



Cosmopolitan Club Newsletter

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PRESIDENTS CORNER

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
WEDNESDAY February 23, 2011
6:30 PM @ VICTORIA G.C

COSMOS 66TH ANNUAL TOURNAMENT

It seems as though our 65th annual tournament (Birthday Celebration) was held last month that's how fast time past. Once again Cosmos are getting ready for their 66th annual tournament which will be held at the Desert Princess Country Club in Palm Springs. Leo Hill is heading up the committee for our brochure; Glen Porter and Melvin Gillard are working hard on the tournament committee. The committees need your help to assist in making this another tournament of excellence. Please lend a hand and volunteer. April 29th and 30th are the tournament dates. You need to make hotel accommodations immediately at the Doral Desert Princess Resort, rooms are being filled at a very fast pace. Once Cosmos block of rooms have been reserved then lodging will be well over \$200 per night. Cosmos special rate is \$139 + tax when you mention Cosmopolitan Golf Club. Make your reservations and if you need to cancel it will not cost you anything but make those reservations. Call 888-386-4677 for hotel reservations.

MEMBERSHIP

Bill Barnes and his committee have worked very hard to secure new members and as well resign old members to Cosmos. Bill need your help in this giant task and ask all of us to bring a new member into the club and urge past members to pay their annual dues. I personally welcome new members; Gene Brown, Marcus Mallet, Aaron Owens, Charles Ray Redeaux and returning members Jerry Windom and Willie Dillard. Let us all embrace the new members with a warm introduction to Cosmos.

THE END OF SLOW PLAY

This was a glaring article taken from the Southland

Golf Magazine and very appropriate for ridding golf of its most agonizing sin....."SLOW PLAY" Please adhere and rid Cosmos of slow play.

- **THOU SHALT BE PREPARED**

Don't be lazy (another sin, by the way). As you are waiting for your turn to hit, get ready for your next shot. Know the distance to the hole, the wind direction and velocity, and the club you plan on using.

- **THOU SHALT BE IN POSITION**

Don't sit in the golf cart with your buddy, chatting away. Imagine you're in the on deck circle in baseball, getting ready to go to bat. Have a club in your hand and be near the ball, ready to step up and take a practice swing. If you're in the sand trap, bring the rake in with you and get ready for your turn. On the green, figure out the line of your putt before it's your turn.

- **THOU SHALT MOVE WITH PURPOSE**

Don't walk around like Moses after 40 years in the desert. Golf is a sport and golfers should stride like the athletes while on the course. We're not talking about jogging from shot to shot, but understand that when you're out there you have a job to do. Let's move along and play the game like we're athletes.

- **THOU SHALT SIMPLIFY YOUR ROUTINES**

Ask yourself, does Kobe Bryant take 19 dribbles, step on and off the line, and demand silence when shooting a free throw in front of 20,000 screaming fans? No, he takes three quick dribbles, a deep breath and shoots. If you have too much of a routine, then you're taking instinct out of the game and trying to manufacture something that isn't there.

Business Managers Report

The Cosmopolitan Golf Club 2011 Annual Invitational Golf Tournament Entry Forms are coming of the press and will be circulated immediately. As a reminder this year is our 66th year Birthday Celebration and you are encouraged to make all your Reservations (player/hotel) ASAP.

You will be very disappointed if you miss attending this Historic Occasion. The New Tournament committee members are excited about planning this year's event. You do not want to be left out. Register Early and encourage others.

Melvin Gilliard

COSMOPOLITAN GOLF CLUB

Winners for Tahquitz Creek

A Flight

Andrew Winzer 1st Low Gross 70

Donnie Jones 1st Low Net 68

B Flight

Idorlph Edwards 1st Low Gross 84

Leo Hill Sr. 1st Low Net 72

C Flight

Issac Lester 1st Low Gross 87

William Borders 1st Low Net 74

Closest To Pin Holes

#9 Mike Daniel

#15 Leo Hill Sr.

A Flight Skins Winners

Donnie Jones #2

Larry Butler #8 & #12

Mike Daniel #9

Winston Lyde #10

Charles Kirksey #11

B Flight Skins Winners

Ray Redeaux #3

Idorlph Edwards #8

Harvey Bailey #2 & #4

Thaddeus Newman #13

Ray Strong #10

Donald Whitmore #16

C Flight Skins Winners

Issac Lester #6, #15 & #17

William Borders #1, #7, #10 & #14

Frank Eldridge #13

Harry Bellard #11

March 2011 Tournament

Alondra Golf Course

Date—3/26/11

First Tee Time—10AM

Payment deadline—3/12/11

Cost—\$75 (Limited to first 40 players)

Uniform—White Hat/Green Shirt/Green Pants

Place this tournament on your schedule today!

Membership Chairperson

Again, let me say how pleased we are at the way our membership for 2011 is unfolding. We are on pace to set an all time membership number for 2011. It's obvious that we all have bought into the idea that we plan to take over the number one spot as the biggest and best club in WSGA. We know that in order to be the best at anything, it requires organization to make it happen. This year's membership drive has the appearance of a team effort. Thanks to each of you for your effort. Our slogan.....KEEPING THE DRIVE ALIVE is alive and well!!

There is still a huge number of 2010 members that have not come back into the fold. We would like to continue our membership drive for 2011 as a two prong process. First, let go get our old members. We need to emphasize to them that we want them back. That task rest on the shoulders of all of us. If you know of a member that has not renewed his/her dues and don't try to find out the reason why, shame on us. Let's get these members back!!! New and younger members seem to be the theme that we are hearing. I think that this is the direction we all would like to see our club take. That's thinking of the future of the club. We saw that infusion of young blood at last month's general membership with the four new members that were inducted into the club.

Don't forget team that our weekender is just around the corner. This has been one of our best membership driving events and it comes at a very opportunist time in the year. Our members generally pay their dues in order to play in this super event. Just remember team, the tournament will only have a maximum of 128 players. First come first served so don't get left out.

General Member meeting had an excellent turn out. We would like to see that same turn out this month. Remember, if you are present and we pull your name from a hat, we will give you a \$25.00 discount toward next month's green fees. I don't think that we have talked about this issue before but this is a good time to address it.....WE NEED YOU TO BE A COSMO IN MORE THAN NAME ONLY. HELP OUR TOURNAMENT CHAIR AND PLAY IN THESE MONTHLY TOURNAMENTS.

Thanks teams, and help KEEP THE MEMBERSHIP DRIVE ALIVE!!! We are over 100 members if we include trustees and associates. SUPER!! CAN WE REACH 125 BY THIS TIME NEXT MONTH?

Billy Barnes

FEES

GOLFER'S ENTRY FEE RECEIVED

BEFORE APRIL 15TH IS \$200.00
AFTER APRIL 15TH IS \$225.00

ENTRY FEE INCLUDES:

Gift bags
Green fees and half cart
Trophies
Hospitality Thursday
Hospitality Friday
Saturday Continental Breakfast
Hospitality Saturday
Awards Dinner Saturday

SWEEPSTAKES \$10.00 EACH DAY
(OPTIONAL) INCLUDE WITH ENTRY FEE

NON-GOLFER'S FEE \$60.00

INCLUDES:
Hospitality Thursday
Hospitality Friday
Saturday Breakfast
Hospitality Saturday
Awards Dinner Saturday

**DUE TO SHOTGUN START
FIELD IS LIMITED TO 128 PLAYERS
Deadline for all entries April 22, 2011**

AWARDS

- FOUR TROPHIES PER FLIGHT
- MEN (5) FLIGHTS
- LADIES (2) FLIGHTS
- GUEST FLIGHT
- NON - WSGA PLAYERS (CALLOWAY SCORING)

NON - WSGA MEMBERS WILL
COMPETE IN THE GUEST FLIGHT

**All flights and Trophies
based on Entries permitting**

CLOSEST TO THE PIN EACH DAY

MONEY HOLE EACH DAY

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April 5, 2010



66TH ANNUAL INVITATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete the following information and return this portion and make checks payable to:

COSMOPOLITAN GOLF CLUB

P.O. Box 78153
Ray Charles Station
Los Angeles, CA 90016

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Club Affiliation _____

E-mail _____

Pay with PayPal @ www.comogolfclub.com

Entry fee Before April 15th.....\$200
Entry fee After April 15th.....\$225
Non-Golfer Fee..... \$60
Sweepstakes Fee*.....\$20
*Must be included with entry

Phone _____

GHIN Index _____

Will play as a guest _____

(Calloway Handicap)



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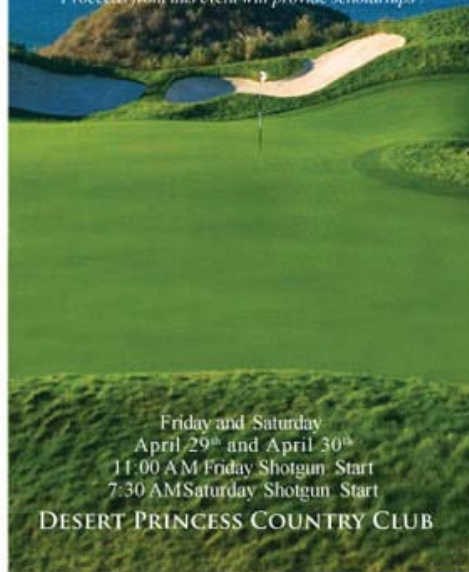
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"Enriching The Lives of Our Youth"
A 501 (C) (3) TAX EXEMPT NONPROFIT
Proceeds from this event will provide scholarships!



Friday and Saturday
April 29th and April 30th
11:00 AM Friday Shotgun Start
7:30 AM Saturday Shotgun Start

DESERT PRINCESS COUNTRY CLUB

SPONSORSHIP REQUEST

Yes! I want to help the CYF provide scholarships to students
Platinum Sponsor. . . \$5,000
Hole Signage *plus* Eight Players
Corporate Logo on Sponsorship Banner

Gold Sponsor. . . \$2,500
Hole Signage *plus* Eight Players
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Bronze Sponsor. . . \$100
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Name _____

Address _____

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Telephone _____

\$ _____

I cannot be a sponsor, however, I would like to contribute \$ _____ to your Cosmopolitan Youth Foundation, Inc. a 501 ©(3) non-profit organization.

Make check payable to:
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P.O. Box 78153
Ray Charles Station
Los Angeles, CA90016

Enclosed is a check in the amount of:

\$ _____
TAX ID NUMBER 27-0611255

SPECIAL NOTICE

Practice rounds will be available at the golf course. Call for tee times and the day you want a practice round. \$50.00

DESERT PRINCESS COUNTRY CLUB
(760) 322-2280

SWEEPSTAKES

(All Sweepstakes must be prepaid)

1. Each player will be able to purchase themselves for \$10 per day. The tournament is a two day event. You will have the opportunity to buy yourself for \$20, which will cover the player for the entire tournament.
2. Each player will have eight chances to win within their respective flights. There will be four winners in each day.

CHAMPIONSHIP (M/W)	All Other Flights
1 st Low Gross 30%	1 st Low Net 30%
1 st Low Net 30%	1 st Low Net 30%
2 nd Low Gross 20%	3 rd Low Net 20%
2 nd Low Net 20%	4 th Low Net 20%

The above represent the amount collected in each flight less a 10% deduction for Cosmopolitan Youth Foundation, Inc. Winners are posted each day.