

# HERON LAKES WOMEN'S GOLF CLUB

## A Note from the President



Greetings,

We are quickly moving to the end of the golf season and your Golf Committee is focusing on wrapping up the club's business. Progress is being made by the Nominating Committee for the positions of Vice President, President-Elect, Secretary and Treasurer. Sometime in the early part of this month Denise and Hollis will hold an election for VP (Team Captain) for the respective days play. Prior to our annual banquet/meeting I will send out a list of nominees for President-Elect, Secretary and Treasurer. The elections for these positions take place at the annual meeting on Oct 29<sup>th</sup>.

Our annual banquet/meeting to be held at Colwood on Oct 29<sup>th</sup> is fast approaching. Tournament payouts, elections, good food and special recognitions all make for an enjoyable afternoon. Get your reservation to Marlane Tostenrude by Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>. This year, rather than a lot of individual donations for a raffle, Marlane and her team are organizing gift baskets that will be raffled off and the monies donated to the First Tee. Please contact Marlane (360-772-0263) if you wish to donate.

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## (President's Notes Con't)

Congratulations to all that participated in this year's Women's Interclub Play, (WIP)! This season long 4-ball match play tournament includes clubs from SW Washington and NW Oregon. Persimmon Golf Club beat us for the Overall Division 1 Championship by 2 points, but our club won the Gross Division I Championship and will now compete against the

Gross Division 2 and 3 winners (Rock Creek and Mallard Creek) at the Reserve on Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>. Good Luck to the Lady Heron Team!

Any hole-in-ones this year? The club has \$100 in the budget for anyone who gets an ACE on days play and I would sure like to see someone get the bucks.

Julie Gish - 2016 President

## Heron Lakes Women's Golf Annual Banquet

This year's banquet will be held at the Colwood Golf Center on October 29<sup>th</sup>. The banquet committee has decided to change things a little. Instead of individual donations, we thought it might be fun to form teams of 2 - 4 ladies and have each of the teams put together a gift basket. (Basket theme examples: Golf, Movie, Chocolate, Wine and Cheese, Book, etc.) Our plan is to raffle the gift baskets during the banquet. All proceeds from the raffle will go to "The First Tee." What a fun way to end another great year!

There will be sign up sheet on the board for your teams. If you have any questions, please contact Marlane Tostenrude (360) 772-0263 or Jennifer King (971)-998-2237.



## DAY'S PLAY SATURDAY

### September 3<sup>rd</sup>

We played Low net on the Par 3's & Par 5's

1st	Hollis Brown
2nd	Julie Sander

### September 10<sup>th</sup>

No game as the course was closed

### September 17<sup>th</sup>

2<sup>nd</sup> day of Fall Handicap

The side game was skins.

Tracy Bardell	4
Hollis Brown	2
Grace Chien	2
Susan Seeley	2

### September 24<sup>th</sup>

4<sup>th</sup> day of Fall Handicap

# HLWGC Fall Handicap Tournament 2016

As is our practice we publish only the first 5 placegetters in each division.

	Day One		Day Two		Totals		
	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Place
<b>Flight A</b>							
Noemi Smith	94	75	83	64	177	139	1st
Luan Penner	84	69	86	71	170	140	2nd
Joan Heeter	77	69	83	75	160	144	3rd
Betty Schram	89	75	84	70	173	145	
Jill Kim	85	66	100	81	185	147	
<b>Flight B</b>							
Grace Chien	96	75	88	67	184	142	1st
Pamela Bartlett	102	81	89	68	191	149	2nd
Deborah Gillis	97	77	95	75	192	152	3rd
Hollis Brown	103	81	95	73	198	154	
Barbara Sincere	109	88	95	74	204	162	
<b>Flight C</b>							
Pam Wilson	101	74	94	67	195	141	1st
Suanne Jordan	111	80	106	75	217	155	2nd
Wendy Weddle	112	86	97	71	209	157	3rd
Charlene Hungerford	107	77	111	81	218	158	
Frieda Talbot	117	88	115	86	232	174	
<b>Flight D</b>							
Nana Shinn	105	68	114	77	219	145	1st
Donna Lee	106	71	110	75	216	146	2nd
Jennifer King	113	79	107	73	220	152	3rd
Kathy Hauswald	126	86	118	78	244	164	
Carol Skiles	125	88	116	79	241	167	

## DAY'S PLAY TUESDAY

### September 6<sup>th</sup>

The game was *Beat The Course* All players who shoot a net 72 or better split the pot.

Pamela Bartlett 70 net  
Carolyn Young 71 net

### September 13<sup>th</sup>

1<sup>st</sup> day of Fall Handicap - see results above

Side game

Easy Times--The 9 easiest handicap holes team score

1st 176  
Noemi Smith  
Charlene Hungerford  
Donna Lee  
Sharon Dallas

2nd 177  
Jan Phillips  
Marty Andrews  
Pam Wilson  
Nana Shin

3rd 180  
Jill Kim  
Suanne Jordan  
Jennifer King  
Janet Elliott

### September 20<sup>th</sup>

Fall Handicap  
The side game was the 9 hardest Handicap holes  
1st--205

Joan Heeter  
Noemi Smith  
Jennifer King  
Patty Reed

2nd--218  
Susan Seeley  
Jill Kim  
Suanne Jordan  
Kathy Hauswald

3rd--219  
Jan Phillips  
Barbara Sincere  
Pam Wilson  
Donna Lee

4th--Tie--225  
Luann Penner  
Pamela Bartlett  
Nana Shin

4th--Tie--225  
BJ Marsh  
Julie Sander  
Pam Smith

### September 27<sup>th</sup>

The game was Best Nine Net played on Great Blue

#### Flight 1

1 <sup>st</sup>	Pam Wilson	27.5
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Julie Gish	30
	Pamela Bartlett	30
4 <sup>th</sup>	Marty Andrews	31
5 <sup>th</sup>	Betty Schram	32.4

#### Flight 2

1 <sup>st</sup>	Patty Reed	26.5
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Donna Lee	28.5
	Nana Shin	28.5
4 <sup>th</sup>	Bev Bollinger	29
5 <sup>th</sup>	Brenda Webb	29.5
6 <sup>th</sup>	Carol Skiles	30



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# A Course is a Course, of Course of Course

<http://oga.org/course-course-course-course> (April 29, 2016)

OGA Rules Officials: Pete Scholz and Terry McEvilly

Many of the Rules prescribe different procedures depending on the location of the player's ball. For instance, a player taking relief for interference to his stance from a sprinkler head when his ball lies on the fringe of the green must drop the ball. However, if his ball had been on the putting green he would be placing the ball. Every player should be familiar with the parts of the course and how the location of their ball will effect procedures. A thorough reading of the definitions starting on page 30 of the Rules of Golf book will point you in the right direction.

This month we look at the entire course and for the next few articles we will focus on a different part of the course each month.

## Questions: True / False

1. When out of bounds is marked by both stakes and a line painted on the ground, the line defines the margin of the course.
2. If any part of the ball touches the out of bounds line the ball is out of bounds.
3. When out of bounds is marked by only stakes, the stakes are out of bounds and the out of bounds line is formed by the course side edge of the stakes.
4. Relief without penalty is always available for interference from ground under repair and immovable obstructions on the course.
5. A player may declare his ball unplayable anywhere on the course.
6. Out of bounds stakes must be white.
7. A provisional ball may be played if the player believes his ball is lost anywhere on the course or out of bounds.
8. There are only two types of hazards on the course.
9. "Through the green" refers only to areas of the course cut to fairway height or less.
10. A sign straddles the out of bounds line. A player has interference to his swing with the part of the sign that is out of bounds. He is entitled to relief without penalty for the immovable obstruction.





## A Course is a Course, of Course of Course (con't)

### Answers:

1. **True.** The line defines the margin and the stakes serve only to identify the area as out of bounds (definition of Out of Bounds).
2. **False.** For a ball to be out of bounds all of it must be out of bounds. It is important to remember that the line itself is out of bounds so the course side of the line defines the margin (definition of Out of Bounds).
3. **True.** An easy way to remember what edge of the stakes to measure from is that stakes always are in the condition they define. Therefore out of bounds stakes are out of bounds and the course side of the stakes define the line. See the definition section of the Rules of Golf book for a more complete definition of out of bounds.
4. **False.** When the player's ball is in a water hazard he is not allowed relief without penalty from ground under repair or an obstruction. Additionally, the Committee may declare an obstruction to be an integral part of the course which would nullify free relief for the obstruction.
5. **False.** A player may declare his ball unplayable anywhere on the course with the exception of water hazards. See Rule 28 (Ball Unplayable). If the player's ball is in a water hazard he may either play it as it lies or proceed under one of the options available under Rule 26 (Water hazards; including lateral water hazards) but he may not declare it unplayable under Rule 28.
6. **False.** The definition of out of bounds suggests that lines and stakes be white but it is only a recommendation. If the Committee chooses to use a different colored stake or line to mark the boundary it should be made clear to the players prior to their rounds.
7. **False.** Rule 27-2 allows a provisional ball to be played for a ball believed to be lost outside of a water hazard or out of bounds. If the player believes the only place his ball could be lost is in a water hazard he is not allowed to play a provisional ball.
8. **True.** Bunkers and water hazards complete the list. Lateral water hazards are included under the heading of water hazards but grass bunkers, as they are sometimes called, are not hazards but simply considered part of the rough (definition of Bunker and Hazards).
9. **False.** "Through the green" refers to the entire course except the teeing ground and the putting green of the hole being played and all hazards on the course (definition of Through the Green).
10. **False.** The out of bounds margin extends vertically upwards and downwards. Therefore, any part of an obstruction that is out of bounds is considered fixed and not an immovable obstruction. In this situation, the player is not allowed relief without penalty and must play the ball as it lies or declare it unplayable under Rule 28.

