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ello Ladies! We're off to a great start this season with six new members bringing our total membership to 53! Forty of you came out to play the four-person scramble on opening day. The competition was fierce with a three-way tie for first place. Unfortunately, the tie breaker didn't land in my team's favor and we came in second place. But that's okay, there's always tomorrow!

I want to thank Carson Valley Golf Course for the fabulous continental breakfast they provided.. It was so beautifully laid out and so delicious. What a special treat for us. Also, thank you, wonderful members, for staying after play and attending the General Meeting. We appreciate you and hope you like your new clipboards!

Last, but not least, you know that new birdie tree is waiting for birdies! So let's go get 'em girls! See you on the links,

Kelly King

President

2022 Opening Day!

Hard to forget such strong memories with the best people.



















GOLF, FUN, FRIENDS and FUNDAMENTALS







Weekly Tournament Play Photos



Jeanine Felix, Mary Milligan and Suze Ericson, (April 19)



Thank you to Suze Ericson and Kelly King for their photography expertise in my absence!



Sandi Trainer, Peggy Frick, Gail Ellingwood, and Nora Stevens (April 19)



Suze Ericson, Sara Cleary, Margaret Fay and Diane Bartsch (April 26) DD Woodruff, Mary Milligan,

Mary Fesenmeier and Melinda Johnson (April 26)



Upcoming NNGA Tournaments



May 10-11 (Tue-Wed) Nevada State Women's Quad Golf Tournament held at Las Vegas National Golf Club. Format: 36-Hole, 2 Best Balls of Four Person Team. For more information and/or to register for this event, click on this link: NV State Quad Registration

May 19 (Thu) Carson City Toyota Senior Capital Classic held at Eagle Valley West Golf Course. Women's Divisions: Women will play over the field Scratch and Net. Points will be awarded for Player of

the Year based on age in Senior, Super Senior (60+), Berta Kirchner (70+). For more information and/or to register for this event, click on this link Sr Classic Registration

- May 21-22 (Sat-Sun) Carson City Toyota Capital Classic held at Eagle Valley West Golf Course (Saturday) and East Course (Sunday). Divisions: Men's Scratch, Men's Net, Women's (Scratch and Net over the field). For more information and/or to register for this event, click on this link: CC Capital Registration
- June 4-5 (Sat-Sun) Dayton Valley Championship held at Dayton Valley Golf Course. Women's Divisions: Regular and Senior (Women will play over the field Scratch and Net within their division). For more information and/or to register for this event, click on this link:

Dayton Championship Registration



May Play Schedule

May 3rd—Two-Person Scramble **Celebrating Cinco de Mayo ... Ole!** May 10th—Count Your Putts May 17th—Even Holes (1/2 Handicap) May 24th—White/Red/Yellow Tees May 31st—Stroke Play (HSTP Qualifying)



Celebrating Cinco de Mayo

Tuesday, May 3rd, our theme for the day is Cinco de Mayo. Get your Mexican groove on and dig deep into that wardrobe for something to wear that will say "Ole!" Be sure to enjoy some chips and salsa courtesy of the Women's Golf Club and enjoy a \$6.00 margarita or two after play to keep the celebration going.

May Golf Clinic

The first golf clinic of the season on May 17th will focus on "**Driving**". Learn how you can get more distance from your drives in 45-minutes! The clinic will be limited to the first 12 sign-ups in order to provide participants with more one-on-one coaching. Clinic cost is \$10.00/person and the clinic will start at 7:30 a.m. Contact the Pro Shop at (775) 265-3181 to reserve your spot today!



High Sierra Team Play

Qualifying for HSTP: Tuesday, May 31st

HSTP Tournament Play: Monday, June 13th, Arrowcreek—Challenge Course

April Weekly Tournament Winners

April 5th—Four-Person Scramble:

There was a 3-way tie for first place! The tie-breaker resulted in the winning teams as follows:

• First Place Team:

Tracy Aselson, Melinda Johnson, Jan Nolan, Debbie Steele

- <u>Second Place Team:</u> Judy Brooke, Kelly King, Debbie Knapp, Julie Wallis
- <u>Third Place Team:</u> Janet Brown, Linda Davis, Lorna Johnston
- <u>Fourth Place Team:</u> Theresa Beggs, Ursual McManus, Jan Recanzone, and Donna Sugden,
- <u>Closest to the Pin Hole #1:</u> Kathy Belvel (14')
- <u>Closest to the Pin Hole #18:</u> Julie Wallis (7'5")

April 12th—Back 9 (1/2 Handicap):

- Flight Winners:
 - Gross: Tracy Aselson
 - Net 1: Suze Ericson
 - Net 2: Judy Brooke
- <u>Closest to the Pin Hole #1:</u>

Tracy Aselson (25')





Seven brave souls made it out to the course on April 12th! It was a bit chilly, but ended up to be a beautiful golf day. Left: Suze Ericson, Peggy Frick, Jeanine Felix and Bev Hefferly. Right, Joni Becksted, Judy Brooke and Tracy Aselson.

April 19th—Best 15 Holes:

Flight 1 Winners:

- Gross: Kathy Belvel
- Net 1: DD Woodruff
- Net 2: Mary Milligan
- Net 3: Pam Bast

• Flight 2 Winners:

- Net 1: Suze Ericson
- Net 2: Gail Ellingwood
- **Closest to the Pin:**
- Mary Milligan
- Tracy Aselson

Chip-In:

Jeanine Felix (Hole #6)

April 26th—Stroke Play:

- Flight 1 Winners:
 - Gross: Linda Davis
 - Net 1: Donna Sugden
 - Net 2: Tracy Aselson
 - Net 3: Margie Stephens
 - Net 4: Diane Bartsch
 - Flight 2 Winners:
 - Net 1: Mary Milligan
 - Net 2: Joan Scariani
 - Net 3: Janet Brown
 - Net 4: Jan Recanzone

Flight 3 Winners: Net 1: Mary Stephans

- Net 2: Mary Fesenmeier
- Net 3: Beverly Hefferly
- Net 4: Ursula McManus
- <u>Closest to the Pins:</u>
 - Hole #1: DD Woodruff (10')
 - Hole #13: Jan Recanzone (15')
 - Hole #17: Margie Stephens (11')

<u>Chip-In Winners:</u>

- Mary Stephans (Holes #2 & #11)
- Tracy Aselson (Hole #12)



Land it for a Lesson

Here are this month's trivia questions ...

1. Who was Jack Nicklaus' teacher?

2. What is the standard size of the golf ball hole?

The first person to email Dan with the correct answer to **BOTH** questions is the winner. Email your answers to Dan directly at <u>dan@carsonvalleygolf.com</u>. Good luck!

Congratulations We have a winner! Judy Brooke once again successfully answered both questions from the March "Land it for a Lesson". But she wants to know where the rest of you are. You too can have a free lesson simply by answering these simple trivia questions! Just do it!

Question: What US President was inducted into the golf hall of fame in 2011? **Answer:** George Bush **Question:** What did the Gutta ball replace? **Answer:** In 1848, a new golf ball -- the gutta-percha -- began to replace the "feathery," as the original golf ball was known.

Dear Patti Patti Parker's Monthly Rules Advice Column



Dear Patti, I remember it being mentioned at our first general meeting that we should post scores "including those games played outside of our Tuesday Woman's club play". Why are we required to post our scores for all golf games we play? Signed, Handicapped at posting scores

Dear Handicapped, it is a requirement under the new USGA/WHS that you **must** post all "acceptable scores" as your Handicap Index (H.I.) is updated real time. Your GHIN H.I. is not only for tournament play,

but also for any game you play outside of our regular Tuesday play. The main reason for posting all your "acceptable scores" is to maintain the honesty and integrity of the game.

The purpose of a golf handicap system is to **level the playing field of differing abilities and different courses so that we can compete equally.** Another important purpose of posting is the ability to see your improvement over time. Your H.I. can be found either by visiting the GHIN website or by checking the twice monthly email update you receive from NNGA-GHIN. To find your H.I. or to post a score, click on this link to access USGA GHIN: <u>GHIN Log-in</u>



Refer to USGA Handicapping 2.1 which defines what is an "acceptable score" in more detail. If you require assistance in posting scores, you can ask the Pro Shop for help or check with any of our "seasoned' members on how to use the USGA GHIN App.



We want not only your photos for future editions of *Golf Gossip*, but also any fun/funny tidbits of golf gossip you experience with your golfing partners! You can email your pictures and stories to: judypsalms100@gmail.com

Thank you for helping make *Golf Gossip* fun, informative and worth reading.

Judy Brooke Vice President & Editor



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CLOUD 9 COUPLES

Enjoy some some cool evening golf with your favorite golf partner.

WEDNESDAY

MAY 4

5pm shotgun start <u>Prepayment required</u> \$40, 9 holes golf, cart, prize fund, dinner

Season Pass Holders - fee + \$25

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