



TWO RIVERS GOLF CLUB NEWSLETTER



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March 2024

TRGC played its first tournament of the year at Teal Bend in amazingly good weather. The day started out chilly but sunny and warmed up to nearly 70 degrees. We even had some roll on our drives and fairway shots. The turnout was good, too, and included several new TRGC members. Results are listed below.

Message from our President

The Two Rivers golf season had a good start at Teal Bend on 2/24 with the weather cooperating allowing playable conditions. Results are available on the web site. Bartley Cavanaugh is our next tournament on 3/16. This is our qualifier for the NCGA Associate Club four-ball Net Championship. Renee sent out an email with the qualifying and Championship dates. When signing up, if you intend on qualifying, please ensure you are available to play on those dates.

The Club has a few golf travel opportunities coming up:

Alan has set up our trip to Monterey for golf at Bayonet on May 8th and Poppy Hills May 9th. The sign-up sheet will be available soon. Alan will be providing trip info (see below).

The sign-up sheet for the Carson City trip, June 17th at Silver Oaks and June 18th at Dayton Valley, was sent out last week. We will be staying at Gold Dust West. The package includes two rounds of golf, two nights lodging, prize fund and free breakfast each day of stay. This is intended to

be a fun trip and \$257.00 per person double occupancy in a double queen room is a reasonable rate.

We decided on changing our venue for our Reno trip this year. Because of dwindling attendance, mainly due to the high cost for Reno events and also member health issues, this year we will be playing two good courses located closer to Sacramento: Greenhorn Creek Sept 8th and Copper Valley Sept 9th. The lodging package includes two nights lodging in the bungalows at Copper Valley and dinner Sept 9th. The sign-up sheet with pricing will be available soon.

We are trying to put together an end of year banquet for the Club at a local restaurant. To help pay for this we will be having a 50/50 raffle at our tournaments. Buy one ticket for \$5.00 or three for \$10.00. Ticket sales will be on the tourney sign-up sheets. If this works out we may try and make it a regular feature of our Club events next year.

Good golfing to all.

Mike

Message from Board Member Alan Staton about the Monterey Trip

We have a lovely trip planned for the first week of May. Once more we go to the Monterrey peninsula. Here are the details:

Because of the difficulty to obtain Monday/Tuesday dates at Poppy Hills, the Board approved both the move to May and play days later in the week: Wednesday, May 8th and Thursday, May 9th. These dates provide prime tee times and lower prices than Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Monday/Tuesday dates were not available at all.

- On the 8th we'll play at Bayonet GC (Seaside) with the first tee times at 10am. The cost per player is \$120/includes cart.*
- On the 9th we'll play at Poppy Hills GC (Pebble Beach) with the first tee times at 10am. The cost per player is \$125/includes cart. NOTE: this rate is for all who have NCGA membership for 2024. If any non NCGA member wants to play the cost is \$175.*

- Be sure to get your entry in *ON TIME*. There is a strict cut-off date to notify the courses of our number of players—see entry form for details.
- Check out the TRGC web site for the Tournament Entry Form or respond quickly to the email Renee will send out.
- Return the entry form to Renee, please.
- If you want to play with a certain player(s) be sure to indicate that on your entry.

We won't do a formal tournament with a prize pool. Therefore, you can set up games with fellow players if you choose.

Additionally, the players will post their scores each day. You can obtain the USGA app for your smart phone for posting. Alternatively, you can post your score on the entry pc located at each course.

Finally, members are responsible for their own accommodations for this event.

Any questions contact Alan Staton

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Teal Bend Results

1st Flight

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| 1 Roland Asuncion | 73 net |
| 2 Dan Gish | 75 (card off) |
| 3 Bill Casey | 75 |

Larry Sifuentes won the fewest putts with 29 in a card off.

2nd Flight

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|----------------|--------|
| 1 Jim Svobodny | 70 net |
| 2 Tom Page | 72 |

3 George Sifuentes 74 (card off)

Tom Page carded the lowest putts with 27.

3rd Flight

1 Dwain Yearwood 66 net

2 Tim Peart 73

3 Peggy Mucci 79

Tim Peart had the fewest putts with 34.

Closet-to-the-Pin Winners

Hole #4, Alan Staton, 15' 10", hole #9, Scott Stremple, 2' 6", hole #12, Arturo Levenfeld, 3' 0", hole #16, Larry Sifuentes, 8' 6".

Coming Events

The club Board of Directors is putting the final touches on our schedule for 2024. Alan Staton and Jim Svobodny, in particular, have been putting in a lot of time with the courses for our events. As golfers everywhere are discovering, the courses are relentless in raising their green fees/cart prices. This makes the Board's work especially hard in trying to balance the cost and quality of the courses we play. The full calendar is up on our website, with possibly a couple later revisions on away events.

The second TRGC event will be held at **Bartley Cavanaugh on Saturday, March 16**. This event is an NCGA qualifier. Also, mark your calendar for **Saturday, April 6**, for our tournament at **Cherry Island**. Again, these courses are all noted for their good draining properties, so we should have good play even if the rain continues. Several of us played Cherry Island last week and were happy to note the good fairway and greens conditions, in spite of recent rain. Definitely plan to start the New Year out right and join us for these tournaments.

TRGC WEBSITE

Bruce Hoffman continues his fine work on our website at: www.tworiversgolfclub.com. The 2024 calendar of events has been posted on the website. The site continues to be your best source for all TRGC info, including past newsletters. I mention this every month, but it's important if you would like to keep current with your club news.

RECRUITMENT AND MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

As always, TRGC is looking to increase its membership base, so be sure to invite your friends, co-workers, and golf buddies from other groups to play in our events. We've had several guests play in our events recently; hopefully, they had a good time and will join our group. **While you're signing up for the tournaments this year, it would be a great time to bring friends, neighbors and other golf buddies into the club.**

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

If you have information or material that you would like included the newsletter, my email address is tpagefam@surewest.net; my home phone is (916) 488-6465.

Tom Page