

## 2017 ScissorTail Invitational

Oklahoma City Golf and Country Club – Nichols Hills, OK  
(American Rules)

September 14-17, 2017

### CHAMPIONSHIP SINGLES

1. Conner Helms
2. Britt Ruby
3. John Brown
4. Randy Cardo
5. Scott Spradling
5. Bob Chilton
7. George Cochran

### 1<sup>st</sup> FLIGHT SINGLES

1. Joe Steiner
2. Beverly Cardo
3. Harold Menzel
4. Doug Ledgett
5. Suzanne Spradling
5. Andre Bothe
7. Missy Chilton

### 2<sup>nd</sup> FLIGHT SINGLES

1. Jim Loftis
2. Carl Archiniaco
3. Jane Helms
4. Jon Spaulding
5. Georgia Carter
6. Lisa Davoli

The fourth annual ScissorTail Invitational American Rules 6 wicket tournament provided some very stiff yet cordial competition in all three flights. Twenty participants from New York, Louisiana, Texas, and Oklahoma filled the slots available. Championship flight saw Randy Cardo, Britt Ruby, George Cochran, Bob Chilton, Scott Spradling, John Brown, and Conner Helms go head to head. First flight included Harold Menzel, Suzanne Spradling, Joe Steiner, Andre Bothe, Missy Chilton, Bev Cardo and Doug Ledgett. Second flight was made up by Jane Helms, Jim Loftis, Carl Archiniaco, Jon Spaulding, Lisa Davoli, and Georgia Carter.

The weather cooperated right up until the finals matches on Sunday, and then there was only an hour delay for lightning. The wickets were tight and the lawns were fast but everyone seemed to manage. Some (mainly Championship flighters) even liked the challenge. Although, there was one wicket which seemed to be the nemesis of many. It was dubbed the “Wicked Wicket” and draped in a black shroud after the tournament. The social events throughout the tournament gave everyone the chance to get to know each other, talk croquet, and relax. New friendships were forged and old ones renewed. We all agreed that we love this crazy sport.



Winners LtoR: Jim Loftis, Carl Archiniaco, Beverly Cardo,  
Joe Steiner, Britt Ruby, and Conner Helms



The challenging infamous “wicked wicket”