



Sunday Morning
Competitive Golf
Tournaments
HOME AND AWAY

Tilden Park Golf Club

**Tilden Park Golf Club
Monthly Meeting Minutes
February 10, 2011**

Thomas Spike, Secretary
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President Charlie Barthold:

Called meeting to order at 7:10 p.m.
Thanked Dinner Committee for the delicious BBQ dinner, side dishes and salad. There were 11 members present for the dinner.

Treasurer Ronald Vincent:

The Budget was presented and accepted by the Board last week, and the current plan shows a \$500 surplus projected at fiscal year end June 30, 2011. The current cash balance is approximately \$3,000.

The members are encouraged to talk up the club and attempt to increase our membership by convincing non-members to start improving their game prior to Spring. There are approximately 77 members now in the club.

Tournament Chairman Keith Shiver

Results for Ross Trophy Round 1:

--Easley/Shiver 3&1 versus
Caraska/Shrieve
--Liebenguth/McDaniel 3&2 versus
Vincent/Robertson
--Wessels/Rush 4&3 versus
Bard/Hughes
--Kelman/McGee 1 up versus
Utter/Reichert
Round 2 on Feb. 27th

Results for NCGA 4 Ball Qualifier:

Qualifier – Wessels/Wilpolt (62)
1st Alt – Stone/Lee (64)
2nd Alt – Utter/Reichert (67)

Results for NCGA NE Bay Zone

Qualifier:

1. Wilpolt (140)
2. Bard (142)
3. Reichert (143)
4. Easley (144)
Alternate -- Gillman

Meeting Day Sweeps

Once again as in January, members who played the front nine numbered only 5. Les Johns captured low gross at 38, while Inman and Wilpolt tied at 41 for low gross, and Inman won on "flip."

Upcoming Tournaments:

Ross Trophy (Feb 27th)

NCGA NE Bay Zone Qualifier 2nd Round
(Feb 13)

Crystal Springs match (Feb 20)
NCGA 4 Ball Net 2 Man (Feb 27)

President Charlie Barthold:

Opened the meeting for **Old Business:**

Tom Spike reported on the discussions and actions taken at the Feb 2, 2011 Board Meeting:

**Board Motions Passed and
Actions Recommended for
Implementation**

1. Changed fiscal year to October 1 through September 30
2. Approved \$15 assessment due to fiscal year change, to be paid as part of next year's dues (est. total dues of \$151).
3. Keep 2011 tournament schedule as proposed for 2011.
4. Motion passed to permanently have consecutive weekend play for the Club Championship (starting in 2012) without interruption by other tournaments and excluding holiday weekends.

Under Committee Review

1. Later in 2011, Board will solicit input and discussion regarding changing structure of 2012 tournament schedule reflecting lessons learned from current and past years' experience.
2. Develop coordinated and integrated recommendations for "marketing" the TPGC membership to family, friends, business assoc. and other acquaintances.
3. Several topics under Committee review include (Shiver, Wessels, Bloom and Bard):
 - a. Allowing members to play from more than one set of tees at away tournaments;
 - b. Proposal to allow senior members to play from white tees at Tilden Park for some events;
 - c. Issue of posting "T" for away tournaments; and
 - d. Review of Policy Manual and By-Laws to determine what could be placed on the TPGC web site.
4. Negotiation Committee (Ron Vincent, Steve Larripa and Tom Reddy) to set TPGC goal(s), request(s), and negotiation process for optimizing Tilden Park golf

rates charged by the AGC for TPGC members.

Updates to the TPGC web site will be made by Alex Osborne to reflect 2011 information.

Members approved policy that EVITES should be sent out by the Tournament Chairman.

Opened the meeting for any **New Business:** None

President Charlie Barthold:

Dinner for March 10th meeting will be served about 6:15-6:30.

Charlie received a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 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 – February 2011

1. To hit a drive over some trees, you may use a tee that is 4 inches long. True or false?
 2. You carry only 13 clubs in your bag, so you may borrow your partner's gap wedge for a shot. True or false?
 3. You hold the flagstick in one hand while stroking a putt with the other. Ruling? (a) One stroke penalty; (b) two stroke penalty; or (c) no penalty?

Prior QUIZ – January 2011

1. During a tournament, can you remove a scuffed ball from play at any time?
Answer: Absolutely not! (Rule 5-3)
2. Can you carry more than 14 clubs in your bag provided the extra clubs aren't used during the round?
Answer: You can't do this!
(Rule 4-4a)

3. If your wedge creates too much glare, you can tape over the top of it during a round, and still use the club.

Answer: False, false, false. (Decision 4-1/5).