

19th Hole Golf Club Report

Carmichael Elks Golf Clubhouse



The Carmichael Elks Golf Club members and guests met at the Lodge on Thursday, June 5, 2026 to discuss club business and upcoming events. **President Stan Morrison** started the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and welcomed all in attendance, including **guest Steve Towle**. Steve is a member of the Elks Lodge and decided to come to our meeting as he is interested in playing more golf and sharpening up his game. Hope you decide to come aboard, Steve. We would love to have you join us, as sharpening up our game is always on our minds. Congratulations were given to **Jim Warrick** for his work on the golf ball collection effort. Jim has recently submitted two large bins of collected golf balls in exchange for payment to be used for a charity. Discussions were held suggesting the money earned should go to the Purple Pig, which gives to numerous programs for the care of children in need. There were many Golf Club members contributing golf balls in this effort, as well as a generous amount of golf balls received from the Ed Arnsdorf family in his memory. Our thanks to Susan Arnsdorf and Family for their donation. **Tournament Director** Georgia Lipphardt noted the three tournaments scheduled for June are Ancil Hoffman on 6/8/26, Teal Bend on 6/15/26 and Mather on 6/22/26. Results of the three June tournaments will be in the next newsletter. **President Morrison** then moved to the results of the May tournaments.

Director Lyn Athey presented the results of the Mackenzie tournament held on May 4th.

A Flight	Net	B Flight	Net	C Flight	Net
Leon Adams	69	Roland Valtierra	72	Stan Morrison	74
Bruce Barstis	73	Jeff Worm	73	Don Anido	78
Mike Williams	77	Nacho Barraza	78	Larry Sikorski	81

Closest to the Pln	Men	Distance	Women	Distance
Hole #3	John Simmos	8' 5"	Angel Dust	Briefly On
Hole #16	Guy Deaner	1" 6"	Kristi Ernst	12' 5



Director Stan Morrison reported on the results of the Wildhawk Tournament on May 11th.

A Flight	Net	B Flight	Net	C Flight	Net
Bruce Barstis	70	Nacho Barraza	71	Janet Heppner-Jones	69
Mike Williams	73	James Kuchar	75	Stan Morrison	70
Brian Pierce	77	Roland Valtierra	75	Ron Greenwood	79

Closest to the Pln	Men	Distance	Women	Distance
Hole # 4	Don Anido	21' 10"	Georgia Lipphardt	35' 10"
Hole # 17	Mike Williams	5' 1/2"	Hanna Wood	Blocked



Director Sam Seaton announced the winners of the Diamond Oaks tournament on May 18th
This day was a windy ride for all the players and every ball that took flight was off, off and away!

A Flight	Net	B Flight	Net	C Flight	Net
Bruce Barstis	71	James Kuchar	66	Jeff Worm	76
Mike Williams	76	George Vogel	70	Stan Morrison	76
Ray Ernst	76	Guy Deaner	75	Sandy Shongood	77

Closest to the Pln	Men	Distance	Women	Distance
Hole # 5	Steve Seaton 9' 6"		Wanda Over	Port side
Hole # 12	Steve Seaton 5' 9"		Shirley Shanket	Far, Far Left



HIGHLIGHTING NEW MEMBERS: We have been blessed with many new Golf Club members this year with three more members just joining. **Johnnie Mack** (below left) attended our meeting in April and joined that very day. Johnnie has since played several tournaments and he is working on a nice looking game. **Johnnie** tells us that Johnnie is not a nickname. It is the name he got at birth from Mom and Dad. He did use "John Mack" in his working life and decided to go back to the family favorite since he retired. **Johnnie** had a career in engineering for 51 years,



with 35 of those years with the Corps of Engineers here in Sacramento. **Leon Adams** (middle left) joined soon after his brother-in-law **Jeff Worm** became a member in January. **Leon** tells us that he played golf all through his teens and beyond, starting at the age of 10 and had plenty of input from his father and grandfather, both avid golfers. A busy life has keep him away from playing much golf, and he is excited to get back to playing. **Leon** and his "brother" Jeff both prefer being walking golfers and both get around with electric bag carts to navigate the courses. **Tony Funaro** (right) just joined this month after having first played with our club as a guest back in February at Antelope Greens. We are glad to see you back Tony! **Tony** and family have been living in Hawaii for over 22 years and recently moved to California. **Tony** is somewhat new to the game, but he has a mean swing and can really launch that ball far out and down the fairway.

Tony has served in the U.S. Marine Corps and proudly reported that "Once a Marine-Aways a Marine!" Glad to have Johnnie, Leo and Tony as new members. You are welcomed and we all look forward to sharing time out on the courses with you all.

Anyone interested in joining the Golf Club can contact our President Stan Morrison (916) 770-5694 , or attend one of our monthly meetings, which are normally held on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm at the Lodge. Our next meeting is July 2, 2026.