

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

September 28, 2008	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	FINAL
Ray- Pete	1	2	2	2	3	3	4			won
Phil - Matt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			

There was some confusion on the tenth tee this morning, as the foursome was prepared to get back in action for the first time in four weeks, but was also challenged to participate in the long-awaited Calloway tournament for early morning foursomes. On Ray's recommendation, the group decided to do both at the same time....and historical precedent was broken when Phil and Matt were paired against Ray and Pete. While I did not have my voice recorder on hand to note the details of the various holes, suffice it to say that Ray scorched the course by shooting even par 35 on his own ball and closing out his opponents on sixteen. His team won the tenth hole with par when Matt missed an eighteen inch putt to tie the hole, and his par on eleven was the only three on that hole....so Ray and Pete were two up after only two holes. The twelfth hole was halved with pars, Ray with a routine two putt and Matt saving par from off the back left. The thirteenth was also halved with pars, Pete coming out of the low side trap to about a foot and Ray chipping from the rough and converting his putt as well, while Matt flopped his chip shot to two feet and made his putt.....so Ray and Pete were two up going to the par five. Ray got his team back on the winning side when he was the only one to make par on the fourteenth, narrowly missing a birdie attempt. Phil helped his team with a par on the short fifteenth hole, getting up and down nicely to halve the hole and move the match up the hill. It was on sixteen that Ray closed out his opponents with a beautiful six iron approach that stopped about three feet from the cup, and his birdie not only won the match but got him one under par for the round and the Calloway as well. While the match was over, the players were still competing for the coveted Calloway and the promise of a delicious breakfast at the Griff. Unfortunately none of the players could manage par on the tough seventeenth, putting the team back to even par for the round. They would finish one under as they were able to birdie eighteen, and found themselves in the lead in the clubhouse when the first team to finish could only muster a six-over par forty one. Final results to follow next week.

	Ray	Pete	Phi	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
06/08/08	0	1	1	0
06/14/08	1	0	0	1
07/04/08	0	1	0	1
07/05/08	1	0	0	1
07/12/08	0	0	0	0
07/13/08	0	1	0	1
07/19/08	0	1	1	0
07/20/08	1	0	0	1
07/26/08	0	1	1	0
08/02/08	1	1	0	0
08/03/08	1	0	1	0
08/16/08	0	1	1	0
08/22/08	0	1	0	1
08/24/08	0	1	0	1
08/31/08	0	1	0	1
09/01/08	1	0	0	1
09/28/08	1	1	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>