pars were enough to win the hole and go two up. Bogeys halved the thirteenth hole, with Phil narrowly missing a long and curving par putt and both Matt and Pete unable to convert from around six feet. Ray and Matt were both about 100 yards away from the green on the fourteenth in two, but only Ray hit the green and made par to win the hole and bring his team back to one down. Pete won the fifteenth hole with a two putt par, while Ray was not able to get up and down from the back left rough after landing his eight iron (yes, an eight iron for Ray) long. Phil was the only player on the sixteenth hole in regulation and made his par, only to be tied when Matt got up and down from perhaps 5 yards off the green. The match was dormie going to seventeen, where Pete crushed a drive way down the fairway, leaving only a five iron to the green. Even though both Phil and Ray saved par, Pete two putted to halve the hole and finish the match, two and one.

|              | Ray      | Pete     | Phil     | Matt     |
|--------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 04/20/08     | 0        | 1        | 0        | 1        |
| 04/26/08     | 0        | 1        | 0        | 1        |
| 04/27/08     | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| 05/04/08     | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| 05/10/08     | 1        | 0        | 0        | 1        |
| 05/24/08     | 0        | 0        | 0        | 0        |
| 05/25/08     | 1        | 0        | 1        | 0        |
| 05/26/08     | 1        | 0        | 1        | 0        |
| 06/07/08     | 0        | 1        | 0        | 1        |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>4</b> |