

NEWSLETTER FOR NOVEMBER 2018

- The annual NTSGA Banquet is scheduled for Nov. 16 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Addison, ½ mile south of Belt Line Rd. on Midway Rd. Cocktails at 6:00, dinner at 7:00. Members attend for free, guest fee is \$35.00. Member's signing up and failure to show up will result in \$30.00 being extracted from the member's bank, since we still have to pay the hotel for ordered meals. Signup has been ongoing at tournament sites or call Treasurer Pete Schoemann at 972-618-3776. Deadline for sign up/cancellation is Nov. 12.
- Rainy weather has impacted our October tournaments. The Club Championship had to be moved to October 30/31 and the results are in this newsletter.
- A sample ballot for next year's Board of Directors is included in this newsletter. Give it to Handicap Chairman Howie Bacharach. Winners will be announced at the Annual Banquet.
- Fifteen members have recently been dropped from the organization due to inactivity. Remember, our By-Laws deem a member to play in 20 rounds/year to keep their memberships active.
- Tournament Chairman, Rod Wells has added a tournament to our schedule: Nov. 7 at Stevens Park beginning at 8:00. We will not play a tournament Nov. 21 where there is an open date, because that is the day before Thanksgiving.
- Tournament start times will be **8:30** beginning with the **Nov. 14** event at Bridlewood.



"The weather was much too rotten to go to work."

PUN INTENDED

The midget fortune-teller who escaped from prison was a small medium at large.

2019 BALLOT



President: Gene Edmondson _____
Vice President: Phil Abel _____
Secretary: Phil Fahs _____
Treasurer: Pete Schoemann _____

Directors: (Vote for 3)

Gerald Gotcher _____
Tom McMahan _____ (currently serving)
Bill Roll _____ (currently serving)
Greg Windsor _____

OCTOBER TOURNAMENT PARTICIPATION

	Players	Percentage of full field	Low Gross	Low Net
Oct. 3 Frisco Lakes	127	99%	Butch Vaut 76 Bobby Vetkoetter 76	Larry Milton 64
Oct. 10 Hurricane Ck. C.C.	114	89%	James Wu 71	Greg Windsor 60
Oct. 17 Tangleridge	Canceled, due to course conditions. Re-scheduled Oct. 30.			
Oct. 24 Heritage Ranch C.C.	103	80%	Mike Jones 72	Larry Kimberlin 67 Bill Roll 67
Oct. 30 Tangleridge	107	83%	Rob Ruth 72	John Jones 63
Oct. 31 Watters Creek	89	69%	Scott Eskridge 72	Larry Kimberlin 64

NEXT 5 TOURNAMENTS

Nov. 7 Stevens Park	8:00
Nov. 14 Bridlewood	8:30
Nov. 19 (Mon.) Las Colinas C.C.	8:30
Nov. 26 (Mon.) Gleneagles C.C. (Queens Course)	8:30
Nov. 28 Lantana	8:30

DIRECTIONS TO GOLF COURSES

Nov. 7 Stevens Park (Dallas) 214-670-7506; 1005 N. Monclair. Drive I-35E southbound, exit at Inwood Rd., proceed west for 3.4 miles. When Inwood Rd. turns south, it becomes Hampton Rd. Drive over I-30 past Ft. Worth Ave. Left turn at Colorado Blvd. Drive approx. ½ mile, course entrance on right.

Nov. 14 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. 19 Las Colinas C.C. (Irving) 972-717-0086; 4400 N. O'Connor Rd. Drive the George Bush Turnpike southbound. Exit at Hwy 114 and drive eastbound for approx. 3 miles to O'Conner Blvd. Turn right and drive approx ¾ miles. Turn left at Las Colinas Country Club Drive. Leads to clubhouse.

Nov. 26 Gleneagles C.C. (Plano) 972-867-8888; 5401 W. Park Blvd. Drive north on the Dallas North Tollway. Exit at W. Park Blvd. (FM 544). Turn right for 1.2 miles, course entrance on left.

Nov. 28 Lantana (Lantana) 940-728-4653; 800 Golf Club Dr. Drive north on I-35E (Stemmons Frwy) past Lewisville. Exit at FM407 (Justin Road) Exit #454A. At the traffic, turn left and continue west for 6 miles. Turn right at Lantana Trail (water tower and traffic light); drive 1.2 miles (divided road), turn right at Golf Club Dr., leads to clubhouse.

BIRTHDAYS FOR NOVEMBER

Chuck Adami 11th
Ed Kay 26th
Larry Milton 27th
Andy Parker 7th

Jeff Aston 22nd
Bob Kenyon 12th
Joe Minter 16th
Paul Price 17th

Fraser Border 15th
Harold Lockman 29th
Gary Mitchell 5th
Rusty Stricker 8th

Bill Eldridge 28th
Bob Mandula 6th
Craig Oakley 4th

ANNUAL BANQUET:

The annual banquet and meeting of the NTSGA will be held Friday evening, November 16, 2018.

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 approx. ½ mile 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:

Field Greens Salad with Ranch or Balsamic Vinaigrette Dressing

Seared Chicken Breast topped in a buttercream lemon sauce

Or

10 oz. Sirloin Steak in a Cabernet Demi-glace

With: Garlic Whipped Potatoes and Assorted Vegetables

Fresh Baked Rolls with Butter

Alternating Deserts: Pecan Pie or Chocolatey Chocolate Mousse Cake

Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee and Herbal Tea

We will also be offering a vegetarian option as an entree

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

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AWARDS BANQUET RESERVATION-CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL.....NOVEMBER 16, 2018

Please give or send this form to **Pete Schoemann**. All reservations or cancelations must be made by November 12, 2018.

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) _____

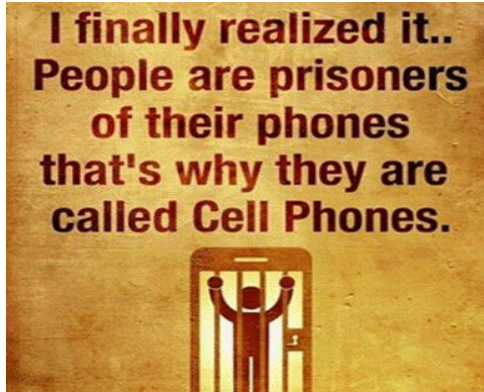
Number Chicken _____ Number Steak _____

I just saw a donkey crossing the road. The cool thing was he looked both ways before crossing...what a smart ass!

FROM TOURNAMENT CHAIRMAN, ROD WELLS.....

I welcome, and in fact encourage you to give me feedback on course conditions, speed of play, friendliness of staff, etc. It does help us provide a better product.

And even if you don't see the results you wanted, we do address all the problems and the positive information encourages us to continue to provide the best senior golf experience in the DFW area.



AGE SHOOTERS, OCTOBER:

Bob Wands 10/3 Frisco Lakes 79
Ken Wagner 10/3 Hurricane Creek C.C. 73
Bill Roll 10/24 Heritage Ranch 84
Mike Barker 10/30 Tangleridge 75
Tom McMahan 10/30 Tangleridge 78
Butch Vaut 10/31 Watters Creek 74

LARRY MILTON'S GOLF TIPS FOR STRUGGLING SENIOR GOLFERS:

Chapter 3: How to avoid the water when you lay 8 in a bunker!

WEATHER CANCELLATIONS.....

All members should get in the habit of checking the website (ntsga.org) the evening before a golf tournament and early morning before leaving for the golf course for possible messages from the Tournament Chairman regarding weather conditions/delays and/or cancellations. This procedure has now been enhanced by linking member's cell phones to receive this early morning cancellation message. To link your phone, contact **Webmaster Howie Bacharach** (hbacharach@aol.com) and provide your mobile phone number and the name of your wireless carrier.

SAD NEWS-

Former member, Skip Lovell has died of a heart attack. He played with NTSGA for 4 years and had recently moved to Missouri. No further details are known.

Rest in peace, Skip Lovell

