



**JUNE 2017**

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**Solitude Links Results**

Summer finally returned to the Michigan/Ontario region with temperatures in the upper 80s and high humidity. Twenty two guys traded in their rain gear from the May event for brimmed hats, sunblock, extra deodorant, and shorts. The temps didn't seem to bother Grant Gulych or Brett McBride as they posted an even par (36 points) and one over par round (35 points) respectively. They each managed to win a skin too...#15 for Grant and #6 for Brett.

Other winners were: Jeremie Lopez, 3<sup>rd</sup> place low gross, 28 points; On the net side, Charlie Henry posted 34 gross points and 39.5 net points for 1<sup>st</sup> low net; 2<sup>nd</sup> place low net went to Chris Boka with 25 gross & 38 net points; Dennis Babcock was 3<sup>rd</sup> place, with 31 gross & 36 net points; Brent Davies posted 30 gross points & 35 net points for 4<sup>th</sup> low net.

Other skin winners were: Don Schinkai, #3; Brent Davies, #4; Joe Janosky, #12 (eagle); Jeremie Lopez, #17(eagle); Chris Boka, #18

Kudos to Brett McBride for a fine job as Tournament Director of the Solitude Links event.

The next event is in Ontario. It starts with a skins game on Saturday, July 8 at The Bluffs...with the tour event the next day, July 9 at Tarandowah, east of London.

For more information, go to our website or email Grant Gulych, the Tournament Director:

[www.mogtt.com](http://www.mogtt.com) [grant@ggolfs.com](mailto:grant@ggolfs.com)

At the website, just click on the "**Register**" tab at the top for the July or August events. You can always withdraw from an event if done at least one week prio.r to the event. If you've never been a member or it's been a number of years, click on the "**Join the Tour**" tab at the website.

**Entry deadline for Tarandowah is only 3 weeks away---- July 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Remaining tour events in 2017 are:

Sat July 8	<i>The Bluffs (Skins Game)</i>	<i>Port Stanley, Ontario---near London</i>
Sun July 9	Tarandowah Golfers Club	Springfield, Ontario---near London
Sat Aug 5	Lake Forest GC (MOGTT Event)	Ann Arbor, Mich
Sun/Mon Aug 6/7	Lake Forest GC (USGTF Central Championship)	Ann Arbor, Mich
Sun/Mon Sep 10/11	Solitude Links GC (Kelly Cup)	Kimball, Mich---near Port Huron

## **USGTF CENTRAL REGION CHAMPIONSHIP**

All current USGTF & CGTF members are eligible to play in the Central Region Championship on the Sunday and Monday following our Saturday tour event at Lake Forest GC in Ann Arbor. To register, please contact Brent Davies, Central Region Director at :

[btkadavies@comcast.net](mailto:btkadavies@comcast.net)

## **NEW MEMBERS**

Welcome to the tour-----Matt Alexander, Director of Golf at Solitude Links and to Don Schinkai, Golf Professional at Solitude, and Preston Benjamin of Owosso, all of which played in their first tour event.

## **2 for 1 BUDDY PLAN APPROVED FOR 2017**

If you have a buddy, who is or was a golf teacher, coach, professional, or in the golf business, invite him or her to join the tour. Not only can you share travel expenses, but their Annual Tour Fee is free!! Or your buddy can pay and yours is free....or you can split the fee. (Buddy plan only available to first time members.)

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

Qualifying for each country's Kelly Cup team is based on a points formula:

- 1 point for each event played
- 1 additional point for a gross finish of 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>
- 2 additional points for a gross finish of 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>
- 1 additional point for playing in all 4 events
- 1 less point for an untimely withdrawal from an event (less than 7 days before an event)

Tiebreakers goes to player with lowest tour handicap.

Current qualifying point totals can be found at the website.

## **2017 MOGTT Executive Committee Members are:**

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