



July 16th 2022
Summer Field Day
Tournament Metrics

(a data retrospective for the Jackson Park Men's Golf Club members compiled by Matthew Stutzenberger)

Hole 2-Par 3

(#17 handicap hole)

(26 completed player surveys)



What club did you tee off with?	Iron: 16%	Wedge: 84%
Average score tee off with:	Iron: 3.3	Wedge: 3.5

Your tee shot:	hit the green	missed short	missed Left	missed long/Right
	48%	12%	20%	16%
Score Avg.	3.2	2.7	3.8	4

Average Gross Score of all surveyed: 3.4

Insights: If you don't hit the green, missing short is fine, maybe even better if the pin is in front so you don't have such a hard downhill putt. Just don't short side yourself on your tee shot if you miss it left, right, or long.

Hole 5-Par 5

(#3 handicap hole)

(26 completed player surveys)



Teed off with:	Driver: 88%	Hybrid/Wood/Iron:12%
AVG Score teeing off with:	Driver: 5	Hybrid/Wood/Iron: 5.3

Tee Shot Landed in...	Fairway	Rough or Right trees
% of shots	58%	38%
Average Score:	5.5	5.4

Did you reach the green in 2 shots? No: 100%

Average Gross Score of those surveyed: 5.7

Insights: Those who ended up in the right rough or even the trees averaged better than those who hit in the fairway! The lesson is that favoring the right side a bit can probably only help you...not to mention help prevent sending it lost left which is OB.

Hole 8-Par 4

(#9 handicap hole)

(26 completed player surveys)



Teed off with:	Driver: 52%	Wood/Hybrid: 54%	Iron: 46%
Average score tee of with:	Driver: 4.8	Wood/Hybrid: 5.6	Iron: 5.5

Tee Shot Landed in...	Fairway	Rough	Right Trees
% of shots	45%	41%	14%
Average Score:	4.9	5.1	6.3

Did you reach the green in 2? Yes: 15%. No: 85%

Insights: Rough or fairway doesn't matter, but almost nobody is getting on the green in regulation anyway. What you have to avoid is losing it into the trees right, costing 1.4 more strokes than from the fairway. Consider teeing it up on the right side of the tee box and aim it left if you tend to slice it.

Hole 11-Par 3

(#18 handicap hole)

(26 completed player surveys)



What club did you tee off with?	Iron: 72%	Wedge: 28%
Average score tee of with:	Iron: 3.8	Wedge: 3.6

Tee shot:	hit green	missed short	missed left	missed right	missed long
% of players	35%	8%	19%	27%	12.0%
Avg Score	3.1	3.5	4.2	4.1	4

Average Gross Score of all those surveyed: 3.7

Insight: Missing the green short is the best miss, otherwise there is no way to strategize on this hole other than avoiding sending it far left of the green.

Hole 12-Par 5

(#2 handicap hole)

(26 completed player surveys)



Teed off with:	Driver: 52%	Hybrid/Wood/Iron:48%
AVG Score teeing off with:	Driver: 6.6	Hybrid/Wood/Iron: 6.6

Tee Shot Landed in...	Fairway.	Rough	Left Trees	Lost Right
% of shots	52%	24%	16%	8%
Average Score:	5.8	6.7	8	9.5

Did you reach the green in 3 shots? Yes: 27% No: 73 %

Insight: This is a tough hole, but distance off the tee is not important. Hitting the fairway is worth 0.9 to 3.7 strokes. If you have to miss, miss left. If you do lose it right or left, strongly consider using the tournament rule of dropping in the fairway, especially if you lost it right.

Hole 18-Par 4

(#6 handicap hole)

(26 completed player surveys)



Teed off with:	Driver: 88%	Wood/Hybrid :12%
Average score tee of with:	Driver: 5.1	Wood/Hybrid : 4.3

Tee Shot Landed in...	Fairway	Rough	Left Trees
% of shots	53%	25%	12%
Average Score:	4.5	5.5	5.7

Did you reach the green in 2 shots:	Yes: 31%	No: 69%
	Score Avg: 4.5	Score Avg: 5

The average score of those surveyed: 4.8

Insight: Hit the biggest stick that doesn't put you into the trees, but keep in mind that even those who hit the green in 2 only scored 0.5 strokes better than those who don't.

Thanks for participating.

We appreciate everyone who made it out for the Jackson Park Men's Golf Club Summer Field Day Tournament. The scoring conditions were better, although the greens got fast and the scores were probably higher than some were predicting. Here is the rundown of the data insights again.

Hole #2: Missing it short is fine, just don't short side yourself if you miss left or right.

Hole #5: Keep it right on the tee shot. You probably score just as well from the fairway.

Hole #8: Hitting into the trees on the right will cost you 1.4 strokes. Tee it right and aim left if you slice.

Hole #11: If you have to miss it, miss it short

Hole #12: Hit the fairway or miss it left on the tee shot. If you lose it right or left, strongly consider using the tournament drop rule in the fairway, especially if you lose it right.

Hole #18: Hit the biggest stick that keeps you in play, even if it is in the rough. Those that hit the green in regulation only do ½ strokes better than those who didn't.

Congratulations to Michael Bade on winning Titleist Prov1X golf balls. Michael, you can pick them up on Tuesday from the clubhouse, wrapped in a yellow piece of paper at the front desk.

We hoped you enjoyed the Spring Field Day with the Jackson Park Men's Golf Club. We appreciate you filling out the survey and hope that we can do it again soon.

