

GAIA Golf Tournament A Hit With Professional Golfers

Bridgetown, Barbados (April 11th, 2013) - Close to 70 professional golfers took part in this year's GAIA Open Golf tournament which took place last Saturday March 30th at the historic Rockley Golf Course.

The tournament, now in its second year, was eventually won by Curtis Johnson who collected the GAIA Open Challenge Cup. He competed in the First flight and finished with a total net score of 66.

David Walker finished second with a net of 69 while Anthony Kirton was third.

Tournament favorite, Judd Cozier finished seventh with a net of 71 behind last year's champion, Carson Leacock who finished way down the pack in 18th position with a net rate of 78.

In the second flight, Tracey Jones finished first with a net of 38 while John Crosthwaite finished second with the same score. Adrian Wilkinson placed third.

The tournament which commemorates the landing of the first international aircraft to land in Barbados on March 29th, 1929, attracted sponsorship from Nissan, Digicel, Tropical Computers, G4S Security, Runway Dutyfree, LIAT, Virgin Atlantic and Lynch Insurance Brokers.

The Barbados Light Aeroplane Club also added to the day's event when two of its members, Gordon Gittens and Kirk Phillips treated spectators to a take-off and landing of two light model aircraft in commemoration of the landing.



Winner of the GAIA Invitational Golf Tournament, Curtis Johnson, (second from left) collects his prizes from GAIA Inc.'s Chief Operating Officer, Joseph Johnson and Regional Product Manager for Courtesy Garage, Samuel Gaston. At left is Captain of Rockley Golf Club, Rolf Phillips.

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