

Chipshots

Palm Desert Resort Women's Golf Club Newsletter
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December 2021

We are off to a great start for the 2021 – 2022 season. The course is in great shape and the landscape is in full bloom with plenty of color. For the months ahead, we have a busy calendar of fun events. On behalf of your PDRWGC Board and all the committee chairs, we wish all our members and their families a safe and healthy holiday season with positive thoughts for 2022.

Committee/Chair Reports

New/Renewal Memberships – Barbie Blecher

Membership renewal continues through December 31 for the 2022 calendar year. The SCGA will be sending reminder notices to renew online. The dues stay the same at \$75.00 which includes \$36.00 for the SCGA and \$39.00 for the PDRWGC. A form for Social Membership-only is also available keeping the dues at \$30.00. Note: ECCY is no longer included on the renewal form but can be paid directly to Lorraine Frampton. New members are always welcomed! Any questions contact Barbie Blecher.

Handicap – Jan Todd

As you may have noticed, the course has moved several tee boxes and been reevaluated by the SCGA. We currently have 3 sets of tee boxes for the women players: Gold (formerly Red), Combo Gold/Silver (formerly Red/Silver), and Silver. When signing up, please be sure to specify which tees you will be playing from and adjust your handicap accordingly.

Holiday Donations – Marti Andersen

We will not be collecting donations for “Shelter from the Storm” this year due to the eligibility requirements a charity must follow to accept federal funds. Instead, we will ask for donations to our own “Employee Holiday Fund.” We have some very dedicated personnel that have worked hard for the club. With your donation, we hope to show them all our appreciation. Any questions, contact Marti.

Days Play – Janelle Brown for Joyce Goodman

Janelle Brown will be managing December Days Play until Joyce returns in January. Our first Days Play will be Thursday, December 2, with an 8:00 am shotgun start, followed by our monthly club meeting and snack, sponsored by the PDRWGC. Of course, there will be a no-host bar!

Holiday Party – Janelle Brown

Our annual holiday party is Thursday, December 9, kicking off with an 8:00 a.m. shotgun. Janelle and her elves have been busy planning our holiday party with “Feliz Navidad” as our theme plus a Mexican-styled luncheon and entertainment galore. Always fun and laughs to get you in the holiday spirit. Sign-up for this event no later than 12:00 pm, Sunday, December 5.

President’s Cup – Joyce Goodman/Marti Andersen

New Year 2022 is just around the corner which means January 6 is our first Gross, Net, Putts Days Play, as well as the qualifying round for the President's Cup, if you choose to play. Due to several members not being able to return to the desert until January 1, the PDRWGC Board approved to exempt the 4-game qualification rule to qualify. Note, this is for *this year only*. If you are planning to play that day, you must sign up by **December 20** as tee times need to be scheduled in advance. Sign-up sheets are in the clubhouse now. Please email Days Play Chair, Joyce Goodman at joyce.m.goodman@gmail.com, or assistant Marti Andersen, at dicki@charter.net.

Women’s Invitational – Karen West

Our invitational is back and it’s going to be great fun. The dates are set for March 9 – 10 with the theme “Remember When...” You will need to look back at all the different themes we’ve had over the past 20some years and pick your favorite. Planning is underway with more information to come. For now, mark your calendars and invite your guests.

Upcoming Events for December 2021/January 2022

Thursday, December 2 – Gross, Net, Putts – Club Meeting
Saturday, December 4 – Holiday Scramble*
Thursday, December 9 – Holiday Play and Luncheon
Saturday, December 11 – Annual Cart Parade*
Thursday, December 16 – Days Play
Thursday, December 23 – Days Play
Thursday, December 30 – Days Play
Thursday, January 6 - Days Play/President’s Cup Qualifying Round/Luncheon/Meeting
Tuesday, January 11 - President's Cup play continues
Thursday, January 13 - President's Cup play continues
Tuesday, January 18 - President's Cup play continues
Wednesday, January 19 - President's Cup play continues
Thursday, January 20 - President's Cup Final 4 / Winner Celebration
Thursday, January 27 – Days Play
To sign up, go to [PDRWGC website](#)

*Non-PDRWGC event – participation is optional