

## WEST SEATTLE WOMENS' GOLF CLUB NEWSLETTER

WINTER TO SPRING 2022

Greetings fellow Foxes!

Winter Golf continues! The weather gods played me for a fool on March 1<sup>st</sup> by soaking the course on February 28<sup>th</sup> with a deluge causing tiny streams to become rivers and greens to become lakes! I chose NOT to play our first Tuesday of Open Season only to be informed by fellow mud honey Kelly Larson that it was a GREAT day to play! Ah well!

Week 2-March 8<sup>th</sup> looks promising and our tee sheet shows 13 hopeful players have signed up! Let's keep our fingers crossed for clear skies and solid ground beneath our feet!

Super Senior Tee Times Available! Fran Zickes has asked me to reach out to all of our members who have achieved the age of 75 who might be interested in saving some \$\$\$. As you may know, players who are 75 and older can play for a reduced rate after 10 a.m. Fran will be securing at least one tee time (4 players) at 10 a.m. every Tuesday through April (at which time our regularly scheduled tee times include a 10 a.m. start). She would like you to contact her via email if you are interested...bzickes@centurylink.net. Thanks to Fran! Other members who would like to play at this time are also welcome. Please contact Fran.

Remember to post your scores as Active Posting Season began on March 1<sup>st</sup>...Winter Rules still apply (thank goodness!).

Weekly Competition begins the first week of April with the return of Barb Strecker from sunnier climes. The name of the competition and game details will be posted on the bulletin board in the locker room each week. I hope to post future competitions details on our bulletin board and on the website as they become available. Note: It is necessary to post your scores promptly and accurately both in the GHIN and on the weekly competition sheets in order to be included in the competition. More on that topic after our next Board Meeting.

Mixing up the foursomes! There has been much discussion over the years regarding how to foster friendships and opportunities to meet other club members by encouraging members to play with someone new. While it is natural and easy to fall into a comfort zone of playing with people you know and enjoy, many of us feel it is a good idea to create opportunities to play with someone you don't know! On that note, your Board has decided that once each month, the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday, players will simply sign up to play, no tee times assigned up front. Phoebe (our SignUp Genius) will randomly create foursomes and generate a tee sheet. Monthly tournaments may also be a format that fosters mixing up players (scrambles, best ball etc). Sign ups for the remaining Tuesdays will remain the same as usual. We recognize that this is a change that might take some getting used to and welcome input!

Welcome New Members! I am pleased to announce the addition of 3 new members since our last newsletter. Please join me in welcoming Elizabeth Bullock, Yessica Gonzalez, and Toni Webb. Ladies,

we are honored that you have decided to join us and look forward to much fun in 2022! Please contact any of us with questions and don't forget to sign up for a tee time!

That's all for now ladies!

Go Foxes!

Maureen (Mo)Kennelly

WSWGC Captain for 2022