

President's

Message,

by Doug Korb



With our President's Cup in the rear-view mirror, I can't help but realize that our 2021 golf year is half over. Where did that time go? As we move forward all of us need to be aware of the heat that comes along with golf for the next couple of months. Be sure to take the necessary precautions when playing, sunscreen, hats,

Board Update, by Doug Korb

plenty of fluids, shade, etc.

It would be unfair of the Board to take credit for our new website. That credit belongs to **Mike Re**, and Mike Re only. Mike, the Board, and all of our members, thank you for the time and effort you put into this transition. Great job! If you haven't checked it out, you need to do so. The link can be found in Mike's update.

Now it's on to some changes in our By-Laws (internal stuff), and our upcoming Club Championship (October).

Once the By-Laws are updated, we'll notify you of the changes and how they might impact you as a member/player.

As always, feel free to bring things to our attention, we're always willing to address your issues.

Membership Update, by Mike Re



As of July 14th, Redhawk Golfers Club has 123 members. We have 1 new member since last month. Please welcome **Mark Wojciechowski**. Mark resides in Temecula. Please extend a warm welcome to our new member at our next Tournament.

Website Update, by Mike Re

Thank you to everyone that uses our website as a Redhawk Men's Club resource.

Our New Club Website went Live on 6/30/2021! Please visit our website at the same URL as our previous site - <u>https://redhawkgolfers.org/</u>

Take a few minutes to look around the new site. There are photos of many of you included on one or more of the pages so explore the entire site! I hope you enjoy the fresh new look, easier navigation, additional content and all the photos! Our new site is much more mobile device friendly then our previous site. I want to thank Jeff Okun and Bill Riley for providing us will the great photographs and Jim Schoonmaker (previous website designer) for giving me a great foundation to work from.

Please visit the website regularly to see details on an upcoming contest for a free lunch & beverage at Hawk's Landing!



Handicap Update,

by Alan de la Sierra



COMING SOON: GPS FOR THE GHIN MOBILE APP

The USGA is working on integrating GPS within the GHIN Mobile App. This will include Course Maps that allow the user to get touch-point GPS distances to anywhere on the course and distance to the center of the green for over 37k courses worldwide.

They will add a new flow for users to "Play with GPS" where they can enter/post their hole-byhole score while using GPS features & viewing the Course Map. These features will also be made available to golfers who have gone down the "Post Score" flow when posting a hole-byhole score or hole-by-hole score with stats. Additionally, users can also "preview" a course or use these features outside of playing/posting.

The Standard GPS features will be available to <u>all</u> <u>users at no cost</u>. These features include: - 3D Color map imagery of +37K courses worldwide

- Touch-point GPS distance to anywhere on the course

- Distance to center of the green

USGA is looking to add this feature in an App update in July. Check it out at this link.

http://www.scga.org/scgablog2/view/coming-soon-gps-for-the-ghinmobileapp?utm_source=Club+Official+Digest&utm_c ampaign=980a67c0cd-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2018_04_25_COPY_01&ut m_medium=email&utm_term=0_0200b64998-980a67c0cd-158328881

My initial reading on the details, it appears "**some**" features will NOT be free but will have some cost to upgrade into the GHIN app. More details to come as it is released.

July Tournament Winners

Congratulations to **Ron Valerio & Kyle Parsons.** They won our July tournament, *"2021 President's Cup"*, with a net 65.

In addition to winning the Redhawk portion of this competition Ron & Kyle will represent our Men's Club in the upcoming **SCGA Net Four-Ball** competition. Joining them will be the team of **Ken Koepfer & Jon Wilkerson** who also qualified to play in the SCGA Net Four-Ball. Good luck to both teams.

You can see a photo of the participants in this link. <u>https://redhawkgolfers.org/membership</u>

Temecula Valley Golf League

This week our team beat Hemet Landmark to improve their record to 2-2-1, a .500 record. With 2 matches to go before the playoffs there's still an opportunity to finish with a winning record.



Good Bye

In the past 6 months we've lost some long-time members. Our best goes out to these guys as the start a new life elsewhere.

Bob & Ethan Heim, Oklahoma

Owen O'Malley, Tennessee

Greg Hollingsworth, Kansas

Pete Kavanagh, Pennsylvania

My apologies to others I may have missed.

Short Putts

August Tournament. Our next monthly tournament will be held on Tuesday, August 17th. It will be a 2 Man Shamble, with the teams being picked by our Tournament Director.

Tuesday Tee Times. For the last 4 weeks I've been arranging our Tuesday tee times. That responsibility has now moved on to another Board member. We (Board) have discussed this additional duty being laid on the various Board members while no one has volunteered to be our Tournament Director, or a volunteered to take on this task. As a result, we will be looking at other options for setting Tuesday groups. More to come on this change soon.

Upcoming Major Tournaments. Our **Club Championship** (October) has qualifications for entry, identical to our President's Cup. If you're planning to play in the Championship, be sure to check out the Standing Rules (#4) on our website.

Player Profile

Many thanks to **Don McAuliffe** for agreeing to bring back our Player Profile feature. You can find this month's profile on **Jon Wilkerson** here. https://redhawkgolfers.org/member-profile

Check it out.

Monthly Video

If I had a caddy this would be his role on #18.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VEZVcN0Jto8

See you in the short grass.

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