

CELEBRATING 21 YEARS OF SINGLES GOLF IN AMERICA

CHICAGO SINGLES GOLF

Chicago, Illinois Chapter - American Singles Golf Association - August 2013

FOX BEND GOLF COURSE - AUGUST 18TH

President's Message

Here's hoping that you have been able to get out and enjoy fun times with your fellow ASGAers during the month of July. The weather seems to have held up for most of our outings which has been a blessing. I am so impressed by everyone being more aware of the importance of pace of play this year. It certainly can make a difference in enjoying a round of golf and getting to the 19th hole!!

A huge thank you goes out to **Tom Ullsperger**, captains **Patrice Al-Saden**, and **Ted Zilmer**, for spearheading a great Ryder Cup type weekend for 40 or so golfers at George Dunne in Oak Forest. Congratulations to Capt Z and his team for being the victors this year. A grand thank you to **Karen Stika** for donating four passes to play at Dubsdread plus other goodies. The lucky fearsome foursome pass-holders which includes **Ray Kalal**, **Jane Leary**, **Marie Bush**, and **Chris E. Coyne** are really looking forward to the upcoming "adventure" in Lemont. Next year should be a grand Chicago Challenge with captains **Marie DiVirgilio** and **J. Wayne Thompson!!!**

A very appreciative thank you to the following coordinators for the month of July: **Tony Kopp**, **Bob Geeve**, **Cathy Hill**, **Kurt**

Kupitz and Tom Ullsperger.

Make sure that you are checking your personal calendars and the Chicago ASGA calendars for the upcoming events in August. We have some great venues for golf and a social at Ravinia that should not be missed!!!

Hope to catch you on the links in August!!!
~Chris

Past Events

Kurt Kupitz and **Robert Greeve** were the only coordinators to submit a report.

Thirty-four members golfed in the Tanna Farms outing on July 6th. Winners were; shortest drive, **JoAnn Grasko**. Closest to the pin, **Chris Coyne** and **Ray Vogel**. Ladies closet to the pin 2nd shot, **Linda Ciprella** and **Bob Ptak**. Longest drive, went to **Kay Banks** and **Scott Wilson**. Longest putt went to **Pat Porter** and **Bob Almada**. Thanks to **Cathy Hill** and **Dave Halper** for hosting an after dinner dice party.

Twenty-eight golfers attended the July outing at Makray Memorial. **Robin Rash** and **Paul Hervey** won prizes for hitting their tee shots closest to the pin. **Kay Banks** and **Allen Chester** launched a

marshmallow the furthest to win the long drive event. **Kay Banks** also sunk the longest putt. Though not on the prize hole, **Margaret Muller** also sank a monstrously long putt. **Tom Metzger** managed to hit the striped 150 pole dead square in the middle.

Upcoming Events

Mistwood GC -- August 3rd

1700 West Renwick Rd, Romeoville, IL 60446 815-254-3333

www.mistwoodgolf.net

First tee time: 11:00 AM. Price: Riding, \$82, walking: \$72. Maximum: 32 people. RSVP/sign-up is past, check with **Michael Daugherty** for availability.

Price includes: Range Balls and a Sleeve of Golf Balls. Dinner after golf - TBA

Stonewall Orchard GC -- August 4th

25675 W. Highway 60, Grayslake, IL, 60030 847-740-4890

www.stonewallorchard.com

First tee time: 1:00 PM. Price: \$72. Maximum: 40 people. RSVP/sign-up is past, check with **Ted Ziller** for openings. This is a carts-only event. Price includes range balls and personalized bag tag. Dinner:TBD

NATIONAL OFFICE INFORMATION

Upcoming Events Include (see SinglesGolf.com/events)

- **Denver's Colorado Rocky Mountain Golf Adventure** - August 9-12, 2013. Golf at Grand Lake and Pole Creek Golf Courses. Head west! Full details at www.ASGADenver.com
- **Sacramento's Feather River Invitational** - September 6-8, 2013. This is in the Feather River region in the high sierras northwest of Reno. For details, contact Dwight Pattison at Dwight@pattisonappraisals.com
- **ASGA National's New Year's Celebration** - December 29-January 1, 2014. We are returning to the beautiful Omni Orlando at Champions-Gate. Registration information posted in early August.

Office Hours: 9:00am to 2:00pm, M-F (Eastern)

National Office: 704-889-4600 or 1-888-GOLFMATE

LOCAL CHAPTER INFORMATION

Next Mingle: TBD

Mingle Location: TBD

Our Website: www.ASGAChicago.org

(See next page for list of officers and board members.)

To join, renew dues, make a change of address, phone, etc., call National Hotline at left or go to www.SinglesGolf.com/join

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last minute changes
<http://www.asgachicago.org/>

ASGA Chicago Championship -- More Than Half Full!

Buffalo Grove GC, August 10th & 11th
48 Raupp Rd, Buffalo Grove, IL 60089
847-537-5819 www.buffalogrovegolf.com

First tee time: 11:00 AM. Price: Riding, \$142, walking \$110. Maximum: 48 people, members Only event. **RSVP/Sign-up by August 2nd to: Tim Dowling.** Non-compete players may play on a space-available basis, either or both days (\$60/44-walking per round). Players with a "peer reviewable" handicap may play in both the Gross Championship and the Net Championship Brackets. Players without a handicap may only play in the Gross Championship Bracket

Glenwoodie -- New Date -- August 17th

19301 State Street, Glenwoodie, IL 60425
708-758-1212

<http://www.glenwoodiegolf.com/>

First tee time: 12:30 PM. Price: Carts, \$43, walking: \$36. Maximum: 32 people.

RSVP/Sign-up by August 10 to: Kathi Maraffino. Dinner: TBD

Fox Bend Golf Course -- August 18th

3516 Route 34, Oswego, IL, 60543
630-554-3939

<http://www.foxbendgolfcourse.com/>

First tee time: 12:05 PM. Price: \$48, walking: \$37. Maximum: 28 people.

RSVP/Sign-up by August 6, 2013 to: Scott Wilson

New coordinator for this event: if you previously signed up for Fox Bend, please resend an email to Scott Wilson. Dinner and awards on the deck afterwards (weather permitting).

Glencoe GC -- August 24th

621 Westley Rd, Glencoe, IL
847-835-3330

<http://www.glencoegolfclub.com/>

First tee time: 11:00 AM. Price: \$68, carts only, Maximum: 32 people. **RSVP/Sign-up by August 13 to: Kim Armatys.** Awards in clubhouse, no dinner planned due to Ravinia event that night.

Balmoral Woods -- August 25th

26732 S. Balmoral Woods Dr. Crete, IL
708-672-7448

<http://www.balmoralwoods.com/>

First tee time: 11:00 AM. Price: Riding, \$58, walking: \$48. Maximum: 32 people.

RSVP/Sign-up by August 16 to: Mari Lou McCann. Dinner TBD.

Village Greens of Woodridge -- September 1st

1575 W. 75th St, Woodridge, IL
630-985-3610 www.villagegreensgolf.com

First tee time: 12:00 PM. Price: \$63 carts only, price includes golf and BBQ, there is no separate pricing. Maximum: 40 people. **RSVP/Signup by August 17 to: Susan Ouchterloney.** Village Greens has a nice outdoor patio overlooking the 18th green, where we'll have a barbeque (hamburgers, cheeseburgers or brats, two sides, tea or lemonade).

Countryside Golf Club (both courses) -- September 7th

20800 W. Hawley St, Mundelein, IL, 60066
(847) 968-3468

First tee time: 10:30 AM. Price with lunch included, riding \$59, walking: \$45. Maximum: 100 people. **RSVP/Signup by August 30, 2013 to: Jay Thompson.** Dinner/prizes at Gale Street Inn

ASGA - Phoenix Chapter - Labor Day Outing

The Labor day Golf Canyon two day golf event is getting closer. If you have not signed up, Please do so. The casitas are limited. If you need further details, please call Charlene Larson at 815 341 3316. You do not need to stay, you can sign up and just come out to play golf. If just playing call Cally at 480-983 9554. Lets try to bring a non ASGA person to this event. They will enjoy it and perhaps help us to grow our chapter. Please make you reservation ASAP. We will play the Sidewinder course on Sunday and The Dinosaur Course on Monday.

Check in starts at 4PM on Sat. for the hotel-casitas, rates are all inclusive, Single \$240.17, Double \$160.47 person includes two nights lodging, 18 holes of golf on sidewinder and the the dinosaur course.

The dates are arrival on Aug 31st golf on Sunday, and leave after golf on Monday. If anyone chooses to golf and not stay they would pay at the course that day, but PLEASE let me know by the **16th of August**, whether your staying for the 2 day event or just for golf. The rate for golf is only \$35.00 for the Sidewinder and \$50.00 for the Dinosaur.

Call Cally Bracamonte at the resort and mention ASGA for your reservation at 480 671 5546 and let me know that you are attending at tenacious_charlene@hotmail.com or 815 341 3316. (there is a _ between Tenacious and Charlene) Call Cally if your going to just play golf and sign up with credit card info. LET'S SIGN UP NOW AND PUT THIS ON THE BOOKS

I CAN NOT DO THIS ALONE, I'M ASKING FOR EVERYONE'S SUPPORT AND HELP. Lets make this A GREAT event and doing it again next year.

Rules, Rules and More Rules Your ball hits your golf cart

Your shot slices out-of-bounds but hits your golf cart and bounces back in play. What is the penalty?

- No penalty. Play ball as it lies.
- One stroke penalty, replay ball from spot ball was last played.
- One stroke penalty, play ball as it lies.
- Two-stroke penalty. Replay ball from spot ball was last played.
- Two-stroke penalty. Play ball as it lies.

AND THE ANSWER IS.....

The answer is C. Rule 19-2 applies. One stroke penalty, Play ball as it lies. A Ball in Motion Deflected or Stopped By Player, Partner, Caddie or Equipment -- the ball plays as it lies and the penalty is one-stroke. Note, this used to be a 2-stroke penalty but was amended in the 2008 rules to reduce the penalty in both match play and stroke play from two strokes to one stroke.

Had the ball been deflected out of bounds, There would have been a one stoke-penalty for ball in motion deflection and, had the ball been deflected or remained out of bounds, one must proceed under Rule 27-1, replay ball from spot ball was last played, incurring another penalty stroke.

About Our Members

Happy Birthday to these members:

Al Bement - 08/20
 Karen Bequette - 08/01
 Marie Bush - 08/28
 Michael Colligan - 09/04
 Marcella Dub - 08/05
 Ann Engelmann - 08/23
 Paul Gentile - 08/17
 Eileen Graziano - 08/14
 David Halper - 09/06
 Robert Lewandowski - 08/08
 Mary Lou Newbold - 09/11
 Becky Nicholson - 09/08
 Robert Ptak - 08/29
 Margaret Quinn - 08/21
 Jeanne Schneeberger - 08/04
 Michael Siry - 08/08
 Joe Torcivia - 09/15
 Valerie Vizgirda - 08/15

These members are up for renewal:

(date shown is last day of membership)
 Marie Di Virgilio - 08/31/2013
 Donna Ellis - 08/31/2013
 Nancy Ellis - 08/31/2013
 Susan Herman - 08/31/2013
 Joanne Jacobs - 08/31/2013

Welcome newest members:

Craig Broaddus - Joined 06/27/2013
 Susan Deisinger - Joined 06/14/2013
 Roxane Engel - Joined 06/14/2013

Bill Erickson - Joined 06/26/2013
 James Gallagher - Joined 07/01/2013
 Michael Siry - Joined 06/10/2013

These members recently renewed:

Bob Almada
 Marie Bush
 Jim Coates
 Michael Colligan
 Lyn Dickinson
 Kathy Fox
 Robert Lewandowski
 John Miller
 James Poplett
 Robin Rash
 Carol Reichart
 Peggy Sodini

These members did not renew their dues:

(date shown is date membership expired)
 Patrice Al-Saden - 07/31/2013
 Patsy Albrecht - 06/30/2013
 Kevin Berg - 07/31/2013
 Julie Boone - 06/30/2013
 Debora Braun - 07/31/2013
 Armond Cozzi - 06/30/2013
 Kate Dudley - 07/31/2013
 JoAnn Graske - 07/31/2013
 Timothy Haviland - 06/30/2013
 Greg Kujawinski - 07/31/2013
 James Licata - 06/30/2013
 Fred McEwen - 06/30/2013
 Stephen Mueller - 06/30/2013
 Arthur Rubalcaba - 06/30/2013
 Martha Staky - 06/30/2013
 Marie Trankina - 06/30/2013
 Kyle White - 07/31/2013
 Stephanie Whitman - 06/30/2013

Our chapter currently has 147 members

