



Please excuse the tardiness of the newsletter this month as we wanted to bring you the latest news regarding our Away from Home Tournament in Palm Springs this week.

PRESIDENT

Last week, we learned that one of our Association Day courses requires players to finish in 5 hours due to a scheduled shotgun at 1 pm. The Pro emphasized that slow play will not be tolerated, a sentiment echoed by more golf courses lately. Two courses have already declined future tournaments with us because of pace concerns. This underscores the importance of the Pace of Play Improvement Initiative started in February. Please follow your Division Representatives' instructions during Association Day; finish times and group gaps are monitored. Always keep up with the group ahead—don't focus on those behind you. If contacted about pace, remember it's to ensure an enjoyable experience for all and maintain our partnerships with the courses. Thank you for your cooperation. Our Palm Springs Away from Home tournament was a success, with great weather, golf, and camaraderie. Check out photos on the WPLGA Facebook page. [Congratulations](#) to the winners, and we hope to see you at upcoming events. For feedback or suggestions, please contact me, Donna Buxton at wplgapresident@gmail.com.

MEMBERSHIP

It has come to our attention that several members have participated in Association Days without completing the required insurance disclaimer. Please remember that acknowledging this disclaimer is mandatory before participating in any WPLGASC events. An email was sent out to members who played in February, March, or are registered for the April Association Day, reminding them to complete the disclaimer. The form can be found on our website at wplga.net under the Membership section. Instructions for updating your profile in Golf Genius are also available on the website under the "More" tab. You may use either option to update your information as needed. If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Janet Herbold, Membership, at wplgembership@gmail.com.

MONTHLY TOURNAMENTS

Please ensure that your entry forms are completed clearly and accurately, and kindly note that the forms are fillable on a computer for your convenience. As most courses now require prepayment, please verify the payment requirements of your selected course prior to submitting your entry and green fees. I want to stress that it is not necessary to register as a foursome for our monthly Association Day Tournaments; we will arrange foursomes as needed. Participating in our monthly Association Day Tournaments provides an excellent opportunity to accumulate points towards qualification for the Major Tournaments. Thank you for your continued participation in WPLGASC events. Please feel free to contact me, Lydia Salcido, wplgamonthlys@gmail.com if you have any questions.

MAJOR TOURNAMENTS

The Away from Home Major Tournament on March 30–31 in Palm Springs was a great success. Out of 187 entries, 144 players competed. [Congratulations](#) to our eight flight winners, "Over the Field" Gross winner Jesse Chen of River Ridge, and Net winner Coralea Harbushka of Mountain Meadows! All winners are listed on our website. Your feedback is welcome to help us improve future events. Remember, playing in Association Days, Major Tournaments, or Team Play earns points towards acceptance in upcoming majors. We hope to see you at our next Major Tournament, the Eclectic Tournament at Pala Mesa Golf Resort, Fallbrook, California. More details will be shared soon. Please feel free to contact me, Sherri Little, wplgamajors@gmail.com or at (909) 544-9338 if you have any questions.

TEAM PLAY

The 2026 Team Play season is halfway over with favorable weather and moderate temperatures. Teams have shared photos on our WPLGASC Facebook page, and weekly cumulative results are available on the website. Finals will take place during the weeks of April 20 and 27, and Division and Area winners will be announced next month. Please feel free to contact me, Karen Kiddy at wplgateamplay@gmail.com if you have any questions.
