



Open Championship Golf Print, Jack Nicklaus, By Arthur Weaver

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Height: 45 cm (17.7")

Width: 59.5 cm (23.4")

Description

Jack Nicklaus Golf Print By Arthur Weaver.

A colourful golf lithograph signed by the artist, Arthur Weaver, of Jack Nicklaus driving at the 9th hole "Punchbowl" at Hoylake during the 1967 British Open Championship. This was the 96th Open Championship, played from 12-15 July at Royal Liverpool Golf Club, Hoylake. Roberto De Vincenzo, won his only major championship, two strokes ahead of runner-up and defending champion Jack Nicklaus. The picture titled :- The Master Stroke, Jack Nicklaus driving at the 9th "Punchbowl" Hoylake, Cheshire in the British Open Championship 1967 by Arthur Weaver. Published in 1969 by Frost & Reed Limited of Bristol and London, England. Copyright in all countries, including the U.S.A. Foreign.

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The Royal Liverpool Golf Club is a Links course in Merseyside, in the North West of England. Their Clubhouse is located in the small town of Hoylake, consequently the course is often referred to as Hoylake. It was founded in 1869 on what was then the racecourse of the Liverpool Hunt Club and Robert Chambers and George Morris (younger brother of Old Tom Morris) were commissioned to lay out the original course. The course was extended to 18 holes in 1871 when it also received the 'Royal' designation due to the patronage of the Duke of Connaught of the day, who was one of Queen Victoria's younger sons. Hoylake has a long and distinguished history of golfing firsts. It was originator and host to the inaugural men's amateur championship in 1885, which became The Amateur Championship. It was host to the first ever international match between Scotland and England in 1902. It hosted the first Home International matches, and the first transatlantic contest between Great Britain & Ireland and the USA in 1921, an event which became the Walker Cup the following year. In fact, it is Royal Liverpool Golf Club's contribution to the amateur game that has set it apart from all other clubs in England.