

19th Hole Golf Club Report

Carmichael Elks Golf Clubhouse



The Carmichael Elks Golf Club members met at the Lodge on Thursday, July 7, 2022 to discuss club business and sign-up for upcoming tournaments. **President Bill Bethell** reported on the Lodge's Fourth of July events and said the parade turned out well with plenty of sunshine, and thankfully with lower temperatures. **President Bill** gave special thanks to **John Simmons** for his entertaining comic golf swings he performed throughout the parade, a real favorite with the crowd. **Georgia Lipphardt, Tournament Chair** reported that we have 24 players signed up for the upcoming game for 7/11/22 at Haggin Oaks. In an effort to speed up play, players will be able to request one person to a cart if they wish. Sign-ups were taken for the remaining two July tournaments, River Oaks and Wildhawk. The results of all three tournaments will be announced in the next issue of the newsletter. River Oaks Golf Course is located in Nicholas and our tournament is a 9:00 a.m. Shotgun Start event. With that in mind, all players should arrive early enough to take advantage of the free range balls and line up for that 9:00 a.m. start. The Haggin Oaks and the Wildhawk tournaments are both part of the Club's Championship Tournament series, which determines each of the year's annual "Flight Winners" as well as the "Player of the Year" award. The best four out of eight championship tournaments are used to determine the winners. Three of the series already played are Ancil Hoffman, Diamond Oaks and Mather. Beside the two in July, we have three more upcoming series tournaments: Bing Mahoney, Bartley Cavanaugh and Teal Bend. All the Championship series are designated on the tournament schedule with an asterisk. Check to make sure you play at least four to get in the running. Announcement of the results of last month's tournaments follow.

Director Don Anido reported on the winners of the June 13, 2022 Mather Golf Course Tournament:

A Flight	Net	B Flight	Net	C Flight	Net
John Glover	71	Roland Valtierra	70	Stan Morrison	70
Terry Sweeney	73	Lyn Athey	72	Lynn Mahoney	72
Jerry Ontiveros	74	Jim Warrick	76	Jerry Trautman	72



Closest to the Pin	Men	Distance	Women	Distance
Hole # 3	Don Anido	10' 1"	Mercy Mee	On Edge
Hole # 11	Jim Kuchar	17' 3"	Stella Lookin'	Next Fairway

Director Lynn Mahoney introduced a new element for the June 20, 2022 Bartley Cavanaugh Tournament by offering Mulligan tickets for sale. The tickets could be used on any stroke, except putting. It was a fun little adjustment that gave members a "Second chance" on some holes, while giving our Club Treasury a little boost too . . . Thanks Lynn! **Director Lynn** announced the winners as follows:

A Flight	Net	B Flight	Net	C Flight	Net
Jim Miller	68	John Simmons	70	Lynn Mahoney	64
Jim Kuchar	71	Ed Arnsdorf	71	Georgia Lipphardt	67
Brian Pierce	71	Ron Greenwood	72	Bill Bethell	73



Closest to the Pin	Men	Distance	Women	Distance
Hole # 5	Rich Zibull	29'	Penny Galore	Dollar Short
Hole # 12	Ed Arnsdorf	17' 10"	Shirley Shanket	Port Side

Director Tam Lefebure gave the results of the Ancil Hoffman Tournament held on June 27, 2022:

A Flight	Net	B Flight	Net	C Flight	Net
John Smmons	72	Lynn Mahoney	65	Georgia Lipphardt	74
Jim Kuchar	73	Tam LeFebure	71	Kristi Ernst	78
Guy Deaner	74	Mary Roy	79	Larry Sikorski	82



Closest to the Pin	Men	Distance	Women	Distance
Hole # 9	Jim Toner	18' 5"	Angie Dust	Cast Adrift
Hole # 14	Jerry Ontiveros	10' 4"	Kristi Ernst	42' 7"

To all Lodge members, are you interested or know of a Lodge member that is interested in playing golf? We have another full schedule of 27 golf tournaments for 2022. The schedule is available on the Carmichael Elks Lodge website at carmichael.elks2103.org. All of our tournaments are held on Mondays with occasional exceptions for holidays. Anyone interested in joining the Golf Club can contact our President Bill Bethell (619) 889-4142, or Tournament Chair, Georgia Lipphardt at (916) 685-6508, or attend one of our monthly meetings, which are normally held on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Lodge. Visitors are welcomed, come check us out! Our next meeting is set for August 4, 2022.

Ever wonder why so many folks enjoy the game of golf? **It is** a game that can rarely be mastered. A game that very often can be challenging and more than a little frustrating. But overall the joys of golf are many, as some of the these photos show as Golf Club members travel through a variety of courses and tackle the game of golf.

