NEWSLETTER FOR JANUARY 2021 HAPPY NEW YEAR!

- 2021 NTSGA dues will be extracted from your Bank on Jan. 1, 2021 by
 Treasurer Pete Schoemann. If you don't have sufficient funds in your Bank,
 submit a check (\$30.00, payable to NTSGA) to Pete before Jan. 1. If you're
 unsure as to your Bank balance, call Secy. Phil Fahs at 972-243-3450.
- The 2021 tournament schedule is posted on the website under the Schedule tab. There are several open dates. Watch the website for the latest changes.
- Start time for our tournaments is 8:30 through March 3. The sign-in table closes at 8:00.

BIRTHDAYS FOR JANUARY

Pete Archbold 31st
Jalil Daneshfar 4th
Pat Hussey 6th
Terry Latham 14th
Phil Sykes 4th
Frank Arnold 29th
Jay Earley 6th
Charles Johnson 16th
Don Morriss 21st
Marc Walker 28th
Jim Yarbrough 1

Mike Barker 29th Walt Barnes 12th
Mark Harwell 25th Armando Hinojos 19th
John Jones 29th Art Krueger 5th
Doug Rener 8th Dennis Smith 23rd
Jim Yarbrough 17th

DECEMBER TOURNAMENT PARTICIPATION:

Players Percentage Low Low of full field Gross Net

Dec. 2 Pecan Hollow – canceled due to weather.

Dec. 9 Watters Creek 129 101% Mike Jones 73 Steve Jones 65

NEXT TOURNAMENT

Jan 20 Watters Creek (Allen)

DIRECTIONS TO GOLF COURSE

Jan. 20 Watters Creek (Allen) 972-517-7777; 7201 Chase Oaks Blvd. Drive I-75 (Central Expwy). Exit at Legacy Dr., turn west. At 2nd traffic light, (Chase Oaks Blvd) turn right. Course ½ mile on left.

PUN INTENDED....

Someone threw a jar of mayonnaise at me. I was like what the hellman?

LAWS OF GOLF

....JOHN STIENEKER

Law #12: The person you would most hate to lose to, will always be the one who beats you!

AGE SHOOTER: DECEMBER

Jim Krause 12/9 Watters Creek 76

IRONMEN:

Bob Kenyon, Dave Patrick and Bobby Wood played in all 25 tournaments last year!!

FUN FACTS FROM 2020:

Tournaments Scheduled: 53

Tournaments Added: 8

Tournaments canceled due to weather/course conditions/COVID-19: 36

Tournaments Played: 25

Club Champion: Dave Patrick (Medalist) Back Tees: 145

Jim Krause, Forward Tees: 163

Low Gross Round: Scott Eskridge, Rob Ruth: 67

Member recording Low Gross Round the most times: Scott Eskridge, Rob Ruth: 6

Low Net Round: Gene Edmondson, Ron Goethals, Pete Huff, David Miller: 63

Member recording Low Net Round the most times: All of above: 1

Holes-in-One: 2

Gene Lindsey: Thorntree G.C. Hole #3

John Anderson: Heritage Ranch Golf & C.C., Hole #4

Number of rounds played: 2810 Average players per round: 112 Average guests per round: 9

New members joining in 2020: 8

Most active golf months: October, April

Favorite courses (determined by number participating): Firewheel (Bridges), Lantana,

Hurricane Creek, Frisco Lakes Senior member: **Bob Murphy:** 98

Longest tenured NTSGA member: Treasurer Pete Schoemann: 27 years



2021 BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Front Row: (L-R) Past President Roger Ball, Treasurer Pete Schoemann, Secretary Phil Fahs, Vice President Phil Abel, President Gene Edmondson. Back Row: (L-R) Tournament Chairman Rod Wells, Director Greg Windsor, Handicap Chairman/Webmaster Howie Bacharach, Director Terry Bell. Absent: Director's Tom McMahan & Gerald Gotcher.

NEW MEMBERS:

Walt Barnes - Dallas

Mike Brown - Terrell

Tom Coburn - Lewisville*****

John Cravens - Frisco

Randy Durant – Dallas

Joe Estes – Dallas

Mike Fosheim - Dallas

Carlos Gaona – Grand Prairie

Mike Godbey – Bonham

Mark Harwell – Arlington

Kelly Jackson – Saginaw

Don Morriss – Irving

Gary Patterson – Grand Prairie

John Pope – McKinney

Doug Rener – Murphy

Tracy Rodden – Sunnyvale

Russell Smeed - Lewisville

Rick Steeno - Lewisville

Jon Traver – Irving

Scott Tritch - Dallas

Liam Walsh - The Colony

Walter Whitfield - Sherman

Jim Wright - Azle

Do not let them take the temperature on your forehead as you enter the supermarket, because it erases your memory. I went for macaroni and cheese and came home with two cases of beer.

********Tom Coburn** made a Hole-In-One (#17) at Cowboys GC on June 26, 2019 while playing with NTSGA as a guest.

Copy this page and keep it handy: IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS REGARDING......

Anything pertaining to the overall operation of the Association, contact:

PRESIDENT GENE EDMONDSON bluegene10@verizon.net 940-391-0098

Anything pertaining to your NTSGA member bank balance, prize money distribution, receiving a check for bank withdrawals, closest to the pin questions and Annual Banquet information, contact:

TREASURER, PETE SCHOEMANN plano2shoes@aol.com 972-618-3776

Anything pertaining to Newsletters, Association correspondence, Constitution, By-Laws, roster information changes, prospective member waiting list, archive records from previous years, new members, holes-in-one and annual election of Officers and Directors, contact:

SECRETARY, PHIL FAHS pfahs57@yahoo.com 972-243-3450

Anything pertaining to tournament sign-ups, annual schedule, weekly pairing sheet, tournament check-in, member participation, course tee markers, excessive sign-up/drops and future golf courses, contact:

TOURNAMENT CHAIRMAN, ROD WELLS wellsrod@att.net 972-699-0644

Anything pertaining to the NTSGA website, handicap computation, tournament flight results, individual rounds played, scorecards, age shooters, 2-man team results and skins payouts, contact:

HANDICAP CHAIRMAN/WEBMASTER, HOWIE BACHARACH howardbacharach@gmail.com 972-620-2602

A SIMPLE COURTESY...

At the completion of our rounds, some courses allow us to drive the carts to the parking lot to drop off the clubs at our cars. The courteous thing to do is for one of the golfers to take the empty cart back to the area where golf course personnel clean the cart and prepare it for the next foursome to use for their round. At Watters Creek, three carts were left in the parking lot and had to be retrieved by golf course workers. NTSGA has a great reputation at the golf courses in the Metroplex and we would like to retain that good standing with all of the local courses. Please do the course a favor by returning the carts to the cart barn/cleaning/washing area after our rounds. Thank you.

FUNNY:

An 80 year old guy goes to the doctor for a check-up. The doctor is amazed at what good shape the guy is in and asks, "How do you stay in such great physical condition?"

"I play golf every day, says the old guy. I'm up well before daylight and out on the course walking up and down the fairways."

"Well", says the doctor, "I'm sure that helps, but there's got to be more to it. How old was your dad when he died?"

Who said my dad's dead?"

The doctor is amazed. "You mean you're 80 years old and your dad's still alive. How old is he?"

"He's 100 years old, in fact he played golf with me this morning and that's why he's still alive, he's also a golfer."

"Well", the doctor says, "that's great, but I'm sure there's more to it than that. How about your dad's dad? How old was he when he died?"

"Who said my grandpa's dead?"

Stunned, the doctor asks, "You mean you're 80 years old and your grandfather's still living. Just how old is he anyway?"

"He's 118 years old," says the old golfer.

The doctor is getting frustrated at his point and says. "So, I guess he played golf with you this morning also?"

"No, Grandpa couldn't go this morning because he got married."

The doctor can hardly believe it. "Got married!! Why the hell would a 118 year-old guy want to get married?"

"Who said he wanted to?"