

Brooke's Samantha DiDomenico, above, Wheeling Park's Justin Famoso, top right, and John Marshall's Mike Tennant, bottom right, were among the 55 golfers to participate in the Ohio Valley Athletic Conference's Class AAAA Golf Championships Monday at Castle Shannon Golf Course in Hopedale. The Zanesville Blue Devils emerged as winners with a score of 310.

Photos by Rick Thorp

Zanesville Claims Title

Wheeling Park second at OVAC Class 4-A Golf Championships

By RICK THORP
Staff Writer

Chase Wilson captured medalist honors to lead Zanesville to its first OVAC golf championship Tuesday in the Class AAAA event played at Castle Shannon Golf Course near Hopedale.

The Blue Devils racked up a score of 310, edging Wheeling Park by five strokes to secure the title.

John Marshall was third in the team standings with a score of 323, followed by Cambridge (331), Buckeye Local (334), Steubenville (337), East Liverpool (346), Brooke (352), Edison (383), Weir (389) and Beaver Local (433).

"These guys saw this as a tremendous challenge to come over here and play against Park and play against John Marshall," said first-year Zanesville coach Nate Seekatz.

"We've seen them before and we thought if we could keep the ball in play and not have a lot of penalties, we'd have a chance.

"We won the River View Black Bear Invitational this past weekend and we've been playing pretty well as of late."

Wilson carded a 73 on the day and was part of the first foursome to enter the clubhouse to report scores. After a nearly-two-hour wait, however, he

ended up back on the course competing in a medalist playoff with Wheeling Park's Matt Keding, who also finished with a 73.

Wilson won the playoff by recording a par on the first extra hole on what turned out to be an excellent late-summer day for golf at the spacious Jefferson County layout.

"The best thing about our team is that we were led by a freshman in Chase," Seekatz said.

Wilson and Keding earned all tournament honors along with John Marshall's Chuckie Spaine, Zanesville's

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Team scores

1. Zanesville 310;
2. Wheeling Park 315; 3. John Marshall 323; 4. Cambridge 331; 5. Buckeye Local 334; 6. Steubenville 337; 7. East Liverpool 346; 8. Brooke 352; 9. Edison 383; 10. Weir 389; 11. Beaver Local 433.

Linsly golfers pocket OVAC 'A' title

• Wheeling Central captures 2-A; Indian Creek garners 3-A crown

Linsly and Wheeling Central -- as expected -- claimed OVAC team golf championships Friday at Belmont Hills Country Club.

Mark Zavatsky's Cadets totaled 308 to easily outdistance Conotton Valley by 21 shots. St. John Central placed third.

Wheeling Central, meanwhile, posted an even easier win. The Maroon Knights carded a 306 to outdistance Toronto by 32 strokes. Wellsville placed third at 339.

Linsly's Zak Yochum was the Class A medalist with a 71. He was joined on the all-tournament team by Larry Boothe of St. John Central, Phillip Spencer of Linsly, Tyler Yosick of Conotton Valley and Jonathan Wright of Linsly.

Wheeling Central's Joe Seabright gained Class AA medalist honors with a 74. He was joined on the all-tournament team by teammate Eric Felton, Wellsville's Josh Lyle and Cody MacClean as well as Fort Frye's Brent Welch.

IN CLASS AAA at Steubenville Country Club Indian Creek held off a spirited effort by Meadowbrook to earn the title. The Redskins checked in at 337, five shots better than the Colts. Union Local took home third at 347.

St. Clairsville's Shawn Monroe earned medalist honors in Class AAA via his 75. He was joined on the all-tourney team by Indian Creek's Sam Pate, 76; Union Local's Brett Blevins, 81; Indian Creek's Joey Burns, 82 and James Scurlock, 83, of Meadowbrook.

Results:

CLASS A
LINSLY (308) -- Yochum, 71;

Spencer 76; Wright, 78; Tennant 83.
CONOTTON VALLEY (329) -- Yosick, 78; Quillen, 80; Hupp, 82; Denso, 89.

ST. JOHN CENTRAL (366) -- Boothe, 76; Mowder, 93; Ogilbee, 93; Sansone, 104.
BEALLSVILLE (372) -- Boan, 79; Marcum, 79; Davis, 100; Milhoan, 114.

SHADYSIDE (397) -- Blickmeier, 97; Isner, 98; Andes, 100; Kubancik, 102.
BISHOP DONAHUE (408) -- Walton, 88; Keeter, 102; Krupica, 108; Fallova, 110.

WEIRTON MADONNA -- Kosky, 97.

ALL-TOURNAMENT: Zac Yochum, Linsly, 71, medalist; Larry Boothe, St. John's, 76 runnerup medalist; Phillip Spencer, Linsly, 76; Tyler Yosick, Conotton Valley, 78; Jonathan Wright, 78.

CLASS AA

WHEELING CENTRAL (306) -- Seabright, 74; Felton, 75; Altmeyer, 77; Grob, 80.

TORONTO (338) -- King, 80; Ullom, 81; Brower, 87; Freshwater, 90.

WELLSVILLE (339) -- Lyle, 75; Maclean, 76; Reynolds, 89; Childers, 99.

STUEBENVILLE CENTRAL (340) -- Smith, 82; Schrickel, 85; Cavanaugh, 86; Stillwagon, 87.

FORT FRYE (341) -- Welch, 75; Griffen, 85; Perry, 88; Strahler, 93.

BUCKEYE TRAIL (352) -- Roe, 77; Williams, 81; Burga, 96; Tellep, 98.

MONROE CENTRAL (353) -- Winland, 83; Paulus, 89; Kilburn, 90; Kuhn, 91.

RIVER (392) -- Ogilbee, 90; Ash, 94; Abbott, 101; Kimble, 107.

BARNEVILLE (394) -- Hashman, 90; Milburn, 97; Crawford, 102; Wilson, 102.

ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM: Joe Seabright, Wheeling Central, 74, medalist; Eric Felton, Wheeling Central, 75; Josh Lyle, Wellsville, 75; Brent Welch, 75; Cody MacClean, Wellsville, 76.

CLASS AAA

(at Steubenville Country Club)

TEAM SCORING: Indian Creek 337, Meadowbrook 342, Union Local 347, Harrison Central 355, Magnolia 372, St. Clairsville 373, Martins Ferry 374, Oak Glen 376, Tyler Consolidated 384, Bellaire 393.

INDIAN CREEK: Sam Pate 76,

Joe Burns 82, Ken Feist 89, Jon-

Michael Payne 90.

MEADOWBROOK: Scurlock 83,

Ferhman 85, Wright 86, Miller 88

UNION LOCAL: Blevins 81,

Rogers 91, Minich 84, Tyrell 91

HARRISON CENTRAL: J.T.

Cunningham 85, Daily 87, Heavilin

87, Hiraok 86

MAGNOLIA: Nelson 88, Taylor 88,

Berry 90, Bridgeman 106

ST. CLAIRSVILLE: Shawn

Monroe 75 (medalist), Moore 88,

Lucas 105, Wade 105

MARTINS FERRY: Kepreos 84,

Snyder 88, Lutz 95, Webster 107

OAK GLEN: Davis 89, Owings 89;

Childers 99, Murray 99

TYLER CONSOLIDATED:

Burkhart 94, Summers 91, Helmick

99, Hayes 100

BELLAIRE: R.Plute 91, Paleswat

97, A.Plute 103, Balsez 102

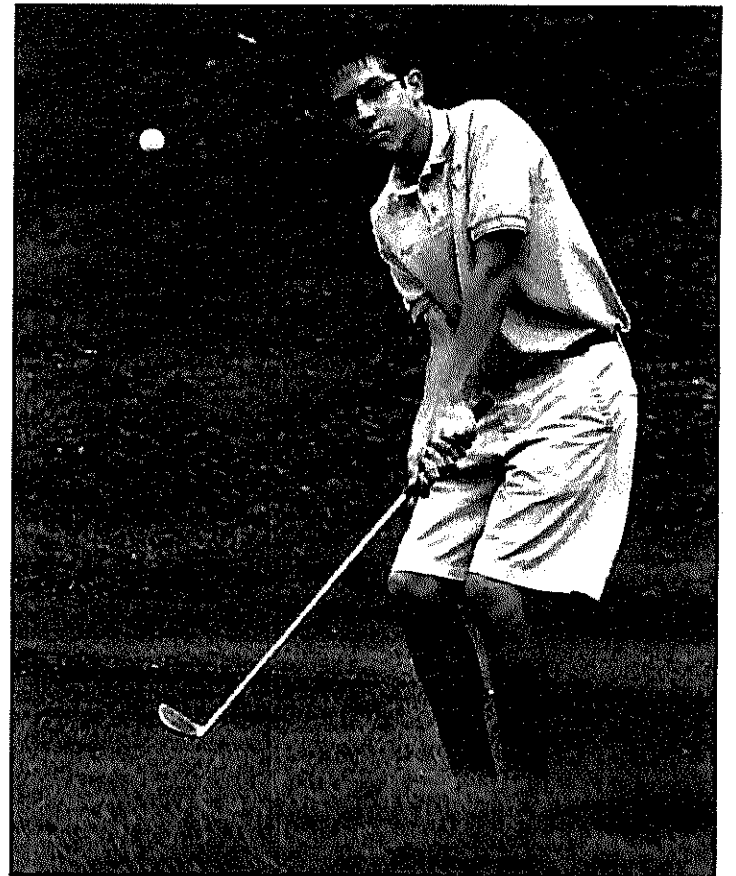
ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM:

Monroe, 75, (St.C.); Sam Pate, 76,

(IC), Brett Blevins, 81, (UL), Joey

Burns, 82, (IC), and James

Scurlock, 83, (Mea).



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RIVER HIGH'S Taylor Abbott chips onto the green during the OVAC Class AA match at Belmont Hills Friday.

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Chris Staley, another sophomore, and Jason Grob, a senior, round out the players who will compete in the big events over the next couple of weeks for Wheeling Central, which ended up finishing third at the Spring Hills event.

■ Linsly, led by John Wright, the medalist of a six-team event Wednesday, has won five of the last six Class A titles.

"Linsly's gotta be the favorite," said Cain, who also warned to watch out for the likes of Beallsville, Bellaire St. John, and maybe Conotton Valley as a surprise team.

■ Indian Creek, led by Sam Pate, has won four of the last five Class AAA titles. Meadowbrook, Harrison Central, Oak Glen and St. Clairsville could also find themselves in contention.

OVAC Golf Championships Continue Today

By JIM ELLIOTT
Staff Writer

Action of the Ohio Valley Athletic golf championships continues today as Wheeling Central seeks to defend its Class AA title at the Belmont Hills Country Club. At the same site, the Linsly Cadets will be in search of their fifth consecutive Class A golf title.

Meanwhile, at the Steubenville Country Club, it'll be Indian Creek looking for a second consecutive Class AAA title.

Clubs will be swinging at both sites at 10 a.m.

For Wheeling Central, also winners of the tourney in the 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 seasons, it's



Paul Kurtz

a chance to get in a competitive atmosphere before the W.Va. Class A regionals take place Wednesday. The Knights are also the defending champions in W.Va.'s smallest class.

"They're the heavy favorite in Class AA," said tournament director Bob Cain, who doubles as the head coach of the River Pilots.

Playing primarily with a group of three sophomores and two seniors, head coach Paul Kurtz reports

Wheeling Central is ahead of last year's pace, which saw it barely reach the .500 mark going into the regionals.

That, of course, was after the Knights won the OVAC tourney by 11 strokes.

"Overall," Kurtz said, "I think it's been going pretty well. We've been a little up and down, so we're still searching for a little consistency."

Leading the way for the Maroon Knights is Joey Seabright, a sophomore who was this division's medalist in last year's event after shooting a 78.

Another sophomore, Eric Felton, is currently the team's No. 2 play-

er, followed by senior Flynn Altmeyer, who is barely two weeks away from turning the Spring Hills Fall Classic in East Springfield on its ear.

Altmeyer shot a one-over 72 that day, earning medalist honors among a field of nearly 130 players.

"He was pretty excited about that," Kurtz said. "He said it was all luck, but he's capable of shooting a low number like that."

"All five guys are all capable of shooting a pretty good score. Whether they will or not, it's anybody's guess."

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Cole Grimm and Cody Kirk-
bride, the Patriots' Justin

Famoso, and Buckeye Local's
Colin McCoy.

The Blue Devils had three
players shoot 77 or better in
Wilson, Grimm (76) and Kirk-
bride (77). Jacob Jordan carded
an 84 for the team's fourth
score.

The top four scores are used in
team totals.

"We've been search for that
fourth score," Seekatz said. "It
wasn't as low today as we would
have wanted it, but our one, two
and three guys were low enough
to get us the win."

Keding paced coach Mike
Ricci's Wheeling Park squad.
He was followed by Famoso
(77), Mike Bush (82), Alex
Saseen (83), and Brent Jordan
(84).

"I was happy with our two all-
tournament players and they
earned the right to be there," said
Ricci, who also served as tourna-
ment director.

"But I was hoping for a little bit
more out of our team," he con-
tinued. "I can't say that I'm dis-
appointed because Zanesville is
a very good team, and I knew
they would be tough to beat.

"I knew it was going to be a
very competitive tournament

between Zanesville, Wheeling
Park and John Marshall and
that's the way it turned out to be.

"I don't think we've played our
best golf yet and we've got
another shot next Monday in a
(West Virginia Class AAA)
regional and we'll see what hap-
pens there."

One of the teams the Patriots
will be battling at that regional
event to be contested at
Moundsville Country Club will
be defending state champion
John Marshall.

The Monarchs, now under the
leadership of coach Adrian
Younger, took third place behind
Spaine, who fired a 74.

"I played pretty well," said
Spaine. "But I just had trouble
making birdie putts on the green.
I had one bad hole on the front
nine and took an eight. Other
than that, I played pretty well.

"This is one of my favorite
courses in the valley. I like it."

Dylan Mercer followed Spaine
with a 78, followed by Logan
Kinkade (84), Carson Scham-
bach (87) and Mike Tennant
(94).

The Class AAA tournament is
set for Friday at Steubenville
Country Club, while the Class

AA/A event is also scheduled
for Friday at Belmont Hills
Country Club in St. Clairsville.

Tee time for both events is 10
a.m.

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315; 3. John Marshall 323; 4. Cam-
bridge 331; 5. Buckeye Local 334; 6.
Steubenville 337; 7. East Liverpool 346;
8. Brooke 352; 9. Edison 383; 10. Weir
389; 11. Beaver Local 433.

Individual Scores
Zanesville
Chase Wilson 73*; Grimm 76; Kirk-
bride 77; Jordan 84; Kaido 86.

Wheeling Park
Keding 73; Famoso 77; Bush 82;
Saseen 83; Jordan 84.

John Marshall
Spaine 74; Mercer 78; Kinkade 84;
Schambach 87; Tennant 94.

Cambridge
Sarap 79; Harmon 83; Fahey 83;
Thompson 86; Raptis 99.

Buckeye Local
McCoy 77; Shank 82; Lollini 86;
Waligura 89; Bodnar 107.

Steubenville
Petrides 79; Guarino 86; Phillips 86;
Bainbridge 86; Brown 99.

East Liverpool
Montgomery 83; C.Juszcak 83;
T.Juszcak 89; Pulido 91; Ammon 117.

Brooke
W.Ferda 86; Balls 86; J.Ferda 90; Barn-
hart 90; DiDomenico 98.

Edison
Hilt 82; Grazier 99; Shoner 100;
Spence 102; Stewart 104.

Weir
Phillips 88; Stafford 98; Roth 98; Truax
105; Perry 115.

Beaver Local
Miller 100; Gunter 107; Chevront 109;
Logan 117; Byers 130.

*won medalist honors in playoff

OVAC Golf Championships on Tap This Week

Wheeling Park, John Marshall poised for another battle in the Class AAAA match

By **MARKY BILLSON**
Staff Writer

The OVAC golf champi-
onships will take place this
week, with the Class AAAA
schools teeing off Monday
morning at the Castle Shannon
Course in Hopedale. The Class
AAA and AA/A champi-
onships will take place on Fri-
day morning at the
Steubenville and Belmont Hills
Country Club in St. Clairsville,
respectively.

Last year, John Marshall took
the Class AAAA title, only the
second time in the last eight
years Wheeling Park did not
win the OVAC title. This
includes 2003, when the Mon-
archs won the state champi-
onship but fell to the Patriots in
the OVACs.

"Six teams have a pretty good
chance of winning the trophy,"
said tournament director and
Wheeling Park head coach
Mike Ricci, echoing his state-
ments of last year. "John Mar-
shall has been very good.
Zanesville has been very good.
I expect East Liverpool to be
formidable and Brooke and
Cambridge have nice, young
teams.

"Other than the regional
championships it's the most
important tournament we
play."

The Patriots will try to
rebound this year with junior
Alex Saseen leading the way.
Saseen was an all-tournament
selection last year when he
shot a 74 on the par 71 Wheel-
ing Country Club course. The
feat was even more impressive
when it is considered the com-
petition was held just two days
after Hurricane Ivan soaked the
course.

John Marshall will counter
with the one-two combination
of senior Chuckie Spaine and
sophomore Carson Scham-
bach.

"Both have total games," said
Monarchs coach Adrian
Younger. "We're capable but
we have to play well."

Younger is a bit pessimistic
about his team's chances
despite their victory in the 26-
team Fall Classic Tournament



"Six teams have a pretty good
chance of winning the trophy."

Mike Ricci on the
Class AAAA event

nine days ago on the Spring
Hills Course in Wintersville.

"I can't get every boy playing
on the same level every night.
Hopefully by regionals we'll
get everything in line," he said.

The player who might receive
the most attention, however, is
Brooke freshman Samantha
DiDomenico, who last Thurs-
day became the first female
ever to become a medalist for
the Bruins.

DiDomenico, shooting sixth,
shot a five over par 40 over
nine holes at the Dyer Country
Club in a dual meet on the road
against Toronto.

"This girl just came out as a
freshman but was a bit appre-
hensive," said Brooke head
coach Robert DiLorenzo. "I
gave her a call and told her I
thought it would be a good
thing for her and girls in the
sport in general."

DiLorenzo is most impressed
with her demeanor, which he
compared to his own son
Phillip, a freshman golfer at
Marshall. She has even asked
for veteran players to play in
her place for the sake of team
camaraderie.

And she's not even the only
notable freshman on the Bru-
ins' squad. Jeff Ferda worked
his way from the sixth slot to
the second in the Brooke line-
up, behind only his senior
brother Will.

The first shots on the Par 72
course will tee off at 10 a.m.

Class AAA
Indian Creek figures to be the
favorite when they host the
Class AAA championships at
the Steubenville Country Club
on Friday.

The Redskins not only are
the defending champions of the
tournament, but have won the
OVAC in four of the last five

seasons as well.

Their leader is senior Sam
Pate, whose talent was dis-
played last Monday when he
was the medalist in an other-
wise disappointing team per-
formance against Canton Cen-
tral Catholic, Wheeling Park,
and Meadowbrook at the Cam-
bridge Country Club. Pate shot
a two over par 74.

But Meadowbrook has won
two of the last six OVAC titles
and actually bested the Red-
skins by 23 strokes last week,
328-351. Anthony Neff and
Cameron Fehrman are their top
two shooters.

Other contenders figure to be
Harrison Central, Oak Glen,
Tyler Consolidated and St.
Clairsville.

The Red Devils are led by
Shawn Monroe, a four-year
letterman who tournament
director Mel Pesuit said "will
take a back seat to no one in
this tournament."

Tee Time at the par 72 course
is slated for 10 a.m.

Class AA/A
Nine Class AA teams and
seven A squads will compete
for their respective OVAC
championships Friday morning
at the Belmont Hills Country
Club in St. Clairsville, Ohio.

While the higher qualifica-
tions play the entire 18 hole
course, Class AA and A will
play the front and back nine
holes, respectively. Both nines
have a total par 36.

The heavy favorite in Class
AA is Wheeling Central, who
return everyone from their
2004 OVAC Tournament
championship team that beat
Toronto by 11 strokes.

Their top two golfers are
Joey Seabright and Matt Ball,
who have consistently shot less
than 80 in 18 hole competi-

tions for the past year.

The Red Knights, meanwhile,
are led by Zach King, Lucas
Ullom and Andrew Brower,
who are all capable of shooting
less than 40 on the hilly
course.

Tournament director Bob
Cain, the head coach at River,
predicts a much closer competi-
tion in Class A.

"It should be a dog fight
between three teams, Linsly,
Beallsville, and Belaire St.
John's," he said.

The Cadets are the defending
champion and led by Brad
Nickerson.

Beallsville and Belaire St.
John's, meanwhile, shot 333
and 335 respectively in the
Ohio Valley Golf League
Tournament last week.

The Blue Devils came out
on top of the field of 11 with
Alan Boan shooting a 73 and
Anthony Marcum 74.

Matt Yochum, a second-team
Division III Eastern District
Coaches Association selection
last year, leads the Fighting
Irish.

OVAC GOLF

OVAC Golf Championships
Class A
 (at Belmont Hills Country Club)
Team Scores
 Linsly 308, Conotton Valley 329, Bellaire St. John 366, Beallsville 372, Shadyside 397, Bishop Donahue 408, Weirton Madonna 97
Individual Scores
 Linsly
 Yochum 71, Spencer 76, Wright 78, Tennant 83, Dorisio 102
 Conotton Valley
 Yosick 78, Quillen 80, Hupp 82, Panco 89, Goodry 114
 Bellaire St. John
 Booth 76, Mowder 93, Ogilbee 93, Sansone 104
 Beallsville
 Boan 79, Martum 79, Dans 100, Milhoan 114, Groves 136
 Shadyside
 Bickmeir 97, Janer 98, Andes 100, Kubancik 102, Clouston 120
 Bishop Donahue
 Walton 88, Keefer 102, Kmplica 108, Faluva 110, Sneddon 138
 Weirton Madonna
 Roklsky 97

All-Tournament Team
 Yochum (medalist), Boothe, Spencer, Yosick, Wright

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Class AA
 (at Belmont Hills Country Club)
Team Scores
 Wheeling Central 306, Toronto 338, Wellsville 339, Steubenville Central 340, Fort Frye 341, Buckeye Trail 352, Monroe Central 353, River, 392, Barnesville, 394
Individual Scores
 Wheeling Central
 Seabright 74, Felton 75, Altmeyer 77, Grob 80, Staley 88
 Toronto
 M.King 80, Ullom 81, Brower 87, Freshwater 90, Z. King 91
 Wellsville
 Lyle 75, Maclean 78, Reynolds 89, Childers 99, Palmer 108
 Steubenville Central
 Smith 82, Schrickel 85, Marshall 86, Cavanaugh 86, Stillwagon 87
 Fort Frye
 Welch 75, Griffin 85, Perry 88, Strahler 93, Arnold 102
 Buckeye Trail
 Roe 77, Williams 81, Burga 96, Tellep 98, Colvin 102
 Monroe Central
 Winland 83, Paulus 89, Kilburn 90, Kuhn 91, Koslik 102
 River
 Ogilbee 70, Ash 94, Abbott 101, Kimble 107
 Barnesville
 Hashman 90, Milburn 97, Crawford 102, Wilson 102, Lewis 103

All-Tournament Team
 Seabright (medalist), Felton, Lyle, Welch, Maclean

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OVAC Class AAA
 (at Steubenville Country Club)
Team Scores
 Indian Creek 337, Meadowbrook 342, Union Local 347, Harrison Central 355, Magnolia 372, St. Clairsville 373, Martins Ferry 374, Oak Glen 376, Tyler Consolidated 384, Bellaire 393
Individual Scores
 Indian Creek
 Pate 76, Burns 82, Feist 89, Payne 90
 Meadowbrook
 Scurlock 83, Ferhman 85, Wright 86, Miller 88
 Union Local
 Blevins 81, Rogers 91, Minich 84, Tyrell 91
 Harrison Central
 Cunningham 85, Daily 87, Heavilin 87, Hirauck 96
 Magnolia
 Nelson 88, Taylor 88, Berry 90, Bridgeman 106
 St. Clairsville
 Shawn Monroe 75 (medalist), Moore 88, Lucas 105, Wade 105
 Martins Ferry
 Kepreos 84, Snyder 88, Lutz 95, Webster 107
 Oak Glen
 Davis 89, Owings 89, Childers 99, Murray 99
 Tyler Consolidated
 Burkhardt 94, Summers 91, Helmick 99, Hayes 100
 Bellaire
 R.Plute 91, Paleswat 97, A.Plute 103, Balsez 102

All-Tournament Team
 Shawn Monroe, 75, (StC); Sam Pate, 76, (IC), Brett Blevins, 81, (UL), Joey Burns, 82, (IC), and James Scurlock 83 (Mead)



Photo by Scott McCloskey

Wheeling Central's Joey Seabright earned medalist honors at the OVAC Class AA golf tournament for the second straight year Friday at Belmont Hills Country Club.

No Surprises At OVAC Golf

Knights, Cadets, Redskins keep crowns

Staff Report

Wheeling Central, Linsly and Indian Creek safely defended their respective Ohio Valley Athletic Conference golf titles Friday at the Belmont Hills Country Club and Steubenville Country Club.

With Joey Seabright, now a two-time OVAC Class AA medalist leading the way, Wheeling Central had an easy time pulling away from Toronto, finishing with a final score of 308.

The Red Knights checked in at 338, one stroke ahead of third-place Wellsville, two strokes ahead of fourth-place Steubenville Central, and three ahead of fifth-place Fort Frye.

Seabright shot a 74, with teammate Eric Felton beating out Wellsville's Josh Lyle in a playoff for second place. Both players shot 75s. Fourth individually was Fort Frye's Brent Welch, followed by Wellsville's Cody Maclean.

All those players were named to the Class A All-Tournament team.

In Class A, Linsly kept its OVAC streak intact thanks to the strong swinging of medalist Zak Yochum, who shot a Friday-best 71.

His effort helped Linsly (308) to a 21-stroke victory over second-place Conotton Valley.

Third was Bellaire St. John (366), followed by Beallsville (372).

Joining Yochum on the All-Tournament team was St. John's Larry Boothe, who was second after beating the Cadets' Philip Spencer in a playoff.



OVAC Golf Champs

- Class AAAA: Zaneville
- Class AAA: Indian Creek
- Class AA: Whg. Central
- Class A: Linsly

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Both players finished with 76s.

Conotton Valley's Tyler Yosick and Linsly's Jon Wright, both with 78s, were also named to the team.

In Class AAA, Indian Creek won for the fifth time in the last six years in a tournament held at the Steubenville Country Club.

The Redskins finished with a score of 337, five strokes ahead of second-place Meadowbrook. Harrison Central was third with a 355, followed by Magnolia (372), St. Clairsville (373), Martins Ferry (374), Oak Glen (376), Tyler Consolidated (384), and Bellaire (393).

Sam Pate led the Redskins with a 76, followed by Joe Burns (82), Ken Feist (89), and Jon-Michael Payne (90).

St. Clairsville's Shawn Monroe was the Class AAA medalist with a 75, followed by Pate, Union Local's Brett Blevins (81), Indian Creek's Burns, and Meadowbrook's James Scurlock (83).

OVAC Champions



WINNING THE OVAC 1-A golf championship was this team from Linsly School. Pictured, from left, are Vince Tennant, Mike Dorisio, Phil Spencer, coach Mark Zavatsky, Jonathan Wright and Zak Yochum, who was the medalist with a par 71. Spencer tied for runnerup with a 76.