

Dutch Aviation Open Golf 2006

Steve Netto proud winner *Hans Minnee Challenge Trophy*

The celebration of the 10th anniversary of VZM made the 2006 edition of the VZM Dutch Aviation Open golf tournament a special event. On the hottest day ever in the 8-year tournament history a record group of 55 participated. Almost a quart was first-time participant and the tournament becomes more international every year



Steve Netto receiving the Hans Minnee Challenge Trophy

played on North hole 9. Some players complained that a runway center-line should be straight and this one was not as the approach to hole 9 has a slight left curve. When Onno Pietersma made his tee shot at this hole he had no clue where the ball went. He finally found the ball under the tape of the centerline marking, making him the first winner of this trophy.

The majority of the clinic players were newcomers at the event. The group had a tough time learning new skills in the heat, which made it for some difficult to keep hold of their club during the swing practices. One club even made it farther than quite some golf balls at the driving range. Michiel Meijer won the clinic competition consisting of three elements: swing, pitching and putting. Winning golf lessons, next year Michiel is expected to play in the 18-hole competition.

It was the second time the stableford competition was played at the North and East holes of the Nunspeetse golfcourse "Het Rijk van Nunspeet". Although the average score of the much smaller group in 2003 was significantly higher, this year's top scores had more points than three years ago. With 39 stableford points Steve Netto was the proud winner of the Hans Minnee Challenge Trophy. In his acceptance speech Steve commemorated Hans Minnee, co-founder of VZM 10 years ago.



Clinic winner Michiel Meijer

Half of last year's clinic players succeeded to obtain their golf license and participated for the first time in the 18-hole competition, almost doubling the number of players compared to last year. Therefore, the match started with a half shotgun, something several players had to get used to as they had difficulty to figure out the sequence of holes to be played.

New was a challenge trophy – a F16 model donated by Steve Netto – for the "Nearest to the (runway) center-line" competition,

Tournament scores

Name	Score
Netto, Steve	39
Tzur, Aviv	38
Laan, Heino v.d.	34
Hands, Stephen	33
Bergh, Ronald v.d.	32
Pietersma, Onno	31
Bläser, Eddo	29
Blom, Ron	29
Boertien, Matthijs	29
Dalinghaus, Anneke	29
Meelis, Cees	29
Rijn, Leo van	28
Rijnsburger, Robert	28
Wasser, Stefan	28
Dalinghaus, Ruud	27
Deursen, Ton v.	27
Kooper, Hans	27
Montulet, Willemien	27
Donohoe, Michael	26
Doorn, Rene v.	26
Hage, Toon ten	26
Horst, Peter v.d.	26
Rutten, Ad	26
Meulen, Ron v.d.	25
Samuelsson, Leif	25
Hansler, David	24
Lemmers, Louis	24
Duijn, Jan v.	23
Boll, Per	22
Kempster, Rob	22
Loonen, Peter	22
Zuidema, Hans	20
Noordermeer, Leo	17
Goedhart, Erik	16
Houting, Luuk	16
Stoke, Theo	15
Berends van Loenen, Hans	14
Hermans, Theo	13
Kalman, Rene	13
Koning, Jan de	13
Vries, Frans de	12
Hansler, Henk	9
Harpoth, Steffen	7
Masseus, Natalie	dnf

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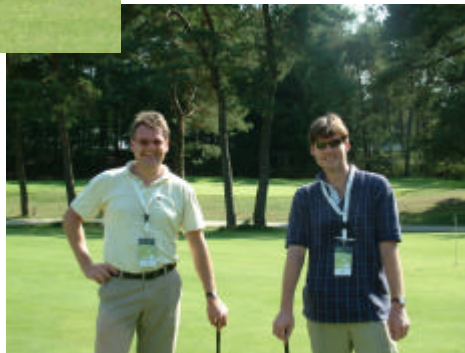
The 2nd Tuesday of September is the fixed day of the VZM Dutch Aviation Open golf tournament. Therefore, next year the event will be on the special date: **September 11.**

The Hans Minnee Challenge Trophy

The Dutch Aviation Open Challenge Trophy is a sculpture made by Gary Price. The trophy is named after Hans Minnee, co-founder of VZM Management Services, who passed away unexpectedly in April 2003. Hans was the driving force behind the start of the golf tournament and discovered the sculpture himself during a business trip to the US.



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Clinic scores

Name	score
Michiel Meijer	965
Peter Gille	960
Paul Horstink	825
Roger Meels	805
Jean Paul Janssens	780
Peter Bulckaert	705
Leo Staats	695
Gerrit Draai	545

outside competition

Versteeg, Mariëtte	600
Zuidema, Froukie	700

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