# 2011 GRIFFITH HARRIS EARLY-BIRD BACK-NINE CHAMPIONSHIP 

| November 20, 2011 | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 2}$ | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | FINAL |
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| Pete - Ray | E | E | E | E |  | E | E | E | E | halved |
| Phil - Matt | E | E | E | E | 1 | E | E | E | E | halved |

It was a much nicer day on Sunday, windy with temperatures already in the high 40 s at tee time, so no frost delay. But Dave was back in the mix so we were relegated to the second tee slot, not a good omen for Phil, who has a standing 10:00 tennis game on Sundays through the winter. Jack made things worse by taking some time in the restaurant between opening groups and we eventually teed off around 7:45. Phil started the day with a good fairway metal from the tenth tee down the fairway, followed by Matt hugging the right side but getting past the tree and Ray and Pete both near but short of the trap. Pete and Matt hit the best approach shots, Pete short of the hole and Matt rolling past, but neither could capitalize and make the birdie, so pars halved the first hole. Nobody found the green on eleven, Ray in the trap, Pete just left and in the rough going uphill, Matt wide to the right and Phil short. Everyone hit acceptable chip shots but nobody saved par and bogeys tied the hole and kept the match even. Ray and Pete were down the fairway on twelve with Matt rolling past both and long. Ray approached pin high but Pete came up short, while Matt landed on the green as well. Ray slid his birdie putt about three feet past the cup but made the comeback and Matt missed his birdie wide to the right and tapped in for par also. Ray and Matt were in the woods on the left side of thirteen, Pete and Phil in the fairway. Ray recovered to the fairway, Phil and Pete were short of the green and everyone had to chip to win. Phil went over the green but recovered beautifully with a delicate chip and a saving putt that tied both Pete and Ray, who chipped nicely and each made bogey. First blood was drawn on the fourteenth hole, but not in classic fashion. Only Matt hit a good tee shot and he followed with a shot that went into the woods, Pete took two penalty strokes on his way to the green, and Phil and Ray each had a penalty.....five shots lost on one hole. Pete and Matt eventually hit good approach shots and two putted, Matt for six and Pete for seven after all penalties were counted....Matt and Phil one up. The lead was short lived, however, after Pete hit a low screamer toward the fifteenth that ran through the rough but stopped pin high above the hole. Matt ran his tee shot off the back right side, Ray was in the trap and Phil wide to the right. Matt hit a poor chip that left him ten feet for par, and when he missed the putt, Pete capitalized with a nice two putt downhill par to tie the match. Phil was short off the sixteenth tee but hit a very nice second shot that stopped around the cart sign in front of the green, Ray and Pete finding the left side trap after good drives and Matt stopping short and slightly right on his approach. Phil did his part by recovering for bogey, but another poor chip from Matt, another bogey, and that tied the hole after Pete and Ray got out of the trap and two putted. Ray and Pete were about two hundred yards out on seventeen, Matt shorter and in the right rough. Phil was shorter but hit a good second shot, while the other three hit good shots toward the green but none found the shortest grass. Reasonable chips from all three, two putts and bogeys all around to tie the hole, keeping the match even going to eighteen. Ray laid down a beautiful drive on eighteen, Pete was a bit right, and Matt also hit a gorgeous drive that went a bit past Ray (and Phil had to depart to make his 10 AM tennis date). Pete hit a nice shot from the rough but went long, Matt a bit too much divot and coming up short. Matt's chip again was short, and Pete's very long putt went past the hole. Both missed their next putts, bogeys again tied the hole...this time ending the match in a tie as well. Highly competitive, close all the way, down to the wire and even.

| $\frac{\text { HEAD-TO- }}{\frac{\text { HEAD }}{\text { POINTS }}}$ | ** | $e^{\mathbb{E}}$ | $2^{*}$ | ${\underset{\sim}{c}}_{\stackrel{x}{c}}$ | Total Head-toHead Points |
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| Ray |  | 15 | 26 | 14 | 27.5 |
| Pete | 20 |  | 30 | 15 | 32.5 |
| Phil | 10 | 9 |  | 4 | 11.5 |
| Matt | 25 | 21 | 31 |  | 38.5 |


| $\frac{\text { HEAD-TO- }}{\underline{H E A D}}$ WON-LOST | $8^{*}$ | $\mathbb{Q}^{\mathbb{E}}$ | $2^{\text {a }}$ | $\stackrel{e}{*}_{\stackrel{*}{*}}$ | $0^{0^{3}}$ |
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| Ray |  | 6.5-9-2 | 11.5-3.5-3 | 5-10.5-4 | 11.5-11.5-4.5 |
| Pete | 9-6.5-2 |  | 13-2.5-4 | 6-9-3 | 14-9-4.5 |
| Phil | 3.5-11.5-3 | 2.5-13-4 |  | 1-14.5-2 | 3.5-19.5-4.5 |
| Matt | 10.5-5-4 | - 9-6-3 | 14.5-1-2 |  | 17-6-4.5 |



| WON-LOST | $5{ }^{5}$ | $\mathrm{v}^{5}$ | $\underbrace{\text { cosem }}$ |
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| Ray-Pete | 5.0 | 2.5 | 2.5 |
| Ray-Phil |  | 8.0 | 1.5 |
| Ray-Matt | 6.5 | 1.0 | 0.5 |
| Pete-Phil | 1.0 | 6.5 | 0.5 |
| Pete-Matt | 8.0 |  | 1.5 |
| Phil-Matt | 2.5 | 5.0 | 2.5 |


| Weekly <br> Results | Ray | Pete | Phil | Matt |  |
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| $4 / 9 / 11$ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |  |
| $4 / 10 / 11$ | 0.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 |  |
| $4 / 22 / 11$ | 3.0 | 5.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 |  |
| $5 / 1 / 11$ | 3.0 | 7.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 |  |
| $5 / 14 / 11$ | 3.0 | 10.0 | 2.0 | 5.0 |  |
| $5 / 28 / 11$ | 5.5 | 12.5 | 2.5 | 5.5 |  |
| $5 / 29 / 11$ | 7.5 | 12.5 | 2.5 | 7.5 |  |
| $6 / / 111$ | 8.0 | 13.0 | 4.5 | 10.5 |  |
| $6 / 18 / 11$ | 8.5 | 15.5 | 5.0 | 13.0 |  |
| $6 / 19 / 11$ | 8.5 | 15.5 | 7.0 | 15.0 |  |
| $6 / 25 / 11$ | 11.0 | 16.0 | 7.5 | 17.5 |  |
| $6 / 26 / 11$ | 11.0 | 18.0 | 7.5 | 19.5 |  |
| $7 / 16 / 11$ | 11.0 | 18.0 | 10.5 | 22.5 |  |
| $7 / 17 / 11$ | 14.0 | 18.0 | 10.5 | 25.5 |  |
| $7 / 23 / 11$ | 17.0 | 20.0 | 11.0 | 26.0 |  |
| $7 / 30 / 11$ | 17.0 | 22.0 | 11.0 | 28.0 |  |
| $7 / 31 / 11$ | 18.0 | 23.0 | 12.0 | 29.0 |  |
| $8 / 27 / 11$ | 20.0 | 23.0 | 12.0 | 31.0 |  |
| $9 / 3 / 11$ | 21.0 | 24.0 | 13.0 | 32.0 |  |
| $10 / 15 / 11$ | 24.0 | 27.0 | 13.0 | 32.0 |  |
| $10 / 16 / 11$ | 26.0 | 27.0 | 1.0 | 34.0 |  |
| $10 / 22 / 11$ | 27.5 | 30.0 | 14.5 | 34.0 |  |
| $11 / 5 / 11$ | 27.5 | 32.0 | 14.5 | 36.0 |  |
| $11 / 12 / 11$ | 29.5 | 34.0 | 14.5 | 36.0 |  |
| $11 / 13 / 11$ | 31.5 | 34.0 | 14.5 | 38.0 |  |
| $11 / 19 / 11$ | 31.5 | 37.0 | 14.5 | 41.0 |  |
| $11 / 20 / 11$ | 32.5 | 38.0 | 15.5 | 42.0 |  |


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| Skins Won |  |
| Ray | 9 |
| Pete | 10 |
| Phil | 4 |
| Matt | 4 |


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| Skins Points |  |
| Ray | 5.0 |
| Pete | 5.5 |
| Phil | 4.0 |
| Matt | 3.5 |

