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CHICAGO SINGLES GOLF

Chicago Chapter - American Singles Golf Association - April 2017

SEASON OPENER - BROKEN ARROW - MAY 6TH

President's Message

Welcome back everyone to another season of great golf. I would like to take a moment to thank past president **Scott Wilson** , and last years board of directors and committee chairs for the wonderful 2016 season of golf and social events .

As many of you know, our 2017 board was delayed in getting started, but I promise you we are up and running! The calendar for the summer is filling up quickly. The variety and locations of the golf courses and events look great. I would like to thank our golf chair **Tom Schweihs**, along with **Tom Ullsperger, Tim Dowling** and **Jay Thompson** for all their help in getting these weekends and trips secured.

In a effort to encourage new volunteers and to refresh veterans, Tom Schweihs will be holding a golf coordinators meeting on Monday April 24 , 7 pm, at Nonnies Pizza in Woodridge. This is a great opportunity to find out how to host/ coordinate one of our golf outings.

One of our favorite golf traditions at ASGA Chicago has been the outing at Countryside hosted by Jay. Since Jay will be volunteering at the U.S. Open at Erin Hills in June when this event is normally held, Jay has organized another opportunity at Countryside in August. This will also be a First Tee charity event.

The Chicago 2 day Challenge and the 2 day Club championship are set. The team captains are meeting to pick the theme. of this year's event. Watch for further details. Those looking forward to the traditional fall trip will see a new destination in Door County.

Our chapter has a great group of members with a lot of great ideas. We want to welcome anyone whose is interested in meeting new friends and playing some great golf to come check us out!! My email box is always open..send any ideas or suggestions.

Hittem Straight

~Ruth

Season Opener

Our season opening golf event will be held at Broken Arrow Golf course in Lockport on Saturday May 6. **Joann** and **Keith Reifel** will coordinate and then have graciously invited all to a BBQ at their home

NATIONAL OFFICE INFORMATION

Upcoming Multi-Chapter Events (see SinglesGolf.com/events):

- **Orlando's Golfpalooza** -April 20-22, 2017. SinglesGolf.com/Golfpalooza is the primary site, to register, go here: SinglesGolf.com/GolfpaloozaReg
- **Phoenix's Sedona Weekend** - April 21-23, 2017. Golf in the desert of Sedona. Details at SinglesGolf.com/Sedona
- **Memorial Day Weekend - May 25-28, 2017.** We'll be at Stone Mountain, GA. We can book up to 160 members with the 80 rooms we have reserved. Details at SinglesGolf.com/MemorialDay
- **Canada - July 2017** - Tremblant + Montreal. A cool place to be in the heat of summer! All details at www.SinglesGolf.com/Canada
- **Battle At The Beach 2017** - October or November, 2017. East Coast USA. Details posted in early- to mid-Summer.
- **Albany's Coopertown, NY Golf Weekend** - September 22-24, 2017. Playing golf at Leatherstocking. Details out in a month or two, or, contact Ellen Riley by clicking here.
- **Ryder Cup - Paris, France, September, 2018** - This will be a river cruise up the Seine River. We'd like to spend 10-12 days in France. Dates for the 2018 Ryder Cup are September 28-30, 2018 but this river cruise itinerary will not be timed perfectly to coincide with the Ryder Cup, unless you want to spend some extra days in Paris on your own. Details and full website available in mid- to late-April, 2017.
- **New Year's Event** - January 1-4, 2018. Details posted in late August, 2017. Will likely occur in Florida where we've heard it might be a bit warmer.

Office Hours: 9:00am to 2:00pm, M-F (Eastern)
National Office: 980-833-6450 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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following the round. Please rsvp as soon as possible to jmgraske@gmail.com. so that the tee times can be secured. They ask that you bring an appetizer or a dessert to share. This will be a great chance to reconnect with old and new friends.

Did You Know:

Besides golf events in the Chicago area, your ASGA membership gains you access to multi-chapter and national ASGA trips. The national trips are those coordinated by Tom Alsop (such as the European trips, the Hawaii trip and the upcoming Memorial Day trip to Stone Mountain in Georgia). The multi-chapter trips (like the upcoming one in April put on by the Orlando chapter and an annual August golf trip in the Rockies put on by the Denver chapter) are generally sponsored and coordinated by a single chapter but intended to have participation from all chapters (those are the other trips highlighted from time to time on the main ASGA website www.singlesgolf.com).

Besides those trips, you probably didn't realize you also get access to regular golf events held by other chapters. So, if you are travelling to Boston, Denver or Orlando, for example, contact the local chapter (most links are on the main ASGA website) for a list of upcoming outings and to sign up. Often, if you travel to national events, you will already know people there.

Our local chapter, as well as all the local chapters, rely on their members to volunteer to keep the chapter operating. If you attend any events, please seriously consider volunteering and looking to recruit new members to continue to make our chapter a success. If everyone can volunteer, even occasionally, it helps take the burden off others who might be able to contribute a bit more of their time. Thanks.

Trip Report – ASGA in Spain 2016 – Chicago style

Joining about 100 ASGA members from around the country, 12 of us from Chicago travelled on ASGA's trip to Spain this past September. Since we didn't all know each other that well, we met together for a pre-trip dinner at Emilio's Tapas in Hillside a couple weeks before the trip. While on the trip, we also joined together to form a group on WhatsApp so we could stay in touch with our fellow Chicagoans during the trip. That worked well.

Some travelers started early and a few tacked on some days after the trip to visit other sights, cities and countries, but most just enjoyed the wonderful Spanish culture, people, sights and golf for the main 11-day trip. We first travelled by high speed train (up to 300km per hour) to visit the south of Spain, in the Mediterranean coastal town of Marbella. When not soaking up the sun (and the sangria) most played 2 rounds, including many who played Valderrama Real Club, site of the 1997 Ryder Cup. The golf was challenging and the course is lined with cork trees, which are actually spongy to the touch (makes for interesting ricochets if you happen to hit one, not saying I did of course…)

Other stops included the cute town of Ronda where the new part of town dates from the 1500s (we had a beautiful private lunch with a reception overlooking the valley below town) and Seville.

In Seville, we stayed near the older part of town, where we could walk to numerous sights, restaurants (great tapas) and shopping. Our hotel had a roof top pool and bar, which was a popular meeting spot, particularly late afternoon. Golf at the Real Club de golf de Sevilla course was enjoyable and many of us tried electric push carts which mostly (see Scott Wilson) worked pretty well. A beautiful day on a fun private course. We were also treated to a private dinner and flamenco show just outside of town.

One highlight of Madrid was a dinner at Casino de Madrid, a beautiful old private club where Tom Alsop had arranged for us to have private reception and dinner. It was a wonderful space and the most "formal" (just a bit dressier) event we had. During the non-planned times, some of us went exploring in Madrid, visiting the museums and just sightseeing. We also played our last round at the Santander course outside of Madrid, another hilly, private course where we also enjoyed a beautiful buffet dinner following the round. My last night in Madrid I even tried oreja a la plancha (Google it!!) which is a local tapas specialty…it was interesting.

I think I speak for everyone on the trip when I say we truly enjoyed ourselves and made memories and friends to last a lifetime. A shout out to **Kathy, both Lindas,**

Scott, John, Lyn, Debbie, Ed, Kay, Larry, and **Robin** – I hope we get to travel together again!

I've now been on 2 overseas trips with ASGA (Scotland was my first), and several multi-chapter ones, and have thoroughly enjoyed them and met many new friends from around the country. If you haven't been on an ASGA trip (including those in the states), you owe it to yourself to give one a try. There may be some glitches occasionally (ask about bathrobes at our first dinner in Marbella), and sometimes the golf can be slow, but on an overall basis, the trips have been a blast.

~Greg Mieczynski

About Our Members

(THIS REPORT RAN 04/06/2017)

Happy Birthday to these members:

Deborah Backman - 04/15
Leonard Benbenek - 04/24
Linda Ciprella - 05/15
Kim Denkewalter - 05/07
Paulette Dittrich - 05/13
Heidi Harders - 04/22
Steve Hengesbaugh - 05/12
Kurt Kupitz - 05/07
Jane Leary - 05/01
Kevin McInerney - 04/02
Michelene Polk - 05/08

These members are up for renewal:

(date shown is last day of membership)
Linda Barron-Ratliff - 04/30/2017
Karen Boguslawski - 04/30/2017
Paulette Dittrich - 04/30/2017
Ann Engelmann - 04/30/2017
Bill Forcade - 04/30/2017
Kay Frances Gillespie - 04/30/2017
Thomas Golbach - 04/30/2017
Eileen Graziano - 04/30/2017
Cathy Hill - 04/30/2017
Joe Krahulec - 04/30/2017
James Kusek - 04/30/2017
Susan Ouchterloney - 04/30/2017
Michelene Polk - 04/30/2017
Robin Rash - 04/30/2017
Peggy Sodini - 04/30/2017
Jay Thompson - 04/30/2017
Donna Wiggins - 04/30/2017
Melissa Woodworth - 04/30/2017
Eileen Zittnan - 04/30/2017

Welcome newest members:

John Christian - Joined 02/06/2017
Heidi Harders - Joined 02/15/2017

These members recently renewed:

Deborah Backman
Leonard Benbenek
Bonnie Linklater
Margaret Quinn
Tim Ryan

These members did not renew their dues:

(date shown is date membership expired)
Patrick Banks - 02/28/2017
Kathi Brown - 03/31/2017
Lynne Byrd - 02/28/2017
Lee Fayette - 02/28/2017
Robert Geeve - 03/31/2017
Paul Hervey - 03/31/2017
Frank Madden - 02/28/2017
Gail Sherva - 03/31/2017
Joe Torcivia - 02/28/2017
Jim Voinovich - 02/28/2017
Angie Voleta - 02/28/2017

To renew your dues today, go to SinglesGolf.com/renew If you wish to renew over the phone, call 980-833-6450, M-F, 9-2 Eastern Time.

Our chapter currently has 123 members

Rules and More Rules

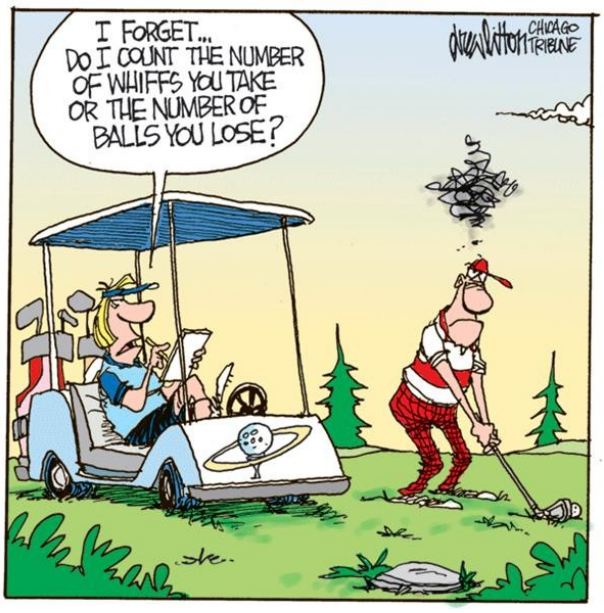
Maximum number of golf balls allowed per round

Most golfers know that the maximum number of clubs allowed to be carried/ used in a round of golf is 14. Less well know is the maximum number of balls permitted to be carried/used. What is the correct maximum number of golf balls allowed per round? What is the correct ruling?"

A. 6 Balls
B. 12 Balls
C. 18 Balls
D. Carry as many as want, no maximum

The correct answer: D.

You may carry as many as you want. USGA Rules do not address any limit to the number of balls that can be carried or used during a round of golf.



The Next Shot™

"The most important shot in golf is the next one." - - Ben Hogan

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Limited to First 88 Players!

The website is up, the details are there. We've been discussing a trip to Canada for quite some time and now all of the details of this trip are posted at www.SinglesGolf.com/Canada. You literally have a choice of making this a 5-day or 3-day journey. Either visit Montreal for two days then three days in Tremblant (about 90 miles away), or just spend time in Tremblant at a beautiful golf resort town. So click on the picture or link and gather the info on what you'd prefer to do. Sign-up with a friend if you want to save money and share a room. We'll stay in Montreal at the beautiful Courtyard by Marriott near Old Montreal, a 350-year old city, or the Fairmont in Tremblant, a very nice hotel. Either way, we've put together a Canadian trip in July at a time when the Canadian dollar sells for less than 80 cents on the dollar. We have reserved rooms/courses to accommodate only 88 of our members so please put down at least a $99 deposit to hold your spot!

Over 100 now signed-up for **ASGA's**

Memorial Day Weekend

at the Marriott Evergreen Resort — Stone Mountain, GA

May 25 — 28, 2017— An Official "Reunion" Event

Some things are slow to get off the ground. But not this time. We have seen a surge in registrations for our annual Memorial Day golf weekend at Stone Mountain. Memorial Day Weekend is, without question, our largest attended event of the year. One of the messages we're receiving from our attendees is that Stone Mountain is a convenient location to drive or fly to. Just a hop, skip and a 9-iron will get you to the front door from downtown Atlanta. The Marriott Evergreen Resort is located inside of a state park. Two 18-hole courses line the entrance as you come into the park along with some great views of this big rock poking itself out of the earth. The side of the mountain has sculpture taking-up the size of three acres.

Do this trip on your own for this holiday weekend and you

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would pay $877 per person, double occupancy. The ASGA price is $569. Room by yourself and it goes to $819.

Stone Mountain is just a half-hour drive out of Atlanta, so, if you're flying, you'll certainly want to fly into Atlanta's Hartsfield-Jackson (ATL).

We've reserved 80 rooms on peak nights so we can take as many as 160 on this trip. Links to the hotel, golf course and online registration are at www.SinglesGolf.com/MemorialDay

Desert Golf in Sedona, Arizona

Phoenix's Golf Sedona! — April 21-23, 2017

Think Desert: Sedona is a special place in our country's landscape. For less than $350, you can have a weekend of fun! See details in the flyer enclosed with this newsletter or go to www.PhoenixASGA.com for details.

River Cruise Survey: Over 300 Say *"Yes!"*

Paris, France — September/October, 2018

We've received an update from Tauck, the river cruise company we have selected for our 2018 French river cruise, departing Paris. As we had hoped the cruise itinerary would coincide with either the beginning or ending of the 2018 Ryder Cup, the dates don't match-up as we had wanted. If we take a cruise towards the middle of September, 2018, the Ryder Cup will start 6-8 days later and if we choose an October sailing, the Ryder Cup will have been 10-12 days behind us. So the Ryder Cup may have to be watched on the tube, as they say in Europe. The good thing about this is that it frees us up to attach 3-4 additional days of golf for those who want to have an extended stay. We also know that we would not be able to play **Le Golf National**, site of the 2018 Ryder Cup competition prior to the event, and they still are not certain if/when play for the public will begin. **Dates for the next Ryder Cup are September 28-30, 2018.**

River Cruising For Singles

For the past three months, ASGA has surveyed its membership to see the level of interest. Not surprisingly, over 300 members would "definitely be interested" in a river cruise in 2018 and 94% felt the Seine River would be the river to cruise.

Our hopes are to "buy-out" the ship by filling-up 49 cabins, which will take no more than 98 members to do so, a lesser amount if some room by themselves. By buying-out the ship, we'll have more latitude on certain things and can certainly party "ASGA-style" without having people look at us wishing they were single!

Although we're not officially announcing it yet, the pieces are being assembled and we want to put together another awesome experience for you. We anticipate visiting Versailles, historic monuments in Rouen, the English Channel villages of Etretat and Honfleur, Jumieges Abbey, one of the great Benedictines of France, Chateau Gaillard, Claude Monet's home and a lot more. At our halfway point on the cruise on the Seine River, we'll visit the D-Day beaches of Normandy.

A once in a lifetime opportunity, by definition, only occurs one time so this may just be it for you! So, talk it up. Think about whom you'd like to room with to cut some cost. Later this month, we will have full details presented to you through our website and I think you'll be very pleased with the savings you will see and the overall event we will have an opportunity to experience.

Where Bad Golfers Go When they Die

My mom's family is from Clarksville, Tennessee. She was a Clark who lived on Clark Street (for real!) I couldn't resist on my last visit there to snap a photo of this funeral home. Fortunately, I'm not a hooker but a bit of a slicer. I've never seen the left side of a fairway. I'm afraid to google "Slicer's Funeral Home," as I might find something. Just thought I'd pass this along to those hookers in our organization to let you know where you're headed — if you don't fix your swing!

- - Tom Alsop, President and Founder
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American SinglesGolf Re:Sources

ASGA National Website	SinglesGolf.com
Upcoming Multi-Chapter Events	SinglesGolf.com/events
To join or renew dues in ASGA	SinglesGolf.com/join
List of Chapters/See Newsletters	SinglesGolf.com/chapters
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Previous Breaking News	SinglesGolf.com/BreakingNews
Email the National Office	info@SinglesGolf.com

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Event Details: SinglesGolf.com/Canada Links to courses, hotels, etc. at the website.

A Mid-Summer's Dream!

You must be a member of the American Singles Golf Association in order to attend this event.

***You choose** between a 3-day or 5-day event. 5 Day: Fly into Montreal, spend two nights there, visit Old Montreal and play one round of golf, then motor coach to Tremblant for 3 nights and golf . . .*
Or . . . 3-day: Go directly to Tremblant, 90 miles northeast of Montreal for 3 nights, 2 rounds of golf and more!

5-Day Package (Montreal + Tremblant): Room-With-Someone — $899.00 Room-by-Yourself — $1,389.00
Dates: Arrive in Montreal on Sunday, July 16, 2017 and depart Tremblant on Friday, July 21.

- Welcoming party (cash bar) followed by dinner.
- **2** nights' lodging at the Courtyard by Marriott, two blocks from Old Montreal (Sun/Mon nights (July 16-17))
- Breakfast each morning, dinners each night; lunches on your own.
- **1** round of golf at Val des Lacs (round is halfway between Montreal and Tremblant (incl. cart, green fees, range balls, prizes)
- **3** nights' lodging at the Fairmont Hotel in Tremblant
- 2 rounds of golf at Tremblant (play Le Diable and Le Geant)

3-Day Package (Tremblant Only): Room-With-Someone — $649.00 Room-by-Yourself — $929.00
Dates: Arrive in Tremblant Tuesday, July 18, 2017, depart on Friday, July 21.

- **3** nights' lodging at the Fairmont Hotel in Tremblant
- Breakfast each morning
- **2** rounds of golf (incl. cart, green fees, range balls, prizes)
- Welcoming party (cash bar) and dinner. Two additional dinners included. Lunches on your own.

See next page for PDF Registration Form or go to SinglesGolf.com/Canada to register and pay online.

If you need a roommate and don't have one, ASGA will do its very best to find a same-gendered roommate for you.

OH! CANADA . . . HERE WE COME!

CHOOSE BETWEEN A 3- OR 5-DAY GOLF EVENT

THE 5-NIGHT TRIP:

July 16-17 in Montreal with 1 round of golf, then motor coach to Tremblant for 3 nights and 2 rounds of golf & prizes. Breakfasts and dinners included.

THE 3-NIGHT TRIP:

You head directly to Tremblant where Montreal group joins you July 18-21, 2 rounds of golf & prizes. Breakfasts and dinners included. Everyone departs July 21.

OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM

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Visit the Event Website for all details, addresses, etc.: SinglesGolf.com/Canada

NAME SHOWN BELOW IS HOW YOUR NAMETAG WILL APPEAR. ONE FORM PER PERSON, PLEASE PRINT.

NAME _____ ( ) MALE ( ) FEMALE CHAPTER NAME _____ (Indicate city if no chapter name.)

ADDR _____ CTY _____ ST _____ ZIP _____ Handicap/Avg.Score _____

HOME PH ( )_____ WORK/CELL PH ( )_____ E-MAIL _____

PASSPORT REQUIRED TO VISIT CANADA. Ever had a DUI? See special Canadian laws regarding DUIs at SinglesGolf.com/DUI

CHECK APPROPRIATE PACKAGE (Packages are described on previous flyer page):

( ) $649.00 — 3-DAY PACKAGE ROOMING-WITH-SOMEONE (Obtain your own roommate or we will attempt to obtain a same-gendered person.)
( ) $929.00 — 3-DAY ROOM-BY-MYSELF PACKAGE *(includes everything in 3-Day Pkg.)*
( ) $899.00 — 5-DAY PACKAGE ROOMING-WITH-SOMEONE (Obtain your own roommate or we will attempt to obtain a same-gendered person.)
( ) $1,389.00 — 5-DAY ROOM-BY-MYSELF PACKAGE *(includes everything in 5-Day Pkg.)*
( ) $60.00 — I'm not renting/sharing a car & need round trip motor coach transportation to & from Tremblant.

My roommate will be _____ (or we'll attempt to assign a same-gender roommate if you prefer.) Please do not list yourself as someone else's roommate without their permission. **IMPORTANT:** If you choose a roommate, both must choose same package. We can't hold your room until both parties have paid. **I am requesting a room with ( ) One King Bed ( ) Two Double Beds**
*Note: Rooms are "run of house." **Hotel controls your room location & type.** We register you subject to those conditions.*

I'd like to play ( ) one ( ) all rounds of golf with _____. Email special requests to **info@SinglesGolf.com**

I AM PURCHASING: $ _____ for the above package indicated by a check mark
+ $ _____ Mulligans *(**add $10** for 6 mulligans for the 2 Tremblant courses or **add $15** for 9 mulligans for all 3 courses.)*
+ $ _____ 50/50 Raffle Tickets (add $20 here for 25 fifty-fifty raffle tickets. Tickets $20 for 20 at the event.)
+ $ _____ $60 for round trip motor coach indicated above
= $ _____ TOTAL AMOUNT
I AM REMITTING $ _____ $99 now to hold my spot. I will remit balance due of $_____ by June 1 if by check or we will chg. card below on June 1.
I AM REMITTING $ _____ As Full Amount Due. Make Check* Payable to ASGA, Inc. OR complete credit card info below.

CANCELLATION*: There is a 25% cancellation fee on or before 06/15/17. Absolutely NO refunds after 6/15/17. If your plans change, you (not ASGA) can sell your position to another member. See events website for cancellation policy, terms & conditions.

TRAVEL PROTECTION IS OFFERED on this event as an option & must be purchased within 10 days of registering thru the event website.
( ) I will apply for trip insurance within ten (10) days of registering. See "Travel Protection" link at SinglesGolf.com/Canada
( ) I am declining to purchase travel protection. If you register without purchasing travel protection, you are indicating that you are declining to purchase travel protection and you assume all risks, e.g. personal or friend or family sickness/injury/accidents at last moment and would therefore ***receive no refund of any sort*** if any issue arises.

CONFIRMATION: A letter or e-mail confirmation will be sent to you upon receipt of payment. If you do not receive confirmation within 10 days after registering, you must contact ASGA at the number below.

MAILING ADDRESS: ASGA, 1122 Industrial Dr., Suite 107, Matthews, NC 28105 Questions: Call or Text to 980-833-6450

PAY BY CREDIT CARD: I hereby authorize **ASGA** to charge my account number below for the **"$99 DEPOSIT" OR "Full Amount Due"** as indicated above. A 3% fee will be added to the TOTAL AMOUNT shown above if using a credit card.

Acc't. No: _____ **Exp.** _____ **Signature**_____

CREDIT CARD USERS: Fax this form to 888-465-3295 or Scan & Send to Irene@SinglesGolf.com

QUESTIONS? E-MAIL TOM ALSOP at Tom@SinglesGolf.com OR CALL 980-833-6450 or 1-888-GOLFMATE

* There is a 4% service charge for any check returned unpaid by the bank. **Cancellation policy applies. See www.SinglesGolf.com/events for complete details of policy and events.** **© 2017 ASGA, Inc.**

Golf Sedona!

April in Arizona . . . At the Sedona Resort . . . Be There!

The Phoenix Chapter of the American Singles Golf Association is proud to host its annual Sedona outing. Venue will be the Views Inn in beautiful Sedona, Arizona. We'll play two outstanding courses, the Sedona Resort (Saturday) and Oakcreek County Club (Sunday).

April 21, 22 and 23, 2017

The Views Inn is located just minutes from both course at 65 East Cortez Drive, Sedona, AZ 86351. Website: www.ViewsInn.com **Phone 928-284-2487.** Lodging is $148.84 per room, per night, and includes continental breakfast each morning and taxes. Each room includes a microwave, coffee pot and refrigerator. You MUST call and make reservations, tell them you are with the ASGA group, either two queens size beds or one king. They will take your credit card info, but will not charge your card until you check out. If you need to cancel you can within 48 hours of your check in date, no charge. We have limited rooms on hold, first come, first served. **Deadline for room reservations is April 8, 2017.**

Arrive Friday, April 21st and event registration will be at Oakcreek Country Club. Reception at 5pm and includes pulled pork sliders, cheese quesadilla, cheese and crackers. Cash bar / no credit cards. Dancing after registration. Also, Oakcreek will have available a full menu at your expense if you wish to eat dinner later.

The golf package portion of this event is sold separately for $198.00.

SATURDAY: 9:00 shotgun start at Sedona Golf Resort. After golf, early evening, we'll have dinner at Oakcreek CC with dancing after. Saturday game prizes awarded. Dinner will include your choice of New York Strip Steak, Salmon or Vegetarian Plate. Dinner includes salad, potatoes, vegetable, and rolls and butter. Again, cash bar only.

SUNDAY: 9:00 shotgun start at Oakcreek CC. Meet after golf in the lounge for game prize. Hot dogs or brats and chips available at $5.00.

The $198.00 golf price also includes $5.00 each day for game prizes. A 50/50 raffle is optional.

GOLF PACKAGE SIGN UP AT PHOENIXASGA.COM. Includes 2 rounds of golf, cart, range balls, green fees prize money for both days. Friday appetizers and Saturday night sit down dinner. Deadline for sign-up is April 8.

Total Cost for Entire Weekend: $346.84 based on double occupancy (2 to a room) and $495.68 if you room by yourself.

If you can only play one day, contact John or Jeanne.

Questions: Contact John Tuel proudpol@cox.net or Jeanne Tillmann jtillmann@cox.net

You must be a member of the American Singles Golf Association at the time of the event in order to attend this event. To renew your dues (or to join for the first time), go to www.SinglesGolf.com/join Annual dues are $79.

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Event Details: SinglesGolf.com/MemorialDay Resort: SinglesGolf.com/Marriott Resort Phone: 770-879-9900

Reunion at Stone Mountain!

This event is open to all past and present members of the American Singles Golf Association.

Yes, this is our annual "reunion" event. "Reunion" meaning all former and current members are invited to attend. *If you are a former member, whether married or not, you're welcome to attend. You pay just 5% more than to get this outstanding value.*

Unique Location! *Stone Mountain State Park (StoneMountainPark.com) is 26 miles from the Atlanta airport (ATL) and 16 miles from downtown Atlanta. This resort offers unique and unforgettable outdoor venues. Attractions range from taking a train ride around Stone Mountain to viewing the world's longest running, spectacular laser light show.* ***Other venues:*** *Sky Hike, Crossroads, Summit Skyride and Geyser Towers.*

Room-With-Someone Package — $569.00 Room-by-Yourself Package — $819.00

- **3** nights lodging at the Evergreen Marriott Resort at Stone Mountain, Georgia (Thu/Fri/Sat/nights, May 25, 26 & 27, 2017)
- **2** rounds of golf (incl. cart, green fees, range balls, prizes) - Lakemont and Stonemont Courses. Play your own ball each day. Scoring will be 2-best net ball of each foursome. Optional day-of-arrival (noon on 5/25) & day-of-departure (9am 5/28) golf
- **6** food functions: 1 Welcome Party (hors d'oeuvres); 3 hot breakfast buffets at the Marriott, 2 evening dinners at the Resort
- DJ and dancing on final night (if 100 or more attend this event), welcoming gift, cash bar at most events, 50/50 raffle.
- Includes all resort service fees & taxes. See SinglesGolf.com/MemorialDay and the Official Registration Form for full details.

If you're a veteran of any military branch, please let us know when registering. We honor your service and would like to list your name in the Program and give you ten (10) free 50/50 raffle tickets for registering and attending this event!

Stay Extra Nights—Play Extra Days! If you arrive up to 3-days early or stay up to 3-days afterwards, additional nights, which includes a huge buffet breakfast, are **$179** to room alone and **$99** / person if double occupancy. Taxes & resort service fees are included in these rates. Play day-of-arrival at Heritage Golf Links and day-of-departure at Bear's Best, where Jack replicates 18 of his famous golf holes.

If you need a roommate and don't have one, ASGA will do its very best to find a same-gendered roommate for you.

Complete the Official Registration Form (see next page) or register online at SinglesGolf.com/MemorialDay

REUNION AT STONE MOUNTAIN

MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND - STONE MOUNTAIN, GEORGIA

3 NIGHTS AT THE MARRIOTT EVERGREEN HOTEL

2 ROUNDS OF GOLF
6 FOOD FUNCTIONS

THURSDAY, MAY 25 - SUNDAY, MAY 28, 2017

OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM

SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN SINGLES GOLF ASSOCIATION — Phone 980-833-6450 (Call/Text: M-F, 9-2 Eastern)
Event Website: SinglesGolf.com/MemorialDay Resort: SinglesGolf.com/Marriott Resort Phone: 770-879-9900

NAME SHOWN BELOW IS HOW NAMETAG WILL APPEAR. ONE FORM PER PERSON, PLEASE PRINT.

NAME _____ ( ) MALE ( ) FEMALE CHAPTER NAME _____ (Indicate city if no chapter name.)

ADDR _____ CTY _____ ST _____ ZIP _____ Handicap/Avg.Score _____

HOME PH ( )_____ WORK/CELL PH ( )_____ E-MAIL _____

( ) I am a veteran of the armed forces, having served in the ( ) Army ( ) Navy ( ) Air Force ( ) Marines ( ) Coast Guard

CHECK APPROPRIATE PACKAGE (Packages are described on previous flyer page):

( ) $569.00 — STANDARD PACKAGE (you'll have a roommate—you secure or we try to get same gendered roommate)
( ) $819.00 — ROOM-BY-MYSELF PACKAGE *(includes everything in St'd. Pkg.)*
( ) $36.00 — Add for Lake View Room** (roommate must agree to same. Flat rate for all 3 days regardless of length of stay.)
( ) $45.00 — OPTIONAL DAY-OF-ARRIVAL GOLF — THURS. at Heritage Golf Links (noon tee times)
( ) $109.00 — OPT. DAY-OF-DEPARTURE GOLF — SUN. at Bear's Best Atlanta (9:00am tee times + includes box lunch)

My roommate will be _____ (or we'll attempt to assign a same-gender roommate if you prefer.) Please do not list yourself as someone else's roommate without their permission. **IMPORTANT:** If you choose a roommate, we can't hold your room until both parties have paid. **I am requesting a room with ( ) One King Bed ( ) Two Double Beds** *Note: Rooms are "ROH" (run of house).* ***Hotel controls your room location and room type.*** *We register you subject to those conditions.*

I'd like to play ( ) one ( ) all rounds of golf with _____. Email special requests to **info@SinglesGolf.com**

I AM REMITTING:

$_____ for the package indicated above
+ $_____ for ___ add'l. nights ($179 single / $99 dbl. occ). Includes hot buffet breakfast each morning.
Indicate dates (before/after) of add'l. nights: _____
+ $_____ Upgrade to room with lake view** (add $36 on this line to cover for all days).
+ $_____ Optional Day-of-Arrival golf at Heritage Golf Links, Thursday, 5/25, noon. $45
+ $_____ Optional Day-of-Departure golf at Bear's Best Golf Course, Sunday, 5/28, 9am. $109 w/lunch
+ $_____ Mulligans *(put $10 in this space if you want 3 mulligans for each of your 2 main days of golf.)*
+ $_____ 50/50 Raffle Tickets (add $20 here for 25 fifty-fifty raffle tickets. Tickets $20 for 20 at the event.)
+ $_____ I'm a former ASGA member and I am adding 5% to all of the above. ( ) I'm still single ( ) I'm married now and my spouse is also registering (separate form required).
= $_____ TOTAL AMOUNT (Ck. # _____ - Make Check* Payable to ASGA, Inc. (Mailing Address Below.)

CANCELLATION: There is a 25% cancellation fee on or prior to 04/25/17. Absolutely NO refunds after 4/25/17. If your plans change, you can sell your position to another member. See events website for cancellation policy, terms & conditions.

TRIP INSURANCE IS OFFERED on this event as an option and must be purchased within 10 days of registering through the event website. **( ) I will apply for trip insurance within ten (10) days of registering.** If you register without purchasing trip insurance, you are indicating that you are declining to purchase trip insurance and you assume all risks, e.g. personal or family sickness/injury/accidents at last moment and would therefore ***receive no refund of any sort*** if any issue arises. **CONFIRMATION:** A letter or e-mail confirmation will be sent to you upon receipt of payment. If you do not receive confirmation within 10 days after registering, you must contact ASGA at the number below.

MAILING ADDRESS: ASGA, 1122 Industrial Dr., Suite 107, Matthews, NC 28105 Questions: Call or Text to 980-833-6450

PAY BY CREDIT CARD: I hereby authorize **ASGA** or the **Marriott Evergreen Resort** to charge my account number below for the **"TOTAL AMOUNT"** indicated above. A 3% fee will be added to the TOTAL AMOUNT shown above.

Acc't. No: _____ **Exp.** _____ **Signature** _____

CREDIT CARD USERS: Fax this form to 888-465-3295 or Scan & Send to Irene@SinglesGolf.com

QUESTIONS? E-MAIL TOM ALSOP at Tom@SinglesGolf.com OR CALL 980-833-6450 or 1-888-GOLFMATE

* There is a 4% service charge for any check returned unpaid by the bank. **Cancellation policy applies. See www.SinglesGolf.com/events for complete details of policy and events.**
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FOR MORE FUN - FELLOWSHIP - FAIRWAYS!

4 WAYS TO JOIN:
- Call Us Toll Free
- Fax This Toll Free
- Mail This To Us
- Online (SinglesGolf.com/join)

APPLICATION TO ☐ JOIN ASGA ☐ RENEW MY MEMBERSHIP

Note: Meeting locations may vary. Upon joining, you will receive a monthly newsletter telling you about monthly meetings, outings, etc. If you have any questions, contact your local chapter leader or call 1-888-GOLFMATE or 980-833-6450. **Please complete information box at right.** →

MONTH & DAY BORN _____

YOUR USGA HANDICAP® _____ or

AVERAGE GOLF SCORE _____

Dues are **$79.00** per year *(full 12 months) OR **$158.00 for two years** (includes free ASGA logo'd shirt when joining for two years!)* and can be paid by check or credit card. Credit card users: JOIN BY PHONE: 1-888-465-3628 or FAX COMPLETED FORM to **1-888-465-3295.** Your membership kit will be mailed upon receipt of payment. ***No shipping charge if ASGA shirt ordered with application.***

PRINT CLEARLY - THE INFO BELOW SHOWS HOW IT WILL APPEAR ON YOUR CHAPTER'S ROSTER. ***(SEE OPT-OUT CLAUSE BELOW)***

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US? _____ CHAPTER YOU ARE JOINING OR RENEWING IN: _____

NAME _____ E-MAIL ADDR: _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ST _____ ZIP _____

HOME (_____)_____ WORK/CELL (_____)_____ EMPL. BY _____

POSITION_____ ( ) AVAILABLE FOR WEEKDAY GOLF ( ) WILLING TO VOLUNTEER FOR CHAPTER

NOTE: ASGA DOES NOT CONDUCT BACKGROUND CHECKS ON APPLICANTS FOR MEMBERSHIP OR MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION. Golf can be a dangerous sport. Accidents can occur by you or another party striking a golf ball, by a golf cart turning over, or simply falling down steps. PLEASE TAKE ADEQUATE PRECAUTION when playing in ASGA events. Chapters and individuals running golf tournaments are not professionals but are volunteers, and therefore, you must assume additional responsibility for your own safety. Please abide by the safety rules posted inside your golf cart, at the golf course, as well as the official website of the United States Golf Association (www.USGA.org). If you have a safety concern, please bring it to the attention of the person(s) running an event, your chapter president or golf course management personnel.

LEGAL STUFF

RELEASE FROM LIABILITY AND EXPRESS ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I, the undersigned Applicant (hereinafter referred to as "Releasor"), in consideration of being permitted to participate in golf activities organized or sponsored by ASGA, Inc., d/b/a American Singles Golf Association, a Delaware Corporation, or its affiliate chapters in the United States and Canada, (the "Releasees") and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency is hereby acknowledged, hereby on behalf of myself and my heirs, distributees, guardians, and legal representatives agree to fully indemnify, defend, hold harmless, and not to sue Releasees and/or Releasee's directors, officers, employees, agents, and affiliates from and on account of any and all past, present, and future claims, debts, causes of action, damages, personal injuries, wrongful deaths, property loss, and property damage *(including attorney's fees and costs relative thereto),* whether due or not, direct or contingent, liquidated or unliquidated, latent or patent, known or unknown, which in any way concern or relate to any act or omission of Releasees. Except in the event of any gross and willful negligence, I shall bring no claims, demands, actions and causes of action, and/or litigation, against Releasees for any economic and non-economic losses due to bodily injury, death, property damage, sustained by me in relation to the premises and operations of the golf course, including riding on golf carts or playing the game of golf. I am aware that participation in and/or observance of the golf activities and/or other activities sponsored by Releasees is or may be an inherently dangerous activity and may have health-related risks, and agree that I am voluntarily participating in and/or observing such activities with full knowledge of all dangers and risks involved. In addition, I hereby expressly assume all risks of injury, death, property loss, property damage, and other loss and damage which my occur relative to the participation in and/or observance of such activities. I understand and agree that this Release includes any and all claims based on the past, present and future ordinary negligence, action, and/or inaction of Releasees and/or Releasee's directors, officers, employees, agents, and affiliates. I acknowledge that I have read this Release, have been fully and completely advised of the potential dangers incidental and inherent to the participation in and/or observance of the activities organized and/or sponsored by Releasees, and am fully aware of the legal consequences of signing the Application Form acknowledging this Release. I agree that this Release, waiver and indemnity agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of my residency, and that if any portion of this Release is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding continue in full force and effect.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS: Membership in the American Singles Golf Association (ASGA) becomes effective upon receipt of dues and is valid for the period of time requested as indicated on the application form, subject to these TERMS AND CONDITIONS. I am 21 years or older, single (i.e. never married OR divorced OR legally separated OR widowed), and have read and accept, as a condition of joining, the RELEASE FROM LIABILITY AND EXPRESS ASSUMPTION OF RISK shown above.

I understand that dues are non-refundable and are subject to change. I agree that all rosters, membership lists, e-mail addresses, or any other information provided to him/her as a result of their membership in ASGA are the property of ASGA and shall not be used for any purpose other than ASGA. I understand that the information provided on the Application for Membership may be reproduced on the chapter's roster and distributed to other ASGA members and published on www.SinglesGolf.com, otherwise, I will note on the Application Form for certain info not to be published.

OPT-OUT CLAUSE: I understand that I may, at any time, request any information not be reprinted, reproduced or distributed, such as home phone, address, etc. in or on any newsletter, roster, website, etc. Such request to be sent to info@SinglesGolf.com. ASGA may not be held liable for inadvertent publishing of opt-out information.

AGREEMENT TO POLICIES OF THE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION AND LOCAL CHAPTER: I agree to abide by the "ASGA Policies" as outlined in the Policy section of www.SinglesGolf.com as well as my local chapter's bylaws and policies.

For more information, call ASGA at 1-888-GOLFMATE or 980-833-6450.

JOIN FOR 2 YEARS - GET A FREE GOLF SHIRT!

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☐ **DUES - 24 Months - $158 (includes free ASGA logo'd shirt - Most Popular!)**

☐ **DUES (Join for 3 years, 4th year free - $237 (incl. free shirt - best value)**

☐ **DUES - 12 Months + ASGA logo'd golf shirt - $109 (includes shipping)**

☐ **DUES - 12 Months - $79**

If a shirt is included with your order indicate ( ) Male ( ) Female Size: _____

Check Paid To "ASGA, Inc." Enclosed* **TOTAL** $_____

Please charge my card indicated below ow:

☐ **VISA** ☐ **MASTER CARD** ☐ **AMEX** ☐ **DISCOVER**

No. _____ Exp. _____

☐ By checking this box, I authorize ASGA, Inc. to charge the card indicated.

☐ By checking this box, I agree to the Terms, Condition and Release ("Legal Stuff") as set forth on the left side of this page.

Signature X_____ Date _____

Credit Card Users Can Join By Calling 980-833-6450
Join By Fax: Fax to (toll free) 1-888-465-3295

REFERRED BY: _____

Mail: ASGA, 1122 Industrial Dr. #107, Matthews, NC 28105

* There is a $25 charge for any check returned from your bank.

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