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HEADLINE NEWS

Off to a good start

As of January, the Club has 103 regular, and 2 associate members

It's now a fixture

The temporary sign-up and payment procedure for tournaments that was put in place last November on a trial basis has worked out well and has now been made standard. Members are submitting sign-up and pairing requests to Jim Tapley by phone, email, or a sign-up sheet that Jim brings with him to Club meetings and tournaments.

Members pay their green fees directly to each course upon arrival for a tournament, and in addition, members with SCGA handicaps pay Jim \$6 in cash to participate in the prize pool.

Primm Golf Adventure

A General Information sheet and an Application form for the highly anticipated 2012 incarnation of Phil Washum's *Primm Golf Adventure* on June 19th thru June 21st can be found on pages 6 and 7. In addition, members with access to MMGC's website can see and print the same information from the "Events" section.

Palm Springs Getaway

On the heels of a very successful event last year, the *Palm Springs Getaway* is scheduled again in 2012 for Sept. 23rd thru Sept. 25th. The format will be low net on day one, and partner's best ball on day two.

More information will be available later in the year when the details have been firmed up.

MMGC TOUR SCHEDULE

Unless otherwise noted, all tournaments are low gross and 1st - 3rd net in flights **A, B, C, & D.**

❀❀ Please check in **1/2 HOUR** prior to tee time ❀❀

Moreno Valley Ranch

Mo Feb 6th

\$35+6 8:00 Shotgun

Cutoff : Jan 27th

Menifee Lakes

Th Feb 16th

\$35+6 8:00 Shotgun

Cutoff : Feb 7th

San Luis Rey Downs

Mo Feb 27th

\$33+6 8:00 Shotgun

Cutoff : Feb 17th

TGC at Rancho Calif.

Th Mar 8th

\$35+6 8:00 Shotgun

Cutoff : Feb 28th

Cross Creek

Mo Mar 12th

\$35+6 8:00 Shotgun

Cutoff : Mar 2nd

Team Game!

NEXT MEETING:

Saturday February 11th @ 9:00 AM.

Golf Knolls Recreation Center, Unit # 3
29070 Camino Alba - Murrieta

Submit Sign-Up & Pairing Requests To:

Jim Tapley

taps4golf@verizon.net

Phone: (951) 698-8078

MMGC Tour Statistics – Jan 2012

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------|
| Members finishing in 3 rounds | 144 |
| Average player handicap | 24.0 |
| Average gross score | 101.9 |
| Average net score | 77.9 |
| Lowest gross | 79 |
| Lowest net | 63 |
| Highest gross | 146 |
| Highest net | 105 |

MMGC Tour Statistics – 2011

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Members finishing in 36 rounds | 1525 |
| Average players finishing (per round) | 42.4 |
| Average player handicap | 23.3 |
| Average gross score | 100.0 |
| Average net score | 76.5 |
| Lowest gross | 72 |
| Lowest net | 59 |
| Highest gross | 153 |
| Highest net | 113 |

MEMBERSHIP & HANDICAP

Members: 103 Regular
2 Associate

Average 18 Hole Index: 22.1

Most improved for January:

Sam Lemmon, Bob Dillworth, Russ Liedel, Ed Olsen, Butch Welty

Most improved for the last 12 months:

Rob Abernathy, Mark Ward, Jim Rosa, Butch Welty, Dave Pruitt

Statistics for Dec: (intentionally 1 month behind)

90 members played 340 rounds, an average of 3.78 rounds per player.

A SIGN OF THE TIMES



How can I write if I am illiterate... or even read the sign?

WHAT'S THE POINT?

POINTS TOTALS : 2012

Names in green are qualified for the

Tournament of Champions

| Name | Points | Name | Points | Name | Points |
|---------------|--------|-----------------|--------|------|--------|
| Dillworth | 9 | Vander Byl | 1 | | |
| Freiberg \$ | 6 | Tomas | 1 | | |
| Kamins | 6 | Washum | 1 | | |
| Tucker | 6 | Whitford \$ | 1 | | |
| Cude | 5 | | | | |
| Enlow \$ | 5 | \$ Is in the | | | |
| Quinlan \$ | 5 | Points Pool | | | |
| Healy | 4 | \$ Is in top 10 | | | |
| Martin \$ | 4 | | | | |
| Olsen | 4 | | | | |
| Davidson | 4 | | | | |
| Beltz \$ | 3 | | | | |
| Feinblatt \$ | 3 | | | | |
| Tapley \$ | 3 | | | | |
| Hunt | 3 | | | | |
| Murray \$ | 3 | | | | |
| Stucky | 3 | | | | |
| Rosa \$ | 3 | | | | |
| McCaslin \$ | 3 | | | | |
| Richardson \$ | 3 | | | | |
| Barnes | 2 | | | | |
| Hall | 2 | | | | |
| Lazzaro \$ | 2 | | | | |
| Torres | 2 | | | | |
| Welty \$ | 2 | | | | |
| Vasquez | 2 | | | | |
| Frank | 2 | | | | |
| Pruett | 2 | | | | |
| Lemmon \$ | 2 | | | | |
| Bertel \$ | 1 | | | | |
| Hitt | 1 | | | | |
| Liedel | 1 | | | | |

To qualify for the **Tournament of Champions**, the **President's Cup**, or the **Club Championship** you must have played in three or more regular tournaments during the year. For the **Tournament of Champions** you must also have achieved either a first place, or a tie for first place.

It would seem that the sign is kind of redundant.



TOURNAMENT RESULTS

The Legends Jan 5th 64 Players

"A" FLIGHT (6 - 18 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Low Gross | Jim Rosa | 79 / 73 |
| 1 st Net | Wayne Kamins | 83 / 69 |
| 2 nd Net | Ray McCaslin | 89 / 71 |
| 3 rd Net | Sam Lemmon | 89 / 72 |

"B" FLIGHT (18 - 23 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| Low Gross | Bob Dillworth | 92 / 73 |
| 1 st Net | Jim Tapley | 95 / 73 |
| 2 nd Net (tie) | Bob Davidson | 94 / 76 |
| 2 nd Net (tie) | Larry Richardson | 96 / 76 |
| 2 nd Net (tie) | Sammy Vasquez | 99 / 76 |

"C" FLIGHT (24 - 28 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Low Gross | Larry Beltz | 93 / 67 |
| 1 st Net | Darrel Stucky | 95 / 70 |
| 2 nd Net (tie) | Don Frank | 95 / 71 |
| 2 nd Net (tie) | Henry Torres | 98 / 71 |

"D" FLIGHT (28 - 39 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Low Gross | Marty Martin | 102 / 74 |
| 1 st Net | Bill Tucker | 105 / 72 |
| 2 nd Net (tie) | Jerry Quinlan | 108 / 76 |
| 2 nd Net (tie) | Jerry Barnes | 113 / 76 |

CLOSEST TO PIN

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------|--------------------|--------|
| 3 Russ Liedel | 2' 2" | 6 Don Smith | 6' 10" |
| 11 Bill Brank | 5' 2" | 15 Jim Rosa | 5' 2" |

Low net for the tournament: **Larry Beltz** with 67.
The average gross: 101.2. The average net: 77.9.

"A" Flight "B" Flight "C" Flight "D" Flight



Jim Rosa



Bob Dillworth



Larry Beltz



Marty Martin



Wayne Kamins



Jim Tapley



Darrel Stucky



Bill Tucker

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Castle Creek Jan 16th 45 Players

"A" FLIGHT (10 - 20 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| Low Gross | Les Feinblatt | 83 / 73 |
| 1 st Net | Bob Dillworth | 88 / 68 |
| 2 nd Net | Bob Davidson | 87 / 69 |
| 3 rd Net (tie) | Phil Washum | 85 / 70 |
| 3 rd Net (tie) | Larry Richardson | 90 / 70 |

"B" FLIGHT (21 - 27 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| Low Gross | Bob Freiberg | 99 / 76 |
| 1 st Net | Bob Enlow | 101 / 78 |
| 2 nd Net | Larry Hall | 105 / 79 |
| 3 rd Net | Tom Tomas | 104 / 80 |

"C" FLIGHT (28 - 39 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Low Gross | Roger Cude | 100 / 71 |
| 1 st Net | Jerry Quinlan | 103 / 70 |
| 2 nd Net | Guy Lazzaro | 104 / 73 |
| 3 rd Net (tie) | Terry Hitt | 102 / 74 |
| 3 rd Net (tie) | Ed Olsen | 102 / 74 |
| 3 rd Net (tie) | Marty Martin | 103 / 74 |

CLOSEST TO PIN

| | | | |
|------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 5 Gary Penovich | 7' 1" | 8 Larry Richardson | 8' 7" |
| 15 Bob Davidson | 12' 4" | 17 Butch Welty | 10' 7" |

Low net for the tournament: **Bob Dillworth** with 68.
The average gross: 104.2. The average net: 79.8.

"A" Flight "B" Flight "C" Flight "D" Flight



Les Feinblatt



Bob Freiberg



Roger Cude



Bob Dillworth



Bob Enlow



Jerry Quinlan

TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Twin Oaks Jan 26th 50 Players

"A" FLIGHT (10 - 19 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Low Gross | Wayne Kamins | 83 / 68 |
| 1 st Net | Lee Murray | 84 / 66 |
| 2 nd Net | Butch Welty | 84 / 67 |
| 3 rd Net (tie) | Sam Lemmon | 87 / 71 |
| 3 rd Net (tie) | Ray McCaslin | 89 / 71 |
| 3 rd Net (tie) | Russ Liedel | 90 / 71 |

"B" FLIGHT (20 - 24 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Low Gross | Bob Dillworth | 84 / 63 |
| 1 st Net | Bob Freiberg (cardoff) | 91 / 67 |
| 2 nd Net | Bob Enlow | 91 / 67 |
| 3 rd Net | Glennon Bertel | 92 / 70 |

"C" FLIGHT (25 - 30 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Low Gross | Jeff Hunt | 93 / 66 |
| 1 st Net | Ed Olsen | 93 / 64 |
| 2 nd Net | Dave Pruitt | 97 / 72 |
| 3 rd Net | Harold Whitford | 98 / 73 |

"D" FLIGHT (30 - 41 Handicap)

| | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Low Gross | Bill Tucker | 102 / 68 |
| 1 st Net | Ed Healy (cardoff) | 117 / 76 |
| 2 nd Net | Roger Cude | 106 / 76 |
| 3 rd Net | Bill Vander Byl | 112 / 77 |

CLOSEST TO PIN

| | | | | | |
|----|-----------------------|--------|----|--------------------|--------|
| 3 | Lee Murray | 9' 10" | 7 | Chuck Davis | 16' 3" |
| 10 | Victor French* | 30' 0" | 17 | Scott Ryan | 7' 7" |
| 10 | Bob Dillworth* | 15' 0" | | | |

*(2 CTP's were awarded on #10 since the marker was picked up too soon.)

Low net for the tournament: **Bob Dillworth** with 63.
Average gross: 100.3. Average net: 76.0.

| | | | |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| "A" Flight | "B" Flight | "C" Flight | "D" Flight |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|



Wayne Kamins



Bob Dillworth



Jeff Hunt



Bill Tucker



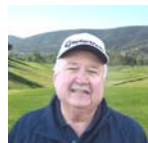
Lee Murray



Bob Freiberg



Ed Olsen



Ed Healy



The 2011 winners of MMGC's *President's Cup* held on October 3rd at The Golf Club of California receive their prize winnings at the Clubs October General Meeting from MMGC President **Harold Whitford** (right). On the left is **Larry Beltz** the low net winner with 60. In the center is **Jim Rosa** the low gross winner with 73.

Phil Washum (far right) watches the proceedings intently.

NEWS REPORTING AT ITS FINEST



Nothing really surprising here. This headline would only be really newsworthy if they had come back to life. It actually does make sense however, if the people who were shot were already dead, which is possible since it happened in a morgue.



If you have golfed to the point that you can't afford a doctor, just go to an airport... where you can get a free x-ray. As a bonus, if you mention Al Qaeda you can also get a free colonoscopy.

MORE 2011 EDITOR'S AWARDS

The 2011 **MAKING THE MOST OF IT** awards go to the players who averaged earning the most points per round played. The following are players who earned at least 1 point for every round they played.

The top 25 members most efficient at earning points were:

| # | Name | Points | Rounds | Avg/Round |
|----|------------------|--------|--------|-----------|
| 1 | Jim Rosa | 38 | 20 | 1.9000 |
| 2 | Larry Richardson | 35 | 22 | 1.5909 |
| 3 | Jim Bandy | 32 | 21 | 1.5238 |
| 4 | Larry Mowbray | 21 | 14 | 1.5000 |
| 5 | ArtTattersall | 3 | 2 | 1.5000 |
| 6 | Ted Calvin | 34 | 23 | 1.4783 |
| 7 | Cletis Tuttle | 14 | 10 | 1.4000 |
| 8 | Les Feinblatt | 38 | 28 | 1.3571 |
| 9 | David Pruett | 16 | 12 | 1.3333 |
| 10 | Larry Beltz | 42 | 32 | 1.3125 |
| 11 | Jerry Quinlan | 38 | 30 | 1.2667 |
| 12 | Bill Tucker | 17 | 14 | 1.2143 |
| 13 | Ramon Baez | 19 | 16 | 1.1875 |
| 14 | Bob Dillworth | 28 | 25 | 1.1200 |
| 15 | Marty Martin | 33 | 30 | 1.1000 |
| 16 | Mike Dileo | 14 | 13 | 1.0769 |
| 17 | Roger Cude | 22 | 21 | 1.0476 |
| 18 | Ray McCaslin | 29 | 28 | 1.0357 |
| 19 | Mike Scillo | 26 | 26 | 1.0000 |
| 20 | Gary Giles | 23 | 23 | 1.0000 |
| 21 | Bob Tuttle | 13 | 13 | 1.0000 |
| 22 | Bill Brank | 7 | 7 | 1.0000 |
| 23 | Don Parish | 6 | 6 | 1.0000 |
| 24 | Bob Riva | 2 | 2 | 1.0000 |
| 25 | Joe Shein | 1 | 1 | 1.0000 |

MORE 2011 YEAR END DATA

Average length of a birdied CTP: 5' 10.4"

Closest birdied CTP: 7" Dave Bailey
Bob Dillworth

Farthest birdied CTP: 20' 2" Jim Bandy

Closest pared CTP: 2' 5" Unnamed

SOME POINTED REMARKS

Last month's FORECAST contained the list of the 2011 points pool winners, but not how much each participant won. It has been suggested that this oversight be corrected, so it is included below.

| | | |
|-----|------------------|--------------|
| 1) | Larry Beltz | \$100 |
| 2) | Jim Rosa | \$85 |
| 3) | Les Feinblatt | \$70 |
| 4) | Jerry Quinlan | \$60 |
| 5) | Larry Richardson | \$50 |
| 6) | Ted Calvin | \$45 |
| 7) | Jim Bandy | \$40 |
| 8) | Ray McCaslin | \$35 |
| 9) | Guy Lazzaro | \$30 |
| 10) | Darrel Stucky | \$25 |
| 11) | Jim Shafer | \$20 |
| | 28 Participants | <u>\$560</u> |

The 2010 winners were:

| | | |
|-----|-----------------|--------------|
| 1) | Jim Rosa | \$120 |
| 2) | Larry Upson | \$90 |
| 3) | Guy Lazzaro | \$80 |
| 4) | Harold Whitford | \$70 |
| 5) | Jim Tapley | \$60 |
| 6) | Bob Bonneau | \$50 |
| 7) | Jerry Quinlan | \$40 |
| 8) | Mike Scillo | \$35 |
| 9) | Chuck Davis | \$30 |
| 10) | Jim Bandy | \$25 |
| | 30 Participants | <u>\$600</u> |

The two years combined give the all-time list.

| | | |
|-----|------------------|-------|
| 1) | Jim Rosa | \$205 |
| 2) | Guy Lazzaro | \$110 |
| 3) | Larry Beltz | \$100 |
| | Jerry Quinlan | \$100 |
| 5) | Larry Upson | \$90 |
| 6) | Les Feinblatt | \$70 |
| | Harold Whitford | \$70 |
| 8) | Jim Bandy | \$65 |
| 9) | Jim Tapley | \$60 |
| 10) | Bob Bonneau | \$50 |
| | Larry Richardson | \$50 |
| 12) | Ted Calvin | \$45 |
| 13) | Ray McCaslin | \$35 |
| | Mike Scillo | \$35 |
| 15) | Chuck Davis | \$30 |
| 16) | Darrel Stucky | \$25 |
| 17) | Jim Shafer | \$20 |

Primm Golf Adventure

GENERAL INFORMATION

Dates: June 19th, 20th, & 21st

Arrive June 19th and golf on June 20th (Lakes Course) & 21st (Desert Course)

Where: Primm Valley Golf Club - 7:30 AM shotgun start each day

The Lakes Course - Men's Rating: 69.0 Slope: 125 Distance: 6008 yards
Women's Rating: 68.5 Slope: 121 Distance: 4842 yards

The Desert Course - Men's Rating: 68.8 Slope: 125 Distance: 6085 yards
Women's Rating: 71.6 Slope: 129 Distance: 5397 yards

For the greatest golf getaway in the game, it's Primm Valley Golf Club. Here the natural beauty of the land and the challenge of the game come together to create one of the finest golf experiences in the world. Designed by renowned golf architect Tom Fazio, Primm Valley Golf Club features two award-winning courses, the Lakes Course and the Desert Course. Fazio has created a lush green, golfers paradise in the middle of the desert.

Accommodations: Primm Valley Resort & Casino

If class is what you want, Primm Valley Resort & Casino is the place to be. Located opposite Whiskey Pete's at the northbound exit ramp off the I-15, Primm Valley offers 624 rooms and suites that wrap you in elegance and style with the feel of a private country club. Find yourself in the center of the action with 1,510 slot machines, 33 table games, a keno lounge, and a race and sports book. Add to the experience by dining in one of three fabulous restaurants: GP's, which combines American and European cuisines; The Gallery Café offering great food around the clock, or The Greens Buffet serving up all you can eat food from around the world.

Pricing: Includes two nights accommodations & two rounds of golf.
Single room, one golfer: \$172 (May include non-golfing spouse)
Shared room, two golfers: \$141 each
Spend an extra night for only \$31. (Must arrange through Phil for special price)

Golfing: Wives & guests are welcome to come along & golf also. You may sign up as a foursome, or a single, with or without a pairing request.

Meeting: Meet at Primm Valley Resort at 5:00 PM on June 19th in to discuss the pairings and to collect for an optional side pot. (\$20/day)

Payment: Send your check payable to: **Phil Washum.**

Mail to: Phil Washum
30737 Point Woods Ct.
Temecula, CA 92591-3943

Questions? Contact Phil by phone at: 951 506-2562, or by email at: pcwashum@verizon.net

CHECKS MUST BE RECEIVED BY PHIL NO LATER THAN May 31st!
No checks will be cashed before June 1st

Application for the 8th Annual

Primm Golf Adventure

June 19th thru 21st 2012

Attendee Information

M.M.G.C. Member () Golfing Guest () Non-Golfing Guest ()

Name: _____

Spouse or Guest _____

Room Preference

() Two golfers in shared room - \$141 ea. () One golfer (alone or with spouse) in room - \$172

Beds: Two queen () One king () Smoking: No () Yes ()

Special Request(s): _____

Additional Night(s) @ \$31/night: _____ (arrange through Phil)

Guest Golfer Information Area

(MMGC members should skip this section)

S.C.G.A. # _____ Current Index _____

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If you have no index or handicap, please include the scores of your last 5 rounds above.

Address : _____

Phone No. : _____ Email address : _____

Other Information : _____

PRICE INCLUDES:

- Room for two nights at the Primm Valley Resort.
- Two days of golf at Primm Valley GC (the Desert Course & the Lakes Course)

Optional prize pool for each day of play. (\$20/day)

Make checks payable to: **Phil Washum**

Send checks and application to: **Phil Washum**
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For questions contact Phil at: **951 506-2562** **pcwashum@verizon.net**

Sign up A.S.A.P. Deadline for entry is May 31st