

# The Nutmeg Golfer

## The Winner's Issue

Fall 2012

Editor: Jeanne Gerace

Dear Members,

It never ceases to amaze me how quickly our golf season passes each year. It's the reason so many of us are anxious to get started as early as we can in the spring and then play well into the fall, hoping to stretch it out as much as possible. It was a busy and very successful golf season for us as an organization. In March, the CWGA along with the other members of the CT Golf Alliance, gathered at the Capitol to celebrate the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Golf Industry Day – an opportunity to remind our legislators of the positive economic, social and environmental impact the golf industry has on CT. In May, CWGA teamed up with SNEWGA, the CT Section PGA and the First Tee to support Suzy Whaley as she hosted a Junior Girls' Golf Fair for over 300 girls.

Our tournament season began on May 1<sup>st</sup> and included events at two new CWGA

member clubs: The Club at River Oaks in Sherman and Rock Ridge CC in Newtown. Participation in our events was steady, but down slightly from 2011. We did however witness an increase in the number of members using our new TPP online registration program to enter our events. We are hopeful that this trend will continue with membership renewals this winter.

There was a successful response to our plea for more course raters this year – vital

to the continuation of CWGA as we know it. About 20 members attended a clinic given by CSGA's Ryan Hoffman and many were able to get their first experience helping to rate a course. We look forward to tackling more courses early next season.

As you know, successful golf seasons don't just happen. There are many that should be recognized for their role in our success beginning with the very talented and generous members of our governing Board. I am

grateful for the opportunity to align myself with this terrific group of women. They work hard and give many hours of their time to our organization for the benefit of all. A big thank you to our Tournament Officials, led by Senior Official Barry Burke, who prepare for our tournaments, greet us at every event and make sure all runs smoothly. We are so fortunate to have the support of the CSGA whose Rules Officials, led by Jeff and our own Jane Witherwax, officiate all of our major events.

Finally, there wouldn't be a CWGA without all of you. Your continued membership and support of our tournaments allows us to continue a tradition that began in 1919 – the ability to grow and promote women's golf in CT.

Best wishes to you all and safe travels to those heading to warmer temps.

## President's Message



Carol representing CWGA at Golf Industry Day



### Attention Snowbirds!

Do you have an alternate winter address where you would like to receive your 2013 CWGA Membership Handbook? This year we are offering a new service in which we will mail your handbook to that sunny locale!

If you would like to take advantage of this service, please email your winter address to Jeanne Gerace :

[jmgerace1@comcast.net](mailto:jmgerace1@comcast.net)

You may also use the opportunity to notify Jeanne that you would like to opt out of the paper copy of the semi-annual bulletin and read it online.

That's two birdies with one shot!

## 2012 Connecticut Juniors

### Win Tri-State!



For the first time since 1983, Connecticut Juniors emerged victoriously at the Tri-State competition held at Quidnessett CC in North Kingstown, RI scoring 99.5 points topping Massachusetts with 90.5 and Rhode Island with 80.

Pictured above from left to right are Hope Matthews (Greenwich), Lisa Calcasola (Longmeadow), Julia Kemmling (Berlin), Gabrielle Martin (Madison), Emily Stickel (Berlin), Ashley D'Attilio (Berlin) and Linda Kaye, Juniors Coordinator, who stated: "It was well deserved as there girls were a delight to be with"

What a wonderful way for Linda to end her long tenure as CWGA Junior Chair. Thank you for your years of service, Linda!

**CWGA is Growing**

We are pleased to introduce our newest members:

Aspetuck: **S. Bray, N. Corcoran, A. Massie**

G. C. of Avon: **D. Mackenzie**

Brownson CC: **C. Dziubina**

Ellington Ridge CC: **C. Kinder**

CC of Farmington: **D. Gorman, J. Donaldson**

Farmington Woods CC: **J. Brault**

Glastonbury Hills CC: **T. Yenker, L. Groher**

Great Neck CC: **K. Rhee, E. Mayo, M. Quinn**

Heritage Village CC: **G. Vescovi**

Highfield: **M. Larkin, T. Tilki**

Indian Hill CC: **J. Cahill**

Madison CC: **J. Conroy**

New Haven: **P. Gasparro**

Oronoke CC: **J. Rasmussen, M. Zwecker**

Pine Orchard CC: **S. Risley, J. Schiavone**

Race Brook CC: **D. Lamy**

Redding CC: **N. Litvak**

Rolling Hills CC: **A. Belport**

Shuttle Meadow CC.: **C. Rousseau, C. Enright**

Stonington CC: **P. Vandervelde, M. Krenicky**

TPC at River Highlands: **C. Matasavage, J. Bentley, J. Campbell**

Tumble Brook: **T. Robinson, W. Sicklick, J. Weissman, D. Fischman, J. Greenberg**

Wallingford CC: **F. Romano, A. Porto, L. Panzo**

Watertown GC: **J. Gemino**

Wethersfield CC: **B. Granato**

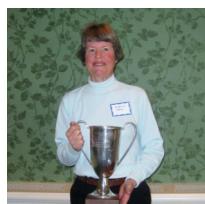
L to R: Emily Stickel (Kensington), Nicole Yatsenick (Middlebury), Elizabeth DeVincen-tis, (Durham) Not pictured: Nikki Liucci (Canton) and Brooke Nethercott (Greenwich)

**CWGA Championship Events**

Lynn Lefler (l) and Robin Bick-erstaff (r) present the CWGA Championship Cup to **Nicole Yatsenick** (c)



Runner-Up: **Jean Sennett**  
Medalist: **Myra Macmillan**



Founder's Cup Champion:  
**Priscilla Wargo**



Founder's Cup Runner-Up:  
**Janet Karabin**



Senior Champion:  
**Carol Galbraith** (l)  
Runner-Up:  
**Myra Macmillan** (r)  
Senior Net Champion:  
**Marjorie Funk**  
Senior Net Runner-Up:  
**L. Johnson**



Legends Champion:  
**Terry MacNamara**  
Legends Runner-up:  
**Anita Fivek**  
Legends Net Champion:  
**Jean Mazo**  
Legends Net Runner-Up:  
**Gail Appell**



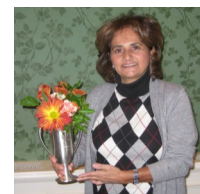
Junior Champion:  
**June Conti** (c)  
Junior Runner-Up:  
**Marissa Grillo** (l)  
Third Place Junior:  
**Lisa Calcasola** (r)



Tournament of Champions:  
**Nicole Yatsenick**  
with tourn. chair, Sara Papa.



The Medallion:  
**Jean Sennett & Donna Maradie**



President's Cup:  
**Donna Maradie & Andrea Rosenfield**  
(not shown)

**From Phyllis Kindelan to Club Reps:**

Thank you for all your help this year. You are a vital link between general membership and the Board who work hard throughout the year planning great events!

Please forward any employee and CWGA rep changes that may occur at your club over winter to me at : [p.kindelan@comcast.net](mailto:p.kindelan@comcast.net)

Look for info on our annual reps meeting in the Spring Newsletter.

**Scholarship Winners Announced**

The Priscilla Maxwell Endicott/CWGA/Patricia D. Creed Scholarship committee would like to thank the membership of the Connecticut Women's Golf Association for their annual contribution given to us through their dues, as well as, all contributions received from member clubs, past presidents, and other donors who generously gave in memory of a loved one or friend.

We especially thank the Creed family for their very generous annual donation to the Patricia DeWeiss Creed Scholarship. This scholarship is totally funded by the Creed family.

A **PME Scholarship** was awarded to each of the following four applicants:

**Elizabeth DeVincen-tis** (Shuttle Meadow) Georgetown University

**Nikki Liucci** (Tower Ridge) St. Francis College

**Emily Stickel** (Timberline GC) LeMoyne College

**Nicole Yatsenick** (CC of Waterbury) Rollins College

**Patricia DeWeiss Creed Scholarship to:**

**Brooke Nethercott**, (Griffith E. Harris) University of Hartford.



## Past President's Cup Winners



(l to r) Front row: Mim Schreck (Oronoque), Dianne Rothwell (Ellington Ridge), Trish Perry (Watertown), Marion Hyde (CC of Farm.), Linda Olisky (Stonington), Diann Wienke (CC of Farm.), Sharon Nightingale (Redding) Back row: Thirza Hyatt, Mary Ellen Rosenberry, Cheri Ziebka, Sue Grayson, & Sue Motycka (CC of Farm.), and Missy Evans (Stonington)

Dr. Roberta Massey Cup-Redding CC  
Sharon Nightingale-Captain

Carolyn Creed Cup-CC of Farmington  
Diann Wienke-Captain

Nicki Cobb Cup-Watertown CC  
Trish Perry-Captain

Karen Bunting Cup-Oronoque CC  
Dee Shildneck-Captain

Mrs. John Lehr Cup-Stonington CC  
Jill Bach-Captain

Jeanine Marcucci Cup-Ellington Ridge  
Diane Rothwell-Captain

## CWGA Team Events

### Connecticut/Rhode Island Team Matches (Hartford GC):

Connecticut: 231.5 Rhode Island: 254.5

### CWGA vs. SNEWGA Matches:

CWGA: 86 SNEWGA: 94

### Endicott Cup/Tri-State Matches (Nashwatic CC):

Tri-State Cup Winner: Rhode Island

Connecticut-runner-up

Eaton Cup Winner: Rhode Island

## 56th Annual NEWGA Championship



For the second year in a row, and the 5<sup>th</sup> time in the history of the championship, CT won the coveted Fanchon Cartin Trophy which combines the best gross and two net scores from each state for each day of the event. Nashwatic CC was the site where the team scored 648 points. Congratulations to team members (l-r) Jen Holland, Lisa Fern-Boros, Nikki Liucci, Jennifer Burrill, Gale Lemieux. Not pictured: Jean Sennett, Ann Newman, Paula D'Aniello-Lupi

## One Day Tournaments

### 5/1 Best Balls of 3 by draw: The Club at River Oaks

1st Gross-Schreck, Stern, Johnson;  
1st Net-(tie) Vanderlick, Tschantz, Dishon  
Gerace, Nicaise, O'Connor

### 5/25 A/B Summer Special by draw: Chippabee GC

1st Gross-Harris, Beizer, Rothwell, Basson  
1st Net-Schreck, Bryant, Schatz, Stern

### 6/26 A/B Best Ball of 4: Lake of Isles

1st Gross-Karabin, Nightingale, Ziebka, Judge  
1st Net-JR Smith, Foland, James, Rodgers

### 7/16 Better Ball of 2, in Flights: Suffield Country Club

1st Gross 1st Flight-Newman/Schuman  
1st Net 1st Flight-James/Macmillan  
1st Gross 2nd Flight-DiStefano/Magdefrau  
1st Net 2nd Flight-Morris/Corcoran  
1st Gross 3rd Flight-O'Connor/Lefurge  
1st Net 3rd Flight-Brunell/Gacek

### 8/20 Mixed Foursomes: Farmington Woods

**AM:** 1st Gross Flight #1-McNamara/Golbesky  
1st Net-Flight #1-Aldrich/Aldrich  
1st Gross-Flight#2-Appell/Appell  
1st Net-Flight #2-Elia/Elia

**PM:** 1st Gross-Flight #1-Zanetto/Zanetto  
1st Net-Flight #1-Schmidt knecht/Schmidt knecht  
1st Gross-Flight #2-Perry/Perry  
1st Net-Flight #2-Mayo/Mayo

### 9/4 Better Ball of 2 in Flights: Rock Ridge CC

1st Gross 1st Flight-Schreck/Marino  
1st Net 1st Flight-Tendler/Struna  
1st Gross 2nd Flight-L. Johnson/O'Connor  
1st Net 2nd Flight-Crotty/Hamilton

### Online Renewals

**Online** renewals will be accepted from Jan. 1- Feb. 28, 2013 ONLY! We encourage you to renew early!

For mail-in renewal information, please see the form on the back page.

## Save the Dates in 2013

Tournament Planner, Michelle Dreiss, has been working diligently to secure dates and sites for the 2013 Calendar of Events.

### Majors:

Championship at Hartford Golf:	June 11-14
Seniors/Juniors at CC of Waterbury:	July 25-26
Legends at CC of Waterbury:	July 26

### Team event:

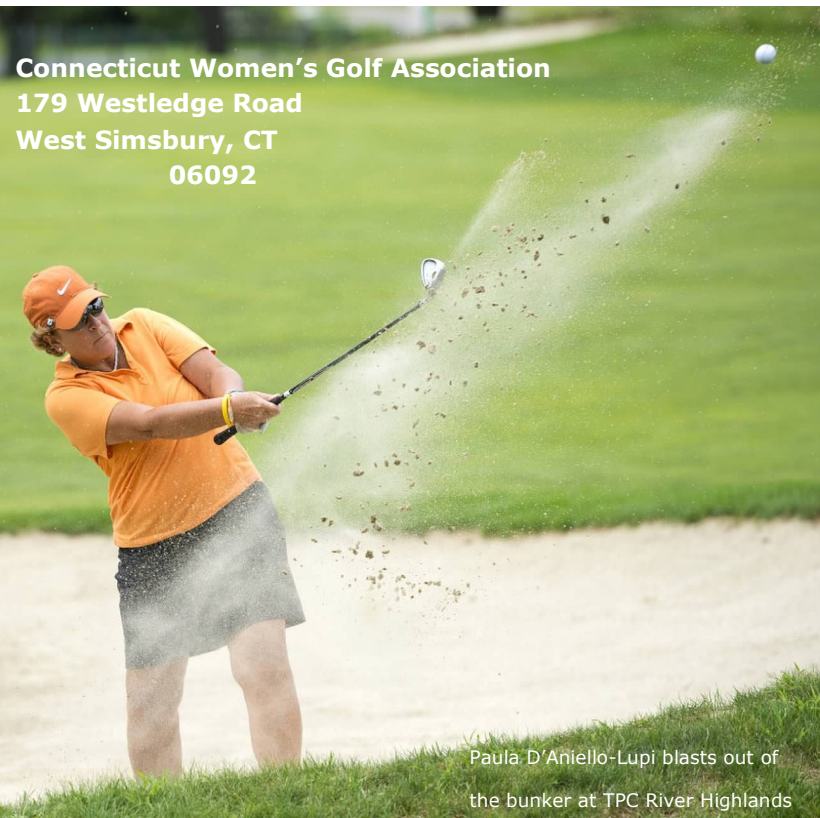
CT-RI at Warwick:	June 4
NEWGA at Renaissance (MA):	July 9-11
CWGA-SNEWGA at Manchester:	Aug 1
Endicott at Ellington Ridge:	Sept 30-Oct 2

### One Days:

Opening Mixer	Brownson Country Club
Summer Special	Great Neck Run
Mixed Foursome	Country Club of Farmington
Medallion	Black Hall
Presidents' Cup	Rockrimmon Country Club
Other	Shuttle Meadow Country Club, Yale Golf Course, Old Lyme Country Club, The Club at River Oaks, Redding Country Club



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Paula D'Aniello-Lupi blasts out of  
the bunker at TPC River Highlands

## 2013 Membership Renewal Form

Annual Membership dues 2013: **\$60** (1/1 - 2/28/2013); **\$70** (3/1 - 4/15/2013)

**If payment is not received by April 15, 2013, membership will lapse requiring you to re-apply as a new member.**

The dues payment includes a tax deductible donation of \$15 to the Priscilla Maxwell Endicott Scholarship Fund. Additional tax deductible contributions to the Scholarship Fund will be gratefully received and acknowledged for tax purposes.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone w/area code: \_\_\_\_\_

CT Address: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Winter Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*DOB: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Club: \_\_\_\_\_ GHIN Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Index \_\_\_\_\_

**\*1. List winter mailing address with dates to receive membership handbook there.**

**\*\*2.** If birth date is not given, you will be ineligible for Senior Tournaments.

3. If not renewing, please let us know by sending this form back with that information.

Make check or money order payable to **CWGA** and mail with this form to:

**Mim Schreck**  
**101 Spring Hill Rd.**  
**Fairfield, Ct. 06824**



**The Green Option:**

**Please check the hexagon to opt out of a paper copy of the Semi-Annual Bulletin and read it at [CWGA.org](http://CWGA.org) .**