

President's June Newsletter

It gives me great pleasure to be able to report to you – nothing new!

May was a very quiet month for Trilogy La Quinta Men's Golf Club. However, we did enjoy some absolutely incredible weather for the majority of the month. Temperatures were mostly in the 80's. We even had some measureable rain one day! Besides having a large number of members in our club, and putting on excellent weekly events, I suspect the weather also contributed to the consistent turnout for our Monday events.

However, that does not mean we are resting on our laurels. Despite the fact that we did a handicap rating of each of the holes just last June, the board of directors feels compelled to perform another hole by hole handicap rating. It is anticipated the rating will be performed over the course of the summer. TLQMC Secretary Bart Fowler has volunteered to spearhead the evaluation.

As for the condition of the golf course, it is still in great shape. The grass is in transition from winter to summer but tee boxes, fairways and greens are still being maintained very well. That is particularly true of the greens. The greens are firm and smooth, which allows them to roll very consistently. As the summer progresses, I will keep you abreast of the impact of the drought restrictions on the playing areas of the golf course.

A congratulation is in order - Congratulations to Ed Barnhart who aced 17 on Sunday, May 24. Nice shot Ed!

Also, include the following folks in your thoughts and prayers.

John Shaver is going to have quadruple bypass surgery on June 1. He went in for an angiogram. It was thought he might have needed a stent, but it was determined he had 95-99% blockage. He is at Desert Regional in Palm Springs.

As many of you know, Wayne Bowman has had back problems for many years. Last year he had back surgery and, unfortunately, a combination of that surgery producing less than desirable results and, a continued deterioration of his back, Wayne is going in for another, more extensive surgery this week as well.

I know we all wish them well.

In the meantime, if you are still here, hydrate while you play and enjoy yourself.

See you on the course.

Gary