



BWGL NEWS

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As another great season (our 36th, I believe!) draws to a close, we are actively preparing for another great golfing season in 2020. And to that end, I am happy to announce that all of the Officers and most, if not all, the Chairpersons have agreed to continue for another year!! Of course, there is a caveat or two..... Vicki Little thinks that her 5 years as Treasurer is her max!! So, she would welcome a volunteer to work with her in 2020 with the intention of taking over the role in 2021!

Also in preparation for 2020, **Peggy** has some major changes to report that will affect us in the coming years: SO

From the Handicap Chair.....

You should continue posting your scores in this area until December 31, 2019, as the active season in Kansas is now through that date. Only January and February will be an inactive season here.

A new handicap system named the World Handicap System will be in effect January 1, 2020. How that affects us...well, I don't know! I will be attending a seminar in February to learn about it. Below, is info I copied just to give some insight. (It was in the latest handicap revision you received but may have missed reading it.)

You may find that your Handicap Index would be different due to the newly developed rules that more fairly indicate a golfer's demonstrated ability. In most cases for golfers in the U.S., it will change less than a stroke. The more consistent your scores, the less likely your Handicap Index will change as a result.

In addition to the calculation, there are four important new features of the WHS coming in January:

- Course Handicaps are changing
- Net Double Bogey is replacing Equitable Stroke Control (ESC)
- Your Handicap Index will be revised after every day you post a score instead of every two weeks
- New precautions to prevent extreme upward movement of a Handicap Index

Peggy K.

Thanks, Peggy for a job well done even though you were not able to personally participate as much as you would have liked.

BWGL Oct. 2019 Weekly Prize Winners

Oct. 1, 2019	Most Pars (Back 9)
Flight A	Jennifer Fry, Cindy Renard (1)
Flight B	Nonya Horning (2)
Flight C	Sherri Shoffner (1)

10 ladies golfed on Oct. 1 for most Pars on the back 9, which had just been aerated the day before. 6 ladies golfed in the morning, and 4 ladies finished as the rain started coming down in the evening.

Oct. 8, 2019	Low Gross (Front 9)
Flight A	Jennifer Fry (46)
Flight B	Lana Lyda (48)
Flight C	Nadine Roberts (57)

We golfed for Low Gross on the front 9 on Oct. 8. A total of 9 ladies golfed with 4 golfing in the morning, and 5 in the evening on this cool fall day.

Oct. 15, 2019	Most Bogeys (Back 9)
Flight A	Jennifer Fry, Cindy Renard (4)
Flight B	Melissa Rodriguez (1)
Flight C	Dottie Kaiser, Nonya Horning (2)

5 ladies golfed on the evening of Oct. 15. This was our last league day for 2019, and we golfed the back 9 for most bogeys. It has been a great YEAR!

Nonya

I personally and publicly want to thank **Nonya** for her timely reporting and interesting comments throughout the season regarding our weekly playdays. THANK YOU, NONYA for a job well done. You made my part of the job so much easier! And... CONGRATULATIONS on moving up a flight this year!!

WANTED

I would like to put out a request for anyone who may have a **2017 and/or 2013 BWGL Directory**. I didn't realize I didn't have these in the VP box until now. I would like to have a complete set for posterity.

Thanks,

Nancy

2019 ANNUAL AWARDS



Several years ago we voted to honor anyone getting a hole-in-one during a BWGL Event with a \$25 CASH prize! This prize went unclaimed for several years ... but this year we had 2 claims for this coveted prize!! Both Barb and Jennifer got Hole-in-Ones at Mac during weekly play!
Barb on #17 and Jennifer on # 12!!

9 HOLES

1st Flight

Most Pars - Nancy Knopp
Least Putts - Cindy Renard
Ringer - Amy Griffith

2nd Flight

Most Pars - Lanie Campbell
Least Putts - Tammy Blunt
Ringer Becky - Beddow

3rd Flight

Most Pars - Nonya Horning
Least Putts - Leta Miller
Ringer - Sherri Shoffner

Most Improved: Lana Lyda

18 HOLES

1st Flight

Most Pars - Pat Toten
Least Putts - Barb Wright

2nd Flight

Most Pars - Cheryl Greiving
Least Putts - Becke Parks

3rd Flight

Most Pars - Vicki Shue
Least Putts - Nadine Roberts



President Cheryl



WINNER'S PRIZES

ANOTHER BIG THANKS

To **Vicki Shue** for arranging our Awards Dinner and table gifts! Vicki has been doing this for at least the last couple of years and she handles it so professionally. I, for one, will vote for her to continue in this role. She has developed such a good rapport with Larkspur, it just seems like that is the place to go for our year-end festivities. And, why not? They always treat us very well! Thanks, Vicki

Oh, Yes! When you get your Hole-In-One, it's a self-reporting event to get your accomplishment recognized in the KGA News.... But, the Wichita Golf Clubs will report them to the Wichita Eagle. All you have to do is let them know the facts!

ANOTHER BIG THANKS

Goes to **Jan Yaeger** for the fantastic job she has done with our tournaments this year.... And, yes, that includes ROMAN NOSE!! She hesitated on that one but it was great fun! And it made us aware of the possible advantages to making our out of town tournaments 2-night affairs!

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TIL NEXT SEASON

