Kirkwood wins regional golf title

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PANORA - The Kirkwood Eagles captured the Region XI men's golf title Sunday by 24 shots at the Lake Panorama Golf Club in Panora.

The Eagles held a slim two-shot lead after the first round on Saturday, but they scorched the course on Sunday and posted an impressive victory. Kirkwood finished at 602 for a 24-stroke margin over lowa Lakes.

Carson Whittington and Jordan Even of Kirkwood tied for first place in the individual standings at 6-over-par 150 for 36 holes. Louis Flynn of Kirkwood finished a shot behind his teammates at 151 for third place.

Charlie Hartwig took eighth for Kirkwood at 156.

Flynn and Hartwig fired even-par rounds of 72 on Sunday.

TEAM STANDINGS

1. Kirkwood 602, 2. Iowa Lakes 626, 3. DMACC 628, 4. Iowa Central 641, 5. Northeast 649, 6. Southwestern 660, 7. NIACC 669, 8. Ellsworth 745.

KIRKWOOD RESULTS

1. (tie) Carson Whittington 75-75=150, 1. (tie) Jordan Even 74-76=150, 3. Louis Flynn 79-72=151, 8. (tie) Charlie Hartwig 84-72=156, 21. Eddie Doyle 79-84=163.