

Table Talk

TABLE MOUNTAIN GOLF CLUB, INC.

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Happy New Year to all of our Members at Table Mt. Golf Club, I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday season with friends and family.

At the course it's time to get back to business and preparing the course for spring time playability, as you can see Stacy Baker's crew has done a fine job getting the greens back into shape. We have a few greens that are still in need of some work. In time they will be in the best condition for play during the start of our new golfing year this coming spring. Please be course friendly and observe the rules for cart path only, along with the 90 degree rule when it's in affect, we do not want to abuse the playing surface on our fairways during the next few winter months.

During the past three years we have had events that have directly affected the golf course. The heavy smoke from the fires in the foothills, the flooding from the dam spillway and the terrible Camp fire that took lives, destroyed a City and displaced many residents from the town of Paradise. We lost several members from the town of Paradise and surrounding small towns since the Camp fire happened, mainly to the relocation process. Hopefully they will be able to settle into the local communities and regain the comfort and day to day activities they once had during their time in the town of Paradise and surrounding towns.

The Club has incurred some additional cost from Butte County in property taxes assessments. These cost are higher than the normal dollar amounts we have paid in past years.

We as a Club will need to keep up with the current New Year "minimum wage increase" which starts at the first of the year for all our hourly employees.

Price increases for all food and beverage items we purchase from the local vendors, who provide the items we serve or pour at the course. All of these cost add up and can strain the profit margins we take in at the golf course.

We will always make the effort to keep our memberships affordable. I feel our golf course is the best value in the North State and the future course improvements will prove that. Added trees, manicuring the surrounds in and around the teeing areas and putting surfaces, make a difference.

Membership is very important to the daily operation at Table Mountain Golf Club. Let's all do our part and help seek out newer members to join our golf facility or just a simple golf outing with family, friends, or a co-worker who might be interested in learning the game of golf. We are currently running golf specials that are very enticing this winter. Check with our Head Professional Todd Moran for all of the details.

I'd like to thank all of those individuals who have donated items to the golf course for course improvements during the past year. These donations are greatly appreciated and we cannot thank you enough.

Let's make the start of the 2020 New Year, a great golfing year for you, family, friends, and Table Mountain Golf Club, so we all can enjoy this New Year.

JANUARY 2020

CORN HOLE TOURNAMENT AT TABLE MOUNTAIN GOLF CLUB

Saturday, January 11th

We will be having a great time each month putting on these corn hole tournaments. They fill up quick. Sign up today!

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BIG GAME TOURNAMENT AND PARY

Sunday, February 2nd. Sign up in the Pro Shop



ON THE COURSE, by Stacy Baker, TMGC Director of Agronomy

The last few weeks the course has received 7.28 inches of rainfall. Mowing fairways and roughs has been a challenge. When the course dries out a bit we will be out mowing. The course maintenance staff has been working on many improvements the last few months. Several dead or dying trees have be removed and we will dig out the stumps when the course dries out. Trees were planted behind #18 green with the help of the Friends of the Golf Course. We have repaired several irrigation leaks and look to improve the system in the coming months. We will be replacing the irrigation control boxes on the driving range pad that have been damaged. In addition, we have been raising low irrigation heads throughout the course. We will be replacing some of the oldest irrigation heads in the driving field with newer heads that we already had purchased or replaced and removed from the course over the last few years. We are continuing to overseed the areas on the greens that suffered turf loss and are beginning to see lots of new growth. Pocket gopher control has been a priority and we are gaining ground, especially around greens. The coming months will bring more of these types of projects, in addition to regular mowing maintenance.

Stacy Baker

Men's Club Report

Greetings to everyone. Thank you to everyone who were able to participate in the Turkey Shoot and the Dec. Par 3 tournaments. Great job to all the teams that placed. The weather has been good and the course is in good shape. There were a lot of cash raffle winners not present during the annual meeting. Next year you must be present at the meeting to receive the raffle prize. Please check the list on the bulletin board to see if you have money coming your way. Our season is done and we have a whole new schedule for the 2020 year.

Remember the NCGA renewal period is currently underway. Forms are located in the club house next to the scoring computer. I wanted to thank Dan, Rich, Jason and Bud for all that they do. They go well beyond the call of duty and I appreciate their hard work.

The Turkey shoot results are, Flight 1, 1st, Brian Elliot and Roberto Esparza, 2nd in a card off was Bob Collier and Richard Wilson, 3rd in a card off was Tony Baptista and Efren Gutierrez. Flight 2, 1st, Randy Garewal and Alan Bunn, 2nd, Jon Carlson and Rudy Melashenko, 3rd, Peter Davis and Bryan Flicker. Fight 3, 1st in a card off was Dave Dashier and Fred Hugg, 2nd in card off was Caesar Rodriguez and Lou Rodriguez, 3rd was Fred Abella and Tim Gorton. Fight 4, 1st in a card off was Jim Buck and Bill Olson, 2nd in a card off was Yves Latouche and Ed Melton, 3rd, Chris Davis and Kevin Peppas.

December Par 3 tournament, Fight 1, 1st card off, Adam Wilson, 2nd, card off, Efren Gutierrez, 3rd, card off, Armando Quinones, 4th, card off, Marcus Walberg, 5th card off, Bob Collier. Flight 2, 1st card off, Fred Abella, 2nd card off, Bud Willett, 3rd, Jeff House, 4th card off, Jim Edwards, 5th card off, Aaron Rogers. Flight 3, 1st Pete Commesso, 2nd Curtis Top, 3rd, Randy Garewal, 4th card off, Mike Douglas, 5th card off, Gary Lindberg.

Well Done. Thank you Todd for setting up the corn hole tournaments, good turn out and it was a great time. I wanted to thank Todd and Mike for all that they do, to the grounds crew for keeping the course in great shape and to everyone in the kitchen, thank you for everything. As always see you on the course.

TMMC President Richard Willie Wilson

Table Mountain Women's Golf Club

Our yearly December luncheon and meeting was fun giving members a chance to contribute toys to be distributed to children in Oroville through the Quota Club. Thank you Jody Thompson and Ann Howell-Wood for arranging this toy drive. We had some ladies from the Kelly Ridge Golf Club join us this year making our luncheon even more special.



Janet Ott was honored for being our TMWGC 2019 Champion. After three rounds of golf, Janet had a low gross of 244. Other women recognized at the meeting were Sue Snow, who was the Most Improved Golfer having gone from a 21.4 handicap on December 1, 2018 to an 18.4 handicap on November 15, 2019. Candy Parkison and Donna Madison were cheered for their hole-in-ones this year. Earning a Breaking 80 pin were Sherry Sue who broke 80 with a 79 on 8/13/19 and Deb Miller who broke 80 with a 79 on 10/1/19.

The TMWGC Executive board for 2020 was sworn in by Candy Parkison. Joining the board this year as our new secretary is Elaine Thomas. Thank you, Sandy Goble, for being such an awesome secretary for us these past couple of years!



Sally Steman—Captain Christl Yates—Co-Captain Elaine Thomas—Secretary Sherry Sue—Treasurer Janett Ott—Handicap Liz Coleman—Tournaments Karen Scurlock—Social Pam Weichert—Rules Sue Snow—NCGA Ambassador

See you on the course,

Christl Yates

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TMGC

JANUARY

Kelly Ridge Ladies Day	Tuesday, January 7, 14, 21, & 28	8:30 am TT
Ladies Club Play Days	Thursday, January 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30	8:30 am TT
Cornhole Tournament	Saturday, January 11	1 pm
Men's Club Tournament	Sunday, January 12	9 am Mod SG

FEBRUARY

Kelly Ridge Ladies Club Ladies Club Play Days Big Game Tournament and Party Men's Club Tournament **TMGC** Annual Dinner TMGC Par 3 Tournament

Tuesday, February 4, 11, 18, & 25 Thursday, February 6, 13, 20, & 27 Sunday, February 2 Sunday, February 9 Friday, February 21 Saturday, February 22

8:30 am TT 8:30 am TT 10 am Mod SG 9 am Mod SG 5 pm9 am TT

TT= Tee Time Mod SG= Modified Shot Gun SG= Shot Gun BYO= Book your own TT

FRIENDS OF THE GOLF COURSE **GLOW BALL TOURNAMENT** SATURDAY, MARCH 7TH

LOOK FOR APPLICATIONS SOON!