

2012 Green Gables Croquet Club (GGCC) Invitational
July 12-15, 2012
Sea Girt, NJ

The 2012 Green Gables Croquet Club (GGCC) Invitational was held July 12 - 15 under sunny skies/spectacular weather at the club's home venue in Sea Girt, NJ. Like the 2011 tournament, three full sized lawns were used. There were three flights of singles and two flights of doubles.

In second flight singles, Roxanne Rosetto (9) played superbly to win picking up 25 tracking points along the way. Ralph Charles (7) won first flight singles gaining 33 tracking points to lower his handicap to a 6. In championship flight singles, top seed and 2009 GGCC Inv. championship flight winner Tim Rapuano (1) added another first place trophy to his collection. Other big tracking point gains were Jodi Rugart (3.5) 22 points, Conrad Rugart (4) 20 points making him a 3.5, and Richard Zeck (9) 22 points making him an 8.

Like last year there were two groups of Waterford Doubles (not handicap specific). In the Singles Players Playing Doubles, this year's winner was Doug McKechney (7) while Doubles Only Players had Jerry Luecke (4.5) taking first place.

Social events included an opening party in Spring Lake at the Essex and Sussex (a magnificent condominium complex), cocktails and dinner at the Bath and Tennis Club in Spring Lake, and a dinner and cocktails at a club modeled after the Monmouth, another former grand facility in Spring Lake - with this re-creation located in Manasquan.

Tournament Managers were Murray and Brenda Pollock along with club president Clair Flinn and his wife Valerie, scheduling by Teddy Prentis, and Bob Kroeger was the TD.

Championship Singles

1. Jack Montgomery
2. Murray Pollock
3. Symon Cowles
4. Jerome Luecke
5. Molly Goodman
6. Clair Flinn

First Flight Singles

1. Ann Ix
2. Brenda Pollock
3. Donald McLaughlin
4. Anne Montgomery
5. Jeanne Spiotta
6. Ann Hawkins