

Wheeling Park wins fifth straight OVAC golf

• Waialae gains individual crown

Wheeling Park claimed its fifth straight and sixth title in seven years at the Ohio Valley Athletic Conference Championships Tuesday afternoon at Spring Hills Golf Club.

The Patriots fired a 304, which was two strokes better than John Marshall. East Liverpool closed the tournament in third place with a team score of 322. Brooke was fourth in 322.

Patriot senior standout Ryan Waialae captured his second OVAC championship by winning the title in a one-hole playoff with Brooke's Phil DiLorenzo.

Waialae -- who played in the United States Amateur earlier this summer -- fired a sizzling two-over round of 73. In the playoff, he recorded a par on the par 3, 16th hole, while DiLorenzo bogied the hole.

Waialae was the conference champion in 2001 at Belmont Hills Country Club.

Other players earning all-OVAC were Wheeling Park's Joe Caveney and Chris Palmer; John Marshall's Trent Schambach and Brian O'Donnell; East Liverpool's Tyler Waite; DiLorenzo, Zanesville's Tyler Kaido and Buckeye Local's Josh Torok.

Complete Results:

TEAM SCORING: Wheeling Park, 304; John Marshall, 306; East Liverpool, 321; Brooke, 322; Cambridge, 331; Zanesville, 340; Buckeye Local, 340; Edison, 344; Weir, 348; Beaver Local, 353; Steubenville, 380.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

WHEELING PARK (304) -- Ryan Waialae, 73; Joe Caveney, 74; Chris Palmer, 76; Andy Gaudino, 81.
JOHN MARSHALL (306) -- Trent

Schambach, 76; Brian O'Donnell, 76; Joe Darmafall, 77; Ribbie Kinkade, 77.

EAST LIVERPOOL (321) -- Tyler Waite, 76; Tom Dunlap, 80; Cory Carr, 82; Brandon Carr, 83.

BROOKE (322) -- Phil DiLorenzo, 73; Lucas Diserio, 78; Chris Jones, 81; Derek Tarr, 90.

CAMBRIDGE (331) -- Brad Wright, 78; Keith Grywalski, 83; Aaron Neff, 84; Michael Sarap, 86.

ZANESVILLE (340) -- Tyler Kaido,

76; Andrew Hamilton, 85; Jared Jubbard, 87; Austin Todd, 92.

BUCKEYE LOCAL (341) -- Josh Torok, 75; Jason Polen, 78; Storm Conaway, 89; Matt Iandanza, 99.

EDISON (344) -- Sam Sapp, 80; Corey Sweat, 86; Donald Ware, 87; Dean Wiley, 91.

WEIR (348) -- Evan Lamone, 81; Jon Greene, 86; Ryan Phillips, 90; Chad Camp, 91.

BEAVER LOCAL (353) -- Kyle Lynch, 79; David Tobin, 89; Steve

Burt, 92; Chad Grey, 93.

STEUBENVILLE (380) -- Mike Giannamore, 86; Lee Bainbridge, 96; Joe VanDine, 99; Ben Salata, 99.

ALL-OVAC TEAM -- Ryan Waialae, Wheeling Park; Joe Caveney, Wheeling Park; Chris Palmer, Wheeling Park; Trent Schambach, John Marshall; Brian O'Donnell, John Marshall; Tyler Waite, East Liverpool; Phil DiLorenzo, Brooke; Tyler Kaido, Zanesville; Josh Torok, Buckeye Local.

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Meadowbrook prevails in OVAC 3-A golf tourney

Meadowbrook claimed the OVAC 3-A crown Friday evening at Belmont Hills Country Club shooting a 336 on the par 72 course.

Indian Creek finished in second with a score of 250, while Tyler Consolidated pulled up in third with a total of 368.

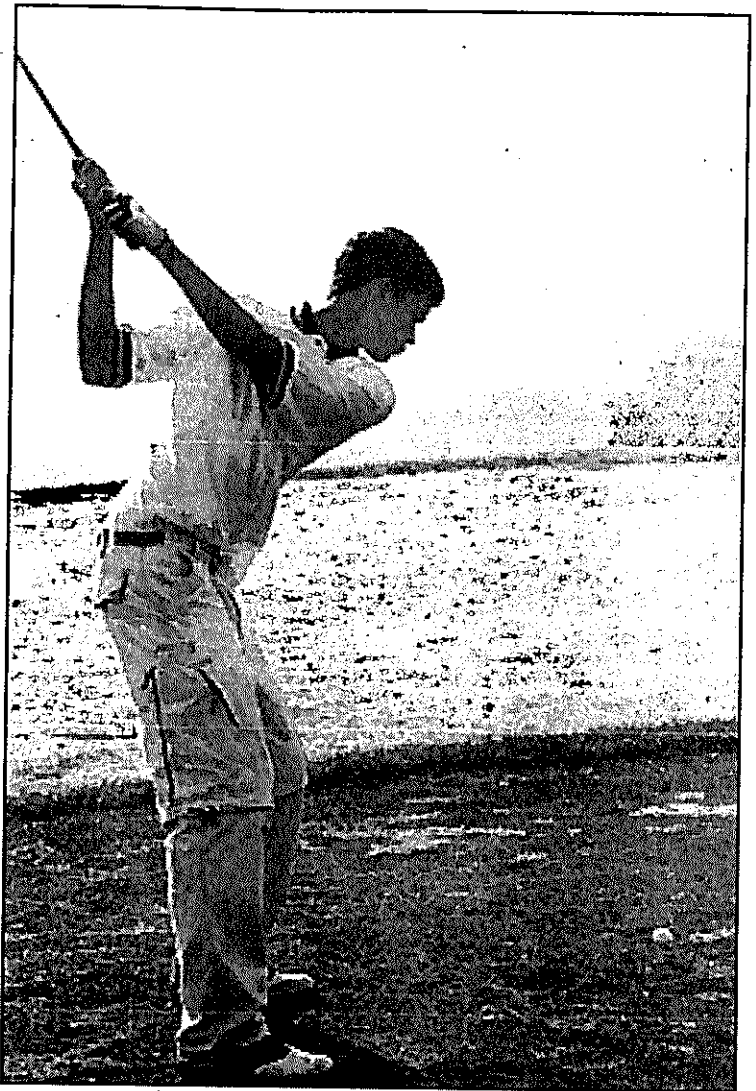
Earning All-OVAC status in the tournament was Nick Kirsh (Indian Creek - 75); Frank Cox (Oak Glen - 78); Joel Thompson (81), Wes Mercer (84) and Matt Wright (84) of Meadowbrook.

Team scoring:

1. Meadowbrook, 336; 2. Indian Creek, 350; 3. Tyler Consolidated, 369; Oak Glen, 370; Union Local, 372; Harrison Central, 377; Martins Ferry, 377; Bellaire, 385; St. Clairsville, 387; Magnolia, 428.

ALL-OVAC

Nick Kirsch (Indian Creek), 75; Frank Cox (Oak Glen), 78; Joel Thompson (Meadowbrook), 81; Wes Mercer (Meadowbrook), 84; Matt Wright (Meadbrook), 84.



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PREPARING for a tee shot on the first hole of the OVAC 3-A Golf Championship is Bellaire senior Jay Ofat.

River, Linsly win OVAC 1-A, 2-A golf championships

Linsly and River claimed the OVAC 1-A and 2-A prep putting crowns Friday afternoon at Riverside Golf Course.

Linsly fired a 317, edging out runner-up Beallsville who shot a 320. St. John Central landed in third with a score of 359.

Earning All-OVAC in 1-A were: Clint Marcum (Beallsville), Joe Blalock (Linsly); Anthony Marcum (Beallsville), Adam Cisler (Beallsville) and Alex Kepner (Linsly).

IN CLASS 2-A, River narrowly edged out Fort Frye as Pilots shot a 324, while the Cadets fired a 325. Wheeling Central finished third with a 338.

Earning All-OVAC were: Tony O'Linn (Fort Frye), Luke Taylor (River), Brittany Stillwagon (Steubenville CC), Steven Rapp (Wheeling Central), Brent Welch (Fort Frye), Ben Jones (River) and Josh Lyle (Wellsville).

CLASS 1-A TEAM SCORES

1. Linsly, 317; 2. Beallsville, 320; 3. St. John Central, 359; Conotton Valley, 365; Shadyside, 372; Paden City, 373; Weirton Madonna, 413; Bishop Donahue, 417.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

LINSLY (317) — Joe Blalock, 76; Alex Kepner, 79; Chris Banal, 81; Jonathan Wright, 81; Jeff Seigal, 82.

BEALLSVILLE (320) — Clint Marcum, 75; Jerry Brown, Anthony Marcum, 78; Adam Cisler, 79; Andrew Boan, 88.

ST. JOHN CENTRAL (359) — Rick Kroflich, 81; Madeline Pastor, 91; Jake Palmer, 93; Larry Boothe, 95; Nick Piazza, 96.

SHADYSIDE (372) — Shane Bickmier, 83; Ty Moore, 93; Brent Isner, 97; Nick Janovich, 99; Vince DeBlasis, 107.

CLASS 2-A TEAM SCORES

1. River, 324; 2. Fort Frye, 325; 3. Wheeling Central, 338; Steubenville Central, 348; Toronto, 353; Monroe Central, 367; Buckeye Trail, 370; Wellsville, 372; Barnesville, 408.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

RIVER (324) — Luke Taylor, 75; Ben Jones, 81; Brandon Omdorff, 82; Greg Bayes, 86; Jeremy Tustin, 88.

MONROE CENTRAL (367) — Brandon Tennant, 84; Wes McCoy, 87; Andrew Winland, 97; Jason Seidler, 99; Kristin Stoehr, 132.

BUCKEYE TRAIL (370) — Garrett Holt, 86; A.J. Burga, 90; Ethan Williams, 96; Shane Stephens, 98; Colin Beckett, 102.

BARNESVILLE (408) — Brandon Brown, 98; Randy Hunter, 101; Van Wilson, 103; Chris Crawford, 106; Darel Hashman, 107.

