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Upcoming SDCWGA Events

Please note corrected Entry Open dates for events listed below.

Field Day – Twin Oaks February 21, 2022 Entries Open: 1/24

Field Day - Mt. Woodson March 21, 2022 Entries Open: 2/14

2022 Roam From Home Desert Willow CC Palm Desert 4/18 - 4/20, 2021

Entries Open: 2/28

If you plan to go, book your hotel reservations now to avoid the Coachella Festival Crunch.





Ellen Koury SDCWGA President

Message from the President

Despite the pandemic, SDCWGA plans for a sound year of golf in 2022—in Field Days, Major Tournaments and Team Play. We finished 2021 strong and are eager to have a great 2022.

I hope you are ready for the many wonderful opportunities 2022 will bring. We do not typically schedule any tournaments in January so it is "dark". However, February has a great opportunity to play Twin Oaks and the Field Day in March will be at a favorite course of our members—Mt. Woodson.

Our Roam from Home Director Bernie Munn has some special plans for the Roam from Home which will be held in Palm Desert on April 18, 19 and 20, 2022 at Desert Willow Golf Resort. Please put the opening date of February 28th on your calendar so you remember to sign up at the first opportunity. This is really a fun event!

All year long, there are other SDCWGA tournaments scheduled. Please check the website <u>SDCWGA.net</u> for more information on sign-up dates.

Let's look forward to 2022 with lots of golf, lowering our handicaps (or, at least, holding the one we have presently), and many happy get-togethers with our members and our friends.

Ellen Koury

On-Line Registration

Website registration and event sign up

Don't miss out on upcoming events and reminders. Register now and create an account with password on SDCWGA's website! You must have a valid account and password to sign up for events.

It's Easy! Go to http://www.sdcwga.net and click on the big blue button.



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Meet SDCWGA's New Social/Calendar Director

SUSAN CRAWFORD



Hi, my name is Susan Crawford and I am the new Social/Calendar Director for the San Diego County Women's Golf Association. I began playing golf in the early 90's when my husband bought a set of clubs and left them in the garage. When I inquired what they were for, he responded they were for me. I could learn to play golf and then we could play on vacation. I looked at him like he was crazy. He then set me up with 3 women he worked with to play/teach me on Saturday mornings. From the first round, I was hooked. At the time I worked very long hours in an office environment and mostly with men. The Saturday morning tee times got me outside and I had female friends!!!!

My husband became busy with work and didn't play much golf ... he became a golf widower. However, his vision for those Golf Vacations for me was right on target. I have taken many golf vacations with my female friends over the years, the highlights being Bandon Dunes (3 times), Pebble Beach, The Broadmoor and Pinehurst to name a few.

I retired in 2016 and have been enjoying lots of golf. I am a member of the Encinitas Ranch Women's Golf Club, Torrey Pines Women's Golf Club, Twin Oaks Women's Golf Club and the LPGA Amateurs – San Diego Chapter.

I enjoy volunteering for these organizations. I am supporting a sport I love and able to contribute my Financial and Organizational skills to promote and enhance the game of golf.

Please share any interesting member highlights (hole-in-ones, eagles, other accomplishments) for yourself or other members to be spotlighted in County Capers. Send info to Bobbi Sawtelle, bobbi.sawtelle@gmail.com



In golf as in life
it is the follow through
that makes the difference.

Dr. Seuss



RULES CORNER January 2022



Hitting The Wrong Ball (Rule 6.3)

It has happened to all of us. You arrive at the green to find you have hit a stray ball found on the course rather than your own ball in play, or worse, you have hit your playing partner's or opponent's ball. What should you do?

In Stroke Play:

You must go back to the original spot/lie of your ball, estimated if not known exactly. Drop the original ball (or a substituted ball) and take the General Penalty (*two strokes*.) Complete the hole with this ball. Any strokes made with the wrong ball do not count. If two players hit each others' balls they must both go back and take the general penalty.

In Match Play:

If you played the wrong ball you take the general penalty which is *loss of hole* in Match Play. If two players hit each other's balls the first to make a stroke at the wrong ball gets the general penalty (loss of hole.) If it is not known which wrong ball was played first both players must go back and play out the hole with no penalty.

Exception to this rule: If hitting a ball out of moving water in a penalty area or in temporary water and it could not be identified before making the stroke, there is no penalty. The player must correct the mistake by playing her own ball from the original spot.

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2022 Calendar of Events

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
Field Day	February 21, 2022	Twin Oaks
Field Day	March 21, 2022	Mt. Woodson
Roam From Home	April 18 - 20, 2022	Desert Willow CC
County Classic	May 16, 2022	Oaks North
Field Day	June 20, 2022	Carlton Oaks
Championship	July 18, 2022	Bernardo Heights CC
Memorial Tournament	August 15, 2022	El Camino CC
Field Day	September 19, 2022	San Vicente
Four Ball Championship	November 7, 2022	The Crosby Club
	November 14, 2022	St. Mark CC
Holiday Event	December 5, 2022	Lomas Santa Fe CC