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NEWSLETTER



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## President's Message

What a year so far! Good weather has brought out record numbers of golfers and our new members are fitting in and adding vitality to the Club. We hope they will become active in the Club's committees as time goes on.

How fortunate we are to have a group of dedicated men who run the weekly tournaments. The tournament committee and other volunteers pitch in to make our Wednesday tournaments and special outings run smoothly and to make the trips fun for all who attend.

Our spring day trip to Mountain Manor was the best yet with 50 members and guests attending. The weather was glorious, the course in good condition, a cold beer after play, a nice dinner and many, many prizes. What more could we ask for?

The next event planned is

the Hudson Valley trip. Don't miss it! We're making it really special this year. We got a terrific price and have planned, in addition to the golf and facilities of the resort, two great getaways, sponsored by the Club. Invite your friends to come along as guests. If you need a flyer or more information these will be available any Wednesday morning. Join the fun and good times!

Plans for late summer/fall outings are in the works and will be published later.

Good luck to all, and God Bless All.

*Bill Doyle, President*



## Notes from the Editor

The annoying Game of Golf! One of the biggest gripes in golf is slow play, so with the season just a few months gone it is not too late to review ways to speed up play.

Be attentive when players in your foursome have hit their ball to help with it's location and be aware of the two minute time limit when looking for a lost ball then move on. Always play when ready. Members that ride in golf carts drop your partner at his ball and then ride to your ball, after hitting meet in the middle of the fairway, do not waste time putting your club in your golf bag that can be done at your next shot, after every one has holed out move promptly off the green and mark score card at next tee box. Some players take excessive practice swings or take time dwelling on a shot or putt. It is each foursome's responsibility to stay close to the group in front of you. So when the getting gets slow *Pick it up a Notch.*

## League Play and Special Tournaments

By Joe Salvato

With the adaptation of the league play format it is hoped that it will provide an incentive to be competitive and have members strive to play as many rounds of golf as possible. If you have been studying the weekly standings you can see how players standings fluctuate after a few good rounds and will prove to be exciting as the season winds down. In setting up the league play format our goal was to use

son then an adjustment will be considered for the number of qualifying rounds.

The Special Tournaments that are being planned for the next two months will serve a dual purpose. First we want to have a team format that

will be fun and challenging. Second it will have to have an individual scoring system that can also be applied in the league play standings.

The Four Man Best Ball

Scramble Tournament which was so popular last year is scheduled for September. The Tournament Committee values your input. If you have any ideas on future special tournaments, please let us know.

### May Tournament Winners

#### First place winners...\$100.

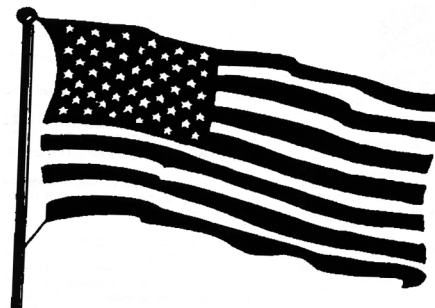
A. Grassini, P. McGonigle  
J. Salvato, F. Savarese

#### Second place winners...\$60.

R. Gengo, F. Holler  
R. Murro, A. Sacco

#### Third place winners...\$40.

J. Byrne, D. Copper  
S. Panagakos, S. Steiner



God Bless America

### KNOW OF A PERSPECTIVE MEMBER

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS CAN BE FOUND ON OUR BULLETIN BOARD AT THE CLEARVIEW GOLF COURSE OR HAVE MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN, JIM REYNOLDS 718-461-5999 MAIL YOU ONE.

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**FUTURE GOLF GETAWAYS**

**HUDSON VALLEY**  
 RESORT & COUNTRY CLUB

**Monday, July 8th to Friday July 12th, 2002**

**Your Week Includes**

Three Gourmet Meals daily...Unlimited Golf...Two Club Tournaments (Barbeque afterwards)...Cocktail Party...Nightly Music and Dancing...Night Club Show every evening...Special Miniature Golf Tournament for the Ladies (non golfers only)... Bus Tour to the Brotherhood Winery, Historic Hudson River Cruise and much more.

**Rates**

**Non-Golfer—\$365.00...Golfer—\$465.00.** Double occupancy.  
 Single occupancy \$20.00 additional per night

Ask about our special Sunday Arrival Offer

*Atlantic City Golf Experience*  
**\$171<sup>00</sup>**  
 Per person double occupancy  
 (Tax Included)

**Monday, August 12th to Tuesday, August 13th, 2002**

One round of Golf at Blue Heron Pines East ·  
 One night accommodations at  
 Comfort Inn West (Deluxe Continental Breakfast) ·  
 Hilton Grand Casino (Buffet Dinner and \$25.00 Coin Rebate.) ·  
 Golf Gift and Snack Pack

<u>OPTIONAL</u>	<u>NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE</u>	<u>OPTIONAL</u>
	Tuesday: Play Dyker Beach GC followed by dinner at Chianti Restaurant in Bay Ridge.	

**SHAWNEE INN  
 AND GOLF RESORT**

**Monday, September 23rd, 2002**

**\$100**

Includes: Bus Transportation...Green Fee and Cart...Shot Gun Start...Tournaments and Prizes...Dinner, Dessert, Beer, Soda, Coffee and Tea,

**Welcome Aboard**

Let us extend a warm welcome to the following new members:

Gil Cus                      Joe LaRocca                      Pat McGonigle  
 Pat Meehan                      Rich Rada                      Lou Stovell

Also, Ray Marro who left due to illness two years ago has reapplied, we are happy to have him back and that all is well.

**Winners of Closest to the Pin**

Date	Front Nine	Back Nine
May 1	Steve Steiner, Hole 4	Tony Tesoriero, Hole 12
May 8	John Murphy, Hole 4	Alois Monschein, Hole 12
May 15	Yoo Wook Won, Hole 4	Gil Cus, Hole 12
May 22	Ted Buhl, Hole 4	Sy Wasserman, Hole 12
June 5	Yoo Wook Won, Hole 4	Frank Holler, Hole 12
June 12	Clancy Takano, Hole 4	Ted Buhl, Hole 12
June 19	Tom Devins, Hole 7	Ray Marro, Hole 12

**GOOD AND WELFARE**

*Mort Kraus, Chairman*

Art Demarest—recent hip operation and heart surgery.

Arthur Grimes—suffered a heart attack.

D.C. Namit—Hospitalized (West Coast)

Steve Stephens—suffered Heart Attack also had Bypass Surgery.

Herman Ianelli—Operated on and is doing well.

Joe Valenza—Hospitalized with Cellulites and is doing fine.

Frank Simone—Tom Achilles Tendon.

Norman Rubin—Hospitalized Gall Bladder Operation.

Please call Mort if you hear any news about a past or present member, their family or friend. Thank You.