

The Nutumeg Galler Winner's Issue

Important Reminders

The USGA index for eligibility to join CWGA in 2017 is 23.5.

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@cwga.org

We have two vendors for CWGA Logo Apparel. Initial Step is 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. Email is initialstep1@gmail.com. Stitches by Me is located at 10 Hartford Ave in Granby(860) 653-9701 or www.stitchesbyme.com. Purchase an item from them or bring in your own for the CWGA monogram to be added.

Nutmeg Golfer has "gone green". We hope you still enjoy reading it on-line.



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President's Message



The 97th CWGA golf season is in the history books, and sadly we must recognize that the falling temperatures signal the end of comfortable golf in Connecticut. As I transition into my role as president, I am forever grateful for the many remarkable women who have gone before me, and am confident that CWGA will continue to offer the women and girls of the State of Connecticut challenging golf opportunities for at least another ninety-seven years.

It is my pleasure to welcome two new CWGA board members: Patti Cheyne, treasurer, and Debbie Johnson, NEWGA captain. With their fresh ideas and commitment to serve on the board, they will make immediate contributions to the organization. There are also several members of the board who have assumed different positions with new responsibilities: Thirza Hyatt is our new site planner, Suzanne Harris is the new secretary, and Norma Noyes remains on the board as head of the nominating committee. With Norma's wealth of knowledge in all things CWGA, I appreciate that she is only a phone call away at her new home in FL. I know we all wish her the best and look forward to her return to CT in the spring.

Our website continues to evolve in order to better serve our membership, an endeavor for which Jean Sennett's dedication and devotion is to be commended. We have added a monthly newsletter this past year in order to increase communications with members, informing them of upcoming events as well as listing winners of previous tournaments. Each and every board member should be thanked individually for her gracious donation of time but I would need three pages to sing their praises! Suffice it to say they are a remarkable group of women, no two alike, who continue to offer their unique and progressive ideas for the board to ponder.

Finally, I wish to take this opportunity to petition our seasoned members of CWGA: Be a Mentor in 2017. Take new women golfers under your wing. It generally requires about five to ten oncourse friendly, coaching, mentoring experiences offered by a seasoned golfer to a new golfer before she feels comfortable enough to go out on the course on her own. Encourage newer golfers to participate in CWGA competitions, and enlist your friends to be mentors as well. Stroke play competitions are historically less subscribed to however most players, after their first experience out there on their own, find that it really wasn't all that bad! Since participation in our CWGA Championship continues to drop in numbers each year, this might be the perfect opportunity to consider being a mentor.

I wish you all Happy Holidays and all the best for the New Year. I look forward to seeing you at the CWGA Opening Mixer on May 1, 2017 at Ellington Ridge Country Club.

"Time spent with friends on a golf course is time well spent."

Robin Bickerstaff

Welcome!

Our newest CWGA members

Farmington Woods GC

Pamela West

The Farms CC

Corinne Camerato

Glastonbury Hills CC

Joan Foland

Mill River CC

Lauren Oleary

Oronoque CC

Debbie Johnson

Shorehaven GC

Susan Moran

Silver Spring CC

Paula Lovallo Adriana Malfitano

Tumble Brook CC

Susan Sack

CC of Waterbury

Palmira Metcalf

Wethersfield CC

Ellen Donadio Julie Hussey



In Memoriam

Judy Gamble CWGA President 1999-2000 Oronoque Country Club Race Brook Country Club

Irene Swanson

Member

CWGA Major Tournament Events

CWGA Championship June 6-10 at Redding Country Club



Championship Winner and Medalist
Mackenzie Hawkes and Runner-Up Nikki Liucci

Seniors, Legends and Juniors Championships





Senior Champion Legends Champion Junior Champion Senior Runner-up Legends Runner-up Junior Runner-Up Senior Net Legends Net Lisa Fern-Boros
Terry McNamara
Taylor Rodgers
Jean Sennett
Ann Malone
Kelsey Sullivan
Mim Schreck
Hannah Steel



Founders Cup Champion Myra Macmillan and Runner up Janet Karabin

CT Women's Amateur Championship August 15-17 at Heritage Village CC



Champion—Catherine McAvoy 218 78-69-71



Tournament of Champions
Aug 11 at Silvermine
Mercedese (Ellie) Large



Medallion Tournament
Sept 20 at Rockrimmon
Overall Winners
Ann Newman and
Jean Sennett

Scholarship Winners Announced

The Priscilla Maxwell Endicott/CWGA/Patricia D. Creed Scholarship Committee would like to thank the membership of the CWGA for their annual contribution given to us through dues, and donations received from member clubs, past presidents and others that gave generously in memory of loved ones. We especially thank the Creed family for their generous annual donation to the Patricia DeWeiss Creed Scholarship. The scholarship is funded entirely by the Creed family.

2016 Scholarships were awarded to: Emma Heim, Julia Migliorati, Taylor Rodgers, Emily Schroeder and Erin Schroeder

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Past Presidents' Cup Winners

Bunting Cup—Oronoque CC

Galbraith Cup —Farmington Woods

Jones Cup—Clinton CC

Kaye Cup—Chippanee

Marcucci Cup—Wampanoag CC

Steel Cup—Ridgewood CC



CWGA Team Events 2016

Connecticut/Rhode Island Team Matches (Hartford Golf Club)

RI 217.5 CT 214.5



CWGA vs. SNEWGA Matches (Blue Fox Run)

SNEWGA 98 CWGA 82

60th Annual NEWGA Championship

The NEWGA Championship was held at CC of Vermont. Winner was Katie Barrand from Myopia Hunt Club, MA. Legends Division winner was Mim Schreck from Oronoque CC.

Endicott Cup/Tri-State Matches (Tumble Brook CC)

Tri-State (Gross)

MA 152.5 CT 143 RI 82.5

Eaton Cup (Net)

CT 77 MA 67 RI 0

Endicott Individual winner was Christine Gagner from MA.



One Day Tournaments

5/3 Opening Mixer - Old Lyme cancelled

5/23Summer Special— CC of Farmington

1st Gross Large,/Busse/Briggs/Perry

1st Net Karabin/Buczek/Strang/Rosenberry

2nd Gross Sennett/Malone/Horner/Glasspiegel

2nd Net Morris/Larkin/Giuliano/Vescovi

3rd Gross Tranquilli/Wienke/Bickerstaff/Callahan

3rd Net Wargo/MacLean/Fino/Ajello

6/21 Best Ball of 2-Madison CC

1 st Flight 1 st Gross	Foster/Fern-Boros	1 st Net Karabin/Nightingale
2 nd Gross	Rupp/McLennan	2 nd Net McMahon/Burke
2 nd Flight 1 st Gross	Newman/Schuman	1 st Net S. Harris/Mitchell
2 nd Gross	Tranquilli/Giuliano	2 nd Net Temme/Lefler
3 rd Flight 1 st Gross	Crotti/Pesci	1 st Net Briggs/Moggio
2 nd Gross	Reynolds/Kindelan	2 nd Net Alward/Vietze
4 th Flight 1 st Gross	O'Connor/Johnson	1 st Net Stalsburg/Malvezzi
2 nd Gross	Dreiss/Martin	2 nd Net Klieback/Grigor

6/27 Stroke Play in Flights—Suffield CC cancelled

7/14 CWGA M/G or M/M 4-Ball —The Farms

1st Flight 1st Gross Tranquilli/Giuliano/Sennett/D. Harris
1st Net Karabin/Bickerstaff/Papa/Nightingale
2nd Flight 1st Gross Kroll/Kiely/F. Marino/L. Marino
1st Net Davies/Beizer/Beakey/Jainchill
(tie) Alward/Nardini/Corroon/Groher
3rd Flight 1st Gross Rathgeber/West/Reynolds/Kindelan
1st Net Caudill/Rosenberry/Hyatt/Hyde

7/26 2 Player Scramble—Oronoque CC

9/20—Medallion—Rockrimmon

Overall Winners Sennett/Newman (Wampanoag)

Flight 1 Flight 2 Flight 3 Flight 3 1^{st} D. Harris/McNamara Papa/Malone Ermler/Rodgers 2^{nd} Macmillan/Marino Noyes/Lefler Swan/Stalsburg 3^{rd} Curran/Busse Horowitz/A. Ahern Palmer/Bonnano

9/28 President's Cup—CC of Waterbury

Overall Winners—Linda Groher & Joan Foland

Flight AA 1st Gross Schreck/Steel 1st Net Sennett/Galbraith 2nd Gross Elliott/Malone 2nd Net Kiely/Craw

Flight AB 1st Gross Mordas/Tomasetti 1st Net Bickerstaff/Nightingale 2nd Gross Noyes/Dreiss 2nd Net DiStefano/Lefurge

Flight BB 1st Gross Palmer/Bonnano 1st Net O'Connor/Johnson 2nd Gross Dephouse/Ciotti 2nd Net Martin/Rathgeber

Reps meeting attendees with guest speaker Joe LaCava.





Save the Dates in 2017

May 18	Reps Meeting	Pine Orchard
June 1	CT vs RI Team Matches	Valley CC RI
June 19-22	CWGA Championship	Heritage Village CC
July 10-12	NEWGA	Hop Meadow CC
July 27	CWGA vs SNEWGA	Chippanee
July 29-30	Hartford Women's Open	Goodwin & Keney
July 31– Aug 1	Seniors/Juniors	Shuttle Meadow CC
Aug 1	Legends	Shuttle Meadow CC
Oct 2-4	Endicott Cup	Potowomut RI
TBD	CT Women's Amateur	Manchester CC
TBD	Medallion	
TBD	Presidents' Cup	

2017 Membership Renewal Form

Annual Membership dues 2017: \$60 (1/1-2/28/2017); \$70 (3/1-4/15/2017)

If payment is not received by April 15, 2017, membership will lapse requiring you to re-apply as a new member. ***** DO NOT SUBMIT YOUR MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2017*****

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.

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			 Dates:		
** DOB: Month	Day	Year	Email address:		
Home Club:			GHIN Number:	Index:	
*1. List winter mai	ling address with	dates to receiv	e 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:

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