

# DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH

July 2004

(Through the Green)

## Newsletter of the Roseville Golf Club



### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The first half of the year has come and gone. I want to thank the membership for their continued support of our club by participating in the home and away events. We have added the Local Rules back for our Tournaments, which are played at Diamond Oaks. They are posted on the web site at [www.rosevillegolfclub.com](http://www.rosevillegolfclub.com). If have not read them, please take time to read them before your next tournament; it could save you a few strokes. Thanks again to all of you for your continued support of the Roseville Golf Club.

The 36th David Oxley Junior Memorial Tournament was a huge success again this year, thanks to the many volunteers, who so generously donated their time. I would also like to thank the members who helped out with very generous donations. We were able to give the participants a divot repair tool with the David Oxley Memorial and our logo, along with lunch and snacks.

I would like to thank Dave and Regina Oxley for their donation and their continued support. I want to thank Bob Levesque for an outstanding job on the scoreboard as always, and John and Marianne George for the scorecards and registration. The Club and I also want to thank our Golf Pro Scott Prenez and his staff for their support and cooperation, and Lauri Olsen and her staff from the Legends and Heroes snack bar. We would also like to thank Sysco Foods for the donation of the hot dogs and buns again this year; Gary Baldwin for the water and Gary and Liz Krohn for the great snacks and for taking the pictures of all the winners. Finally, I also want to thank Steve Hitchcock for entering all the scores into the computer, and Mark Konrad for his timely posting of the tee times for the tournament and posting of the results on the web-site.

Thank you again and looking forward to seeing you at the open meeting on **July 15, 2004, at the Legends and Heroes snack bar at 7:00 P.M.** We will be voting on the changes to the By-laws.

**Harry Wharff**  
**President**

## **VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

Summer greets us with hot temperatures and some of the best tournaments of the year. Highlighted in the coming months are some great away tournaments in Graeagle and Reno, the Rose Cup qualifying tournament, the 3-club tournament and the Club Championship in September. For those of you who have missed the Club Championship, it is our only match play tournament of the year and it is intense, fun and demanding all at once. I encourage you to get involved in it. I volunteered at the David Oxley tournament this year and I was blown away with the skill, sportsmanship and quality of the boys and girls playing in the tournament. Some of the best of our future can be found in youth golf. I helped Harry hand out the trophies and had so many of the kids approach me and thank me for helping to put on the tournament. It is a rewarding experience, but I really had a great time watching these talented kids play this game at a level that I have yet to approach.

The Christmas Party is set at the Sunrise Golf Club on Sunrise Boulevard near Greenback for Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup>. This is our once a year chance to socialize with each other and our significant others. There will be plenty of good food, a non-hosted bar, prizes, presentations and fun for one and all. We continue to collect money for the Christmas Party under the guise of our 50-50 drawings during the quarterly meetings and after each home tournament. My sincere thanks to Neil Thomas for running the 50-50 raffle and being intimately involved as a member of the Entertainment Committee. The price for this year will be decided by late October and we will let everyone know.

I want to recognize Mr. Steve Hitchcock and the wonderful job that he does in directing and organizing our tournaments, both home and away. It is a thankless job and Steve does it with aplomb. He has decided to reintroduce himself to his family next year and will be stepping down as TD. I for one will miss his handle on the ship's wheel. If you are interested in helping out with tournaments next year, please contact Harry Wharff. We very likely will not put so much of the burden on one person next year, but will take a committee approach to the job of Tournament Director.

I'll see you on the course.

**Ken Lyon, Vice-President**

## **WEBMASTER'S MESSAGE**

In our efforts to provide information on the web we have added two new features. The first feature is the inclusion of the Board Meeting Minutes. All items discussed at board meetings are included in the minutes. These minutes are the best way to find out all the decisions and discussion that effect your membership with the Roseville Golf Club. This link can be found on the left hand navigation bar at [www.rosevillegolfclub.com](http://www.rosevillegolfclub.com). Also included on the home page is the e-mail submission link to show changes in your current e-mail address. It will help the club get news to you if you submit any changes to your e-mail address at this link.

**Mark Konrad, Webmaster**

## **HANDICAPPER'S MESSAGE**

Usually around this time of the year we are all complaining about the temperature soaring right along with our indexes, and we can't figure out why!

Well, so far this year, the weather has been beautiful but, at least in my case, the index is still ugly!

I would like to inform the membership that the Handicap Committee is now posting all scores for both Home and Away tournaments.

All you are asked to do is show up, play well, and turn in a signed score card with all adjustments made. We will take care of the rest. This will make it easier and, hopefully, will also eliminate any confusion.

If you have any questions please contact any RGC Board member or myself

Have fun.

**Neil Thomas**  
**Handicap Chairman**  
**RGC**

## **TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE**

I would like to thank all of the players for your help and participation. The tournaments so far have had a great turnout, and I really appreciate the efforts you have made in picking up the pace and playing "READY GOLF" I believe that everyone is seeing a difference in their rounds. Let's get ready for the second half of the year and the warm temperatures. We still have a lot of golf to play and remember that if you want to play in the club championship this year – you must have 3 play dates in since 9-1-03 so get out there and make sure that you have at least your 3 days in.

You can view all of our upcoming events and pay for them right on line at the website [www.rosevillegolfclub.com](http://www.rosevillegolfclub.com)

Please call or email comments, suggestions or questions

Thanks again and I hope to see you on the links

**Steve Hitchcock**  
**Tournament Director**  
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**COME ONE COME ALL TO THE OPEN  
MEETING**

**THURSDAY**

**July 15, 2004**

**7:00 PM**

**LEGENDS AND HEROES**

**AT**

**DIAMOND OAKS**

**(SNACKS WILL BE PROVIDED AND A 50-50 DRAWING WILL BE HELD)**