

1976



Tour rookie Fuzzy Zoeller birdied his last eight holes in the opening round, matching a still-standing PGA Tour record. Fan favorite Fuzzy could not hold off fast-charging New Zealander John Lister, whose 10-under weekend total helped him to the only PGA Tour win of his career. Jerry Lewis lost some fans here when he left the Pro-Am after nine holes for a quieter round at East Moline's Short Hills CC.

JOHN DEERE CLASSIC

Winner:

John Lister

Score:

68 - 68 - 65 - 67 = 268

Par: **35-35-70**

Winner's Share:

\$20,000.00

July 8-11

Total Purse:

\$100,000.00

Site:

Oakwood CC, Coal Valley, IL

| Rank | Player | Total | 1R | 2R | 3R | 4R | Money |
|------|-------------------|-------|----|----|----|----|-------------|
| 2 | Fuzzy Zoeller | 270 | 63 | 71 | 68 | 68 | \$11,400.00 |
| 3 | Rex Caldwell | 272 | 66 | 68 | 69 | 69 | 7,100.00 |
| 4 | George Archer | 275 | 64 | 72 | 69 | 70 | 4,700.00 |
| 5 | Tom McGinnis | 276 | 67 | 73 | 65 | 71 | 4,100.00 |
| T6 | Bud Allin | 277 | 72 | 68 | 67 | 70 | 3,400.00 |
| T6 | Barry Jaeckel | 277 | 67 | 74 | 70 | 66 | 3,400.00 |
| T8 | Stanton Altgelt | 278 | 71 | 68 | 70 | 69 | 2,612.50 |
| T8 | Terry Dill | 278 | 70 | 71 | 68 | 69 | 2,612.50 |
| T8 | Joe Porter | 278 | 66 | 71 | 72 | 69 | 2,612.50 |
| T8 | Barney Thompson | 278 | 71 | 70 | 68 | 69 | 2,612.50 |
| T12 | Joey Dills | 279 | 68 | 69 | 69 | 73 | 1,875.00 |
| T12 | Dave Eichelberger | 279 | 69 | 71 | 73 | 66 | 1,875.00 |
| T12 | Mike Morley | 279 | 67 | 67 | 73 | 72 | 1,875.00 |
| T12 | Tom Purtzer | 279 | 70 | 70 | 66 | 73 | 1,875.00 |
| T16 | Richard Crawford | 280 | 71 | 66 | 73 | 70 | 1,500.00 |
| T16 | Jim Dent | 280 | 71 | 70 | 72 | 67 | 1,500.00 |
| T16 | Florentino Molina | 280 | 70 | 70 | 71 | 69 | 1,500.00 |
| T19 | John Jackson | 281 | 69 | 73 | 68 | 71 | 1,250.00 |
| T19 | Howard Twitty | 281 | 72 | 72 | 70 | 67 | 1,250.00 |
| T21 | Mike McCullough | 282 | 65 | 76 | 70 | 71 | 1,013.33 |
| T21 | Allen Miller | 282 | 68 | 71 | 72 | 71 | 1,013.33 |
| T21 | Ken Still | 282 | 68 | 75 | 70 | 69 | 1,013.34 |
| T24 | Butch Baird | 283 | 72 | 71 | 70 | 70 | 836.67 |
| T24 | George Johnson | 283 | 70 | 71 | 71 | 71 | 836.66 |
| T24 | Dave Stockton | 283 | 68 | 73 | 72 | 70 | 836.67 |
| T27 | Woody Blackburn | 284 | 71 | 69 | 73 | 71 | 710.00 |
| T27 | Gay Brewer | 284 | 70 | 73 | 71 | 70 | 710.00 |
| T27 | David Sheff | 284 | 68 | 69 | 72 | 75 | 710.00 |
| T27 | Bobby Wadkins | 284 | 69 | 74 | 76 | 65 | 710.00 |
| T27 | Carlton White | 284 | 65 | 75 | 75 | 69 | 710.00 |
| T32 | Frank Conner | 285 | 70 | 74 | 69 | 72 | 518.89 |
| T32 | Bob Dickson | 285 | 65 | 77 | 70 | 73 | 518.89 |
| T32 | Jack Ewing | 285 | 68 | 75 | 73 | 69 | 518.89 |
| T32 | Marty Fleckman | 285 | 70 | 71 | 72 | 72 | 518.89 |
| T32 | Bruce Fleisher | 285 | 70 | 72 | 69 | 74 | 518.88 |
| T32 | Gary Groh | 285 | 73 | 69 | 70 | 73 | 518.89 |
| T32 | Mike Hill | 285 | 71 | 71 | 73 | 70 | 518.89 |
| T32 | Spike Kelley | 285 | 70 | 74 | 74 | 67 | 518.89 |
| T32 | Jim Masserio | 285 | 69 | 72 | 74 | 70 | 518.89 |
| T41 | John Harris | 286 | 69 | 75 | 72 | 70 | 370.00 |
| T41 | Monty Kaser | 286 | 70 | 70 | 74 | 72 | 370.00 |
| T41 | Lyn Lott | 286 | 74 | 69 | 69 | 74 | 370.00 |
| T41 | Dick Lotz | 286 | 70 | 70 | 73 | 73 | 370.00 |
| T41 | Sammy Rachels | 286 | 72 | 71 | 70 | 73 | 370.00 |
| T46 | Sam Adams | 287 | 74 | 70 | 71 | 72 | 270.83 |

| Player | Total | 1R | 2R | 3R | 4R | Money | |
|--------|-----------------|-----|----|----|----|-------|--------|
| T46 | Jim Jamieson | 287 | 70 | 72 | 72 | 73 | 270.83 |
| T46 | Grier Jones | 287 | 69 | 71 | 69 | 78 | 270.83 |
| T46 | Dwight Nevil | 287 | 72 | 71 | 73 | 71 | 270.83 |
| T46 | Don Pooley | 287 | 71 | 72 | 74 | 70 | 270.84 |
| T46 | Mike Wynn | 287 | 70 | 74 | 73 | 70 | 270.84 |
| T52 | Mike Evans | 288 | 75 | 66 | 74 | 73 | 227.50 |
| T52 | Richie Karl | 288 | 72 | 69 | 74 | 73 | 227.50 |
| T52 | Dave Newquist | 288 | 69 | 75 | 73 | 71 | 227.50 |
| T52 | Mike Reasor | 288 | 68 | 69 | 73 | 78 | 227.50 |
| T52 | Monte Sanders | 288 | 70 | 71 | 73 | 74 | 227.50 |
| T52 | Rocky Thompson | 288 | 70 | 74 | 70 | 74 | 227.50 |
| T58 | Ron Cerrudo | 289 | 69 | 73 | 70 | 77 | 202.50 |
| T58 | Perry Leslie | 289 | 72 | 72 | 70 | 75 | 202.50 |
| T58 | David Lundstrom | 289 | 71 | 71 | 75 | 72 | 202.50 |
| T58 | Roger Maltbie | 289 | 69 | 70 | 77 | 73 | 202.50 |
| T62 | Duke Butler | 290 | 72 | 72 | 75 | 71 | 177.50 |
| T62 | Babe Hiskey | 290 | 67 | 71 | 73 | 79 | 177.50 |
| T62 | Bill Kratzert | 290 | 69 | 74 | 73 | 74 | 177.50 |
| T62 | Gary McCord | 290 | 66 | 73 | 77 | 74 | 177.50 |
| T62 | Mike Mitchell | 290 | 69 | 74 | 73 | 74 | 177.50 |
| T62 | Larry Nelson | 290 | 68 | 71 | 77 | 74 | 177.50 |
| T68 | Bob Eastwood | 291 | 69 | 74 | 74 | 74 | 116.25 |
| T68 | Gene Frank | 291 | 65 | 77 | 76 | 73 | 116.25 |
| T68 | John Gentile | 291 | 72 | 71 | 73 | 75 | 116.25 |
| T68 | Lon Hinkle | 291 | 67 | 71 | 75 | 78 | 116.25 |
| T72 | Peter Beames | 292 | 70 | 74 | 75 | 73 | |
| T72 | John Jacobs | 292 | 71 | 69 | 73 | 79 | |
| T72 | Mike Odom | 292 | 69 | 75 | 73 | 75 | |
| T75 | Bill Calfee | 293 | 73 | 68 | 74 | 78 | |
| T75 | Gary Wintz | 293 | 69 | 72 | 77 | 75 | |
| 77 | Bill Mallon | 297 | 67 | 74 | 81 | 75 | |
| 78 | Austin Straub | 298 | 69 | 71 | 82 | 76 | |

Did Not Make Cut

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|-----|----------------|-----|----|----|----|---|
| Cut | Frank Beard | 145 | 70 | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| Cut | Bruce Lietzke | 145 | 70 | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| WD | Bruce Crampton | 144 | 69 | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| WD | Bill Rogers | 217 | 71 | 71 | 75 | 0 |
| WD | Bob Wynn | 144 | 70 | 74 | 0 | 0 |