9HOLERSNEWS

Women of all ages, of all playing abilities, enjoying the game of golf



Calendar of Events

June 1st Pro Tournament June 8th Pro Tournament rain date June 15th Member Guest Day June 22nd Your Turn/My Turn July 6th **Emily Buck Tournament** July 13th Emily Buck rain date July 20th Most pars August 3rd Least number of putts **August 17th** Special Ball Day **August 24th** Mumbo Jumbo **August 31st** Play the back nine September 7th George Buck Tournament September 14th George Buck rain date September 21st Irons & Hybrids Only September 28th **Charity Event** October 5th Charity Event rain date October 19th

Last day of play

2017 Co-Presidents' Message

It's June - and traditionally the start of summer and summer temps - except for mid May! Wow! May 18th was hot and steamy! With temps in the low 90s (no typo) the ranger and starter helped seven women off the course and provided water to several others. We have the best Longshore Golf Course staff! Please thank them for their courteous service to the LLNHGA members. So, as we approach the actual start of summer this month, don't forget to bring hydration with you on the course.

Thanks to all for a totally fun Quatro de Mayo fiesta after game play! The margaritas, tacos, and desserts were muy rico! Lots of fun with new and returning members - and don't forget the "Ay, ay, ay, ay!" piñata complete with prizes:) See page 4 for pictures of our members enjoying the festivities.

As you know, we rolled over to the triple digits and are officially up to a new high of 111 members! It is so great to see so many women enjoying the game of golf. Encourage a friend to join you at Longshore for Women's Golf Day on Tuesday, June 6th from 4 - 7 p.m. It's free! You can read more about it on page 3.

You're never too old or too young to learn and play. I was born into a multigenerational golf family. I had a set of sawed off clubs to fit me at the age of 4 years old and spent many days hitting balls and putting on the green until I was old enough to begin playing on the golf course. It is one of the greatest gifts my parents gave me. Our extended family used to take up several tee times in a row on the golf course. It is such an enjoyable way to spend time with family and friends.

This is my final month of play with y'all and I can't imagine what my life in Connecticut would have been like without being a part of LLNHGA. Get involved! Reach out and share your passion and your talent with our organization. By now you know we are a really fun, low pressure group. We are seeking a co-president to join our board of directors. If you've ever wanted to get involved . . . now is the time! Don't be intimidated. Please let Ellen or I know if you would like a copy of the job description, have questions about or interest in the role.

Many thanks for all the fun and rounds. Long live the LLNHGA!

Angela and Ellen

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MESSAGE FROM MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

New Mentorship program is in full swing. 9 New Members have requested mentors to help them familiarize themselves with LLNHGA procedures and getting to know other members. If you are a new member and would like a mentor please contact me.

-Anne Haymon artyannie1@gmail.com



Switch A Hole:

Flight A low gross score - Susan Lloyd 46 Flight A low net score - Ellen Ehli 37

Flight B low gross score - Suzanne Goldstein 55, match of cards with Eileen

Hart for 1 hole

Flight B low net score - Eileen Hart 37

Flight C low gross score - Mary Towers 58

Flight C low net score - Marie Soderstrom 40, match of cards with Goldie Winn

for 5 holes!

3 Blind Holes:

Flight A low gross score - Ellen Ehli 27 Flight A low net score - Isabel Bullen 15

Flight B low gross score - Julie Chandler 31, match of cards with Jane

Mastrianni for 1 hole

Flight B low net score - Betty Kaye 14, match of cards with Marianne Laredo for

2 holes.

Flight C low gross score - Trudie Gubitz 39, match of cards with Mary Towers

and Avonne Seidemen for 2 holes.

Flight C low net score - Julie Di Raimondo 10

4 Clubs:

Flight A low gross score - Julie Gray 50, match of cards with Mandy Germishuys for 1 hole

Flight A low net score - Janet Mittleman 35

Flight B low gross score - Janet Albert 55

Flight B low net score - Marianne Laredo 35

Flight C low gross score - Penny Cox 59

Flight C low net score - Dorothy Packer 29

MESSAGE FROM STARTER CHAIR

Thank you to all the LLNHGA members who volunteered to be starters. I had so many responses, I filled the openings in one day. Please email me if you would like to be on the substitute list.

-Margaret Breines <u>margaret.breines@gmail.com</u>

STARTERS SCHEDULE

June 1st - Joan Burman & Yvonne Seidman

June 8th - Liz Blasko & Janet Mittleman

June 22nd - Sue Kirby & Kelle Ruden

June 29th - Carol Christiaanse & Jean Jacullo

As a starter, please remember to sign up for the last tee time of the day if you are planning to play that week.

Upcoming Events

JUNE 1ST PRO TOURNAMENT

This is a scramble played in teams of 4 with A, B, C and D player. A scramble means that each player tees off, the best drive is chosen, then all the players hit a ball from the best location and this continues until the ball is holed. The winner is the team with the lowest net score.

JUNE 8TH
PRO TOURNAMENT
RAIN DATE

JUNE 15TH - MEMBER GUEST TOURNAMENT

Grab a friend (not a member of LLNHGA) for a morning of golf followed by a delicious lunch at Rizzuto's for our Member Guest Tournament. Please sign up with your name and your guest's name and handicap (for nine holes) on our website, www.llnhga.org (under Upcoming Events, click on Member Guest sign up) BEFORE JUNE 8TH. Space is limited.

The cost is \$65.00 per person, which includes golf, riding cart and lunch. It's a shotgun start so everyone rides!

Please send a check, payable to LLNHGA to: Caroline Russell-Walling 2 Canterbury Close Westport, CT 06880

Members who wish to play that day, but not in the tournament with a guest, please contact me. This will be on a first come first served basis and I will do my best to accommodate you, but no guarantees. Also, please let me know if you will attend the lunch

Questions, please email Caroline at crussellwalling@optonline.net



Ladies Only Demo Day at Teaching Area

Short Game Clinics

Under Armour Apparel Trunk Show

Golf-Themed Physical Therapy Demonstrations by a Licensed PT

No cost to attend, come have fun!

JUNE 22ND - YOUR TURN/MY TURN (AKA,"I'AM SORRY")

In this event, two golfers play as a team and alternate hitting the same golf ball so only one score per hole is recorded per team. This event is nicknamed "I'm Sorry" because you may say that a lot to your partner if you hit her into the sand or the ruff. The team with the lowest net score wins. Sign up for a tee time on Foretees. Note: The earlier tee times will be reserved for those members participating in this event since those teams will play faster due to only using one ball. Later tee time will be designated on Foretees for those members not participating in the event.



ONLINE TEE TIMES



Tee time reservations may be made online at www.foretees.com/llnhga You may sign up yourself and three other members the week prior to play on Thursday at 3PM.

CHECKING IN

Please check in with the LLNHGA starter located near the first tee bench at least 20 min. before your scheduled tee time. Please be on the first tee box and ready to swing 5 min. before play

BIRDIES AND EAGLES

Don't forget to record your birdies and eagles on the bulletin board in the women's locker room...for a special prize at the end of the year!

CANCELLING A TEE TIME

If you need to make a change to or cancel your tee time, you may do so online before Wednesday at 12 noon. After this date and time, you must contact the Longshore Golf Course directly. Tee sheets are sent to Longshore Golf Course so that unused tee times are available to the public. If you fail to properly cancel your tee time and are a "no show" you will be charged at the discretion of the golf course.



FREE RANGE BALLS

Free range balls are available on the practice range Thurs. mornings before you tee off

PHONE NUMBERS

Longshore Golf Course Starter 203.226.9785

Longshore Golf Course Pro Shop 203.221.0900

Membership forms are on the LLNHGA Website. All ages, levels from Westport and surrounding towns are welcome to join.

WE ARE ON THE WEB!

Visit us at www.llnhga.org

