

NEWSLETTER FOR OCTOBER 2016

- Voting for 2017 Board members will take place during this month at all tournament sites. A sample ballot is included in this newsletter.
- Our Annual Banquet will be held on Friday, Nov. 18. Members attend at no cost. Guest fee: \$35.00. **Treasurer Pete Schoemann** is making all the arrangements for this enjoyable evening. The reservations form and menu selections are included in this newsletter.
- Several members shooting their age during August were accidentally omitted from the September newsletter. Their names are included in this newsletter.
- **Jody Bass** is the 2016 NTSGA Club Champion. See the Championship results in this newsletter.
- Nine tournaments remain on our schedule for 2016 with the possibility of adding one more on Dec. 7.

BIRTHDAY'S FOR OCTOBER

Phil Abel 20 th	Dave Clelland 19 th	Ron Clemons 6 th	Randy Cook 3 rd
Will Cornell 29 th	Dick Fargo 6 th	Randy George 30 th	Phil Head 21 st
John Kandal 24 th	Dennis Littwin 7 th	Russ Medlin 19 th	David Miller 27 th
Bob Murphy 6 th	Vern Robinius 15 th	Jim Rowley 24 th	Pat Scarborough 3 rd
John Stieneker 31 st	Joe Bob Wheeler 24 th	Dave Wilson 25 th	Gary Zimmerman 15 th

SEPTEMBER TOURNAMENT PARTICIPATION

	Players	Percentage of full field	Low Gross	Low Net
Sept. 7 G.C. of Dallas	94	73%	Butch Vaut 69	Tim Strobel 63
Sept. 14 Waterview	114	89%	Butch Vaut 73	Don Grisham 55
Sept. 21 Tierra Verde	74	57%	Butch Vaut 76	Don Grisham 65 Sid Thrash 65
Sept. 27 Stonebridge Ranch (Hills)	94	73%	Doug Shackelford 76 Butch Vaut 76	Howie Bacharach 61
Sept. 28 Watters Creek	99	77%	Jody Bass 73	Jody Bass 65 Jay Felston 65

If flying is so safe, why do they call the airport the terminal?

A rubber-band pistol was confiscated from an algebra class, because it was a weapon of math disruption!

BANQUET SOLICITATIONS:

Last years' banquet was an overwhelming success, thanks in part, to many members securing valuable prizes and gifts to give away during the festivities. The Board of Directors is again asking members to take an active part in obtaining these valuable prizes from local businesses, golf stores and restaurants. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

NEXT 5 TOURNAMENTS

Oct. 5 Mesquite G.C.	8:00	
Oct. 12 Hurricane Creek C.C.	8:00	** Includes Buffet Lunch
Oct. 19 Heritage Ranch C.C.	8:00	
Oct. 26 Bridlewood G.C.	8:00	
Nov. 2 Tangleridge G.C.	8:00	

DIRECTIONS TO GOLF COURSES

Oct. 5 Mesquite (Mesquite) 972-270-7457; 827 North Hwy 67. Drive the George Bush Turnpike east/south. It ends at I-30. Exit right (West) towards Dallas. Drive 2 miles, exit at Belt Line Rd and stay on the service road. Continue on service road, .9 miles past the traffic light. Course entrance on right.

Oct. 12 Hurricane Creek C.C. (Anna) 972-924-3247; 1800 Fairway Lane. Take I-75 (Central Expwy) north, exit at Anna (Truck Stop), turn left go over I-75, right turn onto the west side service road, drive 1.7 miles (north). Left turn at small sign, leads to club.

Oct. 19 Heritage Ranch C.C. (Fairview) 972-549-0276; 465 Scenic Ranch Circle. Take I-75 (Central Expwy) north, exit at Stacy Rd., right turn (east) 3 miles to the dead end (FM 1378). Turn left, then an immediate right, back onto Stacy Rd. Continue east for ½ mile, course entrance on left (has gate guard).

Oct. 26 Bridlewood (Flower Mound) 972-355-4800; 4000 W. Windsor Dr. Proceed north on I-35E, exit at FM1171/Main St. (Lewisville). Turn left (west), drive 5 ½ miles, right turn at Bridlewood Blvd. At 1st stop sign, turn right, course entrance on left.

Nov. 2 Tangleridge (Grand Prairie) 972-299-6837; 818 Tangle Ridge Dr. Take I-35E south thru downtown Dallas. Bear right at the Hwy 67 split, towards Cleburne. After passing under I-20, drive 8.7 miles, exit at Lake Ridge Pkwy., right turn (2 miles). Turn left at Park Ridge Dr., follow signs through residential area to golf course. Or, drive south on the George Bush Turnpike through Arlington towards I-20. Exit at Lake Ridge Parkway (the exit before I-20) and continue south for approx 8.5 miles. Turn right at entrance to the Tangleridge housing area (still on Lake Ridge Pkwy). Drive approx. 1.2 miles (past elementary school). Turn right at Park Ridge Ct. (Leads to golf course).

My wife was at the beauty shop for nearly two hours. That was only for the estimate. She got a mudpack and looked great for two days.....then the mud fell off.

.....Rodney Dangerfield

ANNUAL BANQUET

The annual banquet and meeting of the NTSGA will be held Friday evening, November 18, 2016.

The event will be at the same location as last year's banquet: The Crowne Plaza Hotel located at 14315 Midway Rd. in Addison. This is just south of Beltline Rd. on Midway. The festivities will begin at 6:00 with a Happy Hour. Dinner will be served at 7:00 PM.

The menu is:

Tossed Garden Salad with sliced Cucumbers and Cherry Tomatoes with Ranch or Balsamic Vinaigrette Dressing

Seared Chicken Breast Parmesan with Italian spices and shredded Parmesan Cheese with Cilantro Cream Sauce with Chef's selection of fresh vegetables and Risotto Cake

Or

New York Strip Steak with Chef's selection of fresh vegetables and Roasted Potatoes

With: Fresh Baked Rolls with Butter

Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee and Herbal Tea

Alternating Deserts: Pecan Pie

Italian Cream Cake

At the bottom of this page is a form prepared for your use to notify **Pete Schoemann**, our Treasurer, of the number of people in your party who will be attending. Just cut the form on the dotted line and fill it out with the desired information and give it to Pete at our next tournament. You can also mail it to him at his home address: 3200 San Simeon Way, Plano, TX 75023 or e-mail him at plano2shoes@aol.com



AWARDS BANQUET RESERVATION-CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL.....NOVEMBER 18, 2016

Please give or send this form to **Pete Schoemann**. All reservations or cancelations must be made by November 14, 2016.

There is no charge to members. Guest fee will be \$35.00. If you have sufficient funds in your account, the guest fee will be deducted. Otherwise include payment with this form.

Member's Name _____

Guest(s) Name(s) _____

Number Chicken _____ Number Steak _____

ADDITIONAL 20 ROUNDS.....

In addition to the members listed in the September newsletter for participating in 20 rounds during the year, the following members have now been added to that list:

Jody Bass (12), Lynn Beyler, Scott Daum (18), Dave Dreiling, Bill Eldridge, Dick Fargo, Sterling Forsythe (12), Billy King, Bob Lewis, Skip Lovell, Pat Martin, Dennis Meyer, Gary Mitchell, Ray Patak, Paul Price, Bill Roll, Harry Schmidt, Doug Shackelford, Robert Smith, Al Stalter, Chuck Starin, Ralph Storey, Sid Thrash, Steve Vredenburg and Gary Zimmerman.

OOPS.....

When inserting the picture alongside the Age Shooters in the August newsletter, 7 member's names were kicked out. The following members shot their age in August:

Art Krueger 8/17 The Tribute 78
Harold Lockman 8/17 The Tribute 79
Jerry Walker 8/17 The Tribute 77
Bob Wands 8/17 The Tribute 76
Tom McMahan 8/22 Gleneagles 73
Butch Vaut 8/22 Gleneagles 71
Ken Wagner 8/22 Gleneagles 73

Apologies for the oversight!

FROM THE YEAR 1955:

No one can afford to be sick anymore. At \$15.00 a day in the hospital, it's too rich for my blood.

HOLE-IN-ONE, BILL ROLL.....

Nine year NTSGA member, **Director Bill Roll** recorded the 4th hole-in-one of this year at the Golf Club of Dallas on Sept. 7th. This is also Bill's 4th hole-in-one of his golfing career. His accurate wedge shot found the bottom of the cup on Hole #3 from 101 yards. Playing partners included **Phil Fahs, Dave Bramlett** and **Jim Yarbrough**. Bill's father was a career Air Force officer and Bill moved frequently as his father changed duty stations all over the world. He attended Bolles Military Academy in Jacksonville, FL. Upon graduation, Bill received an appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point. After graduation and commissioning, he served in the 82nd Airborne Division retiring in 1984 as Brigadier General after 28 years of service to our country. Following his military career, Bill worked for an electronics component distribution company, Wells Fargo home and commercial alarm systems and several hi-tech recruiting services. NTSGA is happy to add \$200.00 to Bill's bank account.

CONGRATULATIONS, BILL ROLL!

2016 NTSGA CHAMPIONSHIP

CHAMPION: JODY BASS 151 (MEDALIST)

FLIGHT RESULTS (Net)

FIRST FLIGHT:

1st Harold Lockman 137
2nd Dick Hall 139

SECOND FLIGHT:

1st Howie Bacharach 130
2nd Jay Felston 138

THIRD FLIGHT:

1st John Jones 137
2nd Chuck Starin 140

FOURTH FLIGHT:

1st Skip Lovell 137
2nd Mike Neeley 139

MENDING....

President **Joel Rogers** had a speedy recovery from hip replacement surgery and has resumed playing golf again. Treasurer **Pete Schoemann** has started to attend our tournaments as an observer following neck surgery. **John Carrick** had a shoulder injury and recently started playing golf again. **Will Cornell** underwent shoulder surgery and has resumed participating. **Ollie Cromwell** recently suffered a shoulder injury and may have to sit out for the remainder of the year. **Greg Denzer** had knee replacement surgery and recently started playing golf again. **Gary Dobson** has back issues and may be out for the remainder of the year. **Jerry Jenkins** suffered a back injury and may also miss playing for the remainder of the year. **Bill Kayser** is out for the year with back and knee injuries. **Larry Lucas** is treating a foot infection and will probably miss playing for the remainder of 2016. **Scott Medlin** needs eye surgery. **Don Melton** has an assortment of medical issues and has recently resigned from the organization. **Craig Oakley** needs rotator cuff surgery and is out for the year. **John Owens** is a caregiver for his wife and hopes to play in October. **Kelly Parks** recently broke his shoulder and will miss the rest of the year. **Michael Peralta** is settling a family estate and hopes to start playing again in October. **Pat Scarborough** recently had knee replacement surgery and hopes to continue playing golf in late October. **Ernie Sparks** is scheduled for shoulder surgery and will miss most of our remaining tournaments this year. **Pat Tritch** required heart surgery and would love to start playing golf again soon. **Dorie Wesson** is awaiting back surgery. **Joe Bob Wheeler** had neck surgery followed by a broken foot. He has recently started playing golf again. **Jim Ablowich** needs shoulder surgery and may be out for the year. **Eric Blackwood** has heart issues, however, would love to start playing golf again. **Jim York** is settling a family estate and wants to start playing golf again. **Roger Nondorf** had back surgery and hopes to play golf later this month.

NTSGA RULES:

It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Directors, that all members are not adhering to the liberal rules by which we have established for tournament play. This non-conformance of our rules must stop immediately. Since we compete for small amounts of flight prize money, it is mandatory that members conform to these rules at all times. We allow a one club length improvement of the lie, either in the fairway or the rough, no closer to the hole, but not from a hazard or from out of bounds. If the ball is in one of the aforementioned hazards it can be played anywhere on the line that it entered the hazard, requiring a 1 stroke penalty. If the ball sits on hard pan and a one club length improvement will not reach a tuft of grass...the ball must be played off of the hard pan. If the ball is behind a tree and a one club length improvement will not clear the tree...the ball must be played from behind the tree to the best of your ability. (Remember, you hit it there).

AGE SHOOTERS – SEPTEMBER

Harold Lockman 9/7 G.C. of Dallas 79
Butch Vaut 9/7 G.C. of Dallas 69
Bob Wands 9/7 G.C. of Dallas 77
Rich Carmen 9/14 Waterview 76
J.D. Caywood 9/14 Waterview 81
Harold Lockman 9/14 Waterview 80
Bill Roll 9/14 Waterview 79
Harold Lockman 9/21 Tierra Verde 78
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Harold Lockman 9/27 The Ranch at Stonebridge 80
Bob Wands 9/27 The Ranch at Stonebridge 78
Harold Lockman 9/28 Watters Creek 77
Bill Roll 9/28 Watters Creek 81



FUNNY.....

An 8 year-old girl went to her grandfather, who was working in the garden and asked him, "Grandpa, what is couple sex?"

The grandfather was surprised that she would ask such a question, but decided that if she's old enough to know to ask the question, then she's old enough to get a straight answer.

Steeling himself to leave nothing out, he proceeded to tell her all about human reproduction and the joys and responsibilities of intercourse.

When he finished explaining, the little girl was looking at him with her mouth hanging open, eyes wide in amazement.

Seeing the look on her face, the grandfather asked her, "Why do you ask, honey?"

The little girl replied, "Grandma says that dinner will be ready in just a couple secs."



SAMPLE BALLOT 2017 ELECTIONS

President: **Gerald Gotcher** _____

Directors: 2 year term (Vote for 2)

Vice President: **Roger Ball** _____

Dick Hall _____

Tim Koscinski _____

Danny Millaway _____

Tom McMahan _____ (currently serving)

Mike Robertson _____

Bill Roll _____ (currently serving)

Secretary: **Phil Fahs** _____

Treasurer: **Pete Schoemann** _____ (currently serving)

Ron Swanson _____