

STARTERS:

Bonnie Ogden

Meet your fellow WGA members. As a starter, you check players in from a tee sheet provided, noting who takes the scorecards for their group, and highlighting the names of those paying \$2 to enter the closest to the pin competition. You remind players of the play day format, any rules of the day from Norma Hartney's email, that their scores will be entered in GHIN by a member of the handicap committee, and the importance of pace of play. The night before, we'll email you instructions, which will also be included with the starter materials in the pro shop. More next month on what little time is involved with volunteering when called.

THINKING OF YOU:

Diana Beene

A thinking of you card was sent to Ruth Smith.

Thank you so much for keeping me informed. If someone needs a card, please let me know at dbeene4700@gmail.com, text me at 501-984-3446 or call 501-922-0838.

SNOW WOMEN:

Bev Harris

Unfortunately, due to Mother Nature, we had to cancel the tournament. We'll try again next year! Those who were going to participate, we'll reimburse you at our Spring Meeting on April 7th.

HANDICAP:

Ruth Smith

Spring is coming and our courses WILL open again. Be sure to record your scores for handicapping on GHIN, preferably the day you finish your round. Try the "hole by hole" method of recording. When you enter your holes' "gross scores" the "hole by hole" method of recording will make your adjustments for you. It's a fast and accurate way of recording scores on GHIN.

CRUSH CANCER:

Debbie Johnson

First of all, don't forget to find a partner for our CRUSH Cancer Playday on June 9th. It will be a two-person scramble and we plan to have special events within the scramble. As you know it is a great time for fun and fellowship and also to raise some funds for cancer research.

Right now, our committee would like to hear your thoughts about having another Golf Sale. Last year we had a one-day event at the Balboa Pavilion that was very successful. We are looking for your ideas and opinions on having one this year, and if so, what would best suit you! Please contact one of us by phone, email, or just share your thoughts when you see us on the golf course. They are important to us.

As always, we would love to grow our committee. It is fun to get together to support such an important cause that touches us all in many ways. Research is the key to CRUSHING cancer! The play day is easy peasy and if we do have a Golf Sale, many hands make that job easy, too. Consider joining this committee. We are a phone call away. Ann Alfson 817-239-4582, Betty Johnson 936-554-8849 or Debbie Johnson 817-929-5154.

TEE TIME ADJUSTORS:

Kim Fisher

Your Tee Time Adjustors are getting ready for the first WGA play day on April 7th. We are asking for your help again this year to make things run smoothly. Here are a few reminders that will make our job easier:

1. Sign up deadline is 5:00 p.m. the Thursday before the play day.
2. When you sign up you will receive a confirmation email. Please save this email. If you don't receive an email, you may not have completed the sign up.
3. Tee Times will be created in Total-E by the POA Golf Department on Friday.
4. If you signed up and don't receive a tee time by Friday evening, please contact the Tee Time Adjuster listed on the WGA website Play Day Infor/Pairings Tab.
5. If you forget to sign up or need to cancel you must contact the Tee Time Adjuster listed on the WGA website Play Day Info/Pairings tab by Monday at 5:00 p.m.
6. If you add after the sign up deadline, no guarantees are made that you will get a tee time as that is determined based on play day format, player handicap, and is up to the discretion of the Tee Time Adjuster.
7. Scorecards are printed on Tuesday, so it is more difficult to make changes after Monday night.
8. The Tee Time Adjusters manually make the late changes to the scorecards on Wednesday afternoons around 3:00 p.m. Any changes after that time will not be reflected on the scorecards.
9. If you are cancelling on the day of play, you must call the Golf Pro Shop yourself.
10. Handicaps for WGA play is calculated based on your USGA Handicap index on the day the tee times are made (usually the Friday before play).

MARGARET GRIFFIN INVITATIONAL: Sandi Belt

Plans for the Margaret Griffin Invitational are well underway. The committee has been meeting and planning for this fun tournament. Save the date e-blasts were sent out last month and the formal invitations will be sent out in April. One change we want to let you know is, we have moved the Friday course from DeSoto to Granada. So, mark your calendars, grab a partner for this year's Invitational on July 21st and 22nd.

Happy March
Birthday



- 5 Kay Gardenhire
- 7 Ray Ann Schlafer
- 13 Liz Edwards
- 17 Ruth Fugler
- 17 Nancy Pfeiffer

- 24 Kay Pearson
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