



JULY 2006



PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

The first half of the year has come and gone and thanks to the membership and especially the board and committee members, it has been great. We have made excellent progress in many areas of the club, i.e. local rules, by-laws, budget and especially our tournament participation. Thanks to all of you for your contributions to the Roseville Golf Club.

The 39th David Oxley Junior Memorial Golf Tournament was held on Monday, June 12 and although it was an overall success, financially it left the Club with a \$350 shortfall. With that being said, the Club would welcome any additional financial assistance to make up that deficit.

At this time I would like to thank the many RGC members who so generously donated their time and money to support this event. I especially want to thank Bob Levesque for an outstanding scoreboard and John and Marianne George for score cards and registration. Many thanks go to Scott Prenez and his staff at the Pro Shop for their support and cooperation and to Lauri Olsen and her staff from the Legends and Hero's snack bar. Much appreciation goes to Sysco Foods, who donated the hot dogs and buns, Steve Hitchcock for the water, and Gary and Liz Krohn for the snacks. Finally, I would like to thank the Oxley's, Dave and Regina, for their donation and their son Tom who attended this year's event and made the presentations to the overall winners Tyler Archer, Boys (67) and Hali Coppin, Girls (76). These young golfers represent the future of golf and Roseville Golf Club is proud to be part of it. I also want to thank Steve Hitchcock for putting together the tournament results, and Mark Konrad for his timely posting of the tee times for the tournament and newspaper notifications.

Thank you all and I look forward to seeing you at the open meeting on July 13, 2006 at the Legends and Hero's snack bar at 6:30 p.m.

Joe Santone
President



VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

According to the Weather Channel, these glorious spring temperatures we have been enjoying are about to come to a halt and triple digits are once again upon us. With the heat come some of the best tournaments the club puts on both home and away. So sign up early and let's go see what the other guy's course looks like!

We have been working on some of the older trophies, making them shine once again in our new trophy case. One new trophy has been added and many of the others have been around since the club's beginning. Although they may look a bit weathered, they represent the history and tradition of the RGC and their preservation is a necessity. Also, you may have noticed there is a black and gold plaque attached to the back wall of the case. On this plaque are the names of the people that have donated at least \$50 toward the purchase of this display case. Some members have asked if they can still be included as a donor. So, because of the added interest, we have decided to add a second plaque. For every person that donates \$50, their name will be included on the new plaque and since there is still about a \$500 shortage in finances for the case, the new donors will also become a part of RGC history.

The next newsletter will include a form that you can fill out if you would like to attend the Christmas Party on December 2nd of 2006. In the meantime, think about attending and circle that date on your calendar. The cost will be \$25 per person for a dinner of prime rib or chicken with all the trimmings and dessert, followed by award presentations as well as some great gifts to be given away. After that, the fun starts with our favorite Dee-jay playing our favorite dance tunes. Many folks would rather listen to the music and enjoy the company of others. But whatever it is that you like to do, please come enjoy yourselves.

Neil Thomas
Vice President



Handicapper's Message

Hi everybody,

When you receive your email from NCGA each month showing your Handicap Index, you will notice one column with "diff." on top. This is your Handicap Differential. The USGA Handicap System Manual defines it as follows:

"Handicap Differential" is the difference between a player's *adjusted gross score* and the *USGA Course Rating* of the course on which the score was made, multiplied by 113, then divided by the *Slope Rating* from the tees played and rounded to the nearest tenth. A *Handicap Differential* is a number rounded to one decimal place, e.g. 12.8.

What does this mean? For example, let's say you shoot an 85 at Diamond Oaks from the blue tees. The blue tees at Diamond Oaks have a Course Rating of 69.1 and a Slope Rating of 118. So, in this example, take your adjusted gross score of 85 and subtract 69.1, multiply by 113, then divide by 118 leaving you a differential of 15.2. Your ten lowest Handicap Differentials are used in a formula to determine your Handicap Index.

I also would like to thank Rick Rusk and Doug Smith for handling the posting of scores for tournaments when I was filling in as Tournament Director.

If you have any questions on either Handicap or Eclectic, please contact me at either gary_rgc@comcast.net or 782-3579.

See ya,

Gary A Krohn

Handicap Chairman



Tournament Director

First off, let me thank all who have helped me in events this year. It has been as usual a great first half to our event year. Turnout has been great and with the new members we have been seeing a nice increase in our events.

I just have a few things to mention for the following months. In July we have the Firecracker, which is the Stableford scoring event. All who played last year spoke highly of the fun, so join in. July 13th is the Open meeting at 6:30pm and followed the next day by the putting contest. Finally, in July we have the 3-club event which is also a fun event for all, so come on out.

In August we have a great trip to Carson City. It is a package deal so please take a look on the RGC website or at Diamond Oaks in the restrooms to see what is included. The deadline on this event is a hard one meaning you have to be paid in full by the July 10th deadline as a player count is due the following day and I can only count paid with no extra spots so please get signed up by the deadline or you will miss out. August is also the Rose cup qualifying which you can see the Diamond Oaks pro shop for the details.

September is of course the club championship, our only match play event of the year. Also in late September and early October we have the Greenhorn/La Contenta event.

Let's keep the year going and here is to all those low scores that will be coming in for us all this summer. Keep your focus on the pace of play and just remember "Keep up with the group in front of you", and you will be just fine.

Bryan Lange
Tournament Chairman

July 2006

Open Meeting

The Third Open Meeting of 2006 will be held Thursday, July 13th in the Diamond Oaks snack bar at 6:30 P.M.

All members are encouraged to attend to express your views and ideas with the Board and fellow members. As a Board we need your feedback as to the kind of job we are doing and what we may do to serve your needs in the future. Snacks will be served and a drawing will be held. Hope to see you there.