



PINE WHISPERS

PLUMAS PINES WOMEN'S GOLF CLUB

April-May, 2017

Spring has sprung. Finally our beautiful golf course will be opening. It is still wet but it looks beautiful. Mark and crew have done a wonderful job after a tough winter. The golf course will open on Thursday the 27th. It will be cart path only but I think, hope and pray we have a break from the rain. The ladies first play day will be Tuesday May 2nd at 10AM. Call Mary Stonebraker at 530-836-1641 or sign up in the ladies lockerless room.

The SNACK BAR will have a soft opening beginning Thursday the 27th with breakfast and lunch; featuring our new crew, improved hot dogs and hamburgers and other items.

LONGBOARD'S will open for dinner Thursday May 4th. They will be open for dinner Thursday through Sunday and lunch Saturday and Sunday (11:30) until May 29th. At that time they will be open seven days a week Monday through Sunday from 11:30 until 9. They will have lunch from 11:30-2:30; bar items 2:30-5:30 and dinner from 5:30-9:00.

Longboard's Special for the ladies club will continue from last year. There will be 20% at Longboard's on Tuesday for PPWGC golf members. This special is valid only to the ladies club member and includes food and beverage at Longboard's for the entire day. Men's Club members also receive this special but on Thursday's only.

***GUEST DAY SPECIAL** will be available on Ladies Day. A member of the ladies club may bring a guest on ladies day for \$55 including cart. We may bring a guest every Tuesday but a single guest may only come four times a year.*

Opening Breakfast and Golf. Reminder to rsvp for the breakfast and golf on May 16th, Tuesday, at 8:30 in Longboard's. The new crew is preparing a fabulous menu for both our social and golf members. Let's get together after a long winter. Golfers be sure to let Mary Stonebraker know about golf or sign up in the lockerless room.

Signups for the single Eclectic will be available beginning May 2 at Ladies Day. If you need an explanation ask me or Mary Stonebraker. Cards will be in the locker room. You may pay Joni \$10 at the breakfast or place in envelope with your name in PPWGC mailbox in pro shop.

Match Play (Plumas Cup) sign-ups will be available in the locker room and at the breakfast. I have attached an explanation sheet to this email. Play begins June 1st.

We now have a new way for RSVPs and “drop offs”. There is now a mail box in the pro shop for the PPWGC. It is located behind the counter in front of the window. It is locked so feel good about dropping off in the pro shop.

3 Day Eclectic flyer is attached. We play at Whitehawk May 23rd; Graeagle Meadows on May 25 and Plumas Pines May 30th. Be sure to mail your form to Toni Dick, PO Box 178, Clio, CA 96106. There will be a regular play at Plumas on both Tuesdays. If you are not playing in the Ec be sure to sign up for ladies day.

Couples Golf and Dinner, our first couples of the year will be May 21st at 1:00PM. We have an optional family styled dinner in Longboards after golf. Signups-will be available in Pro Shop.

MAY EVENTS: Check your booklet or calendar.

Winter Rules and 10AM shotgun

May 2st Golf 10AM resort reds

4th Nine and Wine 3PM

9th Golf 10AM resort reds

16th Opening breakfast (8:30 AM) and Golf (10AM)

18th Nine and Wine 3PM

21st Couples Golf 1PM

23rd Golf 10AM; 3 day Ec at Whitehawk 10AM

25th 3 day Ec at Graeagle Meadows 9AM

30th Golf 10AM; 3 day Ec at Plumas Pines

BOARD ACTIONS. The proposed budget was approved by the board and will be voted on at the general meeting; better known as “breakfast and golf”.

We have removed the sentence in the standing rules Section 3, Scoring, 1.C.

“Members must pay into sweeps.” This was done in order to be USGA compliant.

We have a schedule change for **JUNE**. Our regular ladies day will be played on Monday June 5th at 9AM. After golf there will be a three club **MEET AND GREET** at Whitehawk from 4-6. This is a purely **SOCIAL EVENT**. Social members and golfers from Plumas Pines, Graeagle Meadows and Whitehawk alternate locations for a meet and greet each season.

The schedule was changed from Tuesday to Monday because PWGA has a **Spring Partners** Tournament at Plumas Pines and Graeagle Meadows both Tuesday and Wednesday June 6&7. I have attached the flyer for those of you who may wish to play. Note that entries begin May 8th and close May 22nd.

RULES REVIEW: We all need a refresher on a few special rules.

Drop Area on Holes #10 and #13. The player has the option to cross to the drop area after hitting two balls into the water. Proceed to drop area. The scoring will be as follows: first shot in the water, 1 stroke penalty, second shot into the water, 1 stroke plus 1 stroke penalty, carry ball to drop area, 1 stroke penalty (add to final score five strokes) If a player opts to cross after only one shot in the water she must take the full 5 stroke penalty. At the drop area she will be hitting six, plus any strokes it took to reach the pond. Drop area on #10 is across bridge, right side of cart path between bunker and tree. On #13 drop area is across pond, on right side between path and pond on curve in path.

Putting. It is not considered a putt until you are on the green for the first time. The very first shot from off the green, even if you use a putter is not considered a putt. That first shot would be considered a Chip-in if you holed the shot. If you putt your ball off the green, after you have been on the green, subsequent shots are considered putts, even if you go into a sand trap. A PUTT (any ball holed off the green, after you have putted on the green) is not a Chip-in.

THE INVITATIONAL IS OFF AND RUNNING; THE COMMITTEE IS WORKING HARD. THE INVITATIONS TO OUR MEMBERS WILL BE MAILED NEXT WEEK. IT WAS DELAYED BY UNFORSEEN ISSUES. HOPEFULLY, THE RAIN, SLEET AND SNOW PLUS THE MAILS WILL NOT HINDER THE FABULOUS INVITATIONS FROM ARRIVING ON YOUR DOORSTOP.

However, as you know, members may reserve their team spot by sending a check for your entry of \$220. Then when you receive your entry form, you may submit the form. This helps the committee since Invitations will be mailed to non-members mid-May. It also helps with budgeting for tee prizes, etc.

Either way it looks like another fun in the sun golf event.

LET'S GET TOGETHER AT PLUMAS PINES FOR FUN AND GOLF THIS SUMMER,

*JENNIFER ZUMBRO,
PPWGC CAPTAIN*

SEE INVITATIONAL RESERVE FORM BELOW

Black, White and BLING

*Plumas Pines Women's Golf Club
34th Annual Invitational*

Members may reserve a team spot with a check for \$220 mailed to P.O. Box 952, Graeagle, California 96103. Make check payable to PPWGC.

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