

2001 IHSAA BOYS GOLF STATE FINALS

June 13-14, 2001

Legends of Indiana, Franklin

Mishawaka Marian claims title with record- breaking score;

LaPorte Steven Lowe wins medalist honors in playoff

Displaying outstanding team balance with three individuals in the top 20, Mishawaka Marian claimed its first IHSAA title in boys golf with a record score of 589.

After taking a one-stroke lead over Zionsville in the first round at 294, Mishawaka Marian came back with the best score of the second round as well at 295. Senior David Lindley led the Knights with a final-round 71.

Zionsville, whose 598 also bettered the previous 36-hole team tournament score, had entered the state tournament ranked No. 2 in the coaches association poll. Yorktown was No. 1, while Mishawaka Marian was ninth.

The top two teams were followed by Bloomington South (602), Warsaw (603) and Richmond (606). Defending state champion Evansville North finished sixth at 607.

Sophomore Cole Isban and junior Daniel Klauer paced Mishawaka Marian with 36-hole totals of 143, one stroke off the individual pace. They were followed by David Lindley (148), senior Daniel Fitzpatrick (155) and junior Stephen Cashore (158). The Knights were coached by Jim Kryder.

The previous 36-hole team record in the 65-year history of the event was 599 by Noblesville in 1998 at Prestwick Country Club in Avon.

It was the fifth IHSAA title overall for Mishawaka Marian and the first since the Knights claimed the Class 2A football crown in 1976.

Senior Steven Lowe of LaPorte survived a one-hole playoff with senior Jason Buffone of Lake Central to win medalist honors at 142. Lowe tapped in a short par putt on the par-five, 501-yard 10th hole, while Buffone three-putted for a bogey six.

Lowe and Buffone recorded the third lowest 36-hole scores in tournament history. The record remained at 139, set by Gary Gant of North Central (Indianapolis) in 1970. Lowe and Buffone are two of six players to finish at 142 since the tournament adopted a 36-hole format in 1970 when the first of 17 state finals was played at Old Oakland Golf Club in Indianapolis.

Lowe went into the second round one stroke out of the lead at 69 and fired a one-over-par 73. Buffone was four strokes behind first-round leader Robert Davidge of Culver Military but came through with a 70 to fight his way into the playoff. Buffone shared second-day low honors with David Kelvin of Zionsville. Davidge followed his first-round 68 with a 75 to finish at 143 with Isban and Klauer.

Lowe is the second LaPorte player to win IHSAA boys golf medalist honors, joining Rudy Boyd who was the co-medalist in 1951.

The Legends of Indiana served as the host site of the IHSAA State Finals for the first time. Recent host sites were Prestwick (1987-2000) and Old Oakland (1970-1986).

Heath Peters of Garrett receives

Keesling Mental Attitude Award

Heath Peters of Garrett was named the 2001 recipient of the Fred Keesling Award for Mental Attitude in IHSAA Boys Golf by the IHSAA Executive Committee.

A three-time state finals participant in golf, Peters was named to the All-Northeast Corner Conference team four times. He also played four years of football at Garrett, and was voted the school's senior athlete of the year in 2001.

Academically, he ranked 12th in his senior class of 109 students and was involved in several extracurricular activities in the school and as a community volunteer. He has signed a golf letter of intent with Indiana University and will major in business.

Farm Bureau Insurance, corporate partner of the IHSAA, presented a \$1,000 scholarship to Garrett High School in the name of Peters.

Final Results

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

* Individuals who advanced to the second round from a non-advancing team

Player	School	First Round	Second Round	Total
Steven Lowe	LaPorte	69	73	142 <i>won playoff</i>
*Jason Buffone	Lake Central	72	70	142
Robert Davidge	Culver Military	68	75	143
Cole Isban	Mishawaka Marian	69	74	143
Daniel Klauer	Mishawaka Marian	70	73	143
*J.K. Keach	Columbus North	74	71	145

David Kelvin	Zionsville	75	70	145
Dan Mattingly	Indianapolis Cathedral	70	75	145
*Matt Cardarelli	South Bend St. Joseph's	71	75	146
John Hughes	Yorktown	73	73	146
Jeff Overton	Evansville North	72	74	146
Jordan Tabereaux	Bloomington South	73	73	146
A. J. Walton	Richmond	73	73	146
*Sean Phillips	Columbus East	72	75	147
Tad Sacheck	Zionsville	70	77	147
Aaron Walters	Bloomington South	74	73	147
Chad Cooper	Lafayette Jefferson	74	74	148
Tony Daniels	Bloomington South	76	72	148
David Lindley	Mishawaka Marian	77	71	148
*Andy Martin	Tippecanoe Valley	71	77	148
James Sacheck	Zionsville	73	75	148
Eric Sechrist	Indianapolis Cathedral	76	72	148
Jim Batusic	Andean	72	77	149
Adam Johnson	Warsaw	72	77	149
*Dusty Jovanovich	South Vermillion	72	77	149
Aaron Turner	Warsaw	75	74	149
Tyler Bale	Carmel	74	76	150
*Heath Peters	Garrett	74	76	150

TEAM SCORES

*Did not qualify for second round play

School	First Round	Second Round	Total
Mishawaka Marian	294	295	589
Zionsville	295	303	598
Bloomington South	301	301	602
Warsaw	301	302	603
Richmond	305	301	606
Evansville North	306	301	607
Indianapolis Cathedral	304	307	611
LaPorte	302	316	618
Culver Military	299	321	620
Lafayette Jefferson	313	308	621
Carmel	312	310	622
Kokomo	313	316	629
Seymour	313	317	630
Yorktown	309	321	630
Andean	309	322	631
Owen Valley	313	331	644
*Goshen	316	--	
*West Lafayette	316	--	
*Floyd Central	317	--	
*Southridge	320	--	
*Roncalli	326	--	

INDIVIDUAL QUALIFIERS

Players who advanced to the State Finals as individuals

Class year indicated in parentheses

Player	School	Round 1	Round 2	Total

John Baker (9)	North Central (Indpls.)	75	--	
Jason Buffone (12)	Lake Central	72	70	142
Cody Cain (9)	Crawfordsville	81	--	
Matt Cardarelli (12)	South Bend St. Josephs	71	75	146
Glenn Condit (12)	New Albany	85	--	
Timothy Fish (11)	Linton-Stockton	76	--	
Michael Hughes (12)	Mooreville	74	80	154
Ryan Hungate (11)	Northwestern	81	--	
Chris Hunt (11)	Hamilton Southeastern	79	--	
Marcus Ihrle (10)	New Haven	79	--	
Dusty Jovanovich (12)	South Vermillion	72	77	149
J.K. Keach (12)	Columbus North	74	71	145
Charlie Kluesner (10)	Terre Haute South	75	--	
Andy Martin (12)	Tippecanoe Valley	71	77	148
Joe Monaldi (12)	Lowell	78	--	
Lindsey Norris (11)	Speedway	79	--	
Heath Peters (12)	Garrett	74	76	150
Sean Phillips (12)	Columbus East	72	75	147
Nick Prout (9)	Vincennes Lincoln	83	--	
Brandon Smart (11)	Pendleton Heights	73	93	166
Brett Sprunger (11)	South Adams	83	--	

TEAM SCORING

		Round 1	Round 2	Total
ANDREAN		309	322	631
	Jim Batusic (12)	72	77	149
	Cameron Kashani (10)	75	77	152
	Matt Springer (10)	77	76	153
	Adam Lichtenfeld (10)/Kevin Monaldi	89	97	--
	James Moleski (11)	85	92	177
BLOOMINGTON SOUTH		301	301	602
	Aaron Walters (12)	74	73	147
	Joe Miller (11)	78	84	162
	Jordan Tabereaux (12)	73	73	146
	Parker Collins (12)/Zach Clay	81	83	--
	Tony Daniels (12)	76	72	148
CARMEL		312	310	622
	Kyle Bush (11)	76	78	154
	Tyler Bale (10)	74	76	150
	Grant Gilmore (12)	80	91	171
	Josh Thompson (9)	84	79	163
	David Chambers (9)	82	77	159
CULVER MILITARY		299	321	620
	Robert Davidge (12)	68	75	143
	Eugene Milner (12)	76	88	164
	Sebastian Quinn (12)	83	85	168
	David Sada (11)	77	87	164
	Ronald Van Auker (12)	78	74	152
EVANSVILLE NORTH		306	301	607

	Jeff Overton (12)	72	74	146
	Alex Abbott (10)	79	76	155
	Adam Gann (12)	80	75	155
	Blair Hanni (10)	75	76	151
	Dan Neumann (12)	85	88	173
FLOYD CENTRAL		317	<i>Failed to qualify</i>	
	Robbie Ivey (12)	76		
	B.J. Pierce (12)	81		
	Ryan McCartin (9)	80		
	Brandon Chin (10)	80		
	Shawn Clarke (12)	85		
GOSHEN		316	<i>Failed to qualify</i>	
	Anthony Schrader (11)	77		
	Marcus Ulmer (11)	77		
	Joe Nelson (11)	85		
	Brad Webb (11)	77		
	Nick Miller (12)	97		

		Round 1	Round 2	Total
INDIANAPOLIS CATHEDRAL		304	307	611
	Wil Andersen (12)	74	78	152
	Daniel Mattingly (12)	70	75	145
	Bradford Myers (11)	84	85	169
	Eric Sechrist (11)	76	72	148
	Tony Knoble (12)	91	82	173
KOKOMO		313	316	629

	Brock Miller (12)	75	81	156
	Patrick Humphrey (12)	77	82	159
	Jeffrey Moulder (11)	81	79	160
	Peter Thatcher (11)	80	79	159
	Chad Taflinger (12)	84	77	161
LAFAYETTE JEFFERSON		313	308	621
	Chad Cooper (12)	74	74	148
	Will Lundstrom (12)	83	79	162
	Greg Zick (12)	78	76	154
	Jake Gray (11)	84	81	165
	Nick Lundstrom (10)	78	79	157
LAPORTE		302	316	618
	Steven Lowe (12)	69	73	142
	Kyle Antos (12)	75	80	155
	Christopher Kaminski (12)	80	80	160
	Matthew Noll (12)	78	83	161
	John Antos (9)	81	89	170
MISHAWAKA MARIAN		294	295	589
	Daniel Fitzpatrick (12)	78	77	155
	David Lindley (12)	77	71	148
	Daniel Klauer (11)	70	73	143
	Cole Isban (10)	69	74	143
	Stephen Cashore (11)	80	78	158
OWEN VALLEY		313	331	644
	Mitch Wetzel (12)	75	79	154
	Nick Gillaspay (10)	76	81	157

	Adam Miller (9)	71	81	152
	Derek Zimmerman (11)	91	91	182
	Jared Myers (9)	93	90	183
RICHMOND		305	301	606
	A.J. Walton (10)	73	73	146
	Chris Hockersmith (10)	77	74	151
	David Short (12)	75	81	156
	John Schultz (10)	80	73	153
	Luke Tidrow (11)	83	82	165

		Round 1	Round 2	Total
RONCALLI		326	<i>Failed to qualify</i>	
	Michael Greer (10)	81		
	Joey Kuntz (11)	80		
	Harry Dearing (11)	82		
	Kyle Squillace (12)	85		
	Mike Atkerson (9)	83		
SEYMOUR		313	317	630
	Bud Graessle (12)	79	76	155
	Blake Schepman (12)	77	79	156
	Ben Moore (11)	78	79	157
	Shane Spray (10)	83	85	168
	Matt Meyer (12)	79	83	162
SOUTHRIDGE		320	<i>Failed to qualify</i>	
	Derek Bolling (12)	77		
	Nathan Mathies (12)	88		

	Jason Pinkstaff (12)	81		
	Adam Bauernfiend (12)	80		
	Tyler Bolling (10)	82		
WARSAW		301	302	603
	Adam Johnson (11)	72	77	149
	Aaron Turner (11)	75	74	149
	Greg Clay (11)	81	76	157
	Matt Osbeck (11)	77	79	156
	David Slater (11)	77	75	152
WEST LAFAYETTE		316	<i>Failed to qualify</i>	
	Corey Beelke (11)	76		
	Pat Schleck (10)	83		
	Avery Boaz (10)	78		
	Kevin Sullivan (12)	91		
	Tyler Ellis (10)	79		
YORKTOWN		309	321	630
	John Hughes (12)	73	73	146
	Aaron Tschuor (12)	79	77	156
	Adam Tschuor (12)	78	84	162
	Austin Steele (10)	79	87	166
	John Stewart (12)	88	91	179
ZIONSVILLE		295	303	598
	Tad Sacheck (10)	70	77	147
	James Sacheck (9)	73	75	148
	David Kelvin (11)	75	70	145
	Broc Nell (12)	77	87	174
	Adam Smith (12)	82	81	163

