



The Mulligan



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Presidents Message – Tom Hazlett

The dues increase ballot measure passed with overwhelming support (81 percent of ballots cast were “Yes”). I want to thank the members for your support in making this happen. This was critical for our club as we look forward to the future.

Our focus going forward will be on generating new memberships. We have received many suggestions and will consider them all. Future open membership meetings will focus on this topic and we hope to have a lot of participation in those sessions.

The recent PG&E power outages have shown us that we must become considerably more prepared for future events. Not only do these outages impact members' ability to play but they put our course and kitchen resources at risk. An outage in the summer could substantially damage the course.

Therefore, we are in the process of considering alternatives to providing back-up power for the kitchen refrigerator and freezer, irrigation pumps on the course, cart fleet recharging and keeping the clubhouse open.

We have three openings for members on the Board of Directors in 2020. Terms are ending for Lynda Vernon, Mike Worley and me. Shaun Verner is heading up a search committee to seek candidates to fill these three openings. We will include a list of candidates in the December Mulligan.

Individuals interested in participating are encouraged to inform Shaun of their interest. Personally speaking, serving on the Board of Directors has been an interesting and rewarding experience. I encourage all to consider becoming a Director.

G.M.'s Message – Chris Mitchell

As we move into fall and the leaves begin to change colors, I hope you all enjoyed another great year at Cold Springs Country Club.

Your Board of Directors and I are beginning preparations for next year's budget. Our club continues to seek new members, but will continue to be responsible stewards of the funding the membership provides to our club.

I'm looking closely at each budget line item supporting our operations, while never losing sight of our commitment to provide you with the best experience at Cold Springs Country Club.

The Board of Directors has worked endless hours to make informed decisions for our members and our club. I encourage you to forward any suggestions or comments to me, and don't forget my door is always open.

On a lighter note the roof on the cart barn is complete. A special thanks to Tom Goldie for all his hard work and supervision. I would also like to mention our Friday night dinner on Nov. 15. Jen has prepared a wonderful menu and Book Shelf Winery will provide us with wine tasting. I would encourage everyone to make reservations soon.

Please continue to take advantage of all that our club has to offer and encourage your friends and family to consider membership at Cold Springs; our club membership continues to offer the best value in the area.

Thank you for all your support and continued contribution to the success of the club.

Hope to see you at the club soon,

Chris

From the Bar & Kitchen - *Jen Bement*

We have two big events planned for November. We are holding our Friday night dinner Nov. 15.

The evening will start with wine tasting showcasing Bookshelf Winery from 5-6 p.m. , with music by "Dan." The menu will feature:

- Butternut Soup
- Pear and Gorgonzola Salad
- Oven Roasted Brussels Sprouts
- Creamy House-made Mashed Potatoes
- Rosemary Mint Lamb Shank with a Red Wine Reduction Sauce
- Breaded Chicken Cutlets drizzled with Pesto-Beurre Blanc and Fresh Heirloom Cherry Tomatoes
- Brown Butter Cake with Fresh Berries and Whipped Cream

The cost is \$40 per person, all inclusive. Please sign up in the bar by Monday, Nov. 11.

On a lighter note, be sure and come out for our "Corn Hole Tournament" Saturday, Nov. 16.

Our new kitchen and bar hours will be announced soon, watch for posted changes.

Hope to see you all join us for these upcoming events that kick off the holiday season.

Thank you,
Jen and the food and beverage staff

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Men's TOC

Wendy Fain
Ladies Tournaments

Food Talk – with Chef Mike

Hello Cold Springs members! As many of you know, I have been moved to the kitchen full time to provide the members, staff and guests with the best experience possible.

As your executive chef, I am looking forward to bringing in new flavors, fresh ingredients and amazing new culinary ideas. We hope to continue to provide you with the best experience and food possible.

The staff and I look forward to seeing as many of you as we can at our upcoming Friday night dinner, Nov. 15. We will be serving an amazing seasonal menu and a wine tasting featuring our own Niles and Sheila Fleege of Bookshelf Winery.

If there is anything you would like to see as a special, a new soup choice or even a new menu idea, please feel free to find me or any of our food and beverage staff to see if we can accommodate.

Thank you
Mike Camello
Executive Chef

The 9ers – Kathy Wynn

The Lady Niners held our election for the 2020 officers at our general meeting Oct. 1. The incoming board of directors include Captain, Pat Worley; co-Captain, Jeanne Perry; Secretary, Laurie Waters; and Treasurer Connie Oettinger.

Our Niner of the Month tournament was won by Melinda Coats with a net 36. Congratulations, Melinda! The next NOM will take place Nov. 6, and the Niner of the Year tournament will be played Nov. 19.

The Niners "Invite a Friend" tournament took place Oct. 15. The winners were Linda and Rocky Leake. Congratulations to the Leakes!

Our monthly tournament, organized by Iris Appleby, was a Best Poker Hand. The winners were first, Melinda Coats; second, Sharon Lamoureux; third, Iris Appleby; fourth Place, Ann Morris; fifth, Sherry Young; sixth, Linda DeVille; and seventh, Becky Hanson. Judy Allan, a former Niner, was in town and played with us. It was so great to see her again.

As a reminder, November check-in is 9:30 a.m. for a 10 a.m. shotgun start.



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 to play, no matter your ability. 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.

Ladies Players Tournament

Oct. 19, 2019 Results

Place		Winners
Flight 1		
1 st		Wendy Fain
2 nd		Jerri Arens
3 rd		Cathie Dyer
4 th		Karen McCaughern
5 th		Michele Bailey
5 th		Mckenzie Shivers
5 th		Sharon Goldsmith
5 th		Leslie Davis
Flight 2		
1 st		Helen Glenn
2 nd		Laurie Tennant
3 rd		Judy Hodgkin
4 th		Patty Mitchell
Flight 3		
1 st		Bev Edwards
2 nd		Debbie Brink
3 rd		Heidi Matlack
4 th		Shawn Sullivan

Next Events: Hope to see YOU on the course!

Saturday, Nov 9, 2019 Par Points (Stableford)

Pairings: Make Your Own Foursome

Format: Individual competition 100 percent of individual handicap

Tees: Forward

Senior Men's Tournament Results

October 24, 2019

First Place

Score: 193

Clyde Broughton, Steve Curtin,
Bob Durand, Bob Hendrix

Second Place

Score: 194

Alan Baumann; Doug Bush;
Russ Anders, Don Coats

Third Place

Score: 195

Don Schedler; Terry Scranton;
Bob Powell; Jeff O'Donnell

Senior of the Month (low net)

Gross score: 86 Handicap: 24 Net: 62

Russ Anders

Senior of the Month (low gross)

Score: 82

Jeff O'Donnell

Closest to the pin:

Distance: 1-11

Don Schedler

Pro-Shots – *Brian Fuentes*

Golf Course Maintenance - 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 that is left untouched damages the putting surface and could take a few months to fully heal. It is important to remember that golf course maintenance is not just the job of the superintendent and grounds crew at the course, it is also the job of golfers at the club.

Tips to Hitting it Better

The One Piece Takeaway: "Push" the club straight back. Picture a wall running parallel to your toe line and straight up through your hands. As you start your swing, keep your hands and the club head on the wall.

Left Knee is the Key: To hit solid irons, unwind your rotation from the top of the swing. To do this, try bumping your right knee into your left knee at impact. This gets your energy and swing power moving in the direction of the hit, so you leave nothing behind.

Wedge it Close: Move your body and arms as a single unit. This turns your normal power swing into a control swing, and control is far more important than power from short range. Here's a visual that'll help: At address, your shoulders and arms form a triangle in front of your chest.

Your goal? Keep the triangle intact and in front of your chest from start to finish. It helps to swing with "dead arms" and use your torso, not your legs, as the engine of your swing. I like to tell my students to wedge it with their "core" instead of their hands.

New Merchandise in the shop

G410 Hybrids – Mill River \$249.99

G410 Fairways – Mill River \$289.99

G410 Drivers – Mill River \$499.99

Bermuda Sands Mens/Ladies Outerwear – Mill River \$34.25-\$38.25

Talkin Turf - *Doug Jeffrey*

The last month was very busy for us. Green's aeration was completed with a coring tine and then followed up with a deep tine. There wasn't too much disruption on the greens and they grew back in with the favorable weather.

The tees were aerated next. We were able to knock those out fairly quickly and moved on to fall overseeding. The tees were dethatched and mowed down at lower height primarily to thin out the warm season Bermuda and crab grass to allow the cool season rye grass seed to have better contact with the soil. Again, the favorable weather helped with germination but the power shut down did present some irrigation challenges.

Once we finished those fall turf growing practices we were able to start on a drainage project on No. 4. In addition, we will spend time on fall leaf debris clean up in the next month or so as well as cleaning up some downed trees caused by the strong winds that blew through.

November will bring some other tree work. Several dead trees are scheduled to come down and some other pruning done by an outside contractor we have hired. Tree crews contracted by PG&E have been out trimming some trees that needed immediate attention. They will also be cutting back some trees and taking down others that pose a danger.

Remember the automatic frost delay "shot gun" starts at 10 a.m. or later depending on the extent of the freeze and course readiness needed. We have already had frost delays so it is wise to call the frost line, (530) 622-5330, if you have an early start time. It is always colder at Cold Springs!

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

New Members

Keith Hallums

Departing Members

Rob & Leana Bilotta

Address and Phone Numbers are available in the Membership Roster

October has been a busy month as we prepared for the 18er's annual charity tournament ... the second annual event benefiting our El Dorado County veterans.

I chaired the tournament ... which means all I had to do was depend on the amazing group of ladies who volunteered to help make it all happen. Well, I did worry a little once in a while.

Heidi Matlack was my rock, printing entries, sponsor letters, tee sponsor signs, wall of honor signs and everything else we needed her expertise on the computer. She organized my thoughts and reminded me of what needed to be done.

Despite a bout of terrible back pain, Rosemary Authier, along with Susie Hendrix, organized, created and made all the decorations. They were also in charge of the raffle. We received many raffle donations that they used to create baskets and gifts.

Tim and Ellen Page coordinated with the El Dorado County Veteran Resources organization to help with sponsors, speakers and volunteer workers. Tim distributed the tee signs and organized unloading golf bags early that morning. All proceeds benefit this group.

Jody Clark addressed and mailed sponsor letters early and at this writing we have \$1,900 in sponsor money. And our treasurer, Linda Babcock, was in charge of receiving and accounting for all the monies collected. Patty Mitchell, Kathy Goldman and Rosemary all helped the morning of the event with registration, the putting contest and poker hand game.

Thank you to all the volunteers and the generosity of our Board of Directors, who waived green fees and cart fees, everyone who entered, Brian Fuentes and the pro shop staff, and Jen Bement and her staff from food and beverage, who served a delicious lunch. It took everyone to make this tournament a success.

As soon as our bills are paid and all is accounted for, we will let everyone know how much we were able to donate to the El Dorado County veterans. All monies stay here in this county to benefit our veterans.

The 18ers also held our three day 18-Hole Club Championship. Patty Mitchell is our 2019 low gross open champ. Jerri Arens won the senior low gross championship and Karen McCaughern is our senior net champion. Second low net honors went to Heidi Matlack and Gloria Gaetano was third low net. Congratulations ladies.

Congratulations are also do to our most improved golfer for September, Jerri Arens. She also shot a net 68 to win Ace of the Month in October's pro points and putts tournament.

Results

Oct. 1: Criers and whiners

1st flight low net: Muriel Oreno, 65; Cathie Dyer, 67, Jody Clark, 70.

2nd flight low net: Kathie Goldman, 64; Heidi Matlack, 67; Karen McCaughern, 68.

Oct. 8: Pro points

1st flight low gross: Patty Mitchell, 82; low net: Jerri Arens, 68; Jody Clark, 72

2nd flight low gross: Karen McCaughern, 99; low net: Gloria Gaetano, 71; Lillie Fuentes, 73

Nov. schedule: 10 a.m. shotgun

Nov. 5: Make your own foursome, stableford

Nov. 12: Draw; pro points & putts; meeting 9 a.m.

Nov. 19: Make your own twosome: Turkey shoot, stroke play

Nov. 26: MYOF- stroke play; Ace of the Year (paired)

Green's Committee – Patrick Flynn

Well, for those of us who have been without power over the last couple of weeks, we may or may not be finished with our frustration with PG&E! It seems the company has decided that several trees on the course are creating hazards and need to be removed.

For some of us that may be good news since that tree is out of the way. For others, the removal will have reduced some of the interest and challenge on a hole. Most of the trees scheduled for removal are generally out of normal play so, hopefully, we won't see much impact. The good news is that PG&E is picking up any costs so we will only see the impact on our power bills. Such a deal!

Work has begun on correcting the drainage issue on the No. 4 fairway and should be completed in short order. Also, the removal of some dead trees will be started soon since these are safety issues for our members.

We met with Brett Hochstein, a golf course architect from the Bay Area, Oct. 23. In general, he thought before we could consider any significant changes to the course, we needed to develop a long term strategy to correct issues that are of concern. For instance – drainage!

There is no reason to pursue architectural changes if we need to correct some drainage problems first. Brett was most gracious to visit the course at no cost to the membership, which was greatly appreciated. This is obviously a long term project, but we have at least taken the first step. Brett may return this winter to observe our particular drainage issues.

The greens are mostly healed from the fall aeration and are in great shape. It looks like there are fewer and fewer pitch marks, which is great news. Thank you!

Good of the Order

No news is good news!

Men's Players Tournament Results**Oct. 19, 2019****First Flight**

Place	Winners	Score	Payout
1 st	H. Penn	68	\$140.00
2 nd	J. Shivers	70	\$75.00
3 rd	J. O'Donnell	71	\$65.00
4 th	L. Sorum	76	\$50.00
5 th	C. Dizon	79	\$40.00
6 th	P. Kane	79	\$35.00
7 th	C. Burns	80	\$30.00
8 th	M. Worley	80	\$25.00
9 th	R. Hasemeier	88	\$20.00
10 th	S. Riley		\$10.00
10 th	J. Bailey		\$10.00

Total Payout for First Flight \$500.00

Second Flight

Place	Winners	Score	Payout
1 st	T. Whiteberg	69	\$105.00
2 nd	D. Darr	69	\$84.00
3 rd	T. Sartoris	70	\$60.00
4 th	B. Durand	71	\$51.00

Total Payout for Second Flight \$300.00

Third Flight

Place	Winners	Score	Payout
1 st	S. Jetton	65	\$66.00
2 nd	D. Branaugh	67	\$40.00
3 rd	M. Stelzmilller	72	\$30.00
4 th	P. Flynn	73	\$24.00
5 th	J. Myers	73	\$22.00
6 th	J. Vernon	74	\$18.00

Total Payout for Third Flight \$200.00

Total Payout \$1,000.00

November Tournament: 4-Man Shamble on Nov. 2

November 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Bridge	2
3	4	5 9er of the Month	6 Kiwanis	7 Mens Guest Day	8	9
10	11 All 18 Open Burgers on the Patio 10:00 – 4:00 Veterans Day 	12	13 Kiwanis	14 Senior Men	15 Bridge Auto Frost Delay Begins <i>Friday Night Dinner</i>	16  4:00 – 8:00
17	18	19 9er of the Year	20 Kiwanis	21 Newcomers	22 WPAC	23 Bookshelf Wine Food Pairing 
24	25	26 9ers Guest Day	27 Kiwanis	28 COURSE CLOSED  <i>Happy Thanksgiving! To You And Your Family</i>	29	30