Hi Ladies,

Happy Spring! I hope your 2017 is going fabulously, including oodles of great golf with oodles of great friends.

Your EWGA Chapter is in full gear with lots of fun upcoming events. Two examples...

- 12 of our members will travel to Palm Springs in early May to represent San Diego at the Cal Cup. Susan Crawford again captains the team and we look forward to seeing pictures of all 12 hoisting the trophy!

- One of our premier events, the 3rd annual Partner Eclectic, will be held May 20 and June 4 at Twin Oaks. This has quickly become one of our most popular events. I’m anxious to see us exceed the 44 players who participated last year.

How much value have you gotten from joining EWGA.....Have you found some great, lifetime friends? Has your golf game improved? Have you had the chance to test your golf skills in a competitive setting? Have you gotten stronger or healthier by playing this game? A member, who prefers to stay anonymous, recently made a $500 donation to our chapter because of the positive impact that EWGA-SD has had on her. Sometimes golf is just a game but maybe sometimes it’s more than that. Be nice to each other out there! And thanks Ms. Anonymous for the donation!

Quote of the Month – *My worst day at golf still beats my best day at work.*

Melissa Bright  
EWGA SD President
**EWGA’s MILITARY MEMBERSHIP DISCOUNTS!**

Are you one of our proud military golfers, active or retired, or do you know someone who fits the bill that you can ask to join? To honor and thank our military members for their patriotic service in support of our country, EWGA also offers **Military Membership Discounts**.

**Military Membership Rates are:**

- **Age 18-30:** $65 New and renewing members
- **Age 30+**
  - New Member: $130
  - Renewing Member: $120
- **Age 65+**
  - New Member: $100
  - Renewing Member: $90

Here is how to sign up for this program:
- Complete the application found [at this link](#) and fax with copy of their military ID to (561) 691-0012.
- Or, mail the application and a copy of their military ID to: EWGA, Attn: Membership, 8895 N. Military Trail, Suite 102E, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410.

**Membership levels**

Please share this with your friends and prospective members.

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[Click Here](#) for Details
Members will be rewarded for bringing prospective new members to specific events throughout the year. Additional rewards will be given when the prospective member joins.

Prospective members:
Receive 2 player card stickers for each prospective new member brought to a “prospective” member event.

New member referrals:
Receive 4 player card stickers for each new member referral. Referral name must be noted on form submitted when the new member joins.

For each referral, you will also be entered into a drawing to be held at the end of the year holiday party for $50 off your next round of golf with EWGA. The more members you bring in, the more opportunities to win!

Questions?
Contact Pam Pongratz
membershipinfo@ewga
MILESTONE ANNIVERSARIES!

Congratulations to these long term EWGA member! Clearly they love golf and our organization! We wish you a very Happy Anniversary and particularly thank you for your long time support of EWGA!

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SHOTS OF THE DAY!

LOOK WHO HAD A SPECTACULAR ROUND OR SHOT RECENTLY!

[Send your golf story to chaptercommunications@ewga-sd.org]

Broke 80! - [None submitted]
Broke 90! - [None submitted]

BROKE 100! - GINA RANDOLPH

Finally, everything went right. 2 weeks ago at Mt Woodson, I broke 100 and shot 95. Everything worked that day. The driver, 3 wood and putter. Mt Woodson is not a long course but it is a target course. I avoided all the trouble and thus my best score. I am a very inconsistent golfer so this was incredibly thrilling as I had shot 110 the week before.

HOLE IN ONE! - CONNIE PASTERKIEWICZ

At the recent Membership Kickoff “Swing into Spring” event, Connie made a hole in one her very first hole of the day! It was hole #13, a 87 yard par 3 with a very elevated green. It was a front pin. Her ball hit right on the front of the green and then disappeared as it roled right into the hole. This was Connie’s first hole in one ever and it was witnessed by her foursome: Cathy Wright, Marie Horn, and Paula Covert. Great shooting Connie!
PLAYER CARD UPDATE

You know that card you have stuck in your golf bag or lying around somewhere in your house with little colorful stickers on it? Well, that card is very valuable when it has 14 stickers - worth up to $50 toward a golf event. So, don’t forget to fill them up and turn them in so you can reap the benefits of golfing with EWGA San Diego. (Make it easy on yourself and keep the card in an easily accessible place in your golf bag and bring it when you check in to an event.)

Keep accumulating additional stickers by playing in an event, participating as captain of an event, volunteering for a committee or bringing in new members. There is no limit to the number of cards you can turn in and those 2016 cards are still good through 2017.

Get involved and earn up to $50 toward a round of golf with us.

Join us for an action filled golf retreat to the Black Hills of South Dakota! First Tee Travel and Promotions is hosting a 7-day golf retreat on August 19th – August 26th. Price includes 7-nights at the Holiday Inn Express and Suites Rapid City, 4-rounds of golf at top courses, lunch at three courses, green fees, complimentary breakfast, a welcome party, as well as a farewell dinner. Please contact Paula Mullins-Worster at 760-632-5010 to REGISTER TODAY!
Kristen Cohen

1. What got you into golf and when?  
   Work got me into golf; initially, I travel a lot to Hawaii, and golf is a good way to meet people and network with work contacts.
2. Why do you play?  
   It's a good way to meet people and it's a lot of fun.
3. How did you find us (EWGA)?  
   I found EWGA through Nancy Homer. She invited me to the kick off day, and I joined that day. I know Nancy through the mini cooper club that my late husband belonged to.
4. Do you have an interesting or funny golf story?  
   I almost hit a woman with a shanked shot (think Kevin Costner in Tin Cup). We ended up becoming good friends.
5. What would you be doing if you couldn’t play golf?  
   I would buy a motorcycle and ride all over.
6. Would you rather hit over water or out of sand and why?  
   I would rather hit over water. I hate sand. I can talk it over water.
7. Who is your dream golf partner?  
   Freddie Couples is my dream golf partner.
8. Where would you like to play if you could play anywhere?  
   I would love to play in Scotland, where golf was born.
9. What do you do when you aren’t playing golf?  
   I work in sales...selling core processing systems to credit unions. When I'm not working, I like to work on my house, do gardening, plants and stuff. I live in Hesperia.

Lana Hock

1. What got you into golf and when?  
   A friend asked me to join her 19 hole after work league about 10 years ago
2. Why do you play?  
   I think it's fun, I like being outdoors, and I like the social aspect.
3. How did you find us (EWGA)?  
   I work for a company called RW Baird. They did a national sponsorship, offering to pay our membership to EWGA. That's how I heard of it.
4. Do you have an interesting or funny golf story?  
   The girlfriend that got me into golf was demonstrating to me how to use a club backwards to get out of trouble. She ended up hitting her own ankle and broke it. Funny now. Not then, so much!
5. What would you be doing if you couldn’t play golf?  
   I like to bowl.
6. Would you rather hit over water or out of sand and why?  
   I'd rather hit over water. If it goes in the water. It's just gone.
7. Who is your dream golf partner?  
   Ricky Fowler.
8. Where would you like to play if you could play anywhere?  
   I'd love to play in Spain...and maybe never come back.
9. What do you do when you aren’t playing golf?  
   I'm still working but I like to walk my dog. She's an 8 year old black Boxer-Pit mix named Joan Jett.
Our Annual Membership Kickoff event was held on Sunday April 2, 2017 at Rancho Bernardo Inn. The day started with an 8:00am shotgun scramble with 52 members and guests, followed by lunch, a sponsor showcase & presentation by Kim Estep (Sycuan), golf awards, and opportunity drawings.

Thank you to our sponsors and members who donated wonderful items for the opportunity drawings and to the many volunteers who helped put on a great event!

Guests & the member who invited them:

Amy Madden       (joined!) Beth Davidson
Marilyn Pedicini   (joined!) Lynne Cardarelli
Ina Hajek          Darlene Kane
Karen Rundio      (joined!) Stacey Hayashi
Kim Provost       (joined!) Nancy Homer
Kristen Cohen      Nancy Homer
Cheryl Bennett     Nancy Homer
Susan Matthewson   Cheryl Bennett
Darcy Wolfe       (joined!) Mega Mixer
Ruud Noordzij     Annaliza Apostol
Eric Heth          Annaliza Apostol
Mikael Rosenberger Annaliza Apostol

Welcome to our newest members!: Amy, Marilyn, Karen, Kim, Kristen, Darcy
WINNERS FOR THE DAY

Golf Scramble

1st Place
Mary Shepperd
Darcy Wolfe
Pat Haberman
Mindy Hartstein

2nd Place
Wendy Eagle
Annette Hirt
Karen Rundio
Stacey Hayashi

3rd Place
Mirta Innis-Thompson
Kim Davis
Mindy Sam Davis
Gina Randolph

CTTP:
#2 – Annette Hirt
#11 – Sonja Stevenson

Longest Putt:
Kim Provost

Prizes:
1st place – $10.00 gift car for each team player
2nd place – $5.00 gift card each
3rd place – sleeve of golf balls
CTTP’s and longest putt – sleeve of balls or towel...
Swing into Spring Highlights (con’t)

HOLE IN ONE (on hole #13!)

Connie Pasterkiewicz

Her first one! Congratulations Connie!

Look who else has joined since January 2017!

Nichole Mayer (corporate sponsor)
Michelle Fisher (Judy Land)
Stacey Hayashi (Mirta Innis-Thompson)
Kathy Cade (dual member/Seattle)
Mary Steinman
Karen Hayes
Lana Hock

We look forward to seeing you all at our upcoming events!

Event Committee:

Michelle Schmidt, Lois Spence, Loree Burley, Cheri Tomboc-Brownlie, Marie Horn,
Cathleen Davies, Gina Randolph, Kim Davis, & Pam Pongratz

THANKS SO MUCH LADIES!

Connecting women to learn, play and enjoy golf for business and for fun

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We held our annual Chapter Championship at the Sycuan (our Master Level Sponsor!) Willow Glen course on Sunday, April 30. We had a beautiful weather day, with a cool start and a warm finish. After the stroke play and scramble play rounds, everyone sat down to a great luncheon, followed by our awards to the day’s winners. Thanks to the Event Chair, Cretia Hadley, and her committee: Sue Rowe, Chris Shorkey, and Cathy Wright. See top winners in each flight below. Please go to Flickr additional eent.

Dorothea Sledge
Chapter Champion!

Suzanne LaTour
Championship Flight - 1st Low Net

Ashley Riggs-Zeigen
First Flight - 1st Low Gross

Marie Shannon
First Flight - 1st Low Net

Pat Haberman
2nd Flight - 1st Low Gross

Chris Shorkey
2nd Flight - 1st Low Net

Jen Faye
3rd Flight - 1st Low Gross

Kristi Woodard
3rd Flight - 1st Low Net

Michelle Schmidt
4th Flight - 1st Low Gross

1st Place Scramble Team:
Judy Schons
Nancy Homer
Michelle Fisher
Judy Land

2nd Place Scramble Team:
Marie Brown
Sonja Stevenson
Lisa Shelton-Finch
Sonya Brown-Conner
WHAT ELSE HAVE WE DONE LATELY?
WE ATTENDED THE MEGA MIXER!

By Gina Randolph

On March 16th EWGA-SD board members Kim Davis and Gina Randolph represented our chapter at the Business Women’s Mega Mixer. The event focused on the theme of “female firsts” and provided lots of stats, facts and trivia about women in history.

We had the opportunity to meet hundreds of women and spread the word about EWGA in San Diego. We gave away a round of golf and lunch at our annual membership kickoff at Rancho Bernardo Inn on April 2nd. We are so pleased that the winner, Darcy Wolfe, not only showed up and played but also joined our chapter that day! Welcome Darcy!

WHAT EVENTS ARE COMING UP?

Worthy Non-EWGA Events

Orange County Chapter
Open Invitational on July 22
Their 6th year of 2 person team competition
See OC website as details become available

2017 U.S. Women’s Amateur Championship
Volunteer Opportunities!
August 5th - 13th 2017
San Diego Country Club, Chula Vista
Click Here for all Volunteer Info
4th ANNUAL 2 DAY ECLECTIC PARTNER EVENT

We are pleased to announce that we are returning to Twin Oaks Golf Course for our 4th annual partner eclectic.

Here's how it works. Note: all players must be members and must have a handicap index. Additionally, per USGA recommended guidelines, the partners handicap should not exceed 8 strokes apart. If they are greater than 8 strokes apart, the higher handicap will be reduced to meet the required 8 stroke differential.

Choose your partner, mark your calendars for 5/20 and 6/4, and register now! You will record each player's score on the 1st day (5/20) and circle the better score for each hole. On the 2nd day (6/4) you will record your score on each hole only if it's better than the 1st day. Your cards will be popped so you'll record the best net for each hole. Don't worry, we'll provide more details and instructions at the course.

The total cost for both days is $140 per person and includes the following:

Saturday, May 20th: noon shotgun including golf, range and cart
Sunday, June 4th: 8:30am shotgun, includes golf, range, cart AND lunch!

Note: if you and your partner cannot play both days, you have 2 other options:
(A) both partners can play on one of the days and one partner on the other day; OR
(B) both partners can play on 6/4 only. You will simply use the better score of the partners for the day (following the 8 stroke differential described above). The cost for that, with lunch, is $93 per person.

Members wanting to play but not compete can join in "after the field" play if spaces remain available. You may register now.

Your captains are Bobbie Zinker and Pat Lafser.

CLICK HERE FOR DETAILS AND TO REGISTER
A fun short course event!

Sycuan Golf Resort

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The Big Break Challenge by Kim Estep

Saturday, May 27th, 2017

9AM-10AM

EWGA SD’s 1st Big Break Challenge
Followed by a round at Pine Glen

Sign up at ewga-sd.org under events

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Golf Programs and Education

By Dorothea Sledge

**FIVE GOOD REASONS YOU SHOULD COME OUT TO OUR SHORT COURSES**

1. They are tons of FUN and you get a sticker for your player card!
2. Playing short courses will help to lower your score on the long courses!
3. You can play them in 2-3 hours!
4. Closest to the pins (CTTP) are generally easier! ($10.00 gift card)
5. Socializing and great food afterwards (usually at a new restaurant)!

[Sycuan Pine Glen Course]

Upcoming Handicap Service Changes for WSCGA

Welcome to the SCGA Family

Southern California Golf Association (SCGA) will become the regional service for several handicaps services. Starting July 1, 2017 some memberships to include those with Women Southern California Golf Association (WSCGA) will seamlessly transfer over to the SCGA and the member will keep their same GHIN number. They are working to make sure the transition is smooth for all members. If your handicap service is affected, in early July, your new SCGA membership card, as well as a number of exclusive partner benefits that include a $15 Roger Dunn/The Golf Mart gift card, should arrive at your home. Score posting, accessing your USGA Handicap Index and all the other services you are accustomed to receiving from the WSCGA will be accessible via scga.org.

[This change does not affect members who use the EWGA GN21 handicap/score posting system.]

Click Here for Full Story
EWGA San Diego appreciates our sponsors and the opportunities they provide for service to our members. In addition, sponsorship enables the chapter to subsidize some events and support women’s golf.

The chapter is announcing a new incentive program for members who recruit new sponsors for the chapter. Below are the current sponsorship levels and the details of what you receive if you bring in a new sponsor. Additional details about the levels are available on our web site at ewga-sd.org.

So start talking to those golf and women-related retailers and other business people you come in contact with regularly! All sponsors must be approved by the board.

Masters level - $2000 annually

- Free round of golf (up to $75) at EWGA event of your choice + free drink and recognition at 19th hole and in newsletter. Free membership dues at next renewal.

Championship level - $1500 annually

- Free round of golf (up to $50) at EWGA event of your choice + free drink and recognition at 19th hole and in newsletter. Entry in a drawing for free membership dues.

Ace level - $1000 annually

- 4 stamps on players card + free drink and recognition at 19th hole and in newsletter. Entry in a drawing for free membership dues.

Eagle level - $500 annually

- 3 stamps on players card + free drink and recognition at 19th hole and in newsletter.

Birdie level - $250 annually

- 2 stamps on players card + free drink and recognition at 19th hole and in newsletter.
WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST SPONSORS!

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Brought to us by member Melissa Bright

Blast Motion (Eagle Level)

New member, Nicole Meyer, recommended sponsorship to Blast Motion. Blast Motion offers sensor technology for several sports. Their product Blast Golf 360 integrates unique motion capture technologies with an easy-to-use application.

From accurate motion capture data to actionable insights, Blast golf 360 is a one-stop-shop for the golfer and their coach. Member Mindy Harstein won a Blast 360 at our membership kickoff opportunity drawing and it was also featured at the KIA Classic.
MANY THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS!!!
HAVE YOU VISITED THEM LATELY?

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