



JUNE NEWSLETTER 2020

Nadine Roberts, Editor

PRESIDENT'S GREETING

Dear BWGL members:

I saw a sign at Tree Top Nursey a few weeks ago that said, "Spring has not been canceled." Um...I beg to differ. We totally missed all our normal Spring traditions: reconnecting with our friends after a long winter, that first perfect drive of the spring, rainy April play days, a freezing-cold first tournament of the year... Okay, some things are better than others. But after a long delay, here we are, and it's summer and it's finally time to play golf! Yippee! I'm glad to see so many of my good friends and welcome some new ones as we finally get this season off the ground. The "Stay-at-Home" orders and forced delay to our season have made me very appreciative of the time I do spend with my friends on and off the golf course. I am very grateful that golf is a sport that we can continue to play even as we "Socially Distance." If it becomes safe to do so, we will have a meeting later this summer to try to address some of the issues that have been caused by our delayed start and by missing some tournaments. If we don't feel comfortable having a large group meeting, we will try to put together a virtual meeting. But in the meantime, enjoy the game, and savor the time with friends playing the game we love.

Cheryl Greiving

TOURNAMENT PLAYDAYS

Jan and Cheryl have been working diligently to salvage as much as possible of our remaining Tournament Schedule. The major change they have decided on is to not have any weekend out of town tournaments this year. Instead they will try to fill those dates with 1-day trips to nearby golf courses. Of course, we have already missed the April and May tournament days and Derby CC cancelled our tournament there.

The Coffeyville trip is being replaced with a 1-day-er at Sim on June 27. That flyer (with all the details) is being sent out with this newsletter.

There will be much more to come regarding tournaments as details are worked out. Jan had a great slate of tournaments scheduled and all the work she put into that is greatly appreciated ... as is her persistent efforts in rescheduling them.

THANK YOU, JAN



Welcome back to our returning officers!!!

Treasurer – Vicki Little

President – Cheryl Greiving

Vice President – Nancy Knopp

Secretary - Cindy Renard

CHAIRPERSONS:

Annual Awards: Carol Shelton

Communications: Nadine Roberts

Handicap: Peggy King

Rules and Arbitration: Nancy Knopp

Senior Representative: Terry Chesnut

Social: Ann Wagner

Team Play Captain: Vicki Smith

Tournaments: Jan Yaeger

Website Coordinator: Nadine Roberts

Weekly Awards: Nonya Horning

SCORECARD MANAGEMENT

Please continue to take a picture of your Tuesday scorecards and send them to **both** Nonya and Carol. These scorecards will be used to determine **weekly and annual awards**. Carol is also using these scores to do our **Ringer Scores**. Thank you, Carol for doing that.

If you will put the names of the people you played with on your card, this will help them to be able to double check and make sure they have received scores from everyone who played. Otherwise they may not get their "just rewards"!

From the Handicap Chair.....

- Now that you've had time to use the new handicap system, how's it going? Are you remembering to check your Handicap Index every day to see if there has been a change that affects your Course Handicap? Are you having any trouble figuring your adjusted score for posting? I've only heard from a couple of ladies, so I am assuming this new system is going ok for you.
 - Most of you are likely using your smart phone with the GHIN app to post your scores. However, if you go to the computer and use Internet Explorer for GHIN.com, it will not work as Explorer cannot support GHIN anymore. You need to use another browser such as Chrome.
 - If you need corrections to posting entries, let me know so I can make the fix. If you do not pay your GHIN fee through BWGL, you will need to let your club's handicap administrator know.
- Interestingly, what I have noticed is that for many of you, handicaps seem to be going down. Is that because of the new system or your game is just improving??!!
- Please, if you have any questions, be sure to let me know.

Peggy K.

IT'S NOT TOO EARLY TO



November 10 for our End of Year AWARDS DINNER

NEWS FLASH JUST IN: We will be playing at Hesston Golf Course on August 29th in place of the weekend trip to Peoria Ridge!

Thank you, Jan

BWGL May 26, 2020 Weekly Prize Winners **Best Poker Hand (Front 9)**

Flight A: Barb Anthem (Straight 5 6 7 8 9)

Flight B: Jeanne Shoemaker

(Four of a kind 6 6 6 6)

Flight C: Carol Shelton (Four of a kind 7 7 7 7)

Nonya

**BEST ADVICE I EVER HAD, LPGA Tour Player,
Natalie GULBIS**

Believe in yourself! This applies outside of golf, as well. In addition to teaching me the many technical elements of the game, my father also instilled in me a strong work ethic and a mental toughness. He would remind me each day to believe in what I was doing, to trust in what my coaches were telling me and to apply their lessons with the belief that they would make me reach my goals. He was right. I qualified for the LPGA Tour at age 19 on my first attempt, believing that I belonged out there. **Confidence is a powerful tool, and I hope that you apply it to your game.**

Then there is **David FEHERTY**, Ryder Cup Team Member, Former European Tour Player, Golf Analyst with CBS Sports.

Best golf advice I ever received was given to me by Gary McCord. He told me to give up competitive golf and go into television!!

THE BEST GOLF ADVICE:

JUST

ENJOY

YOURSELF

AND THE PEOPLE YOU ARE PLAYING WITH!!!