



# Calimesa Men's Golf Club

1300 S. Third Street, Calimesa, CA 92320

## Monthly Newsletter

*January 2015*

### News

Happy New Year! I hope that you had a great holiday season. I would first like to thank the membership for voting me as President. I've been a member for almost 25 years and served on the board for eight years. I'm looking forward to leading our club, growing our membership, and having fun competitive tournaments.

I can't say enough about the dedication, time, and effort that our outgoing President, Larry Karr, gave to our club. He led our club for several years and did an outstanding job. I will do my best to follow in his footsteps.

I'm sad to announce that long time member and friend Richard "Richie" Flattinger passed away on December 25<sup>th</sup>. I've known Richie for many years as many of you have and he will be missed. A memorial service will be held at Calimesa Country Club on January 10, 2015 at 1:00 pm. The service is open to anyone who would like to attend and pay their respects.

I would like to welcome back all of our returning members and also our new members. We have a great year of tournaments scheduled. We have a really strong Board of Directors that is dedicated to running great tournaments.

The Board of Directors is here to serve the membership. If there are any comments, concerns or suggestions about any part of our club or how it can be improved, please let me know. Members are welcome to attend board meetings to voice any concerns.

### Updates

Calimesa Country Club has agreed to the following discounted green fees for 2015:

Weekends (w/cart)	\$30	(w/o cart)	\$20
Weekdays (w/cart)	\$22	(w/o cart)	\$12

Members are also entitled to 10% off all pro shop merchandise.

The board has decided to discontinue the waived tournament fee for the most improved golfers. The board is exploring other ways to encourage members to improve their game and handicap.

## Tournament Results

### 12-7-14 (Beat the Board)

Board Team A – Owens, Young, Karr, Spoto	56
Board Team B – Erard, Kerr, Sutt, DeRenard	59
1 <sup>st</sup> – Stoeckman, Ruggles, Hardin & Brumett	60
1 <sup>st</sup> – Ugapo, Phillippi, Geierman, Johnson	61

One team beat Board Team A and one team beat Board Team B.

### 12-21-14 (Individual Low Gross/Low Net)

Gross	
1 <sup>st</sup> – Ugapo	70
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Phillippi	77
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Perez	77
4 <sup>th</sup> – Erard	78
Net	
1 <sup>st</sup> – Ebert	63
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Spoto	67
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Ojeda	68
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Wigent	68
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Owens	68
6 <sup>th</sup> – Cleland	69
7 <sup>th</sup> – Burden	70
8 <sup>th</sup> – Byard	70

## Upcoming Tournaments

January 4 – Individual Low Gross/Low Net

January 16 – 2-Man Handicapped Scramble

February 1 – Longo/Spoto Memorial Super Bowl Tournament (open to non-members)

The annual Longo/Spoto Memorial Super Bowl Tournament helps raise money to fund an annual \$500 scholarship awarded to graduating high school students. This year's format is a 2-man scramble. Green fees are \$25 (paid to Calimesa Country Club) and \$30 for the tournament. The \$30 fee includes tournament payouts, skins, and also funds the scholarship.

If you haven't already signed up for one of the upcoming tournaments, please contact Tournament Chairman, Doug Owens, at [ddowens929@aol.com](mailto:ddowens929@aol.com) or 909-649-1963.

## Reminders

When posting scores on the computer, make sure that you are making adjustments in accordance with the USGA's Equitable Stroke Control procedures. Equitable Stroke Control sets a maximum number that a player can post on any hole. The following table shows the maximum score you can post on any hole contingent on your handicap.

<b>Course Handicap</b>	<b>Maximum Number Posted on Any Hole</b>
9 or less	Double Bogey
10 – 19	7
20 – 29	8
30 – 39	9
40 or more	10

If you have any questions about Equitable Stroke Control, please contact our Handicap Chairman, Gary Sutt.

The annual Spoto/Ebert Invitational golf trip has been booked for June 5 – June 8 of 2015. The tournament is open to members and non-members. The flyer is attached to this email and is also available at Calimesa Country Club. If you have any questions, please contact Tom Spoto.

Thank you,



Michael Ebert  
President