

NINERS' NOTES

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As we march into March, we all hope that the beautiful weather continues!

Thanks to Kat Danner for working with the Mountain View Nine Hole League for the Across the Brooke Event! These events are scheduled to meet more ladies wanting to play golf and have fun! Everyone please continue to check the bulletin board for upcoming events to sign up for!

Our three-day Championship Tournament is coming up, along with Niners Unite. You'll find more details about these tournaments in the newsletter. I have heard some folks say they "don't play well enough" to enter these events.....that is why we have handicaps!

Guys, we play golf to have fun and I have to say I laugh more when I play golf than any other time! I look forward to laughing more with each of you!

Cheryl Hays
President



MEMBERSHIP

Happy March Lady Niners! Will March arrive like a Lion or a Lamb?



The new 2024 Lady Niners Handbooks are here. Many of you have received them from Maria Byers.

A reminder to current members- if your address, email or phone number changes, please let me know so changes can be made to the Niners Membership Roster. New members joining after January 2024 will receive their handbook from me as part of their orientation.

Speaking of new members, did you know that membership in the Niners is unlimited in number? That means if you have a friend who is interested in joining the Niners, this information on membership is in the handbook:

To encourage new members, a Guest may play with a League member on a regular League Day up to two times per year. The guest must be a resident or renter in HOA1 or HOA2. The Guest will pay regular greens fees but will not be eligible for sweeps. If you know someone who is thinking about joining the Lady Niners, this is a good way for them to try us out! Please contact the Pairings Chair and make the request to add your guest. This must be done 1 week prior to the Tuesday you wish to bring your guest. The Pairings Chair will need the player's name and Chelsea number. The guest will not be eligible for sweeps wins.

A prospective member who doesn't have an established verifiable handicap must accumulate six 9 hole properly attested score cards. The scorecards along with a completed membership application, a copy of the current homeowner's association card or renter's card and a check for dues must be given to the Membership Chair. Additionally, the prospective member must attend an orientation meeting within the first three months of membership. The highest handicap to which a member may play in league is 30 for nine holes, although members may enter the club with a higher handicap.

Name Badges: If you need a name badge, the forms are located on the Niners Bulletin Board. Please fill out and place with your payment in the Niners drawer in the Pro Shop. I will let you know when they arrive and get them to you.

The month of March usually brings warmer weather so get out there, welcome each other and enjoy golfing on these beautiful days! And, remember your sunscreen, sunglasses and hat!



LeAnn Ellingson
Membership Chair

Rules

What to do when there is a difference of opinion regarding a rule or penalty during league play.

The SB 9ers have a policy.

Protest Policy – page 31 in the Niners Handbook

During League play, if there is a question concerning strokes or rules, please attempt to resolve the discrepancy within the golf group, preferably before moving to the next hole or finishing that round.

For any rule dispute, play two balls to the green. At the conclusion of the round, contact the Pro or the 9er's Rules Chair for clarification.

If you are NOT able to resolve the dispute proceed as follows:

- Sign the scorecard writing, "under protest."
- Complete the Protest form located in the green box by the bulletin board, put it in an envelope and put it in the 9er's drawer in the pro shop.
- Notify any Executive Board member of the protest.
- The President will contact you regarding the protest.



Sue Schliepsiek

Rules Chair

There is still time to order your lavender SaddleBrooke Niner's shirt

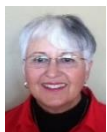
The pro shop can order them for us when we have at least 12 to order. We only need 1 more to be able to order. So, order NOW.

The 5 top options are:

- Long Sleeve Zip Mock Neck
- Long Sleeve Crew Neck
- Long Sleeve Zip w/Collar
- Short Sleeve Zip Mock Neck
- Sleeveless w/Collar



If you're not sure what size you need there are some to try on. Just stop in the Pro Shop and tell them you want to try on a 9ers shirt for size. When you know the size you need let me know and I'll put you on the list. You will be paying the Pro Shop when you pick up your shirt.



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Across the Brooke visited Margarita Ville



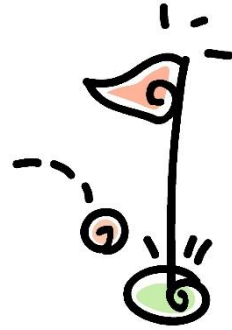
Hello Lady Niners,

What a wonderful time we had playing with our sister Niners and going to Margarita Ville. We had a delicious luncheon along with a movie screen of Jimmy Buffet at several of his concerts playing and singing. We also had a contest to see who knew the words to 4 of his songs. We had a complimentary bag from the U of A cancer center with some goodies inside and one of the MV Lady Niners hand made a glasses case or phone case which was at each of our seats. They really had a fabulous event for us.

Kat Danner



Ringer Board



March has arrived and Ringer Board 2024 envelopes are still appearing in the Lady Niners Drawer! It is still not too late to sign up to accumulate your best net score on each hole. Each league day you can improve your net score one hole at a time. The last day to sign up is August 31, 2024. However, the sooner you sign up, the more opportunities you have to improve your score. So don't delay. There are envelopes on the Lady Niners bulletin board. Put \$5.00 in the envelope, sign your name, date it, and place it in the slot of the Lady Niners Drawer in the Pro Shop.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.



Theresa Mares

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I received an envelope back in November 2023. It did not have a name on it. If you do not see your name listed on the Ringer Board sheet posted on the Lady Niners Bulletin board and think this envelope is yours, please let me know.





Save the Date!

Let's all go to Mulligans Island

LADIES CHOICE TOURNAMENT

APRIL 23, 2024

9AM Shot Gun - Courses TBD

Sign up with a gentleman who is not your spouse or significant other

Details soon!

Tournament Report

Great job everyone on posting your scores on the day of golfing. Last two reviews showed 100% compliance and I'm not surprised at all. We have such a great group of lady golfers. Saddlebrooke Lady Niners are amazing.

Don't forget that our Black and White Classic Invitational is almost here. Be sure to sign up on the paper sign-up sheet on our bulletin board. Get ready for some big fun and lots of prizes! Hope to see you there!

Susan Lucci



Lady 9ers Handicap Chair
2024 Invitational Co-Chair
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DATE	TIME	COMMENTS
03/05	9:00 SG SaddleBrooke	Chelsea Sign-up
03/06	9:00 SG	Niners Unite - Men Host Paper Sign-up
03/12	9:00 SG Tucson 	Club Championship Round 1 & Follow the Field Paper Sign-up
03/14	Tee Times SaddleBrooke	Club Championship - Round 2
03/19	9:00 SG Catalina	Club Championship Round 3 & Follow the Field
03/25	9:00 SG Catalina	 Paper Sign-up



DATE	TIME	COMMENTS
04/2	8:00 SG	State Medallion Chelsea Sign-up
04/9	8:00 SG	Chelsea Sign-up
04/16	8:00 SG	Chelsea Sign-up
04/23	9:00 SG	Ladies Choice – Luncheon Paper Sign-up
04/30	8:00 SG	Make Your Own Foursome Paper Sign-up



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