

HERON LAKES

WOMEN'S GOLF CLUB



President's Message

We've just played the Home and Home that was hosted at the OGA Course this year. It was a lovely event. The course was in good condition, especially considering the heat we've had recently. It was well organized, the lunch was delicious and there was plenty of it. There was a raffle with lots of very nice baskets of goodies. Most everyone had a really nice day. Next year Eastmorland will host and then in 2023 Heron Lakes will host again.

Women's InterClub Play (WIP) is going pretty well this season. We are in the Portland Region, Division 2 and are currently in about the middle of the pack in Gross and Net. Our team just finished playing at Quail Valley where 2 of our 3 teams out scored their opponents. Nice playing ladies! Next month we'll play at the OGA Course. If you want to follow the WIP schedule and results, you can log onto the OGA website and click on Competitions. The drop down menu will direct you from there.

It's time to start thinking about Board positions for next season! Linda Pelon will move into the President position. We'll need to select a President Elect, a person for Betty to mentor to take over the Tuesday VP position, as well as a person for Hollis to



mentor for the Saturday VP position for 2022. We are also looking for a Secretary and a Treasurer. There may also be some positions opening up on the golf committee. Our newsletter team is also moving on to other things, so we'll need a couple of people to put the Newsletter together from March through November. There will be more details to come in next month's newsletter on this subject. In the meantime, PLEASE consider putting your name out there! A club of this size can not run without many dedicated volunteers!

Finally, the 50th anniversary party for Heron Lakes is coming up on Friday, August 27th.

Until next month!

Susan

Upcoming Dates For Your Calendar

Match Play Begins:	June 2
Fall Handicap Tournament:	Sep14,18,21,25
Awards Luncheon	October 9

Memorial Tournament

We had a wonderful turnout for the annual Memorial Tournament. It is always nice to combine our Tuesday and Saturday groups for a fun team game and then taking a few moments remembering those charming women that we used to love playing golf with that have passed on. Thanks to everyone who helped make this event a success. Thank you Luan for sharing some of the memories and sharing the history of this tournament. The results are in the Saturday Day's Play section.

Annual Luncheon/Business Meeting

The HLWGC annual banquet is set for Colwood Golf Center on October 9, 2021. An optional golf game begins at 9 am. Check in for luncheon is at 11:00. The cost is \$15.00 for golf and range balls and \$23.00 for lunch.

Please let Linda Pelon know if you plan to attend.

2021 Heron Lakes Women's Club Officers

President	Susan Seeley
President Elect	Linda Pelon
Secretary/Membership	Rochelle Gurule
Treasurer	Gail Knoll
Tuesday VP	Betty Schram
Saturday VP	Hollis Brown
Tuesday Handicap	Luan Penner
Saturday Handicap	Valerie Spirit
Rules	Joan Heeter
Newsletter Editor	Cheryl Ford, Carolyn Young, Marlane Tostenrude

OGA CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

2019

OGA Women's Interclub Gross Champions

2018

OGA Women's Interclub Gross Champions

2017

OGA Women's Interclub Net Champions

2016

OGA Women's Interclub Gross Champions

2015

OGA Women's Interclub Champions

Course Index vs. Handicap Index

Luan Penner - Handicap Chair

An important responsibility for a player in Handicap Competition is to be certain that her correct handicap is shown on the scorecard. In order to fulfill that responsibility, you must know the difference between Handicap Index and Course Handicap.

Your Handicap Index is a calculation that represents a player's demonstrated ability and is rounded to the nearest tenth.

Your Course Handicap is a calculation used to determine the number of strokes you receive (or give) from a specific set of tees on any golf course.

When someone asks "What is your handicap?" you may respond "I'm a 22.9". That 22.9 is your Handicap Index.

Your Handicap Index must be converted to a Course Handicap and may be different depending on the golf course you are playing and from which set of tees. In this case, the Handicap Index of 22.9 becomes a Course Handicap of 24 on Heron Lakes Greenback from the Yellow Tees.

How do you convert your Handicap Index to a Course Handicap?

1. The easiest way is to use the USGA GHIN app on your phone and go to the Handicap Calculator. (This app provides quick and easy score posting.)
2. Use the World Handicap System Conversion Chart available in the Pro Shop of any golf course.

Annual Fundraiser for First Tee Greater Portland

Linda Pelon - President Elect

For several years, the HLWGC has raised funds for the Children's Course, a non-profit nine-hole par 3 course that serves as home of The First Tee Greater Portland. Their mission is to provide all children, including under privileged, low to moderate income, at-risk, and special needs youth the opportunity to participate in educational programs that build character, instill life-enhancing values, and promote healthy choices through the game of golf.

The First Tee uses the game of golf to teach Nine Core Values: Confidence, Courtesy, Judgement, Honesty, Integrity, Perseverance, Respect, Responsibility, and Sportsmanship. We are proud to support the future success of this remarkable program.

Last year we raised \$1,250 to have a paver installed at the course with our club's name on it! So this year I will be asking for monetary donations again in the form of a check made out to The Children's Course. I will be collecting donations on Tuesday's and Saturday's game

days. All those that contribute will be awarded a ticket to be placed in a drawing to win a prize at the annual banquet at Colwood (there will be several.) Even if you cannot attend the banquet, the prize will get to you.

In addition, if you have any equipment that is no longer needed, I will be making arrangements with members who can collect on day's play and store items to be delivered at a later date. This continues to be a vital need for the program. Women's clubs are ideal as they are typically shorter and lighter for the children. Shoes, balls, carts, tees, etc. are all welcome.

And finally, Marti Loeb, the Executive Director, would welcome volunteer gardeners! For those with a green thumb and miss digging in the dirt, this is your chance! The course is located at 19825 River Road in Gladstone. Maybe we could arrange a golf/gardening work party or if you want to go individually, the number is 503-722-1530.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATION. OUR GOAL IS TO BEAT LAST YEAR'S TOTALS!! WE CAN DO THIS!!

Tuesday Day's Play

July 6th

2 person best ball

			Beverly Scott	
			Donna Lee	62
1st	Lisa Schaller			
	Luan Penner	60	8th	Jan Rothert
				Lee Kim
				63
2nd	Denise Aldridge			
	Stephanie More	61		
	Grace Chien			
	Pam Godfrey	61		
	Sharon Branning			
	Patty Myers	61		
	Hollis Brown			
	Blind Draw	61		
6th	Susan Seeley			
	Freida Talbot	62		

July 13th

Net on holes beginning in S or T.
Par=35

1st	Penny Wolsky	34
2nd	Marcia Wolly	35
	Donna Lee	35
4th	Wendy Weddle	36
	Susan Seeley	36
	Carolyn Young	36
7th	Lauri Hausafus	37
	Grace Chien	37
	Ann Reno	37
	Jill Kim	37

July 27th

Great Blue....

Flight A

1st	Lauri Hausafus	57
	Kathy Inskeep	57
	Luan Penner	57
4th	Laurel Bjornstad	58
	Jill Kim	58
	Jan Rothert	58
7th	Betty Schram	60

Flight B

1st	Koorye Fantasia	54
2nd	Gail Knoll	56
	Penny Wolsky	56
	Jennifer King	56
5th	Cindy Lindstrom	57

Saturday Day's Play

July 3rd

Red, White, Blue

1st	Kelsie Volk	73
2nd	Lee Kim	75
	Lory Hefe	75
4th	Laurel Bjornstad	77
	Jill Kim	77
	Katie Carlos	77

July 10th

Low net on the par 4's

1st	Carolyn Sites	35
2nd	Kelsie Volk	36
3rd	Frieda Talbot	37
4th	Cindy Lindstrom	40
5th	Jill Kim	42
6th	Ann Reno	43

July 17th

Low net

1st	Donna Lee	73
2nd	Grace Chien	74
3rd	Elaine Von Wald	77
	Frieda Talbot	77
5th	Cindy Lindstrom	79
6th	Penny Wolsky	80
	Lee Kim	80

July 31st

Low net

1st	Lee Kim	72
2nd	Lory Hefe	75
3rd	Kelsie Volk	76
	Jeanette Lopez	76
5th	Linda Pelon	77

July 24th

2021 Memorial Tournament

2 Net Team Stableford

1st	Fournier/Rothert/ Lopez/King	100
2nd	Penner/Young/Knutson/ Fantazia	98
3rd	Scott/Sites/Stephenson/ Talbot	93
4th	Stephenson/Weddle/ Kim/Lindstrom	90
5th	Chien/Wolsky/Knoll/ Fantazia	89
6th	Smith/Spirit/Pelon/Lee	87
7th	Seeley/Bjornstad/Von Wald/Flury	85

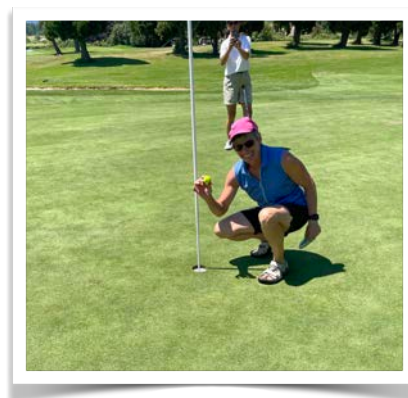
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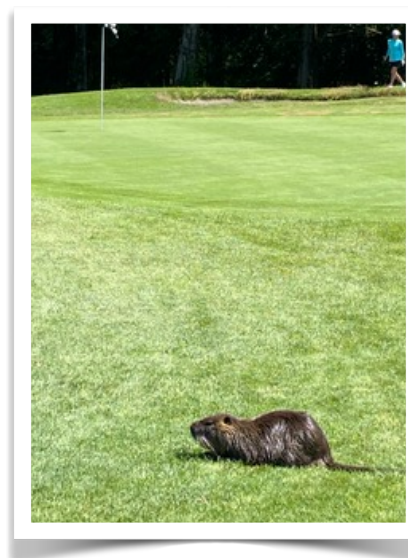
**Luan Penner sharing the history of
the Memorial Tournament**



**Members listening to Luan at the
Memorial Tournament**



**Gail Knoll showing us the ball
from the "hole out" to win the
match!!**



**A furry member of the Heron
Lake's team.**

HLWGC Mission Statement

Our mission is to promote the game of golf for women. We offer assistance and support to each member to obtain her goals, while learning the rules and etiquette of golf in a constructive and cooperative environment. It is our desire to provide an experience that encourages friendship, empathy and inclusion for women from diverse backgrounds by treating each other with respect and dignity.

