



Sunday Morning
Competitive Golf
Tournaments
HOME AND AWAY

Tilden Park Golf Club

**Tilden Park Golf Club
Monthly Meeting Minutes
June 9, 2011**

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President Charlie Barthold:

Called meeting to order at 7:23 p.m.
Thanked Dinner Committee for the delicious BBQ dinner, side dishes and salad. There were 15 members present for the dinner.

Treasurer Ronald Vincent (Shiver for Vincent tonight):

According to Ron Vincent's reports, the club remains solvent, and Ron projects a \$500+ surplus by fiscal year-end (June). The bank balance at the end of May was \$2,300.

Members are encouraged to talk up the Club as one measure to increase our membership. There are about 80 members now in the club.

**Tournament Chairman Keith Shiver
Results – Club Championship Semi-Final Round**

1. Caraska 2 up over Johns
2. Wessels over Cooper (forfeit)

Results – Club Championship Final Round

1. Wessels 4&3 over Caraska
2. Johns 2&1 over Conrad for 3rd

Results – Club Championship Flighted Bracket Semi's

1. Casella advanced
2. Bard 1 up over Easley

Results – Director Cup Rounds One and Two

1. Reichert 138 70-68
2. Johns 140 67-73
3. Todd 140 69-71
4. Shiver 142 73-69
5. Vincent 143 69-74
6. Liebhenguth 146 69-77
7. Harder 149 84-65
8. Bard 152 73-79
9. Wilpolt 152 78-74
10. Easley 152 80-72

Meeting Day Sweeps (Tim Easley)

Better weather!! Chris Utter had a 42 for low gross. Low net went to Charlie Barthold with a 34, and Jeff McGee had 37 net.

Upcoming Tournaments:

- a. Club Championship Flighted Bracket Final
- b. Directors' Cup Rnd 3 (Jun 26th)
- c. Directors' Cup Final (July 10th)
- d. Irene McGowan (July 17th)
- e. Presidio (July 24th)
- f. President's Cup Round One (July 31st)

President Charlie Barthold:

Opened the meeting for **Old Business:**

Will Bard is continuing to work on creating base for Ross Trophy.

Ron Vincent and Tom Reddy continue to work on preparations for discussions/negotiation with the AGC on rates and potential discounts for members.

Opened the meeting for **Old Business:**

Tournament Schedule Changes: For the Poppy Hills tournament on August 28th, there is the issue that there are some early (8:00 am) starting tee times. For members playing on Saturday, there are tee times being set up for both Poppy Hills and at Pacific Grove (Bob Burger is working on three groups at Pacific Grove at 10:00+.

Please note that Calippe is now scheduled for October 2nd.

This year, the President's Cup is a three day event, and tee time priority will be given to the top 20 list of members.

President Charlie Barthold:

Dinner for July 14th meeting will be served about 6:45-7:00. Tee times for sweeps will be requested in the 12:00-1:00 time slot.

Charlie received a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 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 – June 2011

1. A player's ball comes to rest on a cart path, and he picks it up without marking, walks to the side of the cart path and drops the ball from less than shoulder height, and then proceeds to hit the ball while standing on the cart path. Any penalties?

2. Players A and B are partners in a four ball match, and on the second hole, after A tees off first, player B discovers he has 15 clubs in his bag. Is there a penalty for Hole 2 as well?

3. Over time, if grass has grown over a rock-filled French drain, is the player still entitled to relief from the drain area?

Prior QUIZ – May 2011

1. Jeff Olgilvy noticed in the first round of a tournament that his steel driver shaft was starting to bend significantly, and later in the round, it was bent to the point where he could no longer use it. He then DQ'd himself. Why?

Answer: Under Rule 4-3b, if during a round a player continues to use a club that has been damaged (other than in the normal course of play) enough to render it nonconforming or to change its playing characteristics, the player is DQ'd.

2. You hit your ball into a lateral creek, and the water flow carries the ball downstream from in-bounds to OB. Can you drop outside the hazard, or do you go back to the tee for the OB stroke-and-distance penalty?

Answer: Raging rapids wash you back to the tee. Under Rule 16-1/7 says an OB ball forces you to proceed under Rule 17-1b, and water is not considered an outside agency, so the ball would not be replaced under Rule 18-1, which covers balls moved while at rest.

3. My opponent, without telling me, marked the position of my ball and set it aside on the green. After I putted from the wrong position on the green and holed out, he informed me that he had marked the position and lifted my ball. Should I have been penalized?

Answer: My opponent is penalized one stroke under Rule 18-3b for marking, lifting and moving my ball without my authority, as that causes my ball to move other than during a search. He was then required under Rule 9-2b(i) to inform me that he had incurred a penalty. Failing to do so before I made a stroke, was giving me wrong information and in match play he would incur a loss of hole penalty under Rule 9-2b. Ouch!!