



Donny Mailer got his first hole in one.

Donny Mailer Scores Ace, Wins OCC Golf at Leilehua

By Marc Osmun

As with most golf layouts, Leilehua Golf Course has four par-three holes.

During OCC's September 20th tournament there, Donny Mailer's approach shots landed closest to the hole on three of the four, winning a total of \$60. It was a good thing too, because one of those shots ended up in the hole. It was the first ace in Outrigger tournament memory, obligating Donny to buy drinks for everyone.

The hole-in-one shot was Mailer's first and came on the 175-yard, 12th hole and flew just short of the pin, hopped twice, then disappeared down the pipe.

"There were still six holes left to play. Six holes before we reached the grill and the bar," said Joie

Gopez, one of the foursome. "But we needed some drinks right then and there."

"Mark (Osmun) called it in the air," Donny recounted. "He said, 'That's in the hole, man!' He was the first one to look in the hole too, but when he got there he just shook his head and said, 'Sorry, Donny. It must have scooted on by. I'll go check the bunker.' He was just messing with me."

Mailer's 77 total was good enough to win low gross and an OCC gift certificate. Osmun's 87 (which include a nine on one par-four) was the second-best non-handicapped score.

Lloyd Jones took low-net with 71. Joie Gopez and Strat Whiting tied for second in that category with net-73s. Joie also took closest-to-the-pin on the one hole Mailer didn't.