



Raleigh Area Disc League
Chain Mail

FEBRUARY 1996

CHAIN MAIL*CHAIN MAIL*CHAIN MAIL*CHAIN MAIL

INTERESTING PUTTS

Welcome to 1996!

-RADL gave away over 650 discs in 1993, over 823 discs in 1994 and in 1995 we gave away an Incredible 1,256!!! Did you get any? It's easy to get yours....All you've gotta do is play golf!!!! So far in 1996 we've given away 130! Come out an get'em!

-Are YOU ready for the 1996 DOGWOOD CROSSTOWN CLASSIC???

-RADL DID YOU KNOW? Did you know that **Dave Hoover** and **Alan Roberts** were the Amateur Doubles World's Champions?!?!?! (They didn't bogey!)

-1996 Ice Bowl. What a tourney!!! Over 121 people turned out, giving Raleigh one of the largest Ice Bowls in the country. (It looks like we may have "lost" to Milwaukee again!) Just in case you missed it, We played a 20 hole course. We played both hole 8s and added a hole after # 10...around the power tower! Play was slow... so slow that many played their last four holes of golf in the dark. Still it was a RADL event so the competition was intense! CHH won the pro division (and the Cold Snap Trophy) with a nine under par second round 51. Alan Roberts took second edging Kirk Yoo. Larry Leonard finished fourth, one stroke in front of Brian McRee. Joe Who dominated the Advanced Division putting to a four stroke W! David Brittle finished second two strokes ahead of Dary Bryant and Charlotte's Andy Greene. Tim Weeks snared fifth place. The Jamateur division was conquered by Mike Haskins whose hot second round led him to victory. Curt Rask finished second...three strokes ahead of Chuck Aiken, Ian Wingard and Wayne Carlson. Dan Lambeth Jr clobbered the Junior field in much the same way that Michelle Aurilio pounded the Ladies division. In fact they shot very similar scores (147 to 149). (Think about it folks. We could have a real challenge match there!) It was Jim Markov's birthday, so naturally he aces # 6 to siphon off the (\$109) ace pool. Closest-to-the-holes were won by Lynn Orrison, Dary Bryant, Robbie Gray, and some other guy (we lost the CTH marker and thus his name.)! Our food drive was a huge success. We were able to donate 154 pounds of food to the Food Bank of North Carolina!!! Thanks again to Todd "Pgymy-Man" Markov!!!!

-RADL DID YOU KNOW? Did you know that if you haven't paid your 1996 RADL dues that this will be your last CHAIN MAIL?

**DISC GOLF
CAPITAL
OF THE
EAST COAST**



Raleigh
Durham
Tri-City
Disc Golf League

-The RADL 1996 Points race is ON!!! (The way it works is each golfer gets a point for entering a RADL monthly and then additional points for every golfer they beat!) So far this season, after the Ice Bowl and The Joe WHO, this is how things stand: Alan Roberts leads all golfers with 211 points. Larry Leonard (209) is second in the pro division. Chris Hysell (194) is third followed by Jim Markov (190) and Brian McRee (184).

The Advanced Champion (So far) is David Brittle at 203. Bo Butcher is six back at 197, a scant five points ahead of G'ville's Tim Weeks. Chris "Doc" Dickerson, Dave Hoover and Joe Who are tied for fourth with a 191 total. In the Ladies Division Michelle Aurilio is queen with 31 points (Interestingly enough, that's the same one tourney total that Sue Whittington currently has!) Becky Manson is second at 26. Andrea Hallaman is third at 23, three ahead of Allison Tew (20). Curt Rask is the top amateur player with a 138 total. Ian Wingard is second at 134. Fred Hallaman at 131 is right on Ian's trail! Eddie Knickman was very freely fourth, one point ahead of Chuck Aiken (121). In the Under-16 division it's Daniel Lambeth Jr. with 33 points. Close behind is Ben Hailey with 30. Nathan Hackney is third with 3 points. The key to this stuff is playing welland showing up at all the monthlies!

The 1996 STATE GAMES. This offshoot of the Olympics has invited RADL to host a disc golf event!!! This is another big step in the legitiatization of our sport. Please help support the STATE GAMES!!! It's an Amateurs (and Advanced) only format. It'll be one day, two rounds at Kentwood Country Club. Be there!!! June 29th!!! (The STATE GAMES should send invitations to most players.)

-There will be a PDGA event in Durham this year. That's right. Dave McQuay, CHH and all the RADL gang will host the **Bjg Valley Challenge** at Valley Spings on March 23 & 24. There has been interest a-plenty in this event this year. So register now! See Carlton or Diamond Dave. Pros \$32.00. Am & Adv. \$10.00

-**Glow golf**. Cedar Hills, Tuesday nights. Meet at the shelter at 6:30. Contact Dary Bryant.

-In a big scheduling snafu there are two excellent tourneys on the weekend of March 16 and 17. Of course the Dogwood Crosstown Am is happening but there is also a PDGA event in Johnson City (TN), which is at Kingsport essentially. We urge all Pros to head for Winged Deer Disc Golf course. Apologies from CHH, who made the error.



-An unprecedented Third tourney in the Bull City, **Ian's Tornado Bowl** was a fine success. A spirited crowd of golfers returned to the Big Valley. Sunny skys prevailed but the winds were gusty. They WERE tornado-like at times. The Pro battle was a race between Dave McQuay, Brian McRee and Kirk Yoo. The Captain eventually overcame the wind to capture first. Brian McRee edged Diamond Dave McQuay for second. David Brittle spanked the Advanced division edging hard-charging Steve Sterling (Who's finally starting to show his potential!). Dave Mansfield was third in front of "home course" Charlie Lochmuller. Tom Murdick was fifth. In the Amateur division Page Herbert, (of Chesterfield, VA) was the champ. Ian Wingard took second (in his own tourney!). Tony Ford finished third as Ed Kuschill edged Gary Rains to take fourth. Brian McRee aced hole 1 to drain the ace pool (It was \$51.00 deep!). Closest-to-the-holes were won by Todd Costen, Charlie Lochmuller, George Martin, Tom Murdick and Diamond Dave!!!

-RADL FUN FACT: In 1995 we averaged 80 competitors at our monthlies. More than 471 different individuals competed in our various RADL events!

-February means **The Joe Who Invitational** (and more of Suzie's good cookin'!) and 92 golfers reveled in the sunlight and sixty degrees as they tried to be king-of-the-Kentwood hill. Larry Leonard warmed up with the weather shooting 41, 40 to edge Alan Roberts by four strokes. Jim Markov was third at 89, one stroke ahead of Jon Hardee. Brad Benton wound out the Pro division with a fifth place 91. Ben Hailey took juniors as Allison Tew smoked the ladies (Joy Cook and Andea Hallaman) with two red-hot rounds in the fifties!!! Robbie Johnson FINALLY won the Jamateur crown shooting a red-hot 44,46. Eddie Knickman, Fred Hallaman, Mike Gallagher, and Page Herbert all shot an even 100...filling up places two through five by virtue of a tie. In the Advanced division it was Bo (Pro) Butcher (88) by three over David Brittle. Chris "Doc" Dickerson, Dan Lambeth, Dave Hoover, Shannon Neely, and Tim Weeks all were tied in a big log-jam....they all shot 93. (An incredible top twenty advanced golfers got plastic!) Hal Woodruff aced hole # 12 to win the ace pool.....forty seconds later, from a tee only 93 feet away, Michael Gallagher aces hole # 3. Two aces in the same minute!!! Hal-Dog got \$87.00 and a disc (for CTH). Hal also aced #6 later that same round. (For those of you at home that are keeping score....that's two aces in one round!!!) Other Closest-to-the-holes were: Jason Keys, Todd Brookhart and Jimmy Dzenlinski. Many thanks to the whole Woodruff clan!

-The **World Amateur Championships** are slated for July 11 - 14, in Augusta, GA. Contact Brian Graham 706 736 - 8537. The PDGA will mail invitations based on performance/points from 1995.

-The **Amateur National Championships**, at Laurel Springs, will be held on July 20 - 21. Contact Bill Boylen at 803 234 - 1070.

-The **Boylan Family Invitational** will be held July 26 - 29.

-Fayetteville's Arnette Park is almost complete. So far they have 13 baskets in. This tight, short beauty will also host a PDGA event in 1996. Stay Tuned. Want to play it? Take Interstate 95 south to Fayetteville, exit on to 87 north (just after you cross the mighty Cape Fear River)!!! GO to the first overpass and go right. This right turn off of 87 will dead end at a stop sign. (You should see signs for Cape Fear or Arnette Park). Go right. The park is about one half mile on the left. To find the course go right on the one way loop around the park, you should see holes pretty quickly. Park in the first major parking lot on your left. It should be near a tot lot and a softball field. The first hole is behind the first softball field. Call Byron Pritchard or David Cashwell if you'd like a guided tour.

!!!!!!!!!!*COMING SOON TO A DISC GOLF COURSE NEAR YOU*!!!!!!!!!!

2/24/96	ACE Monthly	Burlington
3/2/96	Sanford Monthly	Sanford
3/9 & 10	Earlewood PDGA	Columbia, SC
3/16 & 17	Amateur Dogwood Crosstown	
3/16 & 17	Winged Deer WWU	Johnson City, TN
3/23 & 24	Big Valley PDGA Challenge	Durham
3/30 & 31	Pro Dogwood Crosstown	
4/6 & 7	Shoe Sensation	Bowling Green, KY
4/13 & 14	Virginia States	Fredericksburg, Va
4/20 & 21	Carolinas Open	Rock Hill, SC

RALEIGH AREA DISC LEAGUE

3836 SUE ELLEN DRIVE
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA
27604

919-872-7897

