

Hello PWGA Members,

The 2017-18 season is about to begin! In just a few weeks, you will receive your TeeTimeHelper invite for our first play day, which is September 8th. Be sure to get your dues in before September 1st in order to get the early pay discount. The membership application is on our website, [www.papagowga.com](http://www.papagowga.com). Contact Janet Travis, [janetmtravis1@cox.net](mailto:janetmtravis1@cox.net), our new membership and handicap chair, if you have questions.

The calendar of events is now on our website and also is attached. Doris Thompson, our new Tournament Chair, has done a great job of introducing some new and fun games. Except for tournaments, all of our PODs offer a choice of Gold or Green tees. Remember that the tee you wish to play is the one specified in your name field in TeeTimeHelper. You can change your preferred tee by editing your name field, but changes made after an Event is "Locked" are not effective until the following event.

If you aren't already familiar with our website, you should take a few minutes to explore it. In addition to the membership application and the calendar, you'll find handicap lists, TeeTimeHelper instructions, team play information, Bylaws and Standing Rules, meeting minutes, and more. Paula Page has added a "News" section, so when you have something interesting to report to the membership, send it to Paula, [paulapage@cox.net](mailto:paulapage@cox.net).

After nine years of having trailers for a pro shop and cafe, we are finally getting a real clubhouse! By September, construction should be underway, and new (smaller) trailers will be in operation in the parking lot. This season will certainly be one to remember, with our meetings and lunches being held in the big tent. Whatever the challenges, it should all be worth it when the clubhouse opens, which we are still being told will happen before our season ends. We will watch the progress together.

I look forward to seeing all of you back at Papago!

Maria