

A Midsummer's Day Dream



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Art Buchwald holds court during lunch at the Vineyard Golf Club after the game, flanked by winners of the dream golf tournament (from left) Beverly Halpert, Ann Brown, Don Brown, and Stuart Halpert.

On Monday, 40 golfers competed in The Buchwald Celebrity Golf Tournament 2006. Vineyard seasonal residents Don and Ann Brown and Stuart and Beverly Halpert, who won the tournament at last year's Possible Dreams Auction, organized the event. A friendly game of Golf Scramble with a Step Aside was followed by lunch at The Vineyard Golf Club in Edgartown.

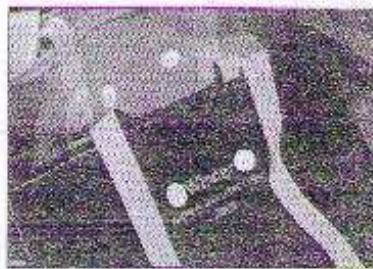
"It was pretty great," said Mr. Brown. "It's particularly gratifying to make a contribution to such a worthy cause and, as a result, the opportunity to entertain and have fun with close Vineyard friends."

The Vineyard Golf Club Foundation donated what auction organizers call "The Dreamer's Cup."

The item includes an opportunity to host a golf tournament, lunch, caddies, green fees and snack bar. Mr. Brown and Mr. Halpert won it for \$10,000.

"Community Services deserves support. It's a wonderful organization and it's much easier to provide that support while making friends and having fun," said Sheldon Hackney, a player on the winning team. He repeated an old Quaker merchant's saying, "They did well while doing good."

After the game, Art Buchwald spoke to the golfers and urged everyone to come to this year's auction and bid often and bid high. The auction takes place at the Harborside Inn, Edgartown, on Monday, Aug. 7. Mr. Buchwald also told



Every player won a tote bag to commemorate the day.

the winners of last year's dream that they got it at a very good price and should be prepared pay more if they want it this year. ♦

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