

2010 GRIFFITH HARRIS EARLY-BIRD BACK-NINE

November 13, 2010	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	FINAL
Ray - Phil	-	-	1	-	1	2	2	3	x	win
Pete - Matt	-	-		-					x	

It was a beautiful morning on Saturday and the group convened for their first match in many weeks. Matt took the early shift after staying up until well past 2 AM, and arrived after Phil at around 6:30. We were second off the tenth tee, and Phil and Ray were to play Pete and Matt. Matt showed his exhaustion from the recent tour of DC and late night before the match even started, neglecting to bring a voice recorder to memorialize the action. Phil was gracious enough to fill in, the AAAA league substitute for the day, a late season call-up in an audition for possible full major league journalistic duties in 2011. Phil's account, in his own words with some format editing and parenthetical commentary by Matt, follows:

Here's what I remember:

10- Phil doubted his partner Ray's ability to pull him to his first win in months (more below). Four good tee shots although Jack compared Phil's shot to Mike (*old and tired, high and short*). He was a little chagrined when Phil hit his 8 iron within 8 feet. Hole tied with 4's by Phil, Ray and Pete.

11- no one on green. Matt had nice sand shot but putt just missed. Tied with 4.

12- Matt and Ray in fairway as was Pete, whose ball must have hit a tree (*you think so? Pete was looking on the fourteenth green before we found it in the fairway*). Ray wins hole with 4. Matt's putt again just missed (*are we sensing a pattern?*).

13- Ray and Phil into hazard off tee. Pete in rough but on the green in 3. Nice putt to win hole with a 4. Match tied.

14- Long drives down hill by Matt and Ray. Ray on in 3 and 2 putts for a 5 to win hole. One up for Ray and Phil

15- no one on green. Ray and Phil each have 4. Win hole when Pete's putt to tie misses. Two up for Ray and Phil

16- Nice recovery for Matt after tee shot to shoot a 5 with nice one putt. Ray scrambles to tie hole with a nice one putt., (*critical as this would have brought Pete and Matt right back into the match*). Still two up.

17- Ray, Phil and Pete all on the green in 3. Ray makes long (*to say the least, must have been 30 feet*) putt to win hole with 4 after Pete's putt misses. Match over 3 and 1 for Ray and Phil. Phil's first win in _____ weeks (*11 matches dating to August 1*). Always nice to be back.

<u>POINTS</u>	Ray	Pete	Phil	Matt		Total Points
Ray		28	25	25		39
Pete	18		27	13		29
Phil	5	17		16		19
Matt	19	17	30			33

<u>INDIVIDUAL WON-LOST</u>	Ray	Pete	Phil	Matt		Overall
Ray		13-8-2	12-2-1	11-8-3		18-9-3
Pete	8-13-2		12-7-3	6-8-1		13-14-3
Phil	2-12-1	7-12-3		7-14-2		8-19-3
Matt	8-11-3	8-6-1	14-7-2			15-12-3

<u>TEAM WON-LOST</u>	Won	Lost	Halved
Ray-Pete	5	1	1
Ray-Phil	6	7	2
Ray-Matt	7	1	
Pete-Phil	1	7	
Pete-Matt	7	6	2
Phil-Matt	1	5	1

Weekly Results	Ray	Pete	Phil	Matt
4/10/10	1	1	1	1
5/1/10	2	2	2	2
5/2/10	4	2	4	2
5/22/10	4	2	6	4
5/23/10	5	3	7	5
6/12/10	7	3	9	5
6/13/10	9	3	11	5
6/19/10	11	5	11	5
6/20/10	13	7	11	5
6/26/10	15	7	13	5
6/27/10	17	7	13	7
7/3/10	17	9	13	9
7/4/10	19	11	13	9
7/5/10	21	11	13	11
7/17/10	23	13	13	11
7/18/10	25	13	13	13
7/24/10	25	15	15	13
7/31/10	25	17	15	15
8/1/10	27	17	17	15
8/7/10	29	17	17	17
8/8/10	31	19	17	17
8/14/10	31	21	17	19
8/15/10	33	21	17	21
9/4/10	35	21	17	23
9/5/10	35	23	17	25
9/19/10	35	25	17	27
10/9/10	35	27	17	29
10/16/10	35	29	17	31
10/24/10	37	29	17	33
11/13/10	39	29	19	33

