

# 28th ANNUAL SHENANDOAH VALLEY ACADEMY ALUMNI GOLF 2025 REPORT



## Congratulations to the winners

### Putting Contest

Carl Blackburn

### Longest Drive

White: Barry Armstrong

Gold: Don Eckenroth

Green: Rob Deery

### Closest to the Pin

Nirmala Abraham

### First Place Team

Andy Marter

Lester Chavez

Kenny Sobremesana

Jeff Lowe

### Second Place Team

Neil Armstrong

Barry Armstrong

JP Santos

Tyler Armstrong

### Third Place Team

Jim Brodersen

Troy Copenhaver

Nathaniel Mayers

Timothy Mayers

### Fourth Place Team

Carl Showers

Bob Davis

Rob Deery

Art Grimes

Steve Blackwell

### Fifth Place Team

Tim Burton

Jimmy Gainer

Garth Thoresen

Bob Wilson

## Dear SVA Alumni and Friends,

The 28th annual golf event to benefit Shenandoah Valley Academy (SVA) was held on Friday, April 18, 2025 at Bryce Resort. More than \$59,000 was raised toward new SVA ballfield lights. The weather was beautiful!! A little fine golf was played. The highlights of golf prowess were acknowledged with cash prizes, some of which was left behind to support the fundraising effort. Approximately 40 door prizes were donated and distributed. Thank you, everyone, for a successful day!

Sincere appreciation to the generous sponsors listed in this report. Most of the work to ensure fundraising success is completed prior to play with significant sponsorships. Twenty-seven (27) teams participated, right at course capacity for the third year. Additional funds were raised the day of event with mulligan purchases and a putting contest.

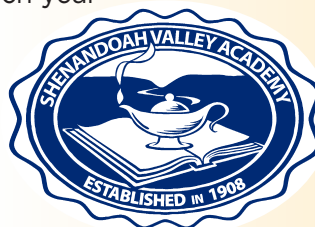
The field was pre-registered and pre-paid at this event and we enjoyed greetings, fellowship, and refreshment before the shotgun start. A full buffet lunch and prize distribution concluded our day.

Thank you for making this a fun and meaningful event each year with your participation, and for your generosity to SVA.

See you next year on April 17, 2026!

**Kurt Moon '83**

Alumni Golf Chair



**Pre-register your 2026  
team early by contacting  
janel.ware@svasda.org  
240-401-1169.  
The roster fills up fast.**





Grimm Aybar, Randy Aybar '84,  
Kurt Moon '83, Will Anderson '85



Bob Wilson '77, Garth Thoresen '76,  
Tim Burton '76, Jimmy Gainer '77



Mark Mitchell '75, Marvin Brauer '75,  
Steve Haley '75, Ron Brauer '75



Art Grimes '65, Steve Blackwell '65, Bob Davis '65,  
Carl Showers '65, Rob Deery '65



Nathaniel Mayers '23, Troy Copenhaver '98,  
Timothy Mayers, Jim Brodersen '63



Danny Lamberton, Kayne Leeper,  
Kaleb Leeper, Donald Leeper

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Kurt '83 and Jill Moon  
Potomac Conference of Seventh-day Adventists -  
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Stuart Ware '79, Janel Haas Ware '86, Carter Ware '15, Peyton Ware '16  
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of our alma mater!

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Peter Holler '08, Ryan Feltman '06**



**Rick Ramsey '76, Ray Irby '76,  
Charles Coffey '76, Don Eckenroth Jr.**



**Mike Price '80, Carl Blackburn '59,  
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**Tyler Armstrong '20, Neil Armstrong,  
Barry Armstrong '17**



**Dickie Hevener '76, Colt Peyton '82,  
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**Scotty Blackburn '89, Nirmala Abraham,  
Janet White, Kelli Hanon '88**



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**Ryan Heilman, Vernon Hsu, Mark Zimmerman  
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## Sponsorship Levels:

**TOURNAMENT  
\$5,000**

**PLATINUM  
\$2,000**

**GOLD  
\$1,000**

**SILVER  
\$750**

**BRONZE  
\$500**

**HOLE  
\$150**



**Save your team a place on the roster or make a sponsorship commitment for  
Alumni Golf April 17, 2026. Contact: [janel.ware@svasda.org](mailto:janel.ware@svasda.org) 240-401-1169**



**Anthony Southard, Shawn Lohr,  
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