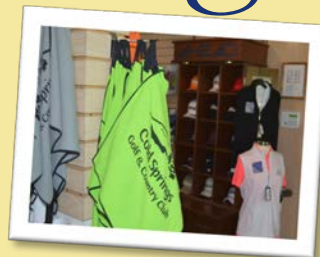




The Mulligan



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Thursday, May 03, 2018	Men's Guest Day
Saturday, May 05, 2018	Ladies Tournament
Monday, May 07, 2018	Pondo Fundraiser 12 SG
Thursday, May 10, 2018	Sr. Men
Sunday, May 13, 2018	Mothers Day
Tuesday, May 15, 2018	Ladies Guest Day
Friday, May 18, 2018	Men's Invitational
Saturday, May 19, 2018	Men's Invitational
Sunday, May 20, 2018	Men's Invitational
Tuesday, May 22, 2018	18ers Pres Cup Qual
Tuesday, May 22, 2018	9ers Guest Day
Thursday, May 24, 2018	18ers Pres Cup 1st rnd
Monday, May 28, 2018	Holiday 18 holes open
Tuesday, May 29, 2018	18ers Pres Cup 3rd rnd
Thursday, May 31, 2018	18ers Pres Cup Final

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 Restaurant/Bar: Ext. 101
 Office: Ext. 102
 Kevin Earl, GM: Ext. 106
 Turf Center: Ext. 108

News - Worthy - Stuff

Cold Springs will be upgrading to a new computer software. This means that members will have the option of having a profile set up with their own username and password to access their account via the new website.

Stay tuned for training updates as we get closer.

Also, please stop by and let us know if you know of anyone qualified to perform CPR training here at the club. This would be for both staff and members who want to get certified.

**Regular Board Meeting
Schedule for 2018**

Thursday, May 17*
Thursday, July 19*
Thursday, November 15*

**Annual Meeting:
Thursday, Sept. 20th**

**Dinner @ 6:00 pm,
Meeting @6:30 pm**

Presidents Message – *Brett Robinson*

Greetings Fellow Members;

May brings us the Hangtown Men's Invitational, 12-person team matches and the start of our Cold Springs concert series. We also have a regular meeting for all to attend on May 17 at 6 p.m. Hopefully, we can celebrate our first step to fiscal relief if our current ballot measures passes May 16.

For all of you who have taken the time to attend a meeting to share your ideas and hear the facts of the situation, I appreciate your kind attention and concern in this matter. Some may feel that we have not gone far enough to resolve things completely. To this I simply repeat what I said during our meetings. If you are going to eat an elephant, it should be one bite at a time. This is a matter that has been years in its creation and it will take years to resolve. The current ballot is a great start however.

It will also take a change in our perspective going forward to everyone becoming activists for our club. If we can all find one new member at some point in time during the next 12 months, our issues will be on the way to repair at a much quicker rate.

Either way, I am excited about the warmer weather. I can hardly contain myself as my sons will be playing in the invitational this year. My usual playing partner is competing in Monterey at the same time as our tourney, which gave me the chance to spend three days with my sons at the course. I could not be more excited.

Soooooo , Doc Barley - fire up the Oingo Boingo and lets all enjoy the camaraderie, the barbs, and the competition that this event brings out.

Thank you one and all!!!!

See you on the course.....

From the Bar & Kitchen - *Jen Bement*

Band Nights are here starting Friday, May 4, with Island of Black and White. Band nights are a free event so invite your friends and family to join us from 5:30–9:30 p.m. We will begin serving food around 5:30 and the band will open its first set at 6 p.m. The menu for the evening is two tacos for \$5.

***Dress code will be enforced.** Please NO outside food or beverages are allowed, No dogs are allowed.

Random Strangers will be here Friday June 1; Dan Jaurqui will appear Friday, July 6 and the Big Trouble Band is scheduled for Friday, Aug. 3

Remember to sign up for our Mothers' Day Brunch, Sunday, May 13. The price is \$25 for adults and \$12 for children. A full menu is posted in the bar. Please make your reservations early as we have limited room for 100 people and it will fill up fast. Planning an event? Come and check us out for availability and pricing.

The 9ers - *Kathy Wynn*

The Niner of the Month tournament was played April 3 and won by Sharon Lamoureux with a 54 gross/ 32 net. Melinda Coats tied Sharon's score and the tie was broken on No. 14, won by Sharon by two strokes.

Our monthly tournament was a Cha-Cha-Cha. Lauri Waters came in first, with Diane Bagdonas taking second, Becky Hansen, third, and Linda Leake, fourth.

Several Niners earned Shot of the Day honors:

Chip-Ins -

Diane Collins, hole No.12

Ann Morris, No.18, April 3

Sherry Young, No. 5, April 10

Esther Purdie, No. 12, April 17

Linda Deville, No. 11, April 17

Laurie Waters, No. 4, March 27

Birdies -

Jeanne Perry, hole No. 7, March 27

Connie Oetinger, No. 14, April 13

Chip-In birdie -

Jeanne Perry, No. 16, April 3

Our first team play for the season was held at Lincoln Hills on April 18. Cold Springs came in last place this time but we're just warming up!

We hosted a WNHGA Open Day April 24 with ladies from 13 different clubs coming to enjoy our course. Vearl LaBerge, who chaired this event, said, "We had a very successful day! Our members who participated included Iris Appleby, Linda Leake, Becky Hansen, Debbie Massaro, Laurie Waters, Sharon Lamoureux, and Diane Bagdonas. Dee Russo helped with registration and Jeri Bell helped throughout the day. Becky made beautiful table decorations

and Jen and her staff provided a delicious lunch.

The Pro Shop staff was very helpful as was Kevin. It takes a village to pull off an event like this. Thank you to all who joined in the event!"

Remember in May we have an 8 a.m. check-in time with an 8:30 shotgun.

GM's Message - *Kevin Earl* hours 7am til 3:30pm (typical) kearl@coldspringsgolf.com

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Liz Kane
18 Hole Ladies

Conrad Dizon
Men's TOC

Kathy Goldman
Secretary

From time to time I like to pull up old articles that I have written and reflect on some of our changes.

March 2009

In my article this month, I will try and layout a brief playbook or plan to improve the golf course and your member experience. Unfortunately, with the process of balancing the expense of these changes, staff size and resources, and soliciting member feedback, a timeframe for completion of many of these projects could be in months not weeks. You may be saying to yourself **"I have heard all this before"** but I am confident that your Board of Directors along with the greens committee is motivated to improving the course and your experience.

The goal is to use the resources and talent that exists here at the club to build, improve and enhance what the original members have created. The history here at Cold Springs is rich and storied. The Board of Directors as well as management will respect what has taken place since the original members picked rocks from the fairways and slowly created Cold Springs.

In general terms the membership now has more options on the course then when it started in the 60s. For example: we need to install forward tees because the industry standard for forward tees is 80 percent of the regular yardage. Cold Springs is at 91 percent.. This makes it very difficult for shorter hitters to hit more than a handful of different clubs during a round. This will increase variety and the "Fun Factor" as I call it. In the coming months I hope to meet with the groups that will be affected with adding new tees to make sure they are placed in the best possible spots.

Another topic to discuss is the ongoing tree program. This program is needed because the course continues to mature and different turf conditions are affected by tree growth and ever-changing thatch conditions. A well-known bay area architect used a term called "Air Drainage" when discussing trees and the problems they can create. This simply is that new "fresh" air is less likely to create the environment for diseases around turf found at a golf course. Imagine a warm, wet, still air climate and then try to grow healthy grass.

Another area that can be enhanced is our bunkers ... both in number and location. They need to be improved from a pace-of-play, maintenance standpoint and to provide better-shot values. For example, hole No. 4 has three bunkers that can barely be seen from the fairway. Combining them would provide the maintenance crew the ability to use our sand-pro to rake daily while enhancing the golf shots from the fairway. Less hand raking saves time along with better drainage. Relocating other bunkers like one on the No. 5 fairway slightly up the hill would prevent the washing out in large rainstorms. These storms leave contaminants behind in the sand which costs money to replace.

Please keep in mind that "Father Time" and "Mother Nature" have taken their toll on many parts of the course. Our tee boxes are a key examples of this. Many of them no longer have enough useable space and have fallen or settled over time.

Change is not always welcomed, but at times it is needed. It will not be without controversy, debate and often compromise. By experience, trial and error and creativity from the membership feedback, we hope to have tees rebuilt, bunkers installed or combined, lower overall costs, increase pace of play, increase turf conditions and add more visual enhancements, and therefore more enjoyment.

Back to real time! This was simply a reflective article this month. I am happy to say we have new tees, better and more bunkers, and a tree program that is better for the health of the turf and has added to the character of the course.

See you in the fairway.

PS: I do concede we have lost some key character trees over the last couple of years ... darn bark beetle!

Senior Men's Club – *Gary May*

April 12, 2018

First place

Score: 195 Pays \$21

Don Schedler, Bob Durand,
Jim Hansen, Jeff O'Donnell

Second place

Score: 196 Pays \$14

Terry Scranton, Gary May,
Jim Suhoza, Bill Amos

Third place

Score: 199 Pays \$7

Al Green, Arnie Sotello,
Rudy Caputo, Bob Powell

Senior Of the Month (low net) Pays \$20

Gross Score: 87 Handicap: 25 Net: 62

Myron Schmidt

Senior of the Month (low gross) Pays \$20

Score: 80

Jeff O'Donell

Closest to the pin - Pays \$10

Distance: 38-6 Hole No. 8

Gary May

Number of Participants: 24

Pro-Shots – *Brian Fuentes*

Golf Course –

In an effort to keep our club beautiful we all need to do our part in repairing ball marks, replacing divots and sanding tee boxes. When it comes to taking care of the golf course, a little bit goes a long way. A ball mark that is repaired will start to heal almost immediately while a ball mark left untouched damages the putting surface and could take a few months to fully heal. \

We have also received a few complaints regarding sunflower seeds on the putting surface. This does not damage the playing surface but is definitely an annoyance to other golfers on the course. When I play golf I purposely try to use all of the sand from both of the bottles on the golf cart.

Tournaments –

We are looking forward to the 29th annual Men's Hangtown Invitational. This is the highlight of our golfing season and a tournament that never ceases to create fun-filled memories amongst friends and acquaintances alike.

One of the most important aspects of the tournament is receiving help from member volunteers. This year, like most others, we are in desperate need of your help. Some various volunteer positions needed are: check-in table host, horse race table, Calcutta table, pari-mutuel table and on-course spotters and marshalls.

If anyone is available for any of the days please let Brian Fuentes or any tournament committee member know you would like to help.

Our 2018 tournament season is well under way and we look forward to continuing to conduct fun, friendly events for our members to enjoy and compete in. Please check the calendar of events board as well as the tournament sign up board which are both located in the golf shop.

Lessons Available

Brian Fuentes, PGA Professional

30 minutes, \$45

3-hour series (6, 1/2hr lessons) \$225

Jason Bisnett, Assistant Professional

30 minutes, \$40

3-hour series (6, 1/2hr lessons) \$200

Dan Awe, Assistant Professional

30 minutes. \$40

3-hour series (6, 1/2hr lessons) \$200

MTC – *Conrad Dizon*

No article this month...check back next month.

Tellers Committee – *Ellen Page*

CRITICAL UPCOMING BALLOT - MAKE SURE YOUR VOTE COUNTS

Our upcoming vote is critical to the financial welfare of Cold Springs. Please be sure that your vote will count.

We are currently mailing out all the ballots. If you are out of town, please provide a forwarding or temporary address.

You will receive an envelope containing two sheets of paper and two envelopes. Mark yes or no on each ballot sheet and put both into the smaller envelope marked **BALLOT**. You must put the **BALLOT** envelope into the larger envelope that is addressed to Cold Springs Golf and Country Club with **TELLERS COMMITTEE** printed in the upper left corner. This envelope has your name and member number on the back needed to verify that you are a current member in good standing so your vote will be counted.

You may either mail or drop off your vote at the club, but in either case you must use both the **BALLOT** and **TELLERS COMMITTEE** envelopes. All ballots must be returned by May 15th, but remember - the sooner you do, the less chance of forgetting to vote!

Once the voting closes, at least three members of the Tellers Committee meet to count the votes. All the envelopes are counted, sorted alphabetically and checked for validity. The outer envelopes are then opened and discarded. The inner secret **BALLOT** envelopes are recounted and then opened. The committee records the number yes and no votes on each ballot measure and prepares a report for the president of the board or a designated board member who will post the results.

This measure must pass by two thirds of the voting members so your vote is vital.

Welcome to our new friends & (best wishes to our departing ones)

New Member

Bob Gerstle
Anthony & Patricia Garcia – Try Me
Fredrick & Debra Berridge – Try Me
Jonathan Overmore – Try Me

Departing Member

James & Cindy Mullett
Bob & Judy Goggins

Address and Phone Numbers are available in the Membership Roster

Talkin Turf - *Doug Jeffrey*

We pretty much had it all last month ... from some thunder showers to cold icy mornings and ending with some nice warm weather. With warmer, longer days the turfgrass is really taking off. The warmer season grasses are starting to fill in as well.

We were able to not fall too far behind on mowing between rain storms except for some areas where the spring water is still flowing. Last month we spread our first fairway fertilizer application of the year, and had great timing when a little bit of rain fell to water it in. The application has already helped the color quality of the fairways.

Spring means the poa annua grasses have really put out a flush “seed heads”, especially on the greens. The wet March delayed timing of some control measures. We have been routinely verti-cutting to reduce the amount, as well continuing to use a regulator to limit any further growth.

The warmer day have started to started kick on the irrigation system so the fun begins as we deal with temperamental irrigation field controllers and the pumping system.

As we go forward this month we are wrapping up some landscape projects, transitioning into peak season routine maintenance schedules, as well as catching up on the shaggy edges with trimmers and weed knock down.

Good of the Order

Our Condolences with the passing of some of our current & past members:

Dick Oldham



Ladies Saturday Tournaments

To all ladies of Cold Springs — we invite you to come on out and join us for the next Ladies Saturday Tournament! We encourage everyone with an 18-hole handicap, no matter your ability to play. The object of the Ladies Saturday events is to have fun and meet fellow golfers. Look on the bulletin board by the side door of the Pro Shop for the sign-up sheet.

Congrats to the winners!

Mystery Golfer	April 14th	Results
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Place	Names	Place	Names
1 st	Patty Mitchell Jerri Arens Susie Hendrix Jody Clark	2 nd	Leslie Davis Debby Koski Ann Morris Heidi Matlack
3 rd	Wendy Fain Helen Glenn Cindy Mullett Laurie Tennant	4 th	Gloria Gaetano Bev Edwards Rosemary Authier
5 th	Laurie Waters Judy Hodgkin Sharon Goldsmith Debbie Brink	6 th	Karen McCaughern Jane Conolly Cathie Dyer Judy Goggins

Closest to the pin – No. 8

Cindy Mullett	17-5
Rosemary Authier	31-3
Sharon Goldsmith	38-7

Closest to the pin No. 17

Cathie Dyer	5-6
Sharon Goldsmith	11-7
Laurie Tennant	14-3
Debby Koski	16-1

Next Events: Hope to see YOU on the course!

Cinco De Mayo (ABCD)(tacos!)	May 5
Mr. and Mrs. Club Champion, Mr. and Mrs. Cold Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Senior Cold Springs	June 24
Men’s Tournament Committee invites the ladies	June 30
Par points	July 7



18ers - *Liz Kane*

It's time!!! The ladies invitational "It's a Jungle Out There" is fast approaching and our hard-working committee, chaired by Cathie Dyer, needs us all to sign up. Until the committee has an idea of how many players we will have, it is impossible to decide on the menus for both days.

This is a great tournament open to all ladies who have an 18-hole handicap. Invite a friend or two or three and join in the fun. The tournament is Friday through Sunday, June 8-9-10. Entry forms with all the information are located in the ladies lounge. Please get your entries in as soon as possible.

If you would like to play and need help finding guests or a Cold Springs partner, call Cathie Dyer at 530-620-6439 or 530-503-5759.

Sadly, the 18-holers have lost two wonderful golfers: Judy Goggins, a member for 38 years, and Cindy Mullett, 33 years. Both these ladies have contributed much to both the 18-hole group and the club. Both have held many positions with the 18-holers from captain, to tournament chair, secretary, treasurer and various committee chairmanships.

In addition, both served terms on the Board of Directors. Judy and her husband Robert are relocating to Prescott, Arizona, while Cindy and her husband Jim, plan to spend time traveling in their motor home as they look for somewhere they want to settle down.

Good luck to both. You will be missed greatly. And a big thank you to Ellen Page, who stepped up to take over Cindy's office of treasurer of our ladies' group.

Congratulations are in order to Jody Clark, Bolet Salvador, Bev Edwards and Heidi Matlack. They tied for first low net in their flight in the recent Team Challenge I, a WGANC tournament held at Oakmont and Silverado country clubs. Unfortunately they lost the tie-breaker but took second and were awarded beautiful medallions set with a ruby.

Cathie Dyer, Gloria Gaetano, Elaine Boggess and Cindy Mullett also played and did well. Thank you all for representing Cold Springs' 18-holers so well.

April results:

April 3 – Grandmother's tournament

1st flight low net: Debbie Koski, 64; Charlotte Henderson, 70; Cathie Dyer, 71.

2nd flight low net: Rosemary Authier, 65; Liz Kane, 71; Carol Yates, 72.

3rd flight low net: Kathy Goldman, 66; Heidi Matlack, 68; Gloria Gaetano, 69.

April 10: Pro points & putts

Ace of the Month: Kathy Goldman, net 64

1st flight low gross: Jerri Arens, 86; low net, Ellen Page, 70.

2nd flight low gross: Karen McCaughern, 97; low net, Leslie Davis, 71.

3rd flight low gross: Kathy Goldman, 97; low net, Karen Musial, 71.

April 17: Guest day, Angel Ball

1st: Carol Yates, Karen Gunderson, Leslie Davis, Kathie McCoy, 126.

2nd: Bev Edwards, Gabby Gargus, Heidi Matlack, Renee Wildenberg, 134.

Closest to the pin – guest: Roberta Galvez, 18-2; Member: Leslie Davis, 10 feet.

May schedule

May 1: Cinco De Mayo, make your own foursome

May 8: Draw day, pro points & putts

May 15: Guest day

May 22: President's Cup qualifying - stroke play



May 24: Match play, 1st round President's Cup

May 29: 2nd round President's Cup

May 24: Final round

If you are interested in joining the 18-hole group or would just like more information, call or email our new member advisor, Karen McCaughern: 916-933-5141 or karenmccaughern1946@gmail.com.

May 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 Men's Guest Day	4 Bridge !! BAND NIGHT!! 6-9 pm Island of Black & White	5 Ladies Tournament
6	7 Pondo Fundraiser	8	9 Edward Jones Event	10 Senior Men's	11	12
13 MOTHER'S DAY  Mother's Day Brunch 10am – 1pm	14	15 Ladies Guest Day	16	17 Newcomers	18 MEN'S INVITATIONAL COURSE CLOSED	19 MEN'S INVITATIONAL COURSE CLOSED
20 MEN'S INVITATIONAL COURSE OPEN @3	21	22 9'ers Guest Day 18er's Pres Cup	23	24 18ers Pres Cup	25 WPAC	26
27	28 Memorial Day  Course Open- 18 Holes	29 18ers Pres Cup	30	31 18ers Pres Cup Final	Notes: * Make your reservations early for Mother's Day Brunch. Drop by or call the bar at 622-7642 ext 101. *Band Night is May 4 th 6-9 pm. Stop by for some FREE fun and great music.	