

DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH

January 2003

(Through the Green)

Newsletter of the Roseville Golf Club



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to the Roseville Golf Club for Year 2003. We have a great schedule of tournaments, Home and Away this year, so join in the fun and sign up early!

The new Board and I are looking forward to this New Year and some challenges along the way. We will be asking many of you to assist on the various committees, so when asked I hope your response will be positive. We have the best golf club in the area and you, the membership, are the reason so **PLEASE GET INVOLVED!**

I would like to take this time to thank Gary Krohn for all his work this past year and the outgoing Board Members. I would also like to welcome the new Board members to the New Year.

I look forward to meeting as many of you during the year as I can and hope to see you at our first open meeting on **Thursday, January 16 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Legends and Heroes at Diamond Oaks.

Joe Santone
President

VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I'm looking forward to the 2003 New Year and another season of Great Tournament Golf.

So Tee them high and let them Fly!

Harry Wharff
Vice President

TREASURER'S MESSAGE

First, I would like to thank everyone for the completed applications with your Dues. This makes life much easier for me and for the Secretary at the busiest time of the year for the Club.

Some Members have asked-- WHERE DO MY DUES GO???

Renewal:.....	\$60.00		
New or Late Renewal:.....			\$75.00
Less:			
NCGA Dues:.....	\$25.00	(42%)	\$35.00 (47%)
Fund set a side for extra Tournament			
Prize Fund Money (Voted by Membership).....	\$10.00	(16%)	\$10.00 (13%)
Balance to run <u>YOUR</u> Golf Club:.....	\$25.00	(42%)	\$30.00 (40%)

(THE BELOW FIGURES ARE BASED ON THE 2002 EXPENSES)

Expenses set by Club By-Laws:.....	\$9.67 per Member
Money put into Special Tournaments:	\$7.25 per Member
Newsletters + Postage:.....	\$5.91 per Member
Dues (NCGA+USGA) Insurance:.....	\$1.66 per Member
Phone for NCGA Computer:	\$1.34 per Member
Misc. Club Operations:.....	\$1.34 per Member
Office Supplies + Trophies:.....	\$0.77 per Member
Total:.....	\$27.94 per Member

NOTE: The difference between the \$25.00 & \$27.94 is due to the fact the Club receives an additional \$5.00 from new Members and late Renewals

Paul Christianson
TREASURER

HANDICAPPER'S MESSAGE

Welcome to a new year of golf with the Roseville Golf Club. Our goal as a club is to have fun, play competitive golf and to ensure that there is a level playing field among all of our golfers. The Handicap Chairman and the Handicap Committee's job is to create a fair and balanced pool of golfers whose handicap index fairly represents their abilities.

One of the common problems that I've seen in our competitions is people who drop out of the tournament mid-round. Many of these players do not post a score or turn in a scorecard at the end of the round. Frankly, if you've played in the tournament, you should always post a score. You are hurting yourself if you don't because; it's likely that score would be higher than your average. If you pick up on a hole because of a lost ball or your own temperament, the rule is that you should post a score on that hole that you "most likely would have had". You would put in that score with an "X" next to it to indicate to us that you are disqualified from the tournament. More often than not, this score would be adjusted to the ESC (Equitable Stroke Control) limit for that hole. If you disqualify yourself prior to completing 13 holes, you would not post a T score, but if you completed the round, you would post your score as a non-tournament score with the adjustments made based on ESC. This can only help to more adequately reflect your actual index, which is our goal for every member of the club.

Also, please remember at home tournaments to turn in a scorecard. I will post your adjusted score for that tournament, so **DO NOT** post on the computer. On away tournaments, be sure to **adjust** your score and then post it on the computer as a **Tournament**. This will help make my job easier.

If you have any questions on this, talk to me or to any member of the RGC board. Good luck in 2003 and I'll see you on the course.

Ken Lyon
Handicapper

Tournament Schedule 2003

MONTH	PLAY DATE	DAY	START TIME	COST	DUE DATE	EVENT	FORMAT
JANUARY	1/11	SATURDAY	9:02	\$10.00	ASAP	CAPTAIN & CREW	SCRAMBLE
	1/16	THURSDAY	7:00PM			OPEN MEETING	
	1/25	SATURDAY	8:06	\$10.00	1/12	SUPERBOWL	STROKE
	1/25			\$10.00	ASAP	ECLECTIC	
FEBRUARY	2/8	SATURDAY	9:02	\$20.00	1/26	ZONE QUALIFIER 2 MAN TEAMS	BETTER BALL
	2/15	SATURDAY	9:02			ZONE QUALIFIER 2 MAN TEAMS	BETTER BALL
	2/23	SUNDAY	10:00	\$60.00	1/26	MATHER (CART/FOOD)	STROKE
MARCH	3/15	SATURDAY	9:02	\$30.00	3/2	54 HOLE INDIVIDUAL	STROKE
	3/16	SUNDAY	9:02			54 HOLE INDIVIDUAL	STROKE
	3/22	SATURDAY	9:02			54 HOLE INDIVIDUAL	STROKE
APRIL	4/6	SUNDAY	10:00	\$50.00	3/9	RIO LA PAZ (inc. cart & balls)	STROKE
	4/17	THURSDAY	7:00PM			OPEN MEETING	
	4/19	SATURDAY	10:05	\$15.00	4/6	4 BALL NET QUALIFIER 2 MAN TEAMS	BETTER BALL
MAY	5/10	SATURDAY	10:05	\$30.00	4/27	54 TEAM	BETTER BALL
	5/17	SATURDAY	10:05			54 TEAM	SCRAMBLE
	5/18	SUNDAY	10:05			54 TEAM	SCOTCH
	5/25	SUNDAY	10:05	\$10.00	5/11	MEMORIAL	STROKE
JUNE	6/7	SATURDAY	10:00	\$85.00	4/27	RANCHO CANADA (INCLUDING CART)	STROKE
	6/8	SUNDAY	12:10	\$80.00	4/27	POPPY HILLS (INCLUDING CART)	STROKE
	6/9	MONDAY	9:00			DAVID OXLEY (VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS NEEDED)	
	6/22	SUNDAY	8:00	\$15.00	6/8	NET AMATEUR	STROKE
JULY	7/5	SATURDAY	10:05	\$10.00	6/22	FIRECRACKER	STROKE
	7/17	THURSDAY	7:00PM			OPEN MEETING	
	7/18	FRIDAY	5:30PM	\$5.00	DAY OF	PUTTING CHAMPIONSHIP	MATCH
	7/20	SUNDAY	9:32	\$60.00	7/22	ANCIL HOFFMAN (CART / FOOD / BALLS)	STROKE
AUGUST	8/9	SATURDAY	10:00	\$80.00	7/6	PLUMAS PINES (CART INCLUDED)	STROKE
	8/10	SUNDAY	10:04	\$70.00	7/6	GRAEAGLE (CART INCLUDED)	STROKE
	8/23	SATURDAY	10:05			ROSE CUP QUALIFYING (SEE DIAMOND OAKS STAFF)	STROKE
	8/31	SUNDAY	10:05	\$10.00	8/17	LABOR DAY	STROKE
SEPTEMBER	9/13	SATURDAY	11:01	\$30.00	8/31	CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP (SCRATCH QUALIFYING)	STROKE
	9/14	SUNDAY	10:05			1ST ROUND	MATCH PLAY
	9/20	SATURDAY	10:05			2ND ROUND	MATCH PLAY
	9/21	SUNDAY	11:01			FINAL	MATCH PLAY

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OCTOBER	10/11	SATURDAY	10:05	\$15.00	9/28	INVITATIONAL	SCRAMBLE
	10/16	THURSDAY	7:00PM			OPEN MEETING	
	10/26	SUNDAY	9:02	\$10.00	10/12	PAST PRESIDENTS	STROKE
NOVEMBER	11/1	SATURDAY	9:06	\$60.00	10/5	ALLISTER MACKENZIE (CART)	STROKE
	11/15	SATURDAY	8:34	\$15.00	11/2	TURKEY SHOOT	STROKE
	11/15	SATURDAY	8:34	\$0.00	11/2	TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS	STROKE
DECEMBER	12/05	FRIDAY	6:00PM	TBA	TBA	CHRISTMAS PARTY	
	12/13	SATURDAY	9:02	\$10.00	12/1	ECLECTIC FINAL	STROKE
						SIGNIFIES ECLECTIC EVENT	
						16 HOME TOURNAMENTS OVER 24 DATES	
						8 AWAY TOURNAMENTS	
						24 TOTAL TOURNAMENTS	

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

Welcome to Roseville Golf Club's 2003 members. For those of you that don't know me, my name is Chuck Heath. This is my third year as the Club Secretary. If you have any problems getting your club mail or NCGA news, please let me know. I maintain the address and phone lists as well as the membership portion of the computer at Diamond Oaks Golf Course. I can be reached on the Internet at janieh@cwnet.com, or by phone at (916) 784-2986.

Eclectic tournament: You may have noticed that the first tournament of the year is called the "Eclectic Tournament". If you plan to play in a number of tournaments played at Diamond Oaks this year, this might be an event of interest to you. What is it? We keep a record of your scores on all of the medal play tournaments played at Diamond Oaks over the course of the year (11 play dates qualify this year). In December we take the best score you've made on each hole during those qualifying events, add the total and then subtract your December 2004 handicap. A low gross and a low net winner will be selected overall, and then the rest of the players will be divided into flights, just as in a normal tournament. Eclectic tournaments are usually designated on the schedule by red ink, italics or shading to make them stand out.

FAQs

- ***Do I have to join the Eclectic tournament to play in the qualified events on the calendar?*** No not at all. The Eclectic tournament is a separate event that is played in conjunction with other events.
- ***How much does it cost?*** One \$10 entry for the whole year.
- ***Do I have to sign up in January?*** You can join up at any time throughout the year. However, we will only keep track of your scores from the date you entered. We won't go back to past events. As long as you fill out an entry slip and give it to the tournament director on the day of an event, those scores and any that follow will count. Only complete scorecards for 18-hole events will be accepted. Sorry, partial cards where a player is DQ'd or does not finish the round it will not be counted.
- ***Do I have to play in all of the Eclectic events?*** You can play in as many or as few as you wish. However, the more you play, as a general rule, the lower your total score at the end of the season.
- ***What about the Match play tournaments, why don't they count?*** Match play scores don't count because you don't have to "hole" the ball on every hole. Your opponent can concede the hole giving you a birdie without you having to sink that 20' putt.
- ***Are there any other requirements?*** Yes, we ask that you put a large "E" below your name and circle it on Eclectic events. We make every effort to make sure that your scores get posted, but sometimes cards or even entries get overlooked.

In the past, I kept a separate accounting of the scores, but this year we are attempting to use the computer to reduce the duplicate paperwork so the posting will be a little different this year. Well that's all there is to it. Sound like fun? If you have any other questions give me a call.

Chuck Heath
SECRETARY

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Welcome to the 2003 Roseville Golf Club

My name is Steve Hitchcock and I am looking forward to my first year's involvement with RGC as Tournament Director, I will do my best to fill the shoes of Doug Graf who did a fantastic job for the past two years.

You can find the 2003 tournament schedule on the web at
www.rosevillegolf.com

I will send out event reminders by E-mail 30 days and again 2 weeks in advance of the scheduled date. If you did not receive my last e-mail for the upcoming Captain & Crew and would like to receive the notices please send your e-mail address to golf@pctraining4u.com to be placed on the e-mail list.

When signing up for tournaments I need a separate entry slip for each event, but you can write one check.

If you need to contact me with Questions or Suggestion Please call or E-mail at:

Steve Hitchcock
916-624-7143
golf@pctraining4u.com

Let's have a great year and I look forward to seeing you on the course!

Steve Hitchcock
Tournament Director

**COME ONE COME ALL
TO THE OPEN
MEETING**

THURSDAY
JANUARY 16, 2003
7:00 PM

LEGENDS AND HEROES
AT
DIAMOND OAKS

(SNACKS WILL BE PROVIDED AND A DRAWING WILL BE HELD)

**START OFF THE
NEW YEAR INVOLVED IN
YOUR GOLF CLUB**

**ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS
ROSEVILLE GOLF CLUB
WE NEED YOU HELP**

As you can see by the Treasurer's report, we spend about \$7.00 per member to send out the newsletter every year. Our current membership is at 220 members.

My proposal is to send out the 2nd and 3rd quarter newsletters by E-mail, posting it on the web site and the Bulletin board located in Men's room at Diamond Oaks.

For members that have E-mail or access to the web, who would like to have all newsletters and notifications and reminders of Tournaments and Open meeting sent to them via the web, please contact the Tournament Director Steve Hitchcock at golf@pctraining4u.com or the Secretary Chuck Heath at janieh@cwnet.com or any of the Board members, E-mail and Contact phone #'s located on the web-site at www.rosevillegolfclub.com ,with your current E-mail address.

The members who do not have access to the web or E-mail will be identified and will be sent the newsletter by postage mail, but only the January and October's newsletter. The 2nd and 3rd quarter newsletter along with any upcoming events or reminders will be posted on the bulletin board in the Men's room at Diamond Oaks.

Thank you

Harry Wharff
Vice President

Year-end Results

54 HOLE MEDAL CHAMPIONSHIP		PUTTING CHAMPIONSHIP
FIELD LOW GROSS	Jay Conner	Charles Toby
FIELD LOW NET	Chuck Heath	PAST PRESIDENTS
		Jerry LaVasseur
FLIGHT WINNER	Pat Kane	
FLIGHT WINNER	Dick McDonough	TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS
FLIGHT WINNER	Phil Mestas Sr.	Tino Siador
FLIGHT WINNER	Larry Webber	
FLIGHT WINNER	Ben Hamasaki	2002 LOW GROSS
FLIGHT WINNER	Ron Morgan	Randy McMaster (64)
FLIGHT WINNER	Steve Hitchcock	
FLIGHT WINNER	Hugh Toby	2002 LOW NET
		Jerry Cornelius (59)
54 HOLE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP		2002 CLOSEST TO PIN
FIELD LOW GROSS	Dick McDonough -- Randy McMaster	Bryan Lange 3"
FIELD LOW NET	Jerry Cornelius -- Joe Santone	
FLIGHT WINNER	Pat Kane -- Jay Conner	ECLECTIC 2002
FLIGHT WINNER	Stan Harms -- McNulty	Field Low Gross
FLIGHT WINNER	Larry Webber -- Doug Smith	Erickson, Keith
FLIGHT WINNER	James True -- Bryan Lange	
		Field Low Net
CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP		Toby, Hugh
CLUB CHAMPION	Dick McDonough	
FLIGHT WINNER	Jack Leverett	
FLIGHT WINNER	Steve Matthews	
FLIGHT WINNER	Stan Harms	
FLIGHT WINNER	Steve Hitchcock	
FLIGHT WINNER	Rick Rusk	
RUNNER UP	Pat Kane	
RUNNER UP	Gary Moore	
RUNNER UP	Merrill Tompkins	
RUNNER UP	Carl Vandrie	
RUNNER UP	Chuck Heath	
RUNNER UP	Doug Cumming	

RGC TOURNAMENT ENTRY

NAME OF EVENT: _____

DATE PLAYED: _____ GHIN # _____

PLAYERS NAME: _____

REQUEST TO PLAY WITH: _____

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

RGC TOURNAMENT ENTRY

NAME OF EVENT: _____

DATE PLAYED: _____ GHIN # _____

PLAYERS NAME: _____

REQUEST TO PLAY WITH: _____

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