

The Forecaddy

Rancho Vista Men's Golf Club

March 2008

President's Message

It is almost Spring time and time for some really good golf weather. Our next Men's Club tournament is Sunday, March 16th. It will be our Winter Major and so you will only be paying for the Green's fees. We look forward to seeing you out there!

We have had a pretty good turn out for the tournaments so far and we hope this continues. There are quite a few new members also, who knows, maybe you will find a new golfing buddy.

Our second year participating in SCGA Team Play began with a qualifier during our January 6th tournament. The first event was held on January 12th and concluded on February 23rd (due to a rain delay). The teams we competed against were River Lakes Ranch (Bakersfield), Elkins Ranch (Fillmore), and Tierra Del Sol (California City). We only won 2 of the 6 matches and so we did not go on, but it was a lot of fun playing against other clubs in a team environment. Thank you to George Garcia for being team captain! And thanks to all the members who participated in the team play events!

We also had our first away tournament at Soule Park Golf Course in Ojai. It was a pretty low turn out with 24 players participating but everyone enjoyed the course. It was in great shape, I just wished they didn't have those ravines. Just for everyone's information, the cost for away tournaments is \$20 over the cost that we are charged per person.

The course is undergoing a lot of changes. They are adding waste bunkers and extending some tee boxes. All these changes are affecting all of us, I

think we can only be patient with the course like we all are with our golf games.

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Club News

Hopefully, everyone has received a copy of the letter that was sent out by David Dame (Handicap Chairman). The game of golf is an honorable game and the intent is always to play your best and post all of your scores in order to hold a valid handicap so that you will play equitably with other players. We ask that all members post all your valid, adjusted scores.

EQUITABLE STROKE CONTROL

18-hole course handicap; maximum strokes allowed on any hole:

9 or less = Double Bogey
10 through 19 = 7 maximum
20 through 29 = 8 maximum
30 through 39 = 9 maximum
40 and above = 10 maximum

Note: It is your Course Handicap, NOT your Current Index.

NOTICE: We are going to implement a pre-payment policy for tournaments. Please read the information on page 2 of the newsletter.

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Treasurer's Report as of 10 March 2008

Current Balance:	\$8,390.83
Income	\$26,445.32
Expenses:	\$18,054.49
Supplies:	\$18.69
Cash Box	\$600.00
Green Fees	\$7,058.00
SCGA	\$2,785.00
Team	\$5,547.80
Payouts	\$2,045.00

New* Pre-Payment Policy for Home Tournaments:**

Pre-pay using either of the following methods:

- (1) drop-off at RVMC box at course;
- (2) mail to RVMC, 40729 Chantaco Court, Palmdale, CA 93551;
- (3) pre-pay at prior tournament;
- (4) pay on day of tourney between 6:30 – 7:00am. Box closes at 7am on the dot. There will be a \$2 surcharge for payments made on day of tournament.

Thank you for your compliance!

* **As of the April 19, 2008 tournament**

** **Away tournaments are currently pre-pay.**

Tournament Results

January 06 Individual Stroke Play (Team Play Qualifier)

Flight	Pos	Last Name	First	Gross	Hdcp/Day	Net
A	1st Low Gross	Engle	Dick	72	2	74
	1st Low Net	Garcia	George	84	9	75
	2nd Low Net	O'Brien	Mike	76	1	75
	3rd Low Net	Perales	Nick	83	6	77
	4th Low Net	McGrath	John	83	6	77
	5th Low Net	Mattingly	Scott	87	9	78
	6th Low Net	Song	Yeng	88	6	79
B	1st Low Gross	Webb	Dale	81	12	69
	1st Low Net	Miani	Dave	85	10	75
	2nd Low Net	Weese	Jim	89	13	76
	3rd Low Net	Chandler	Devon	88	10	78
	4th Low Net	Kinney	James	91	13	78
	5th Low Net	Gordon	Doyle	88	10	78
C	6th Low Net	Passantino	George	92	12	80
	1st Low Gross	Bell	Mike	88	15	73
	1st Low Net	Roberts	Mike	89	16	73
	2nd Low Net	Stamsek	Rich	91	16	75
	3rd Low Net	Borkowski	Ed	93	17	76
	4th Low Net	O'Donnell	Mike	99	21	78
	5th Low Net	Shaw	Albert	107	28	79
	6th Low Net	Lara	Francisco	97	15	82

Color Legend: Gross Net Points Only

Feb 16 2-Man Best Ball

Flight	Pos	Last Name	First	Gross	Hdcp/Day	Net
A	1st	Bell	Mike			
	1st	Roberts	Mike			
	2nd	Bell	Jim			
	2nd	Passantino	George			
	3rd	Kinney	James			
	3rd	Stamsek	Rich			
	4th	Gordon	Greg			
	4th	Lara	Francisco			
	5th	Jaramillo	Joe			
	5th	Vasquez	TJ			
	6th	Borkowski	Ed			
	6th	Ulstad	Del			

March 1st Away Tournament at Soule Park, Ojai

Flight	Pos	Last Name	First	Gross	Hdcp/Day	Net
A	1st Low Gross	Engel	Dick	69	-2	71
	1st Low Net	Bell	Jim	75	6	69
	2nd Low Net	Hylton	Richard	84	14	70
	3rd Low Net	Gordon	Doyle	80	9	71
	4th Low Net	Sakahara	Robert	88	14	74
	5th Low Net	Williamson	Jeremy	80	5	75
	6th Low Net	Farris	Steve	76	1	75

Color Legend: Gross Net

This newsletter is now being distributed via email, if you would like to have a hardcopy mailed to your address, please reply back and it will be sent to you.

Sunday, March 16th, RVGC
Winter Major, Individual Stroke Play,
Tee Times: 7:30am, \$47 entry fee

Sunday, April 6th, Crystalaire Country Club
Individual Stroke Play, 40 players max
Tee Times: 11:00am, \$80 entry fee

Saturday, April 19th, RVGC,
2 Man 6/6/6, (pick your partner)
Tee Times: ~Sunrise, \$60 entry fee

Saturday, May 3rd, RVGC,
Spring Major, Individual Stroke Play,
Tee Times: ~Sunrise, \$47 entry fee

To register for any of these events, call the RVMGC Hotline at 661-789-5888, or log on to www.rvmgc.com/tournaments

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