

# Carmichael Golf Club Newsletter

March 2008

## Upcoming Events

*Turkey Creek, Saturday, April 5, 2008 ( 9:00A start)* – the CGC has only played at Turkey Creek once since it opened in 1999 (June 2003). We were scheduled to play here in 2007, but a change in aeration dates at the course forced us to shift our event to 2008. Managed by the same group that operates Teal Bend and Empire Ranch, this course generally presents itself well – with a very pleasing general golf setting, and with one of the more difficult finishing holes in the Sacramento area. Entry forms are included with this newsletter and are available at our website ([www.carmichaelgolfclub.com](http://www.carmichaelgolfclub.com)).

*Mather, Saturday, May 3, 2008 ( 9:00A start)* – while the CGC has played 11 events at Mather through the years, many of these events have been Monday or Friday events, when many of the Club members were unable to participate. Mather has done a lot of work to improve the drainage at the course in recent years, and has gotten generally high marks for its' overall quality recently.

## Results from Castle Oaks, March 1, 2008

A group of 31 players (out of 44 qualifiers) began the CGC's 2008 golfing season at our Tournament of Champions event at Castle Oaks. This was the CGC's 15<sup>th</sup> event at Castle Oaks, the most of any venue we have played to date. While familiarity in golf can lead to lower scoring, Castle Oaks showed us some different tricks to take the upper hand on this day. Some different pin locations than we normally see (the 2<sup>nd</sup> and the 5<sup>th</sup> hole the most visually intimidating), along with a breeze that picked up in intensity as the round progressed, made for challenges that most of us were unprepared for this early in the year. Only 5 of the 31 players finished under par with their net scores, with 12 players finishing with net scores of 80 or higher. We will be back to Castle Oaks in October, where the entire Club will have the opportunity to play Castle Oaks in 2008!

### Sub-par (gross) holes

*Birdies: Micky Tucker 2 (Par 4 3<sup>rd</sup>, Par 4 9<sup>th</sup>), Mike Agrippino 1 (Par 4 3<sup>rd</sup>),  
Ed Bortugno 1 (Par 4 15<sup>th</sup>), Stella Garin 1 (Par 4 7<sup>th</sup>), Mike Johnson 1 (Par 5 13<sup>th</sup>),  
Larry Marietti 1 (Par 5 13<sup>th</sup>), John McLaughlin 1 (Par 3 16<sup>th</sup>)*

### First Flight (handicaps 11-14, White Tees)

*Low Net: Danny Olaivar (42-41 = 83 – 14 = 69) \$ 30 ( 6<sup>th</sup> career CGC flight victory)*  
*2<sup>nd</sup> Low Net: Craig Wahlquist (43-43 = 86 – 12 = 74) \$ 20*  
*3<sup>rd</sup> Low Net: Micky Tucker (44-42 = 86 – 11 = 75) \$ 15*  
*Low Putts: Danny Olaivar, 31 \$ 15*  
*Closest to the Pin ( 2<sup>nd</sup>): Danny Olaivar, 6 ' 5 " \$ 10*

## Results from Castle Oaks, March 1, 2008 (continued)

### Second Flight (handicaps 15-17, White Tees)

Low Net: Ed Bortugno (45-41 = 86 - 17 = 69) \* \$ 30 (2<sup>nd</sup> career CGC flight victory)  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Low Net: Jay Simi (44-41 = 85 - 16 = 69) \$ 20  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Low Net: Larry Marietti (46-44 = 90 - 16 = 74) \* \$ 15  
 Low Putts: John McLaughlin, 30 \$ 15  
 Closest to the Pin (8<sup>th</sup>): Ed Bortugno, 67 ' 8 " \$ 10

### First/Second Flight Skins

John McLaughlin \$ 24; Ed Bortugno \$ 12; Larry Marietti \$ 12; Danny Olaivar \$ 12;  
 Greg Paulo \$ 12.

### Third Flight (handicaps 18-25, White/Red Tees)

Low Net: Tom Halbrook (48-50 = 98 - 23 = 75) \$ 30 (7<sup>th</sup> career CGC flight victory)  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Low Net: Greg Brewster (52-45 = 97 - 20 = 77) \$ 20  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Low Net: Mike Johnson (55-42 = 97 - 18 = 79) \$ 15  
 Low Putts: Julie Marr, 35 \* \$ 15  
 Closest to the Pin (11<sup>th</sup>): Richard Cisneros, 44 ' 0 " \$ 10

### Fourth Flight (handicaps 27-47, White/Red Tees)

Low Net: Clark Londquist (51-44 = 95 - 27 = 68) \$ 35 (13<sup>th</sup> career CGC flight victory)  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Low Net: Tommie Rohrer (49-51 = 100 - 30 = 70) \$ 20  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Low Net: Neil Ganju (57-52 = 109 - 31 = 78) \* \$ 15  
 Low Putts: Neil Ganju, 29 \$ 15  
 Closest to the Pin (16<sup>th</sup>): Tommie Rohrer, 45 ' 5 " \$ 10

\* - won tie-breaker

### Third/Fourth Flight Skins

Clark Londquist \$ 14; Mike Agrippino \$ 7; Carol Fieldhouse \$ 7; Stella Garin \$ 7;  
 Tom Halbrook \$ 7; Donna Johnson \$ 7; Mike Johnson \$ 7; Jim Rohrer \$ 7;  
 Tommie Rohrer \$ 7; Ken Worman \$ 7.

### General Prizes

Men's Long Drive (7<sup>th</sup>): John McLaughlin \$ 10  
 Women's Long Drive (7<sup>th</sup>): Stella Garin \$ 10  
 In the Leather: None

**Check the CGC website for detailed statistics of all players from this event. From the main page, click down the menus 'Event Results→2008→Castle Oaks Sat Mar 1, 2008' to find 4 different files of statistical information from the days' round.**

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