



TWO RIVERS GOLF CLUB NEWSLETTER



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We had a busy month in April, starting with the Monterey Bay trip to Pasadera Country Club and Rancho Canada West, followed by tournaments closer to home at River Oaks and Mather.

Pasadera Country Club

TRGC had pretty decent weather for both days in Monterey. The turnout could have been a little better, but the members who did attend had a great two days of golf and social activities. Monterey/Carmel has the best collection of fine restaurants and fantastic scenery anywhere! Pasadera Country Club, soon to be renamed Nicklaus Private-Monterey, is a beautiful course but tough to play. There are lots of ways to go wrong here! TRGC played a skins format at Pasadera—the more skins you win, the more money you collect. Ken Peterson tallied two skins, followed by Bill Eshbach, Dave Ward and guest Matt Winans with one each.

Rancho Canada West

The club played the standard stroke format with two flights for this event. The weather was still good and the course was in nice shape. We didn't do fewest putts or closest to the pin because of the limited turnout.

Results:

1st Flight

1	Don Dodds (guest)	68 net
2	Mike Morrow	70 (card off)
3	Mike Ryan	70

2nd Flight

1	Jim Svobodny	67 net
2	Ernest Jiles	68 (card off)
3	Sandy Davis	68

River Oaks

Back in the Sacramento area, we played at River Oaks on April 12. Once again, we had decent weather and good course conditions, plus a good turnout of players. Some of our golfers turned in fantastic scores: Jim Svobodny had a net 59, Ken Peterson had a net 60 and Joe Gough shot a net 63.

River Oaks Results:

1st Flight

1	Mike Long	65 net
2	Brett Svobodny	66
3	Alan Staton	67
4	Jeff Robertson	69

Brett Svobodny won low putts with a great 27 putt total.

2nd Flight

1	Jim Svobodny	59 net
2	Ken Peterson	60
3	Renee Wildenberg	69
4	Pat Gemma	70

Sandy Davis took the fewest putts with 29.

3rd Flight

1	Joe Gough	63 net
2	Bill Eshbach	66 (card off)
3	Cheryl Nelson	66
4	Rich Stratton	66

Joe Gough topped the putters with 28.

Closest to the Pin results:

#3 Chris Macias, 8' 6", #6 Rich Anderson, 25' 3", #8 Cheryl Nelson, 17' 5", #11 Tom Page, 5' 3", #14 Mark Ferguson, 15' even.

Mather

The weather was cloudy and cool for the Mather tournament, but that seemed fine compared to all the rain that fell on the previous day. Mather was in good condition, but there wasn't a lot of roll on the fairways. The rough was very thick and wet! Almost every golfer found that trying to advance the ball from a deep lie off the fairway was a difficult proposition. The format for this tournament was two-person best ball.

Mather Results:

1st Flight

1	Jim and Brett Svobodny	62 net
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2	Jim White and Leo Winternitz	64 (Card off)
3	Bob Castillo and Carlos Salazar	64

Rich Anderson won the fewest putts with 25.

2nd Flight

1	Mike Long and Larry Ward	62 net
2	Sara and Steve Ryan	63
3	Bill Eshbach and Michael Marks	65

Dan Nelson topped the 2nd flight with 30 putts.

3rd Flight

1	Gene Coughlin and Dave Ward	60 net
2	Cheryl and Dan Nelson	62
3	Peggy Mucci and James Snyder	65

Allen Murdaugh won the fewest putts with 30.

Closest to the pin winners were:

#3 Allen Murdaugh, 15' 5", #7 John Valdes, 6' 8", #11 John Valdes, 15' 1", #14 Steve Ryan, 19' 9".

Coming Events

The next TRGC event will be **Castle Oaks** on **May 17th**. This is a great golf course, and popular, so sign up right away to get a slot. In June we play **Rocklin Golf Club** on **June 7th** and **Micke Grove** on **June 28th**.

Renee will send out the entry forms for these tournaments as the dates get closer—enter early!

The recent rainstorm in the Sacramento area courses was welcomed by the local golf courses. Let's hope for more of the same.

RECRUITMENT AND MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Our membership roll in our club has now risen to 102. As always, TRGC is looking to increase its member base, so don't forget to invite your friends, co-workers, and golf buddies from other groups to play golf with our club. Also, your can take \$5 off your renewal fee for next year for every new member you bring to the club (limit of five new members per year). Be sure to say hi and introduce yourself to the new members.

SUNSHINE

Members Jim Reed and Terry Snyder are recovering well from knee replacement surgeries—both hope to be back on the course before too long. Nancee Staley is also doing well after her neck surgery. She is just starting to swing her clubs again. Marc Wilson opted for physical therapy instead of surgery for his rotator cuff injury. Zach Peart has been undergoing radiation therapy after his recent surgery. Please keep our friends in your thoughts and prayers.

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

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