

**CHICAGOLAND'S
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Park Ridge Country Club**

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Noel Zimmerman of Flossmoor Country Club, Flossmoor, Illinois, won a close victory over Dan Vidimos of Innsbrook CC, Merrillville, Indiana, in a three hole playoff of the "Champion of Champions Tournament" held annually at Park Ridge Country Club. The two players tied at even par 70 after 18 holes. In regulation play, the 205 yard par 3 17th hole took its toll on both players, with Zimmerman carding a double bogey 5 and Vidimos making bogey four, but both managed to par the difficult par 4 18th to record their even par scores.

The contestants also wound up even par after the second playoff hole. On the third and last hole, the double dogleg 18th, both players hit poor tee shots, with Vidimos landing in the fairway 250 yards from the green, and Zimmerman hooking his ball left into the trees. Vidimos' second shot landed in the left front bunker, 45 yards short of the green. Zimmerman was able to loft an iron through the trees, with his ball landing pin high in the left fringe. Vidimos' third shot out of the bunker flew towards the pin but landed short, and its spin carried it down the steep front of the green into the fairway, 40' below the hole. Zimmerman used a putter to hit his third shot within 5' of the pin. When Vidimos' first putt came up short, Zimmerman was able to hole a slippery side hill putt for a par and the victory.

