

Westlake Varsity Boys' Golf Record Setting Results

The **Westlake Varsity Boys' Golf Team** set all kinds of scoring records last weekend in the *Shootout at the Lake* en route to a staggering 27 shot victory over a good field at Lakecliff Country Club. Starting Friday, the Chaps got off to a quick start shooting an excellent score of 6 under par 278 and taking a 9 shot lead. The afternoon was even better as the team had four players shoot under par rounds and posted a 2nd round 13 under par score, which gave us a 16 shot lead after two rounds. That led to Saturday where the Chaps had 4 guys shoot in the 60s for a 17 under total. The cumulative effect of all of that was a 36 under par performance that is a school record low in the storied history of our program, and a 27 shot victory! **Reid Davenport** led the Chaps with a 3 round total of 200, which was 13 under par, and he earned Medalist Honors for the tournament. **Matthew Denton** finished one shot behind Reid and earned 2nd Medalist in the tournament at 12 under par.

Thomas Bockholt, Hunter McDonough, and Jackson Davenport rounded out the record setting team and all three players had two of their three rounds under par.

Westlake II got off to a slow start on Friday shooting a 303 in the morning only to improve nicely in the 2nd round with a 293 which placed them 11th in a field of 20 teams from all over the state. They caught fire on day 2 posting a 9 under par 275 which was the 2nd lowest round in the field and they moved from 11th to 7th. **Blake Benson** fired a scorching 63 and **J. Holland Humphries** posted a 67 to lead that team. **Marcial Jones** played an excellent round as well finishing with an even par 71. **Jeffrey Taughinbaugh** and **Nick Palmo** rounded out the scoring for team II, and who really played well in rounds two and three.

John Luke Powell, playing as a Medalist, posted three very good rounds of 73, 74, and 73. We are proud of his strong effort as well.

Records set this weekend were:

Low Team round 17 under par on Saturday
Low cumulative total of 36 under par for the Tournament
Low individual round of 63 by **Blake Benson**
Low three round total of 13 under par by **Reid Davenport**

It was a tremendous way to start our season in our defense of our 2017 State Title.

Go Chaps!