

September 2015 Championships and Membership Meeting

Our annual General Meeting will be held on September 17th. This is a busy day, what with a shotgun tournament buffet luncheon, raffle prizes, and board elections for next year. You are encouraged to attend, support your club and have some fun too. Your cost for lunch is \$10. We will serve BBQ chicken and ribs, among other dishes. Attend and pay with your entry form, even if you do not play. Guests are welcome, for golf and/or lunch, prepaid with your entry form. The raffle is for members only.

Board Elections will take place at our September meeting. If you want to be considered for a board position, please contact any board member by August 20th. We are in special need of members who have an interest in directing some tournaments. Moderate skill in spreadsheet operation is needed to arrange pairings, track finances, print scorecards and report results. The slate of board nominees will be published at least 2 weeks before the meeting.

Those who want to compete for the Club Championship will play on both September 16th and 17th, on Los Lagos, then Mesa Linda. The entry fee will be \$15 to fund cash prizes for first and second place gross. A member must have played in five regular events since the last Championship Tournament to sign up. The winner will also receive a paid entry into the the 2015 SCGA Tournament of Champions (at Morgan Run or Santaluz), played November 30 (\$140 value). Tom Anderson has retained the title of Club Champion since 2010.

Members will compete for our Club Net Championship, as well as A, B, and C Flight Championships, September 17th, on Mesa Linda. To be eligible, a member must have played in five regular club events since last September, as well as one of the last four tournaments on Mesa Linda (July 2, July 16, August 6 or September 3). Winners will have the lowest net total from September 17, combined with their lowest net from one of those four prior tournaments. The overall low net golfer (from any of the three flights) will also receive a paid entry into the 2015 SCGA Tournament of Champions (Net), to be played on December 7 in Palm Desert. In lieu of trophies, Flight and overall Champions will receive cash prizes. This tournament will also offer the usual prize fund awards to top placers of the day, including those whose were not eligible for a Championship.

Thank you to all who are helping with pace of play. It's important to stay up with your group and the group ahead. We are all responsible for making this happen.

We are looking forward to seeing you at the September General Meeting. There are many raffle prizes, including a golf bag, hybrid clubs, shirts, range cards, bottles of wine, golf balls (Titleist, Bridgestone, Srixon), cash prizes, paid entries to our October 22 away event in Sierra Lakes and more. No one should leave empty handed. Please join us.

Thanks for choosing to golf with CMSGA.

John Smith