

The weather started out bad and got worse as the tournament progressed.

A drenching rain hit the Monterey Peninsula Thursday morning and 50-mile per-hour winds whipped the golfers in the afternoon. Tournament officials compared the day to the worst they could remember since the Bing Crosby tournament moved to the Monterey Peninsula in 1947. Only 17 of 150 professionals were able to match or better par and 15 of those played at Monterey Peninsula Country Club.

Ed Furgol three-putted from two feet on the 17th green at Pebble Beach. His chip shot stopped two feet from the hole, and his first putt rimmed the cup and, accelerated by the wind, rolled six feet below the hole. His second putt also rimmed the cup and halted eight feet away. Furgol made that putt for a double bogey 5.

Taking advantage of a "perfect" day, cloudy and mild, Ken Venturi posted a 68 at Cypress Point on Saturday to take the lead with a score of 209.

Venturi struggled through the rain and wind on Sunday for a 77, but his 286 total still was three strokes ahead of runnersup Julius Boros and Tommy Jacobs. Boros was one of four players to card one over par 73 that day. The others were Doug Ford, Al Balding and Wes Ellis. Don January, who started three shots back of Venturi, birdied from the bunker on the third hole as Venturi three-putted, and pulled to within one shot of the lead. But January blew his chances when he hooked his tee shot out of bounds on the par-3 fifth and took a 4 after sinking a 40-foot putt. He double bogeyed the par-3 seventh.

Gene Littler, who started two back of Venturi, pulled his tee shot into the water hazard on the fifth for a double bogey and also bogeyed the eighth and ninth holes to go out in 40 and out of contention.

Bud Ward and Bob Silvestri won the Pro-Am with 262. Silvestri helped Ward 37 strokes.

**LEADERS:** *First round*—Dick Knight (MPCC) 67, Gene Littler (MPCC) 67, Paul O'Leary 70, Tommy Jacobs 70, Ken Venturi 70. *Second round*—Mike Souchak (MPCC) 66–139, Gene Littler 73–140. *Third round*—Ken Venturi (CP) 68–209, Littler 71–211.

**CUT:** There were 62 players at 226 and under after 54 holes. Team cut was 205 with 46 teams surviving for final round.

**WEATHER:** Thursday—Cloudy with rain and gusty winds. Friday—Cloudy, mild, 61. Saturday—Mostly cloudy, mild, 61. Sunday—Cloudy, rain most of day.

	Finishing Position	1st Round	2nd Round	3rd Round	4th Round	Total	Money
Ken Venturi	1	70	71	68	77	286	4,000
Julius Boros	T2	73	71	72	73	289	2,150
Tommy Jacobs	T2	70	74	70	75	289	2,150
Ed Oliver	T4	73	68	73	76	290	1,500
Don January	T4	72	71	69	78	290	1,500
Billy Maxwell	T6	71	74	67	78	291	1,250
Gene Littler	T6	67	73	71	80	291	1,250
Doug Ford	8	73	76	70	73	292	1,100
Billy Casper	T9	74	72	73	75	294	1,025
Paul Harney	T9	75	73	70	76	294	1,025
Sam Reynolds	T11	76	73	71	75	295	875
Babe Lichardus	T11	76	72	73	74	295	875
Bob Goalby	T11	76	70	69	80	295	875
Dow Finsterwald	T11	71	71	70	83	295	875
Arnold Palmer	T15	78	70	73	75	296	670
Frank Stranahan	T15	74	74	71	77	296	670
Jackie Burke	T15	77	70	71	78	296	670
Art Wall	T15	71	73	79	78	296	670
George Bayer	T15	72	75	71	78	296	670
Al Balding	T20	77	72	75	73	297	510
Tommy Bolt	T20	76	77	69	75	297	510
Chick Harbert	T20	75	69	71	82	297	510
Jimmy Clark	T23	72	76	71	79	298	352
Dick Knight	T23	67	77	75	79	298	352
Mike Souchak	T23	76	66	77	82	298	352
Wes Ellis	T23	80	72	73	73	298	352
Mason Rudolph	T23	77	73	66	82	298	352
Jerry Barber	T28	78	72	69	80	299	210
Bill Collins	T28	73	70	76	80	299	210
Earl Stewart	T28	71	76	72	80	299	210
Don Whitt	T28	74	70	75	80	299	210
Bud Ward	T28	78	76	70	75	299	210
Bill Ezinicki	T33	75	73	75	77	300	100
Stan Leonard	T33	78	75	70	77	300	100
Johnny Pott	T33	80	74	70	76	300	100
Jack Fleck	T33	71	77	73	79	300	100
Cary Middlecoff	T33	77	70	74	79	300	100
Paul O'Leary	T38	70	73	80	78	301	100
Tony Lema	T38	78	68	76	79	301	100
John Cook	T38	74	74	72	81	301	100
Dave Ragan	T41	78	73	71	80	302	100
Al Besselink	T41	72	74	72	84	302	100
Al Geiberger	T43	75	74	71	83	303	100
Gay Brewer	T43	81	75	70	77	303	100
George Buzzini, Sr.	T43	81	74	71	77	303	100
Harry Weetman	T43	78	73	73	79	303	100
Harry Dee	T43	72	79	75	77	303	100
Jim Ferree	T48	71	81	73	79	304	100
Jim Turnesa	T48	73	75	76	80	304	100
Johnny Bulla	T50	83	67	74	81	305	100
Tom Nieporte	T50	75	71	76	83	305	100
Howie Johnson	T50	78	72	73	82	305	100
Bill Johnston	T53	81	72	73	80	306	100
Eric Monti	T53	74	76	74	82	306	100
Bob Goetz	T53	73	76	72	85	306	100
Art Bell	T53	75	74	75	82	306	100
Smiley Quick	T53	81	74	75	82	306	100
Walter Burkemo	T58	75	72	77	83	307	100

Huston LaClair	T58	72	75	74	86	307	100
Buster Cupit	60	77	72	75	84	308	100
Dave Marr	61	81	71	73	84	309	100
Lloyd Mangrum	62	77	75	74	84	310	100

### TOP TEN TEAM RESULTS

Professional/ Amateur	Finishing Position	1	Round				Final	Sub- Par	1st Place Pro—\$
Bud Ward/ Bob Silvestri	1	70	63	63	66		262	(26)	\$2,000
Julius Boros/ Don Schwab	T2	67	64	64	70		265	(23)	
Ken Venturi/ Harvie Ward	T2	65	66	65	69		265	(23)	
George Bayer/ Morgan Barofsky	T3	64	68	63	71		266	(22)	
Billy Maxwell/ Dr. Bob Knudson	5	67	67	63	71		268	(20)	
Doug Ford/ Arne Boscacci	T6	67	71	62	69		269	(19)	
Ron Nicol/ Wheeler Farish, Jr.	T6	68	67	65	69		269	(19)	
Mason Rudolph/ Curtis Person	T8	65	67	64	74		270	(18)	
Bob Rosburg/ Jim Garner	T8	72	65	64	69		270	(18)	
Lionel Hebert/ Pete Elliott	T8	76	66	60	68		270	(18)	