



# THE LEADERBOARD

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 13<sup>th</sup> 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 re-schedule. (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*

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Received this info via email if anyone is interested:

**2024 Sunnyvale Rotary Golf Tournament**

May 20 | Coyote Creek Golf Club - Valley Course  
Check-in at 11:30 am, Shotgun Scramble at 1:00 pm, Banquet at 6:00 pm  
1 Coyote Creek Golf Drive Morgan Hill, CA 95037

Proceeds benefit Sunnyvale Community Services, Sunnyvale Family Shelter (serving all of Santa Clara County), literacy programs at Sunnyvale elementary schools, community grants, scholarships, and other community service projects.

\$200 per player includes 18 holes of golf, cart, range balls, box lunch, and banquet.  
Banquet only: \$50 (limited seating)

Contests include:

- Hole-in-one - Win a car!
- Putting - Win \$500!
- Men's longest drive
- Women's longest drive
- Closest to pin

Alternative Golf Clinic (\$200/student) | Enrollment limited  
Starts at 2:00 pm: Social hour, 2.5 hours of professional instruction tailored to your experience, and banquet

For more information, email [golf@sunnyvalerotary.org](mailto:golf@sunnyvalerotary.org).

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## ***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

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## **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 \(ncga.org\)](https://www.ncga.org/rule-of-the-month/abnormal-course-conditions-embedded-ball)