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UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

Aug 3 Balboa	Play it Forward Ind. Low Net AB
Aug 9 Coronado Ctr.	Board Meeting 8:30 a.m.
Aug 10 Cortez	PYP Net Best Ball aa/bb
Aug 17 DeSoto	Eclectic Ind. BA
Aug 24 DeSoto	Eclectic Ind. AB
Aug 31	NO PLAY

MARGARET GRIFFIN INVITATIONAL:

Sherrie Nichols

The 2023 Margaret Griffin Invitational was held July 20th and 21st at Isabella and DeSoto. It was a hot day Thursday but after a rain delay Friday everyone enjoyed a cooler day of golfing. All players enjoyed a Grab and Go breakfast both days and a snack lunch Thursday during play. Thursday afternoon players gathered at the Balboa Pavilion for fellowship, food, drinks and a cornhole tournament. Friday after the round, players enjoyed a baked potato and salad bar, 50/50 and raffle prize drawings and the announcement of flight winners. You can look on Flicker to see pictures from the tournament. Thank you to all who played in the tournament, volunteers, the golf department and all the committee members who helped to make the tournament a success.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Now that July is behind us, we can look forward to saying goodbye to the hot, rainy, and muggy weather that has hampered our golf play.

Our 2023 Margaret Griffin Invitational tournament was a huge success, and we owe a heartfelt thank you to Sandi Belt, Sherri Nichols, Mary Harper, Janee Jeffries, Ellie Little, Suzanne Lofgren, Brenda Sallee, and Cheri Thiel for their hard work in organizing this fantastic event. Despite a brief rain delay, everyone persevered and had a great time. Congratulations to the entire committee for their dedication and effort!

It was truly wonderful to see so many guests from out of town but especially great to have our past president, Sharron Montgomery, join us at the tournament. I know she had fun seeing many of you.

Looking ahead to August, there are no specific tournaments scheduled, so it's an excellent opportunity to continue playing golf and enjoying the game.

For those interested in learning more about the rules, we are planning an event, though the details are still being worked out. Stay tuned for updates, as it promised to be an informative and engaging experience.

Don't forget that our board meeting is August 9th and all of you are invited to attend. If you have any suggestions or topics you'd like to discuss, please feel free to share them with me beforehand.

Let's keep the positive momentum going and continue having a fantastic time on the course.

See you out there!



Nancy Pfeiffer



THINKING OF YOU:

Diana Beene

Thinking of you cards were sent to Lois Oswald, Bev Raskin and Josie Hanschmann.

Don't forget to let me know when someone needs a card. You can email me at dbeene4700@gmail.com, text 501-984-3446 or call 501-922-0838.

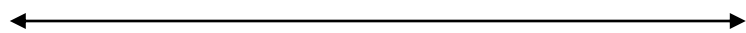
Thank you so much for keeping me informed.



MEMBER/MEMBER:

Sandi Smit

Save the dates, October 12th and 13th! It's not too early to start thinking about our most popular tournament, the Member/Member! Grab your partner and make sure you play enough play days to qualify, remember you need 25% of available play days, and that number depends on how many days we get rained out – we already had one, so just go ahead and sign up for all the rest of them! We are changing it up this year, of course we will have our first day on Isabella, but the last day will be on DeSoto, and I'm sure Logan at the DeSoto Club will serve up some special food just for us! Happy golfing!



HOLE-IN-ONE:

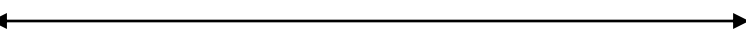
*Emma Pinson
Susan Brunette*

Unfortunately, we have nothing to report. No Hole-in-Ones! Must be too hot when you get to the par 3's you have no energy to hit the perfect shot.

Please check your balance on the webpage there are still some women that are three dollars or below. Send the check made payable to the Hole-in-One club to Susan Brunette, 2 Hortezuella Lane.

Stay cool Ladies, please drink lots of water.

We hope you have the next Hole-in-One!

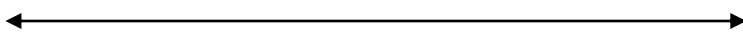


SWAGS:

Rebecca Huber

The Arkansas Senior Women's championship, otherwise known as SWAGS, will be played at Hot Springs CC, Majestic course, on August 29th & 30th.

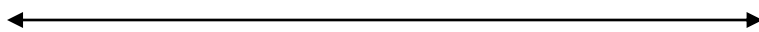
This is a two-day stroke play event. Details and an entry form will follow via eblast.



STARTERS:

Becky Dost

A Big Thank You goes out to those that have arrived early to get our players checked in. Please say "YES" when we call and ask for your help. Also, please stop by the starter table to get checked in, get your score card and find out any special info for the game of the day.



*Happy August
Birthday*



- 6 Marianne Kaercher
- 7 Joan Archer
- 9 Josie Hanschmann
- 11 Cathy Walsh
- 13 Kim Winter
- 18 Connie Grauberger
- 26 Brenda Alford (**New Member**)
- 30 Jeanette Keim

