19th HOLE GOLF CLUB REPORT

Carmichael Elks Golf Clubhouse

The Carmichael Elks Golf Club members and guests met at the Lodge on Thursday, October 1, 2026. **President Stan Morrison** started the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and welcomed all present. **Secretary Jim Warrick** reminded players to bring in unused or old golf balls for our project to help fund the Lodge's Purple Pig charities. Signups were taken for the upcoming October tournaments set for Bing Maloney on 10/19 and Teal Bend on 10/26. The results of those tournaments will be included in next months newsletter. A discussion was held to consider adding new courses for the 2027 tourney schedule and suggestions were taken by **Tournament Chair, Georgia Lipphardt. Vice President Kristi Ernst** reported on the recent **September picnic** held on 9/12. We withstood high winds that day by moving our picnic indoors! All of us enjoyed the variety of delicious pot luck dishes coupled with great hamburgers and Polish dogs professionally prepared on the Lodge's great outdoor grill by chefs **Ray Ernst** & **Jim Kuchar.** The food took center stage, but we still had games to help wait out for that main course from the grill. We managed to have a Chipping contest, won by **Dan Titus** who battled a three way tie for the win. That was followed by Closest to the Pin contest with **Larry Sikorski** taking the honors with a 11" inch win on a very rough green. The last contest was a Putting Contest won by **Tam LeFebure,** with 3 tries and 3 ins. That contest had to move inside for some level ground and low grass. Additional games were also moved inside and included two Corn Hole games that keep both games going all at once. The Directors took over the meeting next with the September tournament winners.



Director Kristi Ernst presented the winners of the 9/14/26 Haggin Oaks, MacKenzie Course:

A Flight	Net	B Flight	Net	C Flight	Net
Bruce Barstis	69	Nacho Barraza	68	Don Anido	67
Dan Titus	71	Ken McLaren	69	Stan Morrison	71
Brian Pierce	73	Lyn Athey	77	Jeff Worm	71

Closest to the Pln	Men	Distance	Women	Distance
Hole # 3	Ken McLaren	14' 7"	May Flowers	Wilted
Hole # 12	Mike Williams	1' 10"	Janet Heppner-Jones	10'



Hole #17 Bartley Cavanaugh

Director Don Anido reported the winners of the 9/28/26 tournament at Bartley Cavanaugh.
After adjusting to a delayed start, players soon forgot the hour and enjoyed the challenges Of Bartley in the best of weather. We had two men tie on the Hole #5 event at 12' 0"!

A Flight	Net	B Flight	Net	C Flight	Net
Guy Deaner	72	John Volek	74	Rich Zibull	71
Dan Titus	73	Stan Morrison	78	Larry Sikorski	71
Bruce Barstis	74	Sam Seaton	79	Georgia Lipphardt	71

Closest to the Pln	Men	Distance	Women	Distance
Hole # 5	Sam Seaton & Jerry Ontiveros.	12' 0"	Daisy Chain	Lost Link
Hole # 17	Larry Sikorski	4' 4"	Georgia Lipphardt	12' 4"



Director Steve Seaton gave the results of the 9/19/26 Scramble Tournament on Mather Golf Course. We had six groups of players and all had fun playing from shots on the course they may not often see, & enjoyed being able to take the good shots, while picking up those out of bounds hits. It was a fun day for driving for your best shot and enjoying the spirit of Group play. Sadly, it was no-show for the women on the Closest to the Pin holes. Check out the top three Groups' scores below. The remaining three Groups scored Nets of 71, 73 and 75, not bad as the crows fly. Good jobs all around!!!



First Place Group	**Net 66**	**Second Place Group**	**Net 69**	**Third Place Group**	**Net 70**
Lee Marshall		**Mike Williams**		**Steve Seaton**	
Jim Kuchar		**Ray Ernst**		**Sam Seaton**	
Jerry Ontiveros		**Kristi Ernst**		**Sandy Shongood**	
Rich Zibull		**Roland Valtierra**		**John Volek**	
Closest to the PIn Contest:		**Hole #3: Ray Ernst 37' 8"**		**Hole # 11: Dan Titus 15' 6"**	

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 on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm at the Lodge. Our next meeting is 11/5/26.