



66th Captain's Putter Team Matches

Forest Creek Golf Club

Pinehurst, NC

October 14-15, 2011

Virginias 26

Carolinan 22



The 24-golfer Virginias squad posted a three-point victory in final-day singles matches against their Carolinas counterparts to score a 26-22 triumph as the 66th Captain's Putter Matches concluded today at Forest Creek Golf Club's South Course.

Possessors of a one-point advantage following first day four-ball and foursome matches at the host site's North Course, Virginias registered a three-point victory (13½-10½) in singles' encounters. The matches were tightly-contested throughout; Virginias' regulars won singles by two points (9-7), and held a one-point edge (4½-3½) in singles' encounters on Saturday.

Virginias claimed its first win in the series since 2008 when the team won at The Country Club of Virginia's River Course in Richmond, Va., and claimed its first victory on North Carolina soil since 2003. That year, the team triumphed at Grandfather Golf and Country Club in Linville, N.C. The matches annually rotate between sites in the Virginias and the Carolinas.

Over the two days of matches, Virginias' regulars outscored their opponents by three points (17½-14½), while Virginias seniors (ages 55 and older) held a one-point advantage, 8½-7½. For the victors, West Virginia regular Bryan Myers (Wheeling) and senior John Duty Sr. (Hurricane) led the way, accounting for all

of three points available over the two-day event. On the Carolinas' side, Paul Simson (Raleigh, N.C.), the 2010 USGA Senior Amateur champion, continued his stellar play, going undefeated and recording a team-best three points for the hosts. Virginias regulars went unblemished in the last five matches, returning four victories and posting a halve. In that span, Brandon LaCroix (Roanoke, Va.), Lee Fisher (Lynchburg, Va.) and Scott Shingler (Haymarket, Va.) each notched 1-up victories, while central Virginian Sam Beach (Glen Allen, Va.) delivered a 2 and 1 win. Carolinas claimed three of the first four singles' matches, with Brent Roof (Columbia, S.C.), J.D. Hoft (Bluffton, S.C.) and Brian Westveer (Charlotte, N.C.) fueling the host's early surge.

In addition to Duty's victory on the seniors' side for Virginias, Centreville's Tim Vigotsky and Ashland's Tim Kelley recorded 1-up wins, while Salem's Jack Allara registered a 2 and 1 victory. For Carolinas' seniors, North Carolinians Ron Carpenter (Creedmoor), Mark Wagner (Statesville) and Gary Strickfaden (Southern Pines) came away with closing-day triumphs.

Carolinan leads the all-time series 47-18-1, but the two teams have split the matches, 5-5-0 dating back to 2002. This year's Virginias team was captained by past VSGA president Steve Smith (2008-09) of Arlington, a longtime member of the VSGA board of directors, and Richmond's Glenn Mullian was selected as the team's honorary co-captain. The 2012 Captain's Putter Matches will be conducted in West Virginia for the first time since 1976 when the event visits The Resort at Glade Springs' Cobb and Stonehaven courses in Daniels, W.Va. *Photo - 2011 Carolinas Captain's Putter Team*

Four-Ball Matches

Virginias	Points	Carolinan	Points
Keith Decker-Scott Shingler	0	Cary Phillips-Paul Simson	1
Jake An-Adam Ball	1	Robert Godfrey-Mike McKenzie	0
Buck Brittain-Garland Green	1/2	Steve Liebler-Chris Mitchell	1/2
Sam Beach-Ben Lasso	0	Scott Harvey-Nelson Dickson	1
Jimmy Delp-Brandon LaCroix	0	Paul Tucker-Rick Cloninger	1
Lee Fisher-Jim Gallagher	1/2	Brian Westveer-Brent Roof	1/2
Christian Brand-Sam O'Dell	1/2	Uly Grisette-JD Holt	1/2
Bryan Myers-Trent Roush	1	Walter Todd-Bryan Newton	0
Seniors			
John Duty, Sr.-Harold Payne	1	Logan Jackson-Bill Palmer	0
Tim Kelley-Tim Vigotsky	0	Bill Boles-Ron Carpenter	1
Jack Allara-J.P. Leigh	0	John Dennis-Frank Ford, III	1
J.W. Entsminger-Skip Zobel	1/2	Gary Strickfaden-Mark Wagner	1/2
Virginias	4 1/2	Carolinan	7 1/2

Foursomes (Modified Alternate Shot)

Virginias	Points	Carolinas	Points
Keith Decker-Adam Ball	1	Cary Phillips-Mike McKenzie	0
Jake An-Scott Shingler	0	Robert Godfrey-Paul Simson	1
Sam Beach-Garland Green	0	Scott Harvey-Chris Mitchell	1
Buck Brittain-Ben Lasso	1	Steve Liebler-Nelson Dickson	0
Jim Gallagher-Brandon LaCroix	1	Paul Tucker-Brent Roof	0
Lee Fisher-Jimmy Delp	0	Brian Westveer-Rick Cloninger	1
Christian Brand-Sam O'Dell	1	Walter Todd-JD Holt	0
Bryan Myers-Trent Roush	1	Uly Grisette-Bryan Newton	0
Seniors			
John Duty, Sr.-Harold Payne	1	Logan Jackson-Bill Boles	0
J.P. Leigh-Tim Vigotsky	1	Bill Palmer-Ron Carpenter	0
Skip Zobel-Tim Kelley	1/2	John Dennis-Gary Strickfaden	1/2
J.W. Entsminger-Jack Allara	0	Frank Ford, III-Mark Wagner	1
Virginias	7 1/2	Carolinas	4 1/2
Day 1 Total	12 1/2		11 1/2

Singles Matches

Virginias	Points	Carolinas	Points
Buck Brittain	0	Brent Rook	1
Jim Gallagher	1	Robert Godfrey	01
Trent Roush	0	JD Holt	1
Jake An	0	Brian Westveer	1
Bryan Myers	1	Cary Philips	0
Keith Decker	1	Uly Grisette	0
Christian Brand	1/2	Paul Tucker	1/2
Sam O'Dell	1/2	Bryan Newton	1/2
Garland Green	0	Paul Simson	1
Adam Bell	1/2	Steve Liebler	1/2
Jimmy Delp	0	Chirs Mitchell	1
Brandon LeCrioix	1	Nelson Dickson	0
Lee Fisher	1	Walter Todd	0
Ben Lasso	1/2	Mike McKenzie	1/2
Sam Beach	1	Rick Cloninger	0
Scott Shingler	1	Scott Harvey	0
Seniors			
Jack Allara	1	Bill Boles	0
Skip Zobel	0	Ron Carpenter	1
Tim Vigotsky	1	Logan Jackson	0
Tim Kelley	1	Frank Ford, III	0
John Duty, Sr.	1	John Dennis	0
Harold Payne	0	Mark Wagner	1
J.P. Leigh	0	Gary Strickfaden	1
J.W. Entsminger	1/2	Bill Palmer	1/2
Day 2	13 1/2		10 1/2
Match Total	26		22



**2011 Virginias
Captain's Putter Team**

Captain's Putter Team Matches

Date	Winner	Score	Site
1955	Carolinas	48.5 - 11.5	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
	Virginias	39.5 - 20.5	Farmington CC, Charlottesville, VA
1956	Carolinas	36.5 - 23.5	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
	Carolinas	33 - 27	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1957	Carolinas	40 - 20	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
	Carolinas	60.5 - 59.5	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1958	Carolinas	82 - 38	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
	Virginias	67 - 53	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1959	Carolinas	74 - 70	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
	Virginias	72.5 - 71.5	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1960	Carolinas	96.5 - 47.5	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
	Carolinas	85 - 59	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1961	Virginias	88 - 56	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
	Carolinas	76.5 - 67.5	Hot Springs CC, Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1962	Carolinas	82.5 - 61.5	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
	Virginias	89.5 - 54.5	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1963	Carolinas	87 - 57	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
	Virginias	73.5 - 70.5	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
1964	Virginias	108.5 - 107.5	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1965	Carolinas	140 - 76	Pinehurst CC, Pinehurst, NC
1966	Virginias	130.5 - 85.5	CC of Virginia James River Course, Richmond, VA
1967	Carolinas	115 - 101	Dunes G&BC, Myrtle Beach, SC
1968	Virginias	123 - 93	Boonsboro CC, Lynchburg, VA
1969	Carolinas	134.5 - 81.5	Willow Creek CC, High Point, NC
1970	Virginias	153 - 63	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1971	Carolinas	88 - 56 *	Grandfather G&CC, Linville, NC
1972	Carolinas	118.5 - 97.5	CC of Virginia, James River Course, Richmond, VA
1973	Carolinas	129.5 - 86.5	Greenville CC Chanticleer Course, Greenville, SC
1974	Carolinas	123.5 - 93.5	Princess Anne CC, Virginia Beach, VA
1975	Carolinas	122.5 - 75.5	Dunes G&BC, Myrtle Beach, SC
1976	Carolinas	142 - 74	Glade Springs CC, Daniels, WV
1977	Carolinas	132.5 - 83.5	CC of North Carolina, Pinehurst, NC
1978	Carolinas	114 - 102	Hot Springs CC Cascades Course, Hot Springs, VA
1979	Carolinas	123 - 93	CC of North Carolina, Pinehurst, NC
1980	Carolinas	111.5 - 104.5	Farmington CC, Charlottesville, VA
1981	Carolinas	147.5 - 68.5	Dunes G&BC, Myrtle Beach, SC
1982	Carolinas	117 - 99	Boonsboro CC, Lynchburg, VA
1983	Carolinas	146 - 70	Wild Dunes Links Course, Isle of Palms, SC
1984	Carolinas	121 - 95	Princess Anne CC, Virginia Beach, VA
1985	Carolinas	118.5 - 97.5	Grandfather G&CC, Linville, NC
1986	Carolinas	110 - 106	Kingsmill GC, Williamsburg, VA
1987	Carolinas	83 - 61 *	Biltmore Forest CC, Biltmore, NC
1988	Virginias	113 - 103	CC of Virginia James River Course, Richmond, VA
1989	Carolinas	129 - 87	Bermuda Run CC, Advance, NC
1990	Virginias	129 - 87	Hermitage CC, Richmond, VA
1991	Carolinas	116 - 100	Sedgefield CC, Greensboro, NC
1992	Carolinas	110.5 - 105.5	Golden Horseshoe GC, Williamsburg, VA
1993	Virginias	74 - 70 *	Yeamans Hall Club, Hanahan, SC
1994	Carolinas	148 - 68	The Virginian GC, Bristol, VA
1995	Carolinas	117.5 - 98.5	Pine Needles CC, Southern Pines, NC
1996	Tie	108 - 108	Bayville GC, Virginia Beach, VA
1997	Carolinas	115 - 101	The River Course, Kiawah Island, SC
1998	Virginias	113 - 103	Boonsboro CC, Lynchburg, VA
1999	Carolinas	131 - 85	Grandfather G&CC, Linville, NC
2000	Carolinas	110.5 - 105.5	Golden Horseshoe Gold Course, Williamsburg, VA
2001	Carolinas	119.5 - 96.5	Alamance CC, Burlington, NC
2002	Virginias	33.5 - 14.5 #	Kinloch GC, Manakin-Sabot, VA
2003	Virginias	26 - 22	Grandfather G&CC, Linville, NC
2004	Virginias	29-19	Lowes Island Club, Sterling, VA

Captain's Putter Team Matches

Date	Winner	Score	Site
2005	Carolinas	27.5 - 20.5	Dunes Golf and Beach Club, Myrtle Beach, SC
2006	Carolinas	27.5 - 20.5	Kinloch GC, Manakin-Sabot, VA
2007	Carolinas	32 - 16	Old Town Club, Winston-Salem, NC
2008	Virginias	20.5 - 15.5*	Country Club of Virginia, James River, Richmond, VA
2009	Carolinas	31 - 17	Eagle Point Golf Club, Wilmington, NC
2010	Carolinas	28 - 20	Bayville Golf Club, Virginia Beach, VA
2011	Virginias	26 - 22	Forest Creek Golf Club, Pinehurst, NC

* Matches shortened by rain. # Format changed.



2011 Virginias Team with The Captain's Putter Trophy



Virginias Captain Steve Smith with CGA Assistant Director Ray Novicki



Forest Creek Golf Club in Pinehurst, NC