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Club News

Membership

The club has received 7 new memberships and 1 late renewal or 1997. Our membership count now stands at 84. At this time we would like to welcome;

**Brian Axe, Tom Linden, Gerry Logan,
Peter Logan, Mark Mazon, Tom Nicodemo,
Wayne Sanders**

to the Bayview Golf Club.

NOTE: If you have a change in your mailing address or phone numbers, contact Membership Chairman Lynn Moss at (408) 541-4291(W) or (408) 238-4966(H) so that the club's and the NCGA's data bases can be updated.

Bayview Web Page

The club is making a concerted effort to post current and timely information to our web site. This includes tee times for the next scheduled tournament, the results from that tournament as soon as they have been compiled and updated player statistics including current Bayview Cup standings. We will also post to our home page any important news concerning the club that occurs between the issuance of these newsletters. The URL of the web page is shown above.

As with this newsletter, the web page is there to provide our membership with relevant club information and a means for you to communicate with other club members. We will be adding a comments/messages area to the web page that will allow you to post information such as equipment for sale or exchange, playing opportunities, group trips, etc.

If there is anything that you feel that could be included in either the web page or the newsletter that would be of benefit to the club, please let us know.

Nevada Week-End (August 22- 24)

This year's Summer weekend golf trip will return to Nevada. The Carson Valley Inn, Minden Nevada, is providing a 2 night package that includes golf at Dayton Valley on Saturday and Genoa Lakes on Sunday. As part of this package, the Inn is providing a Friday night reception with hot/cold hors d'oeuvres and a complete prime rib dinner on Saturday night. Both nights will feature a one hour "open" bar.

The price of this package is:

\$584 - double occupancy (golfer/golfer combination)
\$421 - double occupancy (golfer/non golfer combination)
\$372 - single occupancy (one golfer only)

The club will also be playing at Empire Ranch in Carson City on Friday. This round is not included in the package price. The cost will be \$38 per player.

As has been our tradition during this Summer weekend, we will be conducting several different pot games each day for those interested players. These games are strictly optional but do add some extra excitement/tension to every stroke that you take. These games have included 18 hole net, 36 net for Saturday & Sunday, net skins, Chicago, Kickers, putts and closest to the pin. The results are computerized which allows us to award payouts at the Saturday night banquet or shortly after the conclusion of Sunday's round.

The sign-ups for this weekend will be included in the next newsletter. We will also include a brief rundown of all the pot games that will be conducted and any other information that we have about the Inn and the area.



Rules of Golf

After the conclusion our last tournament at Poppy Hills there was a discussion over the removal of equipment from the putting green by a fellow competitor during the course of play and whether a penalty should have been assessed on the competitor that moved the equipment. This situation is covered by Rule 1-2 and 24-1. The text of

these Rules from the USGA Rules of Golf follows along with a couple of decisions on these Rules. Also included is a short discussion on this situation.

Rule 1-2 Exerting Influence on Ball

No player or caddie shall take any action to influence the position or the movement of a ball except in accordance with the Rules.

PENALTY FOR BREACH OF RULE 1-2

Match Play - Loss of Hole

Stroke Play - Two strokes

Note: In the case of a serious breach of Rule 1-2, the Committee may impose a penalty of disqualification.

Rule 24-1 Movable Obstruction

A player may obtain relief from a movable obstruction as follows:

a. If the ball does not lie in or on the obstruction, the obstruction may be removed. If the ball moves, it shall be replaced, and there is no penalty provided that the movement of the ball is directly attributable to the removal of the obstruction. Otherwise, Rule 18-2a applies.

b. If the ball lies in or on the obstruction, the ball may be lifted, without penalty, and the obstruction removed. The ball shall through the green or in a hazard be dropped, or on the putting green be placed, as near as possible to the spot directly under the place where the ball lay in or on the obstruction, but not nearer the hole.

The ball may be cleaned when lifted under Rule 24-1.

When a ball is in motion, an obstruction which might influence the movement of the ball, other than an attended flagstick or equipment of the players, shall not be removed.

Note: If a ball to be dropped or placed under this Rule is not immediately recoverable, another ball may be substituted.

Definition - Obstructions

An "obstruction" is anything artificial, including the artificial surfaces and sides of roads and paths and manufactured ice, except:

- Objects defining out of bounds, such as walls, fences, stakes and railings;
- Any part of an immovable artificial object which is out of bounds; and
- Any construction declared by the Committee to be an integral part of the course.

Decisions on the Rules

1-2/3 Flagstick Lying on Putting Green Removed by Player to Prevent Another Player's Ball from Striking It.

Q. B removes the flagstick, places it on the putting green behind the hole and putts. A, believing that B's ball will strike the flagstick, picks up the flagstick, allowing B's ball to roll beyond where the flagstick had been placed. What is the ruling?

A. In match play, A loses the hole for removing an obstruction which might influence the movement of the ball while the player's ball was in motion. (Rule 1-2 or 24-1)

In stroke play, A incurs a penalty of two strokes (Rule 1-2 or 24-1)

B incurs no penalty.

Discussion

The situation at Poppy was, a competitor moved another player's club from the putting green while another ball was in motion on the green because the competitor felt the ball may strike that club. By Rule 24-1 (*When a ball is in motion, an obstruction which might influence the movement of the ball, other than an attended flagstick or equipment of the players, shall not be removed*), this is within the Rules and constitutes no penalty on the competitor. Since this rule refers to the "equipment of the players", this includes the equipment (clubs, bag, towel, etc.) of any player within your group.

Now if a fellow competitor moved a flagstick that was lying on the green, a bottle/can that had been discarded (i.e. an obstruction) or a branch, fruit from a nearby tree (i.e. a loose impediment) that could influence a ball while it was in motion, that competitor would be in breach of the Rules.

From the decision stated above on Rule 1-2, if the Player A does not move the flagstick and Player B's ball strikes it, Player B incurs the penalty of 2 strokes because of a breach of Rule 17-3 (Ball Striking Flagstick or Attendant). So, Player A in trying to be a "good guy" by saving his fellow competitor a penalty has breached the Rules and has incurred a penalty on himself.



Tales from the Caddie Shack

In 1923 some of the world's greatest financiers met in Chicago.

President of the largest independent steel company
President of the largest gas company
President of the New York Stock Exchange
Greatest wheat speculator
One of the President's cabinet
Greatest bear of Wall Street
Head of the world's greatest monopoly
President of the Bank of International Settlement

These men should have been considered some of the world's most successful men. At least they found the secret of making money. Now almost 75 years later, do you know what became of these men?

1. The President of the largest independent steel company, Charles Schwab, died a pauper. The last few years of his life he lived on borrowed money.
2. The President of the largest gas company, Edward Hopson, went insane.
3. The President of the N.Y.S.E, Richard Whitney, was released from Sing Sing Prison to die at home.
4. The greatest wheat speculator, Arthur Cotton, died abroad, insolvent.

5. The member of the President's cabinet, Albert Fall, was pardoned and released to die at home.
6. The greatest bear of Wall Street, Jesse Livermore, died a suicide.
7. The head of the world's greatest monopoly, Ivar Kuger, The Match King, died a suicide.
8. The President of the Bank of International Settlement shot himself.

That same year, 1923, the winner of several of the most important golf championships, including the U.S. Open and PGA Tournament, was Gene Sarazen. Today he still officially starts the Masters and is solvent.

CONCLUSION: STOP WORRYING ABOUT BUSINESS AND START PLAYING GOLF



Upcoming Tournaments



Sign-ups are now being accepted for the following tournaments. The fee established for each tournament is determined by the contracted price for green fees, cart fee if required, pro shop merchandise fee if included in the contract, and the \$5 for Bayview tournament prizes. Please use the enclosed forms when signing up for a tournament and include the total amount for all players submitted. If you are including fees for a guest, include their handicap number and current index for inclusion into a handicap flight; otherwise, your guest will be placed in the Callaway flight. Guest fees are an additional \$5 over member fees. **Pay attention to the sign-up deadline!**

	<u>Tournament</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Sign-Up Deadline</u>	<u>Notes</u>
	<u>Site</u>				
13	Las Positas	May 31	\$41	May 20	Cart NOT Included
14	San Juan Oaks	Jun 7	\$80	May 21	
15	Paradise Valley	Jun 21	\$60	June 4	



1997 Tournament Schedule



The following is our 1997 tournament schedule. If new tournaments are scheduled, they will be added to the list. We will maintain an up to date schedule on our web site.

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>SITE</u>	<u>Players</u>	<u>NOTES</u>
1	Jan 18	8:00	Rancho Canada - West	32	
2	Jan 19 (Sun)	7:00	Laguna Seca	32	
3	Feb 9 (Sun)	10:00	Spring Valley	40	
4	Feb 22	10:00	Poppy Hills	48	
5	Mar 16 (Sun)	10:45	Skywest	40	
6	Mar 22	10:30	Willow Park	32	
7	Mar 29	8:00	Alameda - South	40	
8	Apr 19	8:00	Diablo Grande	40	
9	Apr 26	9:30	Bodega Harbor	40	
10	May 3	8:00	Franklin Canyon	40	NCGA Net Championship Qualifier
11	May 17	8:30	Spring Hills	40	
12	May 25	7:00	Poppy Ridge	48	NCGA Associate Club Championship Qualifier
13	May 31	12:00	Las Positas	48	
14	Jun 7	10:00	San Juan Oaks	40	
15	Jun 21	10:00	Paradise Valley	40	
16	Jun 28	9:00	Sunol - Palm	40	
17	Jul 12	10:30	La Contenta	40	
18	Jul 20	9:00	San Ramon Royal Vista	32	
19	Jul 26	9:00	Rancho Solano	40	NCGA 4 Ball Net Championship Qualifier
20	Aug 9	8:00	Tilden Park	40	
21	Aug 16	8:00	Adobe Creek	40	
22	Aug 22 (Fri)	11:30	Empire Ranch	24	Carson Valley Inn (Minden Nevada)
23	Aug 23	7:30	Dayton Valley	40	
24	Aug 24 (Sun)	10:00	Genoa Lakes	40	
25	Aug 30	9:00	Fort Ord - Bayonet	40	
26	Sep 7 (Sun)	8:00	San Juan Oaks	48	
27	Sep 21 (Sun)	10:00	De Laveaga	40	
28	Sep 28 (Sun)	8:30	Willow Park	40	
29	Oct 5	12:00	Las Positas	40	
30	Oct 18	8:30	Spring Hills	32	
31	Nov 1	9:00	Ridgemark	40	
32	Nov 22	8:00	Rancho Canada - West	40	



Tournament Results



Spring Valley February 9, 1997



<u>Players</u>	<u>Avg Net</u>	<u>Avg Putts</u>	<u>Purse</u>	<u>Conditions</u>
32	72.5	36.0	\$215	Soft, wet with falling temperatures

1st Flight

1	\$25	67	Haraughty, G.
2	\$15	68	Priolo, D.
3	\$10	70	Moss, L.
4		70	Jedynak, S.
5		71	Keenan, G.

2nd Flight

66	Ramos, R.
67	Ryckewaert, D.
68	Cornellier, D.
70	Carlson, D.
71	Ryckewaert, J.

3rd Flight

69	Grossman, K.
71	Hayden, B.
71	Smith, G.
71	Patel, H.
71	Cowden, Darlene

Callaway Flight

1	\$5	Spriggs, G.
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Closest to the Pin (\$10 Gift Cert)

#2A	Mike Hutnik
#4	Dick Gunderson
#7	Dave Priolo
#11	Dave Ryckewaert
#16	Wayne Takahashi

Fewest Putts (\$10 Gift Cert)

30	Gordon Haraughty
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Poppy Hills February 22, 1997



<u>Players</u>	<u>Avg Net</u>	<u>Avg Putts</u>	<u>Purse</u>	<u>Conditions</u>
48	82.8	37.9	\$315	Good with fast greens, minor fairway drainage construction

1st Flight

1	\$30	75	Moss, L.
2	\$20	77	Hutnik, M.
3	\$10	77	Podany, T.
4		78	Hiser, D.
5		78	Palmer, PJ

2nd Flight

76	Ryckewaert, J.
76	Fisher, G.
77	Priolo, D.
79	Holm, G.
80	Miller, A.

3rd Flight

77	Hamlin, D.
79	Cornellier, D.
80	Lewis, K.
82	Vandenberg, J.
84	Ryckewaert, D.

4th Flight

72	O'Callaghan, S.
76	Bustamante, G.
76	Smith, G.
79	Isaia, J.
79	Takahashi, W.

Callaway Flight

1	\$5	73	Wilson, P.
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Closest to the Pin (\$10 Gift Cert)

#2	Phil Wilson
#6	Tom Podany
#11	Larry Jones
#15	Dave Priolo
#17	Al Miller

Fewest Putts (\$10 Gift Cert)

31	Mike Hutnik
	Gary Holm



Tournament Statistics



Through Poppy Hills

Bayview Cup

Avg Net

(Minimum of 2 Tournaments)

Season Average

77.43

Avg Putts

Season Average

36.02

1	33 Moss
2	30 Jedynak
3	30 Priolo
4	28 Ryckewaedt.,
5	28 Ryckewaedt.,
6	27 Cornellier
7	24 Bustamante
8	24 Ramos
9	23 Smith
10	22 CookJackie
11	22 Hutnik
12	22 Templin
13	21 Gunderson
14	20 Grossman
15	17 Miller
16	17 Takahashi
17	16 Isaia
18	13 Smyth
19	12 Hayden
20	12 Lewis

72.00	Moss
72.33	Cornellier
73.00	Priolo
73.50	Jedynak
73.50	Ryckewaedt.,
74.00	CookJackie
74.00	Smyth
74.25	Hutnik
74.67	Ramos
74.75	Gunderson
75.33	Takahashi
75.50	Holloway
75.67	Templin
76.00	Bochenski
76.50	Isaia
76.67	Bustamante
76.75	Ryckewaedt.,
77.00	Zukowski
77.75	Smith
78.50	Hiser

32.00	Cornellier
32.25	Moss
32.50	Hutnik
32.67	Templin
33.67	Zukowski
34.25	Gunderson
34.33	CookJackie
34.50	Ryckewaedt.,
34.67	Smyth
35.00	Bochenski
35.00	CookJon
35.00	Kado
35.50	Hiser
35.50	Isaia
35.67	Miller
36.00	Holloway
36.00	Ryckewaedt.,
36.50	Hayden
36.50	Jedynak
36.67	Ramos



#15

Paradise Valley

June 21, 1997
First Tee Time - 10:00 AM

Sign-Up Deadline June 4, 1997

NAME	\$60	For Guests	NCGA #	INDEX	\$65
		Fill in the following data and submit the fees as specified in the last column.			

NOTES: Cart is included

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Mail To: P.O. Box 64210
Sunnyvale, CA. 94086

Preferred Foursome:

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#14

San Juan Oaks

June 7, 1997
First Tee Time - 10:00 AM

Sign-Up Deadline May 21, 1997

NAME	\$80	For Guests	NCGA #	INDEX	\$85
		Fill in the following data and submit the fees as specified in the last column.			

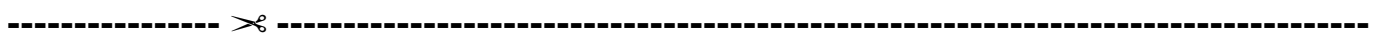
NOTES: Cart is included

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Preferred Foursome:

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#13

Las Positas

May 31, 1997
First Tee Time - 12:00 PM

Sign-Up Deadline May 20, 1997

NAME	\$41	For Guests	NCGA #	INDEX	\$46
		Fill in the following data and submit the fees as specified in the last column.			

NOTES: Cost Does NOT Include Cart

ENCLOSED PAYMENT



If you need a cart and want to share the cost of that cart with another player, check the box.

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