

DAWN COE-JONES MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

May 22, 2017 at March Meadows Golf Course



Dawn Coe-Jones

October 19, 1960
to
November 12, 2016

Originally, it was simply a plan to make the regular March Meadows DCJ round a celebration of the 15th Anniversary of the creation of the Dawn Coe-Jones league. After Dawn passed away November 14, 2016, it was decided that our regular DCJ league game would be played in conjunction with a Memorial Tournament in Dawn's honour.

Beginning in mid-April, invitations were issued to various groups of golfers – all present and past DCJ league members, special guests, and the March Meadows Ladies Club.

The tournament format was a two-person best ball, gross scores only. The field of 56 golfers was evened out by matching high and low handicaps. A shotgun start at 10:00 started on a beautifully sunny, warm day of golf. There were KPs on all par 3s and four skill prize holes. Zone 6 Rules, Mike "Candyman" Cook, mingled with the golfers on course, then did the scoring.



Dawn Coe-Jones,
1976 District 6
Champ

As the golfers came off the golf course, Ishbel Mucklow played the bagpipes to signal the start of the festivities and prize presentations.

Kelly Feltrin supplied DCJ Canada flag stickers for \$5, with all proceeds going to Dawn's favorite charity, Ronald McDonald House. She also set out "Memory Cards" for the golfers to fill in and give to her to put in a "Memory Jar" to send to Dawn's family.

The Memorabilia Table included a display board depicting pictures, newspaper articles and a master roster of all golfers that ever played in the DCJ league. These were enhanced by three more collage boards supplied by former March Meadows owners, Jim and Carol Peterson. Ev Shaw of Crown Isle brought a flag from the 2008 Canadian Open, autographed by Dawn.



Dawn Coe-Jones

1978 Canadians

After Kelly gave a heartwarming, emotional tribute, we made a toast to Dawn, with wine donated by Jimmy Jones. The tournament and draw prizes were handed out, and golfers were invited to speak about Dawn, and many memories were shared. Sharon Vincent won the "Heads or Tails" contest: 2 passes to Cordova Bay. At the closing, Ishbel piped out the golfers to "Going Home". It was a wonderful celebration of a remarkable gal.

Results:

1st – Christina Proteau and Elaine Winter 76

2nd – Karen Kloske and Jillian Green 79

3rd – Judy Pouliot and Donna Doucett 81

KP #1 Sharon Vincent	#4 closest to the pin three shots (CP birdie) Leah Mittenberger
KP #10 (CP) Draw prize	#9 closest to the pin in any shot: Chip Ins: Donna Doucett, Barb Parry, Katy Mac
KP #7 Ishbel Mucklow	#12 closest to the pin in two shots: Dee Horie
KP #16 (CP) Draw prize	#15 longest putt Pam Palliser

Our thanks to everyone involved for their support of, and in memory of, our Dawn Coe-Jones.