

Golf

Kratzert Ends Slump With Pensacola Victory

Associated Press

PENSACOLA, Fla., Oct. 28—Bill Kratzert completed a five-under-par 66 with birdies on three of his last four holes, broke a four-year slump and scored a two-stroke victory today in the Pensacola Open.

Kratzert, 32, once regarded as one of golf's rising young stars, scored the fourth victory of his career and his first since 1980 with a 270 total, 14 strokes under par on the Perdido Bay Inn and Resort course.

The victory in this, the final official event on the 10-month PGA Tour, was worth \$54,000 from the total purse of \$300,000 and boosted Kratzert's 1984 winnings to \$149,827.

John Mahaffey, who held a two-shot lead with four holes to go, and Ken Brown of Scotland tied for second. Mahaffey, winner of the Bob Hope Classic early this season, had a closing 68. Brown, the third-round leader, had a 69.

Watson Wins Again

Associated Press

PENSACOLA, Fla., Oct. 28—Tom Watson, half a world away in Japan, became the beneficiary of events in the Pensacola Open and won a record sixth PGA player of the year award today.

Watson had clinched a fifth money-winning title Friday when Mark O'Meara and Andy Bean missed the cut for the last two rounds of the final official event on the 10-month PGA Tour schedule.

Watson won player of the year with 56 points on the point list that the PGA uses to determine its award. South African Denis Watson, tied for the lead going into the final week of the season, was second with 54 points.

Points are awarded for tournament victories, as well as positions on the lists of the leaders in money-winnings and scoring average, on the basis of 20 for first, 18 for second and so on down to 2 for 10th.

Denis Watson, who had a final-round 73 and a 288 total here, had 40 points from tournament wins, and 14 for his fourth-place finish in money-winnings. Tom Watson got 30 points from tournament victo-

ries in the Match Play Championship, Tournament of Champions and Western Open, 20 for leading in money-winnings and 6 for his eighth-place finish in scoring average (70.971).

Japanese Win

Associated Press

INASHIKI, Japan, Oct. 28—Japan won the team title and Hollis Stacy of the United States took individual honors today in the 54-hole, \$154,000 U.S.-Japan team golf championship.

The Japanese, the 18 top eligible players selected from the official Japanese tour money winning list, beat their American counterparts, 49-41, in the three-day event held over the 6,260-yard par-72 Edozaki Country Club course.

Going into today's round, the Japanese trailed, 28-26, but overtook the Americans by winning 10, losing five and tying three singles matches to score 23 points to the Americans' 13.

The Japanese team won \$72,000, with each player receiving \$4,000. Each American player collected \$2,000. It was Japan's second team title victory since the two-nation event started in 1979. The Americans still lead with four triumphs.

Stacy beat Tatsuko Ohsako, the No. 1 Japanese money winner this season, for the \$22,000 first prize in a playoff. Stacy and Ohsako completed the 36-hole regulation play at 138. Stacy birdied the first playoff hole and Ohsako parred.

Wadkins Rallies

United Press International

TOKYO, Oct. 28—Lanny Wadkins shot a 63 in the fourth and final round of the World Championship of Golf today to overtake Chen Tze-Ming of Taiwan and earn the \$82,000 winner's purse. Wadkins finished with a 266, followed by Chen and Nick Price at 270.

Tied for fourth at 273 in the \$500,000 meet were Tom Watson and David Graham. Seve Ballesteros, who led the field with a 201 at the end of the third round, shot 73 to finish in sixth place at 274.



Grete Waitz of Norway makes winning New York City Marathon a habit. Her 2:29:30 produced her sixth NYC victory.

Pizzolato Surprises Everyone in Marathon

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cerizing treatment; 81 required hospitalization. Last year, only nine runners were taken to hospitals.

Pizzolato, who has run, but never won, 11 other marathons, was a huge surprise in this race. His competitors said they didn't know who he was when he breezed past them between the 12th and 13th miles in the working class Greenpoint neighborhood of Brooklyn to take a lead he never relinquished. Murphy and the others, including favorite and defending champion Rod Dixon, who withdrew with leg cramps after 21 miles, figured he would finally come back to them.

Pizzolato's lead, once 70 seconds with eight miles remaining, withered to 10 seconds with two miles to go. Murphy, who forced himself to look at the ground, not at Pizzolato's back, imagined himself alongside Pizzolato's shoulder.

"This will be a great finish," he said he told himself. "This is going to be a real dramatic finish again."

Last year, Dixon passed leader Geoff Smith in the last mile to win by nine seconds. In that race, Pizzolato was 27th in 2:15:28. He had hoped to finish 20th this time.

But this fall, it stayed hot in Milan, where Pizzolato lives with his parents. He was in good shape. And, for a change, most of the world's best marathon runners decided to skip New York, either to rest after the Olympics or to run in Chicago last weekend.

Pizzolato did not make the Italian Olympic team and is not considered even one of the top five marathon runners in the country. "He is too nervous before races," said Laura Fogli of Italy, the third-place finisher among the women. "When he has lost before, many times, it was because he was nervous."

If Pizzolato is known for anything in Italy, it is for running road races. Basically, though, he is not known for anything in Italy.

Now that he has the \$25,000 first-place check and a new Mercedes-Benz worth \$22,000, that may change.

Pizzolato was back in the pack for the first 10 miles, trailing the early leaders, who included fourth-place finisher Pat Petersen of Ronkonkoma, N.Y.

"I began to run fast at 10 miles, but I didn't think I had a chance to win until 15-20 miles," Pizzolato said. He passed Jose Gomez, another early leader, and Petersen as they neared the 13th mile, and then headed into Queens, where the Mondale-Ferraro posters got especially thick and the hazy Manhattan skyline came into view.

But just past the 21-mile mark, nearly 40 seconds ahead of Murphy, Pizzolato stopped running. He looked

behind him, hung his head, and poured water over himself.

"It was a psychological problem," he said with the help of an interpreter. "I was lucky nobody was coming from behind. It means that the people behind were not doing better than me."

Murphy, who moved into second place after 19 miles, was determined not to follow Pizzolato's pace. He finished 44th in the London Marathon earlier this year because he burned out staying with the leaders. "I was hoping to have enough left in the last six miles to catch him," Murphy said. "He was hurting at the end. We were all hurting. But I didn't catch him."

If ever there were a deceiving finish, this was it. Murphy looked much fresher than Pizzolato, and ran much faster (16 seconds faster in the 22nd mile alone) until the final mile and a half.

"If you look back and that guy sees you look back, you're in trouble," Murphy said. "He was in trouble. If I could have gotten up to his shoulder, it would have been very competitive."

As it was, their legacy is that they finished first and second in the slowest New York City Marathon in the nine years it has been run on the five-borough course.

Third place went to Herbert Steffy of Freiburg, West Germany, in 2:16:22. "I've got to show you something I put on," he told a news conference, standing up to model shorts made out of an American flag. "I got one million people to cry 'U-S-A' to me. Sorry, it was a trick."

In the women's race, Waitz led from the beginning, easily defeating Veronique Marot of England (2:33:58) and Fogli (2:37:25).

But, she said, "I was seriously thinking about dropping out around 10 miles. I had diarrhea. I drink a lot not to be dehydrated... I've had it other times, always when it's warm and I drink a lot of water."

Meanwhile, Gabriele Andersen-Schiess became the folk heroine of the race. In the Olympics, she staggered to a dramatic 37th-place finish in the women's marathon with a time of 2:48:42.

Today, she finished with no trouble in 11th place in 2:42:24, as spectators recognized her and shouted out her name.

"It was a hard race," she said, "because in the back of my mind was lingering my experience at the Olympics. After hearing the forecast, I was a little disappointed that I would have to fight similar conditions to those at Los Angeles."

"So I went out very, very carefully, and in those last few miles, I told myself to keep remembering the Olympics. I'm pleased I finished in a lot better state than I did at the Olympics."

NEW YORK CITY MARATHON RESULTS

Men	Women
1. Orlando Pizzolato, Italy, 2:14:53; 2. David Murphy, England, 2:15:36; 3. Herbert Steffy, West Germany, 2:16:22; 4. Pat Petersen, Ronkonkoma, N.Y., 2:16:35; 5. Gianni Demadonna, Italy, 2:17:05; 6. Michael Spoettel, West Germany, 2:17:11; 7. Antoni Niemczak, Poland, 2:17:34; 8. Nick Brown, England, 2:17:42; 9. Ahmed Ismail, Somalia, 2:18:16; 10. Zakariah Bano, Tanzania, 2:18:27; 11. Ryszard Marczak, Poland, 2:18:29; 12. Mehmet Terz, Turkey, 2:19:12; 13. Jukka Toivola, Finland, 2:19:18; 14. Lund-Syke Robertson, Scotland, 2:20:09; 15. Mohamed Rutogga, Tanzania, 2:20:29; 16. Mats Ericson, Sweden, 2:20:38; 17. David Clark, Scotland, 2:21:04; 18. John Geirnaert, Belgium, 2:21:09; 19. Keith Johnson, Denmark, 2:21:16; 20. Larry Barthow, Boston, 2:21:39; 21. Pedro Rodriguez, Spain, 2:21:52; 22. Alfons Abellán, Spain, 2:22:01; 23. Jimmy Asworth, England, 2:22:14; 24. Lou Supino, Colorado Springs, 2:22:57; 25. Zoltan Kiss, Hungary, 2:22:59; 26. Odis Sanders, Freeport, N.Y., 2:23:29; 27. Edward Swacochna, Dallas, 2:23:46; 28. Robert Schlu, Isle of Palms, S.C., 2:23:58; 29. Dan Rechner, Warwick, N.Y., 2:24:01; 30. Derek Stevens, England, 2:24:29; 31. Jose Gomez, Mexico, 2:24:30; 32. Michael Sandin, Newton, Mass., 2:24:53; 33. Michael Feurtado, Ozone Park, N.Y., 2:25:17; 35. Jeff Rawling, Norway, 2:25:28; 36. Jose DeMata, Brazil, 2:25:43; 37. Julio Reig, Brazil, 2:26:08; 38. Paul Carach, France, 2:26:28; 39. Demingio Calian, Spain, 2:26:33; 40. Mike Gratton, England, 2:26:46; 41. Paul Craig, Ireland, 2:26:53; 42. Kyle Heffner, Tiger, Tex., 2:26:54; 43. Paul Nugent, Hoboken, N.Y., 2:27:05; 44. Ricardo Ortega, Spain, 2:27:19; 45. Kevin Moats, Atlanta, 2:27:23; 46. Roger Robinson, New Zealand, 2:27:33; 47. Caylan Fernandez, Spain, 2:27:44; 48. Saiti Hayashi, Japan, 2:28:02; 49. Jerry Tighe, Vancouver, 2:28:09; 50. Jose Jomi, Ecuador, 2:28:26; 51. Joseph D. Puppelo, Shelton, Conn., 2:28:35; 52. Giuseppe Gerbi, Italy, 2:28:56; 53. Edward J. Merkle, Louisville, 2:29:09; 54. Donald P. Matthuna, Ireland, 2:29:13; 55. Clifford P. Karthaus, Lincoln, Neb., 2:29:19; 56. Martinez Reyes, Mexico, 2:29:29; 57. Grete Waitz, Norway, 2:29:30; 58. Fionnuala O'Connell, Harrington Park, N.J., 2:29:35; 59. Chris Prior, Vandalia, Ohio, 2:29:49; 60. James R. Bright, Beaverton, Ore., 2:29:51; 61. Mark L. Bossard, Huntington, N.Y., 2:30:09; 62. Alex Bonn, Sweden, 2:30:16; 63. Dennis Fowles, Wales, 2:30:40; 64. Brad Hawthorne, Pleasant Hill, Calif., 2:30:40; 65. Daniel A. Lhuillier, Orono, Me., 2:30:52; 66. Juan H. Garcia, Mexico, 2:31:48; 67. Odivar Bra, Norway, 2:32:06; 68. Dominique Cox, France, 2:32:25; 69. Larry E. Almborg, 2:32:35; 70. Wally M. Gausemeyer, Canada, 2:32:39; 71. Peter Lehmann, Switzerland, 2:32:43; 72. Anelio Bocci, Italy, 2:32:52; 73. Robert Willerer, Easton, Pa., 2:33:29; 74. Volker Dorn, West Germany, 2:33:38; 75. Fabian Araujo, Ecuador, 2:33:52; 76. Francisco Rivera, Mexico, 2:33:54; 77. Veronique M.	1. Grete Waitz, Norway, 2:29:30; 2. Veronique Marot, England, 2:33:58; 3. Laura Fogli, Italy, 2:37:25; 4. Luzanne Bussereau, Montreal, 2:37:34; 5. Judi St. Hilaire, Brighton, Mass., 2:37:49; 6. Carolyn May, Ireland, 2:38:11; 7. Renata Walendzak, Poland, 2:40:48; 8. Charlotte Teske, West Germany, 2:41:16; 9. Rita Marchiso, Italy, 2:41:18; 10. Laura Alban, Grand Rapids, Mich., 2:42:12; 11. Gabriele Andersen-Schiess, Switzerland, 2:42:24; 12. Gillian Horowitz, England, 2:43:27; 13. Mary O'Connor, New Zealand, 2:45:00; 14. Eiv Palm, Sweden, 2:45:18; 15. Linda McLennan, Gainesville, Fla., 2:45:27; 16. Joyce Smith, England, 2:46:17; 17. Carol Myers, East Berlin, Pa., 2:46:25; 18. Daniela Tiberti, Italy, 2:46:59; 19. Paola Morp, Italy, 2:47:17; 20. Deirdre O'Farrelly, New York, 2:47:56; 21. Kiki Swigart, Darien, Conn., 2:48:11; 22. Sissel Grottenburg, Norway, 2:50:44; 23. Chantal Langica, France, 2:51:59; 24. Burgi Lonnartz, West Germany, 2:52:39; 25. Carol Gould, England, 2:54:47; 26. Maria Trujillo, Mexico, 2:56:04; 27. Kathy Culla, Valley Cottage, N.Y., 2:56:17; 28. Jane Arnold, Bloomfield, Conn., 2:56:30; 29. Françoise Dupont, France, 2:57:38; 30. Lena Holm, Sweden, 2:57:50; 31. Cynthia Willis, New York, 2:58:17; 32. Nancy Kelly, Scarsdale, N.Y., 2:59:17; 33. Susan Keegan, New York, 3:00:27; 34. Margaret Ballantyne, Canada, 3:01:30; 35. Françoise Luchs, Teaneck, N.J., 3:01:38; 36. Yvonne Myvett, New York, 3:01:41; 37. Lu Melis, Netherlands, 3:02:29; 38. Elaine Remert, Brazil, 3:04:01; 39. Kim Nalen, Minneapolis, 3:04:16; 40. Marilyn Mallin, West Islip, N.Y., 3:05:27; 41. Caryl Andrew, Liverpool, N.Y., 3:05:59; 42. Patricia O'Brien, Annapolis, 3:06:26; 43. Tenny Duzich, Mexico, 3:06:49; 44. Meen Boddelid, Sweden, 3:07:39; 45. Sharon Given, Huntington, N.Y., 3:07:52; 46. Eileen Smith, Napa, Calif., 3:08:34; 47. Kim Schmidt, Westfield, N.J., 3:09:30; 48. Sonia Ambrosy, West Germany, 3:09:44; 49. Margarit Dias, Brazil, 3:09:50; 50. Maria Dos Santos, Brazil, 3:10:43

George Mason Runner Tops Area Entrants

By Steve Nearman
Special to The Washington Post

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—Two days before the New York City Marathon, George Mason University's cross country coach, John Cook, predicted that one of his runners would place in the top 10.

Ahmed Ismail, a junior transfer student from Somalia, proved Cook right by placing ninth here today in 2 hours 18 minutes 16 seconds.

Ismail, who transferred from Seton Hall to George Mason to study engineering and run track, paced himself to his best marathon time on the hottest day in the 15-year history of the race. After the fog cleared and the sun broke through the clouds, temperatures were in the mid-70s by the end of the race, and the humidity reached an unprecedented 96 percent.

The conditions did not seem to bother Ismail. The 20-year-old Somali finished his second marathon five minutes better than his 2:23 effort in the 1984 Olympic marathon. In that race Ismail baffled running experts by leading for the first 17 kilometers, and placing 43rd.

While Ismail was by far the best Washington-area performer, it seemed for half of the race that a Maryland runner might win. However, Terry Baker of Hagerstown, Md., dropped from the lead in Queens, after 13 miles, and failed to finish.

Another area runner seeded among the 17,814 starters, Matt Wilson of Burke, Va., dropped out after running with the leaders.

The second area man to finish in Central Park was Stan Fletcher, 31, an Annapolis resident and member of the Washington Running Club. His 2:38:52 was more than 11 minutes off his best marathon, but good for 118th place.

Henry Barksdale of Washington ran 29 places back in 2:41:20, well off his best marathon of 2:18:04.

Finishing as the 10th woman and 157th overall was Laura (DeWald) Albers of Grand Rapids, Mich. The former Arlington resident struggled through the heat to a 2:42:12.

Three other area runners broke three hours. Terence Colton of Silver Spring was 211th in 2:45:37; Gust Svanson of Alexandria 437th in 2:56:39 and John Hale of Washington 438th in 2:56:39.

Carl Schuler of Silver Spring, who took sixth in the 1984 Olympic 50-kilometer racewalk, was runner-up in the racewalk category at 3:30.

1,180 Runners Are Given Medical Aid

By Steve Nearman
Special to The Washington Post

NEW YORK, Oct. 28—"I'm looking at the law of averages," said Fred Lebow, director of the New York City Marathon, addressing questions from reporters about the death and numerous heat-related hospitalizations at today's race.

Eileen Hertzberg of the New York Emergency Medical Services said that 1,180 runners had been treated, including some who "just stopped to get their blood pressure checked," and 81 who were hospitalized.

Lebow had planned to announce the death of Jacques Bussereau at the awards ceremony but, instead, congratulated runners and fielded questions.

"It's the first death in the New York City Marathon," he said. "In 15 years, we've had over 100,000 runners and this is the first fatality. I'm looking at the law of averages. If you have over 100,000 chess players or 100,000 golfers, it would be the same thing. But this doesn't negate our sorrow in the situation."

He said he was surprised by the 96 percent humidity, but maintained he had taken sufficient precautions to curtail health problems.

"We bought an additional 30,000 cups, doubled the shipment of ice," he said. "We sent out information to radio stations to have neighbors bring out water hoses... and we made several repeated announcements before the race, at least a dozen, for the runners to drink plenty of water."

"We had over 14,600 finishers in today's marathon. And our biggest problem was exhaustion more than dehydration. I don't know the total numbers yet. But at Elmhurst (a hospital in Queens), where Bussereau was taken, there were half a dozen runners that were treated and released. I asked Elmhurst what the cause was and they said they (the runners) just had exhaustion."

He stressed that details about the fatality were sketchy. "The doctor says that he believes it was a coronary," Lebow said. "I asked him if the heat and humidity added to the cause. He said that he doubted it." Lebow said a member of 500-athlete French team told him that "Bussereau had had a heart attack four years ago."

HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

HIGHLIGHTS

Maryland: Wayne Greatorex had 16 tackles and led a Kennedy defense that foiled a two-point conversion run attempt, enabling the 10th-ranked Cavaliers to defeat Sherwood, 14-13, and remain unbeaten. Bruce Williams threw a touchdown pass to Chet Walters as Wilde Lake won, 12-9, in overtime over Glenelg and moved into a three-way tie for first in the Howard County League.

Virginia: Madison remained in contention for the Great Falls District title by defeating South

Lakes, 20-3. Langley's Pat Michelitch scored twice on short runs in a 23-9 upset of Washington-Lee.

District: Gideon Fobbs, playing on a bruised knee, threw two first-half touchdown passes as McKinley upset Coolidge, 15-12, in an Interscholastic West Division game. Rodney Wilson returned two interceptions for touchdowns as unbeaten H.D. Woodson crushed Eastern, 35-0. Theodore Roosevelt moved into undisputed first place in the West Division by beating Dunbar, 16-0.

UPS

Maryland: No. 2 DeMatha spotted Gonzaga a 15-0 lead before rallying to win, 42-29, and take over first place in the Metro Conference. Mike Anderson rushed for 188 yards and scored three times for the Stags.

Virginia: T.C. Williams solidified its hold on No. 1 with a 21-8 win over previously unbeaten and third-ranked Robinson in a Northern District game. Glen Williams threw three scoring passes, two to Eric Quinto.

District: Wilson broke a nine-game losing streak with a 25-19 triumph over Cardozo. Wilson trailed, 13-0, before backup Ola Ogunfidimiti threw a touchdown pass and scored on a 22-yard run with 38 seconds left.

DOWNES

Maryland: Suitland lost to No. 7 Friendly, 46-6, and has lost 19 straight games over a three-year period. Suitland has been outscored this season, 219-33.

Virginia: Annandale lost its first to Jefferson in seven years as Mark Beachy, who plays both ways, threw a scoring pass and intercepted a pass at Jefferson's eight in the last seconds to save a 13-7 win. The Atoms are 4-5, their worst record in 12 years.

District: Carroll, contending for first place in the Metro Conference, was upset by Good Counsel when Brian Miller kicked a 33-yard field goal in overtime to give the Falcons a 19-17 victory. Carroll had beaten Good Counsel eight consecutive times.

NEXT WEEK

Maryland: No. 6 Churchill (7-1, 4-1) is host to Wootton (5-3, 5-0) in a Montgomery AA League game Saturday at 2A.

Virginia: Episcopal (7-1, 4-1) can wrap up the Interstate Athletic Conference championship Friday by beating Landon (6-1, 3-1) at 3. No. 1-ranked T.C. Williams (8-0, 3-0) must defeat visiting W.T. Woodson (7-1, 2-1) Saturday at 1:30 to remain in first place in the Northern District race.

District: Theodore Roosevelt (6-2) can gain at least a tie for the Interhigh West Division title by beating host M. Kinley (4-2) Friday at 2:45.

RANKINGS

1. T.C. Williams	8-0
2. DeMatha	8-0
3. Oxon Hill	8-0
4. H.D. Woodson	7-0
5. Robinson	7-1
6. Churchill	7-1
7. Friendly	7-1
8. Stonewall Jackson	7-0-1
9. Magruder	8-0
10. Kennedy	8-0
11. Springbrook	7-1
12. Anacostia	7-1
13. W.T. Woodson	7-1
14. Potomac (Va.)	7-1
15. Annapolis	8-0
16. Carroll	6-2-1
17. Handley	8-0
18. Thomas Stone	8-0
19. Madison	7-1
20. Poolesville	7-0