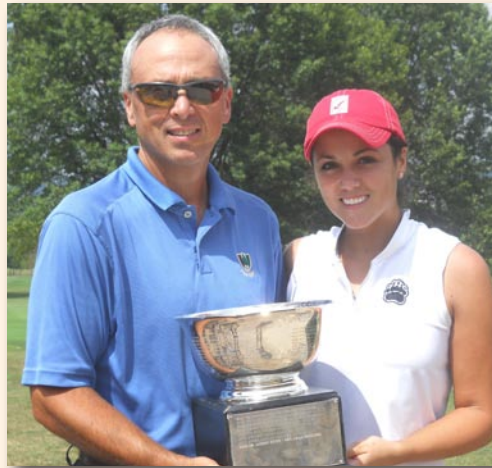


A Look Back at our Tournaments...

63rd Father-Daughter Championship

Raritan Valley Country Club, August 4th

The Father-Daughter Championship is one of the jewels in the WMGA crown. The tournament site, Raritan Valley Country Club, proved to be an ideal setting for this historic tournament. The Club was founded in 1911 by Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, an esteemed Senator from New Jersey and the grandfather of the WMGA's own Barbara Israel. He built this golf course on his estate so he and his friends could play. U.S. President Warren G. Harding teed it up with Barbara's grandfather as did many other prominent politicians on this stately course.



Father-Daughter Champions Joe & Sarah Guarascio



Father-Daughter Net winners Ed & Rachel Walsh

On a match of cards, Joseph Guarascio and his daughter, Sarah, who plays on the Brown University Golf team, edged out the team of Bob Hyman and his daughter, Emily, a member of the Dartmouth College Golf team. Both teams were 1 over par in the Pinehurst format at the end of the day shooting a 73. Their rounds were identical in their consistency: 16 pars, 1 birdie and 2 bogeys. Adding to this special day was the entry of Emily's grandfather, Bill Ettelson, who played with her mother, Amy Hyman, thus making it a three-generation event.

Ed and Rachel Walsh, members of Trump National at Bedminster, also played a terrific round shooting a 74-61. Their 2 net eagles and 9 net birdies placed the net prize firmly within their grasp. Charles Merritt, Rockaway River, and his daughter, Laura Perrin, shot a 65 to take the 2nd prize. Michael Sullivan and Michelle Mandia from Navesink were one stroke back with a 66 to earn the 3rd net honors.

Thank you, Raritan Valley, for hosting such an outstanding tournament for our very talented father-daughter teams.

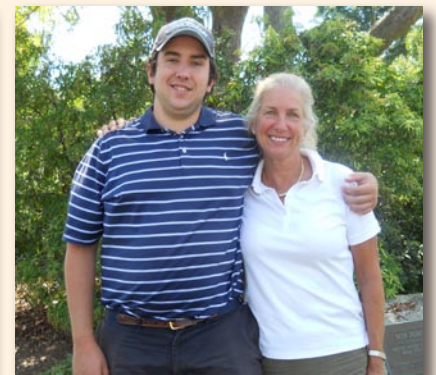
71st Mother-Son Championship

Mount Kisco Country Club, August 19th

It was a magnificent late summer day for this grand championship and 46 WMGA moms took to the tee with their sons to play at Mount Kisco Country Club. Great golf was played and new friendships made. Barbara Jones and her son, Cameron Young, from Sleepy Hollow mastered the Pinehurst format and shot a sensational round of 68, 5 under par, to raise the trophy. Barbara and Cameron have played in this tournament a number of times before, starting when Cameron was 8. Now that Cameron is 13 with a +1 handicap they put on a display of golf technique and skills for all to admire.



Barbara Jones and Cameron Young
Mother-Son Champions



Christopher and Marie Gibbons
Mother-Son Net Winners

Asked about their magic recipe Barbara explained, "This year Cameron wanted to practice the format the day prior to the tournament. During this round he noticed I was not aligning the stripe on my ball correctly when putting; so I said, 'You do it then!' He started lining up my ball for me and I started making putts.... many putts. Needless to say, this worked beautifully during the tournament even though I didn't make all of my putts, I made many more than usual." Well done, Barbara and Cameron!

Jean and Johnny Schob from Winged Foot, placed 2nd in the gross category shooting a 72, a round of 1 under par. Pam and Kevin Dolph, Nissequogue, earned 3rd gross honors with a round of 74, just 1 over par.

Marie Gibbons, Indian Hills, and her son, Christopher, shot a 65 with 3 net eagles and 5 net birdies to win the net prize. Cindy and Brett Levine, Glen Oaks, had a net double eagle on the 5th hole to accent their round of 66, and earned 2nd net honors. Suzanne Schatz, Oronoque, and Robert Schatz took home the 3rd net prize with a round of 67.

Mount Kisco Country Club provided a superb stage for this special tournament. The WMGA would like to thank the staff and the members for making our extended family feel so welcome.