



Sunday Morning  
Competitive Golf  
Tournaments  
HOME AND AWAY

## Tilden Park Golf Club

### Tilden Park Golf Club Monthly Meeting Minutes April 8, 2010

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#### President Tim Easley:

Called meeting to order at 7:26 p.m. Thanked Dinner Committee want-to-be's Joe Casella and Tom Spike for dinner and salad. There were 11 members and bartender Barbara for the meeting as some members who indicated they would be at the dinner failed to show up, yet food was purchased for the expected number. Motion passed to approve March Minutes.

#### Treasurer Ronald Vincent:

Treasurer reported that the bank balance is currently about \$1,723 which will cover remaining fiscal year operations expenses and course reservations and payouts, and we should squeak through the year. Ron also mentioned that we have added three new members to the TPGC roster: Jake Stewart, Butch Fyllingness, and Jason Haines. Welcome to the TPGC!! And next fiscal year's membership drive starts in May.

#### Tournament Chairman Joe Casella:

#### NCGA Northeast Bay Zone Qualifier – 2 Rounds, Top 4 Players Advance – March 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>

Rounds played at Poppy Ridge and Quail Lodge. 22 players

1. Casella – 74+69=143
2. Lee – 67+80+147
3. Kelman – 72+75=147
4. Vincent – 72+79=151
5. Reichert – 75+76=151

#### Peacock Gap – Mar 28<sup>th</sup>

1. Nigel Howard Net 71(84) Card-off
2. Reichert -- Net 71 (79)
3. Wessels – Net 71 (80)
4. Lee – Net 76 (84)
5. Gray – Net 77 (105)
6. Cooper – Net 78 (90)
7. Utter – Net 80 (96)
8. Texdahl – Net 80 (92)

#### NCGA Four Ball Net 2 Man Teams

25 teams played April 1<sup>st</sup> at Deer Ridge. Keith Shiver and Joe Casella represented the TPGC and shot a net four under 67 (middle of the pack), while the winner shot a net 61.

#### Upcoming Tournaments

##### NCGA Net Senior Four Ball

– April 11<sup>th</sup> There are 16 players and one twosome will advance.

Otto Zeus Trophy Four Man Teams – April 18<sup>th</sup> Cha-cha-cha format (one best ball on first hole, two best balls on second hole, and three best balls on third hole, then repeat again).

Yocha De He, 32 players, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am. Another great place to play – **DON'T MISS IT!!**

NCGA Net Am Top 2 Players Advance, Full Handicaps, May 2

Club Championship Qualifier – Aldo Galletti Trophy, Low Gross. Top 15 Qualify Will play on aerated greens.

Poppy Ridge, 36 Players, 10:00 am May 23<sup>rd</sup> -- Signups will close early since payment is due one month in advance.

#### Meeting Day Sweeps

Tim Easley awarded low net to Inman (35), and Cooper 2<sup>nd</sup> low net (36), and Tim took low gross at 38.

#### President Tim Easley:

Opened the meeting for any Old Business. Ron asked for help in taking care of chores related to updating the Honor Board plaques, and Cooper and Utter volunteered.

Discussion of slow play, again.

Where's the Ross Cup??

Opened the meeting for any New Business. There was none.

The May 13, 2010 monthly meeting dinner will be served at approximately 6:30-7:00. Charlie Barthold will be back from Augusta (we expect an insightful report on Tiger's return). Recommendation to move sweeps start times to around 12:30.

Tim Easley called for and received a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:56 p.m.

Thomas Spike

Secretary \_\_\_\_\_

**TILDEN PARK GOLF CLUB – RULES OF GOLF QUESTIONS** – Answers to last month's quiz are attached in a separate file sent with the Minutes (or copied below the Minutes in the email version).

#### **NEW QUIZ – APRIL 2010**

(1) It's been raining moderately for a couple of hours, and there is standing water on part of the first green, and your ball stops in that area. You determine you could take relief on the green about 22 feet away. Your partner indicates that if you play it out of the rough, it's only 20 feet away. What should you do?

(2) Leaves/pine needles totally cover your ball in a bunker, what can you do? What if any part of the ball is visible from any angle -- can you move any leaves in order to see the ball when addressing it? What if leaves cover your ball outside a hazard; what can you do?

(3) Isn't it loads of fun to play early and deal with lots of dew and sometimes a light frost? Are you allowed to clear any dew or frost from the green, or from any part of the course near your ball?