

May, 2024

Stumbling into May All Gals Golf Club 2024 Season

Well ladies 2 months in a row we've had to cancel due to rain. Must be the "global warming" everyone is crying about. Thank goodness we were able to squeeze in Callippe.

A huge thanks to Sharyn who worked diligently to get our cancellations rescheduled. We have our April tournament for Los Lagos rescheduled for September 28th with a 10:00 tee time start. For our May tournament at Rooster Run it's rescheduled for August 11th with an 9:20 tee time start. Please note that Rooster Run is on a Sunday. Be sure to watch for the Invites later in the season. Also know that in August our Pacific Grove tournament follows on August 24th. New Schedule is posted in the website

As for June, we have 2 tournaments that we've scheduled to complete our nine tournament dates. On June 8th tournament is at Spring Valley, invites have already gone out, respond by May 26th. Watch for our June 22nd tournament invite for Brentwood.

Remember payment is due no later than one week before tournament date. No monies will be collected at the tournament. Theresa has made it very easy to get your payments in through Check, Zelle or Venmo.

CLUB NEWS

If you happen to receive the DIGITAL NCGA Members Magazine, in the May Issue there's an article featuring some of the NCGA Associate Clubs. Read through as you might be surprised to see who's featured...Hint Hint check out the link below!

NCGA Golf: Spring 2024 (mydigitalpublication.com)

I truly believe that our club is a fun organization to be a part of.

FINANCES

I would like to thank Theresa for her hard work in keeping track of our clubs Finances. From everyone's payments, making sure our books are accurate and keeping the courses in check with our payments. Even though Theresa makes it seem easy to keep our finances in order, the chasing down payments, correcting payments, and keeping our Funny Money credits up to date is a daunting task, so thank you Theresa.

SPRING VALLEY

Final note, for those who have signed up for Sping Valley, the course has a stipulation written in our contract in that if we do not have complete foursomes they have the right to send a player on their "waiting list". For example: if we have 14 players signed up, the last group may have 2 non-club members join your group. I'm not sure how strict they will be with that rule, but just wanted to make you aware of it, for those who are signed up.



Until next month Happy Mother's Day to you, your mothers or even your best friend.



April, 2024

April Update for the All Gals Golf Club 2024 Season

Well ladies we were able to weather the "storms" at Callippe. The day started off with blue skies and cool breezes. There were a few wet spots on the course and water filled bunkers, which we ended up playing as "Ground Under Repair".

Later in the round we had a few sprinkles, and rumor has it, some experienced hail storms! All-in-all we finished the round before the rain really came down, so kudos to those who made it through.

We had some decent scores, not so great scores and some awesome finishes. Our biggest winner with competitions was Karin Kasper, who came away with all the competitions and second place in her flight. Sharyn Enquist had an awesome round shooting 3 under Net Par. Way to go ladies!

Congratulations to our Callippe Tournament Winners:

FLIGHT A

1st Place – Sharyn Enquist – Net 69 2nd Place – Janice Cain - Net 80

FLIGHT B

1st Place – Pauline Aragon - Net 74 2nd Place – Karin Kasper - Net 76

LONGEST DRIVE

Flight A – Wendy Weiss Flight B - Karin Kasper

LONGEST PUTT

Karin Kasper - 2'8"

CLOSEST TO THE PIN

Karin Kasper – 8'9"

Next up is Los Lagos, the 13th of April, which, if looking ahead at the weather may be another wet one. We hope to be able to make it through, so unless you hear from us, plan on showing up. Sometimes Mother Nature gives us a break, and we really don't want to have to reschedule. (Also note you were sent the Invite to Rooster Run for May 4) **Be sure to get your payments in to Theresa.**

"Keep your sense of humor. There's enough stress in the rest of your life not to let bad shots ruin a game you're supposed to enjoy." — Amy Alcott

USGA RULES (12 VIDEO) Rules of Golf Explained (2023): Local Rules - YouTube

Received this info via email if anyone is interested:





March 2024

Here's our March Update for the All Gals Golf Club 2024 Season

We're just days away from our first tournament of the season at Callippe. Looks like we will have a great turnout of ladies.

Since we are still in wet weather season we will be playing "winter rules" – Lift, Clean and Place.

Here are some helpful tips on how to proceed. Remember this applies to the "general area" of the course, defined as

The area of the course that covers all of the course except for the other four defined areas:
(1) the teeing area you must play from in starting the hole you are playing, (2) all penalty areas, (3) all bunkers, and (4) the putting green of the hole you are playing

- 1. Mark the Position of Your Ball -using a tee to mark your balls location
- 2. Lift and Clean Your Ball- you may clean any water or mud off the ball
- 3. *Place Your Ball* placing the ball within 1-club length or within 6" (or scorecard length)

ADDITIONAL EXAMPLES

The bunker is filled with water - what are my options?

When the bunker is filled with temporary water, you may play your ball as it lies or take free relief in the bunker. When taking free relief, you must find the nearest point of complete relief in the bunker and drop within the one club-length relief area (see Rule 16.1c(1)). If complete relief is not available, you may take free maximum available relief in the bunker and drop within the one club-length relief area from the point of maximum available relief (see Rule 16.1c(1)). Additionally, for one penalty stroke you may drop a ball outside the bunker by going back-on-the-line as far as you'd like keeping the point where your ball lies in the temporary water between you and the hole.

Ball is stuck in the ground (embedded-general area) - what are my options?

You may play it as it lies or take free relief by dropping the ball within one club-length of the spot right behind where the ball is embedded. (Rule 16.3a)

Embedded Ball in (general area) but can't be found - what are my options?

A soggy fairway can swallow your ball entirely and leave no trace. If this happens to you, you may be entitled to relief.

If you get to your ball's landing spot and find an abnormal course condition — such as temporary water or ground under repair — but can't find your ball, you are entitled to free relief if you can meet the *known or virtually certain standard*. Known or virtually certain means that "either there is conclusive evidence that the event in question happened to your ball, such as when you or other witnesses saw it happen, or, although there is a very small degree of doubt, all reasonably available information shows that it is at least 95 percent likely that the event in question happened."

Good luck ladies and don't forget to review the USGA Video Rules

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February, 2024

All Gals Golf Club 2024 Season.

Our first tournament is scheduled for March 30 at Callippe and INVITES have been sent out (check your emails) to REGISTER

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Callippe Reserve Mar 30th

Where: Callippe Preserve GC When: Sat Mar 30 10:00 AM

Each month NCGA posts a RULE OF THE MONTH. Here is this month's first Rule, which may be timely given our tournament is in March.

Rule of the Month: Abnormal Course Conditions/Embedded Ball

The rainy season is here, which means you may occasionally find your ball in a puddle or plugged in the turf? What now?

Certain conditions are not treated as part of the challenge of playing the course, so free relief is provided as an option. This includes interference from temporary water, ground under repair, animal holes, and immovable obstructions (such as carts paths and sprinkler heads). All of these things are collectively known as abnormal course conditions. You get free relief when the condition interferes with your lie, stance, or area of intended swing. When an abnormal course condition only interferes with your line of play, free relief is not provided.

For complete ruling of the above click on this link:

Rule of the Month: Abnormal Course Conditions/Embedded Ball (ncga.org)