



Dutch Aviation Open Golf 2000

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Rene van Doorn winner of 2000

The winner of the second Dutch Aviation Open Golf tournament on September 12, 2000 is Rene van Doorn of Standard Aero. His first round at the Houtrak golf course showed his talent immediately. Consistent performance resulted in 37 Stableford points. Going out in 18 and returning with 19 points proved his stability and nerve.

His award was to be the first one to win the Challenge trophy sculpture "Wings" by artist Gary Price. The award was presented by Hans Minnee of VZM Management services.

Unfortunately at the last minute the winner of 1999 Tjapko van Wijk was not able to defend his title. Nevertheless his name has been engraved in the Challenge Trophy's foot.

Results Playing Competition				
			Gross	
	Name	Handicap	Stablefor	
1	Mr. R. van Doorn	36	37	
2	Mr. J.T. Minnee	9,5	36	
3	Mr. L. van Rijn	29,3	35	
4	Mr. P. Bottomley	19,3	34	
5	Mr. M. Donohoe	18,6	32	
6	Mr. A. Ten Hage	12,7	29	
7	Mr. T. van Deursen	36	29	
8	Mrs. W. Montulet	29	29	
9	Mr. R. Drost	36	26	
10	Mr. R. Van der Meulen	25,1	23	
11	Mr. R. Smelt	7,4	17	
12	Mr. E. Blaeser	36	13	
13	Mr. E.P.J. Verkuyl	36	13	



The winner of 2000, Rene van Doorn.



The second flight: Jan Willem van Mierlo, Leo van Rijn and Tjapko van Wijk

3rd Dutch Aviation Open on September 11, 2001

The third Dutch Aviation Open Golf tournament will be hosted on Tuesday September 11, 2001. We look forward to meeting you all again and therefore encourage you to block this date already in your agenda. An invitation will be sent early next summer.

Sikko Vermeer's team wins play-off in Clinic

Simultaneous with the tournament a clinic was organized for the less experienced participants. Once again the pro Jonas Saxton proved to be an excellent teacher, who pushed several of the clinic players to such a high level, that they can easily be introduced to the tournament next year

At the end of the clinic, the group was divided in four teams, who had to compete on three simple par 3 holes of approximately 60 meter length. As two of them ended up with the same score, a playoff was required. The team of Sikko Vermeer of Martinair proved to be the toughest under pressure and easily won.

Results Jonas' Clinic				
Discipline	Name			
Best swing	Mr.	Jan van Duijn		
Team competition	Mr.	Sikko Vermeer		
	Mr.	Partick Morcus		
	Mr.	Hans Zuidema		

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Gary Price: sculptor of WINGS, the Challenge-Cup of the Dutch Aviation Open

Gary Price takes pride in the fact that his great-grandmother was full-blooded Cherokee. Consequently, he feels a special affinity toward Native American images.

Gary feels most comfortable sculpting the human figure, having studied under Alvin Gittins while earning his BFA degree from the University of Utah. During the past five years he has devoted many field trips and hours to the sculpting of birds and animals. "I find fascinating parallels between the human and animal forms," states Gary. "The flight of birds also offers incredible challenges in composition and design."

Gary, his wife Lanea, and their three sons live at the base of the Wasatch Mountains in Springville, Utah. The artist believes in "always remaining a student" and finds travel and research an important part of his life. He has lived two years in Germany, six months in Israel, one month touring the jungles and ruins of Mexico and Guatemala and 1984 found the Prices in eleven different European countries for three months, including one month in Egypt. He muses, "We felt compelled to see some of the great masterpieces of the world and be inspired by them."

The accomplished sculptor has won several awards and commissions, including a first place award in the Minneapolis Western Wildlife Show. His works are included in corporate and private collections including Burt Reynolds, Johnny Miller, Howard Ruff, the L.D.S. Museum of Church History and Art, the Springville Museum of Art, and the Salt Lake County permanent art collection.

Gary Price about WINGS: "This is one of my favorite pieces, as my first born son, Zachariah, modeled for it. It's a very therapeutic piece for me, representing freedom and the joy for life that so many of us lose sight of in our busy and responsible lives. The hand-me-down coveralls represent the toil and labor of the world, and the mail-order glider and outstretched arms have to do with dreams and aspirations."

Gare Price is 45 years old and lives in Springville, Utah. More information about Gary Price's work can be found at his web site: www.garyprice.com



Gary Price sculpture WINGS is the Challenge-Cup of the Dutch Aviation Open Golf Tournament.

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