Dear Members,

The calendar says spring, but the temperatures and small piles of snow here and there, do not. But hopefully soon we will embark on our 2015 golf season...the 96th for CWGA! To the survivors of the cold and snowy winter season, "congratulations, you made it" and to those of you who have returned to the state or will return shortly, "welcome back". I hope to see many of you during the season.

We have a wonderful schedule planned for this year at sites all around the state. We are trying some later start times to avoid traffic issues and have events with tee-time starts as well. I encourage you to enter one more event than you did last year and help us support our member clubs who have generously donated their courses to us. I promise you will have fun, meet a new friend or two and enjoy the competition.

So, what's new for 2015?

◊ Our website (www.cwga.org) for one. Please take the time to have a look. It is very user-friendly and can be easily viewed from your smart phone or tablet. The Tournament Page has all tournament information, including a calendar of events, specific tournament specs and links to online registration. In addition, our site is now integrated with our member-management program and email system. Other event sign-ups, such as our annual reps meeting, can now be done through the cwga.org website and our emails can target specific contact groups such as CWGA reps, tournament winners, etc. The Members Only section includes an improved member directory, access to the handbook and a forum for member comments. A search box and FAQ page are two new features now available to help you. Great job Jean Sennett, our Website Chair!

◊ Our handbook. In our continued effort to go green, we have eliminated most tournament applications. We have included a generic one that may be used for any one-day event, but all applications are on the website and may be downloaded and printed for mailing to the one-day coordinator or tournament chair. Please remember though, that the fastest way to enter and receive acknowledgement that you are in the tournament field, is to use online registration via our Tournament Player Program (TPP).

◊ Our cup match rules. A summary of the changes to our fall Past Presidents’ Cup Competitions are outlined in this bulletin. Eligibility requirements and team roster issues have been addressed. All team captains have received this information. Many thanks to Diane Rothwell for leading this effort.

◊ The Mixed Foursome. This event will be run by the Connecticut State Golf Association (CSGA) and will be held at the Tumble Brook Country Club on June 25th. Our website has a link to the CSGA online registration page.

◊ The Championships. Our CWGA Championship is at Shuttle Meadow this year and our Seniors/Legends Championships are at the Wethersfield Country Club. Both sites offer a wonderful opportunity to compete with other CWGA members, with a variety of skill levels, in a friendly environment...not to mention the prizes and cocktails afterward. Please join us and see for yourself!

My best wishes to all of you as we embark on the season. See you on the tee at Ridgewood Country Club in early May!

Norma Noyes, President
Welcome!

CWGA is Growing

We are pleased to introduce our newest members and new Member Club, Shorehaven GC.

GC of Avon
Elizabeth Zieky
CC of Farmington
Marjorie Callahan
Great Neck CC
Janet B. Marsh
Madison CC
Jackie Cipollini
Pine Orchard CC
Christine Fontana
Race Brook CC
Katherine Lane
Shorehaven GC
Diane Eppert
Lisa Hipwell
Sally Holtzinger
Sil Mannik
Kaisa Newhams
Eileen Nolan
Diane Sisca
Julie Wright
Silvermine GC
Lynne Scerbo
Anne Trinklein
Silver Spring CC
Margaret Wood
Suffield CC
Joyce McLennan
Watertown GC
Sandy Howard
Susan Turmel

Junior News

Junior tournament dates have been set. The Junior Championship will again be held in conjunction with the CWGA Seniors’ and Legends’ Championship 27-28 at Wethersfield CC. Tri-States will be held in RI (dates and course TBD). Applications are available at www.cwga.org under the Jr Golf tab. Other key dates are: CT Women’s Open May 26-27 at GC of Avon, NEWGA July 7-9 at Ledge mont CC (RI) and CT Women’s Amateur Aug 11-13 at Indian Hills CC.

In Memoriam

M. Louise Manger
December 2014
Harry B. Brownson CC
CWGA Member
Nancy Davis
February 2015
Glastonbury Hills CC
Past CWGA Champion

E. Kathryn (Kathy) Swedock
December 2014
Silvermine Golf Club
CWGA Member
Dave Hardy
March 2015
The Farms CC
Tournament Official

The maximum USGA index for eligibility to join CWGA in 2015 is 23.5.

Please encourage members of your club that meet the eligibility requirements to join us! The Membership Application is available on the CWGA web site (www.cwga.org).

Reminders!

- We have a new vendor Initial Step located at 635 New Park Ave in West Hartford. Bring in an item to be monogrammed. Phone is 860 665-0542 or 877 206-4126. Their email is initialstep1@gmail.com.
- CWGA Logo Apparel is still available at Stitches by Me in Granby, CT (860) 653-9701 or www.stitchesbyme.com. Purchase an item from them or bring in your own for the CWGA monogram to be added.
- Add the following addresses to your email contacts to receive important updates and prize chits. This will prevent them from going to your junk mail folder.
  admin@cwga.org   general@cwga.org   cwgaawards@yahoo.com.
- Please remember to tip attendants at host clubs.
- Please keep your team captain or club rep informed of any change of status for Past Presidents’ Cup team matches.

Did You Know?

The Medallion Tournament and Presidents’ Cup Tournament are listed in the booklet as “Special Events” but both are regarded as “Trophy” tournaments. The winning team will have their names engraved permanently on the Medallion Plaque or Presidents’ Cup Trophy.
Past Presidents’ Cup Interclub Matches

Cup Coordinator, Diane Rothwell, reports that the CWGA Past Presidents’ Cup matches have been scheduled for the upcoming season. At the end of the 2014 season the Carolyn Creed Cup was retired. New this season is the Carol Galbraith Cup. Schedules and Rules are available on the web site. 2015 Cup assignments and competing clubs are:

**Karen Bunting Cup:**
Brownson, Heritage Village, New Haven CC, Oronoque, Race Brook, Yale

**Carol Galbraith Cup:**
CC of Farmington II, Glastonbury Hills, Hop Meadow, TPC River Highlands, Tumble Brook, Wethersfield

**Penny Jones Cup:**
Black Hall, Clinton, Great Neck, Madison/Pine Orchard, Mohegan Sun/Lake of Isles, Stonington

**Linda Kaye Cup:**
CC of Farmington, Farmington Woods, Shuttle Meadow II, The Farms, Waterbury, Watertown

**Jeanine Marcucci Cup:**
Avon, Chippanee, Ellington Ridge, Hartford, Shuttle Meadow I, Wampanoag

**Hannah Steel Cup:**
Patterson/Mill River, Redding, Ridgewood, Shorehaven, Silver Spring, Silvermine

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**CWGA Team Events 2015**

- **CT/RI** match at Alpine CC in Cranston, RI on **Thurs June 4** (entries accepted May 1-May 22). Team notified after entries close.
- **CWGA/SNEWGA** matches at Farmington Woods on **Thurs Aug 6** (entries accepted Jul 1- Jul 24). Team notified after entries close.
- **Endicott/Tri-State** at New Seabury, MA **Mon Oct 7—Wed Oct 9** (entries accepted Sep 1-Sep 25). Entry fee is $120 (non-refundable). Team notified by email after entries close.

*** New for 2015, apply online! ***

Please refer to the 2015 CWGA Handbook or Web Site/Tournaments for eligibility requirements and application information.

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**PGA Tour Charities GIRLS’ GOLF FAIR**

**Presented by Suzy Whaley Golf**

**Volunteers Needed**

Suzy Whaley, LPGA teaching professional, has organized a day of golf activities for girls, ages 5-15. The event will take place on **Saturday, May 16th at TPC at River Highlands**. Information is available at www.cwga.org.

To register, visit https://lpgafoundaton.org/2015-suzywhaley-girls-golf-fair.

Volunteers are needed! Contact Jennifer at Jennifer@suzywhaleygolf.com.
Connecticut Women’s Golf Association  
97 Woodland Drive  
South Windsor, CT  06074

Grab a friend and participate in the exciting events we have planned this season. They are spread throughout the state and are open to all members. Visit our website www.cwga.org for details.

2015 Tournament Schedule—Get out and play!

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