

New Jersey State Golf Association / William Y. Dear
88th Junior and 39th Boys Championships – Qualifying Round
Essex Fells Country Club – Essex Fells, New Jersey - Monday, July 27, 2009

Anthony Alex of North Jersey Country Club carded an even par 70 (35-35) to claim qualifying round medalist honors at the 88th New Jersey State Golf Association / William Y. Dear Junior Championship at the par-70, 6286 yard Essex Fells Country Club in Essex Fells. Fresh off his appearance in the United States Junior Championship at Trump National last week, Alex, fourteen years of age from Wayne, has claimed the number one seed for the match play championship proper which begins tomorrow, July 28. Alex is also the 2008 NJSGA Boys Champion, and elected prior to the Championship to play up in class in the Junior division among sixteen and seventeen year old players.

In the 39th NJSGA/William Y. Dear Boys Championship, fourteen year old Louis Bodine of Copper Hill fired a one-over par 71 (35-36) to garner medalist honors in the under-fifteen division. Bodine, the resident of Flemington, has gained the top seed in the match play Boys Championship, which will be conducted simultaneously alongside the Junior Championship beginning tomorrow, July 28.

Sixteen players in each division have qualified for the match play championship; the official match play brackets for both the Junior and Boys Championships are posted at the NJSGA website: www.njsga.org.

Following is a listing of today's qualifiers

88th JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP:

Anthony Alex, North Jersey C.C., 35-35--70
Garrett Conway, Burlington C.C., 38-36--74
Charlie Edler, Rumson C.C., 39-35--74
Ben Alcorn, Fairmount C.C., 37-38--75
John Havay, High Bridge Hills G.C., 36-39--75
Doug Walters, Bear Brook G.C., 36-39--75
Jake Goldenring, Brooklake C.C., 35-41--76
Andy Maxman, Green Brook C.C., 39-37--76
Greg Simonds, Copper Hill C.C., 37-39--76
Maxwell Venables, Spring Lake G.C., 39-37--76
Robert Bonney III, Deal G. & C.C., 38-39--77
Alex Lagowitz, Essex County C.C., 36-41--77
Ernie Renda, Fox Hollow G.C., 38-39--77
*- Thomas Barnes, Seaview G.R., 39-39--78
*- Joseph D'uva, High Bridge Hills G.C., 40-38--78
*- T.J. Malman, Mendham G. & T.C., 39-39--78
*- Qualified in Playoff

39th BOYS CHAMPIONSHIP:

Louis Bodine, Copper Hill C.C., 35-36--71
Sean Lee, Neshanic Valley G.C., 35-39--74
Keith Schuman, Alpine C.C., 40-35--75
Vincent Martino, Montclair G.C., 41-38--79
James Willett, Warrenbrook G.C., 35-44--79
Charles Cai, Cranbury G.C., 37-43--80
Sean Doyle, Mercer Oaks G.C., 42-38--80
Jacob Gurock, Olde York C.C., 41-39--80
Matthew Love, Hackensack G.C., 38-42--80
Dan O'Rourke, Oak Hill G.C., 41-39--80
Steven Pedersen, Royce Brook G.C., 38-42--80
Max Klein, Basking Ridge C.C., 44-37--81
Lucas Ludgate, Rock Spring Club, 43-39--82
Sean Keane, Suburban G.C., 43-40--83
Scott Kim, Darlington G.C., 42-41--83
Michael Rojas, White Beeches G&CC, 37-46--83