

March 2008

Golf Tips From the Captain, Tom Knoflick

Golf can best be defined as an endless series of tragedies obscured by the occasional miracle,. And on top of that, the winner buys the drinks.

"Golf is harder than baseball. In golf, you have to play your foul balls.

If you find you do not mind playing golf in the rain, the snow, even during a hurricane, here's a valuable tip: your life is in trouble.

Golfers who try to make everything perfect before taking the shot rarely make a perfect shot.

The term "mulligan" is really a contraction of the phrase "maul it again."

A "gimme" can best be defined as an agreement between two golfers ... neither of whom can putt very well. If your best shots are the practice swing and the "gimme putt", you might wish to reconsider this game

An interesting thing about golf is that no matter how badly you play; it is always possible to get worse.

Golf's a hard game to figure. One day you'll go out and slice it and shank it, hit into all the traps and miss every green. The next day you go out and for no reason at all, you really stink..

The best wood in most amateurs' bags is the pencil.

Golf is like marriage: If you take yourself too seriously it won't work , and both are expensive.

Golf is the only sport where the **most feared** opponent is **YOU**.



UPCOMING EVENTS



March 23: Easter Sunday

April 8: Board Meeting at 9:30 in the Bar (everyone is welcome to attend)

April 15: Monthly Breakfast. Eclectic Golf Tournament

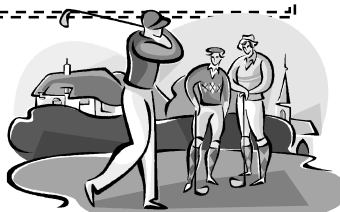
On April 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29

April 15: Uncle Sam Wants Your Money

May 4: Music in the Mountains Golf Tournament –A Charity Event—(Volunteers are needed, ask the Captain)

May 6: Odd Couples Tournament. Women's and Men's Nine Hole Clubs

Welcome New Member Tony Dallojacono



**March Golf Tournament
Irish Doubles – 2 Man Low
Net**



**February Tournament
Winners**

Flight A: 1. Tom Gleisner
2. Dennis Cole
3. Charlie Bertness
4. George Chisholm

Flight B: 1. Gerry Jansen
2. Gary Dunbar
3. John Short
4. Steve Jaramillo

A recent study found the average American golfer walks about 900 miles a year. Another study found Americans drink, on average, 22 gallons of beer a year. That means, on average, American golfers get about 41 miles to the gallon.

Golf Committee News from Bob Martin

Golf Central – A new web site for Lake Wildwood Golf

On February 7, a new golf web site was announced. The information about golfing at Lake Wildwood has been update, enhanced and expanded. If you wish to see it go to the Lake Wildwood web site (www.lwwa.org), click on “Activities” and then click on “Golf”. Once at *Golf Central*, you can enter it into your *Favorites* or *Book Marks* list for direct access in the future. Comments and suggestions are welcome.

Golf Committee Membership

3 new members-at-large have been named by the Board of Directors. They are **Michael Byrne, Jerry Lane** and **Ed Lauchner**.

Upcoming Opinion Survey on the Golf Course Master Plan

Somewhere near the end of March or the beginning of April, the *Golf Committee* will be conducting an opinion survey in which golfers will be asked their opinion about the various aspects of the *Golf Course Master Plan*. The committee hopes to determine which of the many projects in the plan are considered important and their relative importance as an aid to planning for future improvement projects.

The survey will be available online through the Internet for those golfers who are computer users; this is the easiest way to take the survey. If you have an e-mail address but have not yet given it to John Short, you should do so ASAP. For those golfers who do not use computers, the survey will be available in paper form at the Pro Shop.

Look for the formal announcement 1) in your e-mail, 2) in *Bits & Pieces*, 3) on the Pro Shop bulletin board, 4) on the Men’s 9 Hole Club bulletin board, 5) maybe in the *TWI* and 6) under the rug.

Golf Fees for 2008-2009

In last months article, I erroneously omitted one more caveat for ½ round 9 hole play on Tuesdays. It is item “c” below.

1. Members of the Men’s and Women’s 9-hole clubs,
 - a. who have a **Limited Annual**,
 - b. when playing on Tuesday in their club’s shotgun and
 - c. ***who have declared Tuesday as their tournament day with the tee time system***

will only be charged for one half a round. Therefore, if you go out 50 Tuesdays for 9 holes you will still have 50 18 hole rounds left to your credit.