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Presidents Report



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By Gene Andrews


PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Well, June certainly has had some real wild temperature swings, it seems this summer has come upon us with a vengeance. The Presidents Cup our annual match play tournament is almost finished. Please make sure to stay hydrated as you play in the next few months. Half the year is almost done, but we have lots of tournaments left to play so join in the fun and friendly competition each month. I'm looking forward to seeing lots of you out there. If you have friends who might be interested in joining in the fun our membership dues have lowered so now is a good time for them to join our Men's Club. Have fun and good luck on shooting a low round.

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RULES CHAIRMAN

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As we are winding down with our Match Play Championship, I would like to review Rule 4-4 Maximum of Fourteen Clubs and list examples of the Match Play Penalty when more than 14 clubs are discovered in an opponent's golf bag during a match.

At the conclusion of the hole at which the breach is discovered, the state of the match is adjusted by deducting one hole for each hole at which a breach occurred; maximum deduction per round Two holes.

If the breach is discovered between the play of two holes, it is deemed to have been discovered during play of the hole just completed and the penalty for a breach of Rule 4-4a or b does not apply to the next hole.

Here are three examples to help the interpretation when breaching Rule 4-4. This penalty is not applied to a specific hole, but is applied to the state of the match when the breach is discovered.

Match between A and B

Example 1

After the 1st hole, it is discovered that B has more than 14 clubs:

- a. If B won the hole the match is all square
- b. If the hole was halved A is 1 up
- c. If A won the hole A is 2 up

Example 2

After the 2nd hole, it is discovered that B has more than 14 clubs:

- a. If B won the hole the match is all square
- b. If B was 1 up A now is 1 up
- c. If the match is all square A now is 2 up
- d. If A was 1 up A is now 3 up
- e. If A was 2 up A is now 4 up

Example 3

Later in the match, but before the players leave the last green, it is discovered that B has more than 14 clubs:

- a. If B was more than 2 up 2 “ups” are deducted
- b. If B was 2 up the match now is all square
- c. If B was 1 up A now is 1 up
- d. If the match was all square A is now 2 up
- e. If A was 1 up A is now 3 up
- f. If A was 2 up A is now 4 up
- g. If A was more that 2 up 2 ups are added to his “ups”

Roger



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This Summers Events: The Tahoe Classic will take place on June 20. This is a Stapleford Scoring Tournament. The July Tournament on July 18 will be a two-man scramble. The information for that tournament will be sent out around June 22. The August 8th Tournament will be a 4-man scramble and the Member/Member or Guest will be on September 26. Start finding your partners today!!

TOURNAMENT GUIDELINES: You will no longer be able to sign up as a single player due players canceling at the last minute. If you are a single, there is a sign up sheet in the pro shop for players to write their phone numbers down. When you have found a partner, please put a line through your name. This process will hold individuals accountable to each other.

Our website has links for all of our Men's Club Events. Website is lhmgc.org.

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REMINDERS: All players must check in the Pro Shop before all Tuesday sweeps and tournaments. When on the greens, repair any ball marks, and please refrain from stepping on your wedges to bring the handle up. This will reduce unneeded marks on the greens.







HANDICAP REPORT

BRIAN WANZER, HANDICAP CHAIR

Want to improve your handicap? Try staying focused on your golf game. The 5 plus hr game wears you out? Tired of waiting for the group ahead of you? Get out of the cart and start practice swinging. Think about how you want to play the hole, where you want your ball to go, and how are you going to avoid trouble areas. Reality is distractions get you out of sync, the waiting, phones, gardeners, mowers, cart gals, etc . Next time you playtry staying more in the golf game zone, and take note on what distractions take you out of your game, and get busy....get out of the cart, practice and stretch a bit.

Until next time,
Brian Wanzer

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MEMBERSHIP

TOM TRAXEL

As of this morning we have a total of 284 members. Last years high was 287 members.

LHMGC membership is reduced to \$75.00.

Any member who has a hole- in-one in a club tournament/event will receive up to \$250 to pay their "Hole in One" bar bill on all holes including the \$500 Hole(s) in One.

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Central Valley Seniors have enjoyed the challenges of Sierra View Country Club, Timber Creek Golf Club, and Valley Hi Country Club. Although CVS members get priority in signing-up for all events, non-Members who are Members of LHMGC may be able to play if any openings arise. Generally these would be for the 1:00 PM Sessions. I will be on the road until mid-July on an RV odyssey so if you have any questions about CVS, please contact Co-Director, Jesse Reuter at jbreuter@aol.com

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Sunshine Alert

By *GIL LUCAS*

From time to time, someone in the Men's Golf Club or their spouse will have a serious illness or pass away. As head of the Sunshine Effort, I would like to be informed of these events so I can send the person or their family an appropriate card. Also, if the member agrees, this information will be publicized in our monthly Linksletter so all members will be aware.

Webmaster Al Soares

Please browse every page on the website to familiarize yourself with the layout and content of the website, you can't break it! Any questions please contact me @ tincupal@sbcglobal.net.



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