

# Wade Savage Aces Number 4

During the member guest tournament this month, **Wade Savage**, one of our Board Members, recorded his first **Hole In One** on the the 4th hole.

Witnessing the shot were SHMGC member **Kevin Baird** and their guests, **Craig Sanchez** and **Ryan West**.



Wade Savage

This was the first hole-in-one recorded during a tournament since 2016 when **Mike Linstrom** dropped one in. As a qualifying event, Wade receives the \$680 Ace's Club pool money.

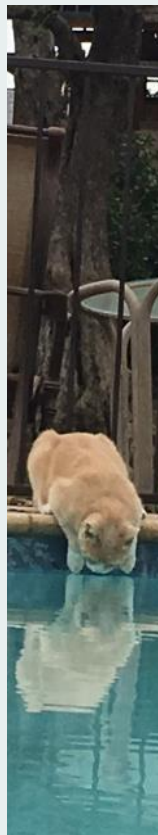
That day, the hole was playing 5 yards longer than the published distance of 155 yards from the Gold

tees. There was a slight breeze into the golfer's faces so Wade drew a 6 iron.

It is reported it was a nice high shot with a 2 to 3 yard fade that started just left of the hole. A picture post-card shot, the ball landed 6 feet short and left of the hole and rolled up what was thought to be in the cup. As they drove up, you could still see the ball slightly above ground but when they got out of the carts, the wind wiggled the flag stick and the ball headed underground.

*Congratulations!*

Simi Hills Mens Golf Club  
**Scorecard**



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## SHMGC ACE'S CLUB RE-STARTING!

A New ACES club pool has been started! The last pool reached \$680 and was won by Wade Savage

To join the new Aces Club pool, put \$10 in an envelope with your name and "Aces Club" on the outside and drop it in the Tournament Special Events box at any club tournament.

You can also give your \$10 to any Board Member who will see it get's recorded. There is a page on our web site where the list of who is in the pool is listed. If you paid and your name doesn't show up within a couple of weeks, get ahold of Willie or Mark Gordon to follow up.



Here are the rules.

- Your membership is active the day after your money is received. (You can't make an Ace and then join the pool.
- The Hole-in-One must be scored in a Club Sanctioned event (Tournament) only.
- The Shot must be witnessed and the scorecard signed by two other players, one of which must be a SHMGC member.
- In the event there are more than one Ace scored in the same month, the winners will split the pot.

## *PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE*

The board is looking into different venues to play next year. We will keep our eight or so of our most popular courses in an annual rotation but then select 8 additional courses so we can rotate 4 of them into our schedule in every other year.

Next January we will be playing Eagle Glen and we are looking to bring back one of the tougher courses in La Purisima. If you have any ideas please email me and we will look into them.

September is front loaded which includes our annual Club Championship. This year we have our monthly away at Sandpiper on the 7<sup>th</sup> with the first round of the Club Championship on Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup>. The weekend of the 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> will be the final two rounds to determine our Champions. Oh, and by the way Sandpiper sold out in half a day. This is one course that you really need to play. There is a reason they call this course the poor man's Pebble Beach. We were able to get more tee times to accommodate the added interest.

Team Play is all set with the same courses we played last year. Olivas Links, Santa Barbara and Glen Annie will be in our group. If you are interested in playing please contact Terry Robuck.

Speaking of Terry, we both traveled up to Palo Alto and played Baylands on 8/28/2019 in a qualifier for the NCGA Senior Amateur.

We both made it in and will be playing Poppy Hills on Sept. 11th 12th and 13th.



***Willie Melancon***

## *SCGA 2-Man Best Ball Net Championship*

On Friday, September 6th, we are sending our two teams up to Soule Park to compete in the SCGA's 2-man net best ball second round. Officially called "**Four Ball Net Championship**"

**Martin Telles** and **Fred Rohmer** are one of the teams. The other consists of **Gerard Sanders** and **Tony Zaccaro**.

This particular regional event at Soule Park has 69 teams entered so far and the competition is pretty strong. 13 out of the 69 (19%) will move on to the finals. There are 3 other regional events. They are being held at Temecula Creek, the Navy Golf Course in Cypress and Los Serranos in Chino Hills.

If our guys qualify they will move on to the finals

on September 30 and October 1st to determine the Champions. The final is a 36 hole (two-day) competition being held at Olivas links, one of our normal tournament courses every year.

If they win the finals, they each get a piece of dinnerware, looks like a vase maybe.



I noticed there are 6 players representing the "Kern County Firemen Golf Club". I would bet they are the ones to beat. Come on, Firemen? They only work a couple days a week so probably have pretty good game.

One perc of membership in our club is that we sponsor entries into several SCGA events should you shoot well enough to qualify. All part of your membership.

Best of luck to you guys.

# EQUIPMENT NEWS

## “LEFT DASH” Titleist PRO V1X available October 2019

This is a ball whose rumored source is that these are “Tour Special”, different than regular PRO V1Xs.

It’s always been suggested that Tour Players don’t actually play the store bought Titleists and that some Acushnet chemists have concocted a super ball that only PGA pro’s get, if they want them.

In truth, 3/4 of the pro’s play the over-the-counter balls. But to quell the rumors, Titleist is releasing only the Pro V1X with a dash at the front of lettering in the alignment arrow.



Titleist does admit to having what are called “CPO” balls for “Custom Performance Option” says Michael Mahoney, V.P. of Marketing for Titleist. These were balls offered to other tour players besides the PGA Tour. European, Web.com, Ferry and others. As the distribution lines blurred, they’ve decided to try this new ball in the public arena.

From the info provided by Titleist, these are low spin balls but high launch angle.

The AVX is low launch/low spin. Pro V1 is mid



launch/mid spin, and Pro V1x is high launch/high spin. Those descriptions are, of course, relative, but the interesting note about Left Dash is with its high launch, low spin characteristics is a new slant by golf’s premier ball manufacturer.

You won’t find it sitting on store shelves next to other Titleists and it is unlikely you’ll find a stash hidden behind the counter at Simi Hills “It’s not the secret menu at In-N-Out,” says Mahoney. It will probably take a special order through the course to score a few for testing.

Tim

## “BIG FOOT” WEDGE by Taylor Made

The obvious question is, “Does anybody at Taylor Made actually play golf?” Who would put out a product with Foot and Wedge in the product name. Then add “Hi Toe” to the markings and you’ve got a High Toe Foot-wedge.

Further obfuscate the user with a marking that says, “Wide 15°”? I’m sure they mean bounce but “wide”? Is there a Narrow 15°?”

The only thing going for this wedge is that it rusts. The new thought is rust is rough so it means more grip and more spin. After three or four rounds, your wedge will look like it’s a couple of decades old.



# Most Coveted Hybrids 2019



*Titleist 818 H1*  
*\$199 at TGW.com*

- Most Wanted Hybrid of 2019
- Produced exceptional strokes gained values across the test group
- Above average radial distance consistency
- Top 10 in average ball speed and carry
- Positive overall subjective feedback from the test group



*Callaway Rouge X*  
*\$189.99 on sale*

- Best Hybrid for Distance in 2019
- Category leader in average carry and total distance
- Top 5 in average ball speed
- Top 10 in average radial distance



*Cobra King F9*  
*\$219.00 on sale*

- 2019 Most Forgiving Hybrid
- Produced the tightest average shot area of any hybrid in the test
- Category leader in both ball speed consistency and carry consistency
- Tester favorite for subjective attributes (looks, feel, alignment)



*SUB70 939X*  
*\$129.00 best value*

- 2019 Best Value Hybrid
- Among the higher launching hybrids tested
- Produced exceptionally tight radial distance (proximity to the pin) and shot area (dispersion)

**EXERPTED FROM: RECENT HYBRID TEST— full report ONLINE AT MYGOLFSPY.COM**

...The [Cobra KING F9](#) was the highest-rated club overall. Testers noted the club's exceptional sound and feel and approved of the sleek, matte black finish. Some testers also mentioned the shaft as a favorite – the Cobra KING F9 hybrid features a Fujikura Atmos Blue as a stock option. Some of the other top-rated hybrids in the 2019 Most Wanted Hybrid test are the Most Wanted [Titleist 818H1](#), [Srixon ZH85](#) and the [PING G410](#). All three of these hybrids scored higher for feel than they did in other categories (looks and alignment).

The lower handicap golfers in our test stated a preference for the smaller, more compact hybrids like the [Titleist 818 H2](#), the [Exotics CBX 119](#), [PXG 0317X GEN2](#), and [Callaway Apex '19](#).

Several testers, regardless of swing speed and handicap, favored the [PXG 0317X GEN2](#) for its better-than-average feel. The PXG 0317x GEN2 hybrids (and all GEN2 metalwoods) feature a honeycomb Thermoplastic Elastomer insert on the sole of the club explicitly designed to improve sound and feel.

In every test at MyGolfSpy, subjective feedback collection inevitably yields negative reviews from our test group. Among those that received poor subjective feedback were the Bridgestone Tour B JGR and XXIO X. While a couple of testers praised the lightweight XXIO for its ease of use, many testers felt it was too light, and looked closed at address. That's reasonable considering the target golfer. Every part of the club – from the grip to the shaft to the head of the XXIO X is designed to remove as much weight as possible. For some golfers this can be beneficial, returning swing speed that may have been lost over the years. For others, it can be detrimental, sacrificing some control and feel for those who swing at higher speeds.



# TOURNAMENT RESULTS

**BUS TRIP to Morongo Golf Club in Tukwet Canyon** was the destination for August's away tournament. This is played as a normal away individually flighted tournament but with the addition of an optional Calcutta 2-man competition running concurrently. First... The flight winners were **Asheesh Danee** and **Gary Weller** taking 'A' flight gross and net respectively. Asheesh had his best round in the past 20 rounds on a 130 slope away course. Great shooting. 'B' flight honors went to **Demetri Pagalidis** and **John Stafford**, both multiple tournament winners.

The Calcutta pairings and bidding process was done during the trip out to Beaumont and was handled by ex-Prez, **Lowell Schultze**. Kudos to Lowell for making himself heard. The bus had no microphone or PA system. There were 17 teams in total consisting of an "A" flight player paired with a "B" flight player. The names were drawn out of a hat. The teams were then auctioned off. The total pool ended up at just over \$7,000! In the end, two teams tied with net 61's (two man best-ball). The "owners" of those teams split the first and second place money. The owner of the third place team got the remaining 20% of the total.

First place teams were **Erik Dahl + Asheesh Danee** and **Angelo Garcia + John Stafford**. Third place was **Raymond Dion + Gary Weller**. However, they weren't necessarily the money winners, the winning bidders for those teams got the bulk of the winnings.

Each team has the option to purchase 25% of their own team back from the Calcutta high bidder. If the team sold for \$400, the team members could pay \$100 (\$50 each guy) to the high bidder and "own" a 25% share. If Ash and Erik or Angelo and John bought their 25%, they would have scored \$704 or \$352 each. Fun day!

## "A" FLIGHT RESULTS

"A" FLIGHT GROSS RESULTS			"A" FLIGHT NET RESULTS			"A" FLIGHT PURSES		
<b>Pos.</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Gross</b>	<b>Pos.</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Total net</b>	<b>"A" flight GROSS winners</b>		
1	Danee, Asheesh	74	1	Danee, Asheesh	67	<b>Player</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purse</b>
T2	Posadas, Mario	81	2	Weller, Gary	69	Danee, Asheesh	1ST	\$ 135.00
T2	Salazar, Carlos	81	3	Garcia, Angelo	70	Posadas, Mario	2ND	\$ 65.00
T2	Robuck, Terry	81	4	Salazar, Carlos	71	Salazar, Carlos	3RD	\$ 45.00
T2	Reed, Brian	81	5	Mora, Emilio	74	<b>"A" flight NET winners</b>		
T6	Garcia, Angelo	82	6	Posadas, Mario	75	<b>Player</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purse</b>
T6	Mora, Emilio	82	7	Barry, Glenn	76	Weller, Gary	1ST	\$ 135.00
T6	Weller, Gary	82	8	Reed, Brian	77	Garcia, Angelo	2ND	\$ 65.00
T6	Melancon, Willie	82	9	Robuck, Terry	78	Mora, Emilio	3RD	\$ 45.00
T10	Corson, Richard	89	T10	Miler, Keith	80	<b>Gross Skins A Flight</b>		
T10	Cross, Paul	89	T10	Melancon, Willie	80	<b>Details</b>	<b>Purse</b>	
T10	Barry, Glenn	89	T12	Shapiro, Scott	81	Danee, Asheesh	Birdie on 12, Eagle on 16	\$ 42.00
13	Harriott, Joel	90	T12	Corson, Richard	81	Posadas, Mario	Birdie on 2, Birdie on 11	\$ 42.00
14	Telles, Martin	93	T12	Harriott, Joel	81	Barry, Glenn	Birdie on 18	\$ 21.00
T15	Shapiro, Scott	94	T12	Cross, Paul	81	Corson, Richard	Birdie on 10	\$ 21.00
T15	Miler, Keith	94	16	Telles, Martin	83	Weller, Gary	Birdie on 5	\$ 21.00
17	Shepherd, Barry	99	17	Shepherd, Barry	85	Reed, Brian	Birdie on 9	\$ 21.00
						<b>Net Skins A Flight</b>		
						<b>Details</b>	<b>Purse</b>	
						Posadas, Mario	Birdie on 2, Eagle on 11	\$ 42.00
						Weller, Gary	Eagle on 3, Eagle on 5	\$ 42.00
						Danee, Asheesh	Eagle on 16	\$ 21.00
						Barry, Glenn	Eagle on 18	\$ 21.00
						Corson, Richard	Eagle on 10	\$ 21.00
						Shepherd, Barry	Eagle on 4	\$ 21.00
						<b>CTP A Flight</b>		
						<b>Distance</b>	<b>Hole #</b>	<b>Prize</b>
						Miler, Keith	19' 0"	# 17 \$ 42.00
						Salazar, Carlos	12' 0"	# 15 \$ 42.00
						Posadas, Mario	2' 5"	# 2 \$ 42.00
						Danee, Asheesh	2' 1"	# 8 \$ 42.00

# TOURNAMENT RESULTS - BUS TRIP

## "B" FLIGHT RESULTS

"B" FLIGHT GROSS RESULTS			"B" FLIGHT NET RESULTS			B FLIGHT - PURSES		
Pos.	Player	Gross	Pos.	Player	Total net	"B" flight GROSS Winners		
T1	Pagalidis, Demetri	87	1	Stafford, John	68	<b>Player</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purse</b>
T1	Stafford, John	87	2	Tran, Doug	71	Pagalidis, Demetri	1ST	\$ 135.00
3	Peachey, Jack	89	T3	Pagalidis, Demetri	72	Peachey, Jack	2ND	\$ 65.00
4	Dahl, Erik	90	T3	Peachey, Jack	72	Dahl, Erik	3RD	\$ 45.00
5	Curry, Jim	91	T5	Curry, Jim	75	<b>"B" Flight NET Winners</b>		
6	Adler, Rick	92	T5	Dahl, Erik	75	<b>Player</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purse</b>
7	Schultze, Lowell	96	T5	Adler, Rick	75	Stafford, John	1ST	\$ 135.00
T7	Hogge, Warren	96	8	Macedo, Larry	77	Tran, Doug	2ND	\$ 65.00
T7	Vega, Luis	99	9	McConville, Michael	78	Curry, Jim	3RD	\$ 45.00
T9	Gordon, Mark	100	T10	Vega, Luis	79	<b>Gross Skins B Flight</b>		
T9	Berger, Herschel	100	T10	Schultze, Lowell	79	<b>Details</b>	<b>Purse</b>	
T9	Tran, Doug	100	11	Berger, Herschel	81	Dahl, Erik	Birdie on 11, Par on 18	\$ 56.00
12	Macedo, Larry	101	12	Hogge, Warren	82	Adler, Rick	Par on 1	\$ 28.00
13	Gravelle, Leo	103	13	Gravelle, Leo	83	Vega, Luis	Birdie on 12	\$ 28.00
14	Torres, Robert	104	14	Gordon, Mark	85	Gordon, Mark	Par on 14	\$ 28.00
15	McConville, Michael	107	15	Dion, Raymond	87	Curry, Jim	Birdie on 9	\$ 28.00
16	Dion, Raymond	115	16	Torres, Robert	89	<b>Net Skins B Flight</b>		
						<b>Details</b>	<b>Purse</b>	
						Adler, Rick	<b>Birdie on 1</b>	\$ 28.00
						Dahl, Erik	Eagle on 11	\$ 28.00
						Gordon, Mark	Birdie on 14	\$ 28.00
						Tran, Doug	Eagle on 4	\$ 28.00
						Stafford, John	Eagle on 7	\$ 28.00
						Curry, Jim	Eagle on 9	\$ 28.00
						<b>CTP B Flight</b>		
						<b>Distance</b>	<b>Hole #</b>	<b>Purse</b>
						Adler, Rick	11' 4"	# 2
						Adler, Rick	16' 3"	# 8
						Dahl, Erik	11' 9"	# 15
						Curry, Jim	5' 11"	# 17

## BUS TRIP - TUKWET CANYON CALCUTTA TEAMS AND RESULTS.

Pos.	Team	Total Team Net	Purse
T1	Dahl, Erik / Danee, Asheesh	61	\$2,816.00
T1	Garcia, Angelo / Stafford, John	61	\$2,816.00
3	Dion, Raymond / Weller, Gary	62	\$1,408.00
4	Peachey, Jack / Posadas, Mario	63	
T5	Adler, Rick / Robuck, Terry	64	
T5	Berger, Herschel / Salazar, Carlos	64	
7	Mora, Emilio / Pagalidis, Demetri	65	
T8	Cross, Paul / Vega, Luis	66	
T8	Shepherd, Barry / Tran, Doug	66	
T10	Curry, Jim / Miler, Keith	67	
T10	Melancon, Willie / Schultze, Lowell	67	
T12	Barry, Glenn / Macedo, Larry	69	
T12	Corson, Richard / Torres, Robert	69	
T12	Gordon, Mark / Reed, Brian	69	
T12	Harriott, Joel / Hogge, Warren	69	
T16	Gravelle, Leo / Shapiro, Scott	71	
T16	McConville, Michael / Telles, Martin	71	
<b>TOTAL PURSE</b>			<b>\$7,040.00</b>

# TOURNAMENT RESULTS: MEMBER-GUEST



## Member-Guest, Member-Member Tournament

August 17, 2019

Our home tournament for August was the annual Member-Guest event. The turnout was, again, very good. The event was split into two flights. There was a Member-Guest flight with 29 teams in it. The other flight was the Member-Member flight and had 26 teams for a total of 81 SHMGC members and 29 guests in the tournament. Below are the results for first the Member Guest flight and the next page for the Member-Member flight.

### MEMBER-GUEST FLIGHT RESULTS

GROSS RESULTS			NET RESULTS			Member-Guest Flight		
Pos.	Player	Gross	Pos.	Player	Total net	GROSS winners		
T1	De La Vara / Govea	71	T1	De La Vara / Govea	58	<b>Player</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purse</b>
T1	McMillan / Novak	71	T1	Baird / West	58	De La Vara / Govea	1st	\$ 160.00
T1	Clarke / Reading	71	T1	Garcia / Johnstone	58	McMillan / Novak	2nd	\$ 120.00
T4	Melancon / Melancon	72	4	Sanchez / Savage	59	Clarke / Reading	3rd	\$ 100.00
T4	Batra / Bhatia	72	T5	Van Diepen / Van Diepe	60	Melancon / Melancon	4th	\$ 90.00
T6	Dom / Hardy	73	T5	Amstutz / Anderson	60	Batra / Bhatia	5th	\$ 80.00
T6	Hernandez / Warner	73	T5	Perez / Perez	60	<b>NET winners</b>		
T6	Garcia / Johnstone	73	T8	Clarke / Reading	61	<b>Player</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purse</b>
T9	Fischer / Shapiro	74	T8	Moore / Vega	61	Baird / West	1st	\$ 160.00
T9	Sanchez / Savage	74	T8	Moffett / Moffett	62	Garcia / Johnstone	2nd	\$ 120.00
T11	Chhabra / Chhabra	75	10	Moffett / Moffett	62	Sanchez / Savage	3rd	\$ 100.00
T11	Reynolds / Weaver	75	11	Batra / Bhatia	63	Van Diepen / Van Diepen	4th	\$ 90.00
T13	Moffett / Moffett	76	T12	Adler / Roest	64	Amstutz / Anderson	5th	\$ 80.00
T13	Crawford / McNamara	76	T12	Chhabra / Chhabra	64	<b>Gross Skins</b>		
T15	Bhatia / Chhabra	79	T12	Dom / Hardy	64	<b>Details</b>	<b>Purse</b>	
T15	Feingersh / Gould	79	T15	Carr / Kosmala	65	Van Diepen/Van Diepen	Birdie on 15	\$ 68.00
17	Amstutz / Anderson	80	T15	Feingersh / Gould	65	De La Vara / Govea	Birdie on 16	\$ 68.00
T18	Adler / Roest	81	T15	Crawford / McNamara	65	Clarke/ Reading	Birdie on 11	\$ 68.00
T18	Baird / West	81	T15	Bhatia / Chhabra	65	Fischer/ Shapiro	Birdie on 18	\$ 68.00
T20	Van Diepen / Van Diepe	82	T15	Fischer / Shapiro	65	Hernandez/ Warner	Birdie on 17	\$ 68.00
T20	Moore / Vega	82	T20	Estevez / Rodriguez	66	Sanchez/Savage	Hole in One on 4	\$ 68.00
T22	Estevez / Rodriguez	85	T20	Melancon / Melancon	66	McMillan/Novak	Birdie on 6	\$ 68.00
T22	Posadas / Posadas	85	T20	McMillan / Novak	66	<b>Net Skins</b>		
24	Prabhakar / Rajp	86	T20	Hernandez / Warner	66	<b>Details</b>	<b>Purse</b>	
T25	Carr / Kosmala	88	T24	Hanson / Macedo	67	Perez/Perez	Eagle on 3, Eagle on 17	\$ 192.00
T25	Peachey / Peachey	88	T24	Reynolds / Weaver	67	Van Diepen/Van Diepen	Eagle on 15	\$ 96.00
27	Murphy / Murphy	89	T24	Posadas / Posadas	67	Sanchez/Savage	Hole in One on 4	\$ 96.00
28	Hanson / Macedo	98	27	Murphy / Murphy	68	Moore/Vega	Double Eagle on 9	\$ 96.00
29	Perez / Perez	101	28	Prabhakar / Rajp	70	<b>CLOSEST TO THE PIN</b>		
			29	Peachey / Peachey	71	<b>Distance</b>	<b>Hole #</b>	<b>Prize</b>
						Van Diepen / Van Diep	15' 3"	# 15 \$ 110.00
						Chhabra / Chhabra	8' 6"	# 17 \$ 110.00
						Sanchez / Savage	<b>HOLED</b>	# 4 \$ 110.00
						Batra / Bhatia	13' 1"	# 8 \$ 110.00



"And if the golf area of the brain was somehow destroyed, there might be a little something extra in it for you."



"Oh, no! Golf-ball-sized hail!"

# TOURNAMENT RESULTS: MEMBER-GUEST

## MEMBER - MEMBER FLIGHT RESULTS

GROSS RESULTS			NET RESULTS			MEMBER-MEMBER - PURSES			
Pos.	Player	Gross	Pos.	Player	Total net	GROSS Winners			
1	Greene / Greene	66	1	Schoen / Stafford	62	<b>Player</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purse</b>	
2	Baker / Hoyle	68	T2	Burt / Curry	63	Greene / Greene	1st	\$ 160.00	
T3	Harriott / Robuck	70	T2	Sanders / Zaccaro	63	Baker / Hoyle	2nd	\$ 120.00	
T3	Christiansen / Rodwell	70	T2	Dion / Porter	63	Harriott / Robuck	3rd	\$ 100.00	
T5	Polanichka / Spender	73	T5	Harriott / Robuck	64	Christiansen / Rodwell	4th	\$ 90.00	
T5	Sanders / Zaccaro	73	T5	Greene / Greene	64	Polanichka / Spender	5th	\$ 80.00	
T5	Mora / Williamson	73	T5	Polanichka / Spender	64	<b>NET Winners</b>			
8	Miler / Silagy	75	T5	Miler / Silagy	64	<b>Player</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purse</b>	
9	Danee / Lifshy	76	T5	Christiansen / Rodwell	64	Schoen / Stafford	1st	\$ 160.00	
T10	Camacho / Weller	78	T5	Delaplane / Skinner	64	Burt / Curry	2nd	\$ 120.00	
T10	Dion / Porter	78	T11	Dahl / Lal	65	Sanders / Zaccaro	3rd	\$ 100.00	
T12	Barry / Pagalidis	79	T11	Dennis / Shimura	65	Dion / Porter	4th	\$ 90.00	
T12	Imel / Stine	79	T11	Danee / Lifshy	65	Miler / Silagy	5th	\$ 80.00	
T12	Dahl / Lal	79	T11	Hansen / Mendenhall	65	<b>Gross Skins Details Purse</b>			
T12	Rohn / Scott	79	T11	Camacho / Weller	65	Baker/Hoyle	Birdie on 11, Birdie on 18	\$ 120.00	
T16	Hansen / Mendenhall	81	T16	Barry / Pagalidis	66	Christiansen/Rodwell	Birdie on 2, Birdie on 16	\$ 120.00	
T16	Sweeney / Thoma	81	T16	Sweeney / Thoma	66	Harriott/Robuck	Birdie on 14	\$ 60.00	
18	Schoen / Stafford	82	T16	Nance / Stockton	66	Greene/Greene	Birdie on 17	\$ 60.00	
T19	Burt / Curry	83	T19	Imel / Stine	67	Polanichka/ Spender	Birdie on 6	\$ 60.00	
T19	Delaplane / Skinner	83	T19	Gravelle / Schultze	67	Rohn/Scott	Birdie on 9	\$ 60.00	
T19	Nance / Stockton	83	T19	Rohn / Scott	67	<b>Net Skins Details Purse</b>			
22	Laskowski / Viola	86	T22	Baker / Hoyle	68	Dennis/Shimura	Eagle on 1, Eagle on 11	\$ 192.00	
23	Gravelle / Schultze	87	T22	Berger / Tran	68	Dahl/Lal	Eagle on 15	\$ 96.00	
24	Dennis / Shimura	89	24	Mora / Williamson	69	Dion/Porter	Eagle on 17	\$ 96.00	
25	Berger / Tran	93	25	Laskowski / Viola	70	Camacho/Weller	Eagle on 3	\$ 96.00	
26	Carson / Wargnier	103	26	Carson / Wargnier	74	<b>CLOSEST TO THE PIN Distance Hole # Purse</b>			
<b>HONEY POT</b>			<b>NET</b>			Greene / Greene	2' 10"	# 15	\$ 130.00
Adler, Rick / Vega, Luis			57	\$		Baker / Hoyle	8' 5"	# 17	\$ 130.00
Sanchez, Craig / Savage, Wade			59	\$		Mora / Williamson	3' 0"	# 4	\$ 130.00
						Camacho / Weller	19' 8"	# 8	\$ 130.00

### What??

From the Staysure Tour web site

“David Shacklady secured his second Staysure Tour title as a six under par final round of 66 sealed the outcome of The Sinclair Invitational at Hanbury Manor Marriott Hotel and Country Club.”.

Seriously, “Shacklady”?

Absolute Best Way to clean Clubs. (Golf.com article)

“Cleaning your clubs has to be the most tedious part of golf. There’s a variety of different methods – from banging them against your shoe, scraping them with your spikes, a simple towel wipe, or going full **tee-in-grooves** for the really committed golfers. But they’re all more annoying than the last, especially because of how repetitive it gets.

Which brings us to Alan Bastable’s ingenious method.

Alan, [GOLF.com](http://GOLF.com)’s fearless Digital Editor, seems to have arrived on the idea while in peak dad mode over the weekend. His solution to the ever-present problem? A power washer! It’s both satisfying and effective, and it’s done in an instant.

It works on golf clubs, not just cleaning the face but also getting all the dirt out of the grooves, golf balls, and even golf shoes.”

They have cheap \$90 models at Lowes.







September's tournament is :

Tournament Date: **Saturday the 7th.**

First tee time: **10:00AM**

Deadline to sign up: **Past**

Maximum Number of Players: **56**

COST: **\$120.00** (includes prize fund, golf, cart)

Contact: **Joel Harriott** Phone: **805-279-4624**

EMAIL: [mxjhx11@gmail.com](mailto:mxjhx11@gmail.com)



The club will be up in the ocean breezes on Saturday the 7th of September to play Sandpiper. The Board has done a great job getting the low rate on a Saturday! With the past month of playing at home in 95+ degrees, the 75 degree Goleta Weather is a real treat. The course was designed by William F. Bell in 1972. William F. Bell has designed 200 courses including Torrey Pines North and South, Saticoy Country Club, the original Ollivas, Malibu Country Club and many others.

Used for many USGA Open and other event qualifiers, it is a long and beautiful beast with 5 holes right on the cliff edge or down on beach level sand. Joel is keeping the waiting list for this sold out event. If they let the greens get above 12 on the stimp, the course can be unplayable.

## SHMGC CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER

September 8, 2019— 7:32 first time

The last major of 2019 starts on September 8th with the qualifier tournament. This qualifier is open to the entire membership, without qualification. Whether you want to or qualify to play in the other two rounds making up the club championship you can play in this event. **You must notify the Board member at the course when you finish this tournament if you would like to move on and play the next two rounds.**



## SHMGC CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

September 14 and 15, 2019

SHMGC By-Laws section 2.3.1 To be eligible to play in the Final Rounds of the Club Championship, a Member must have played in at least six (6) tournaments within the 12 months *preceding* the Qualifying Round.

Section: 2.3.3 To qualify for the Final Rounds of The Club Championship, all eligible Members must be within eight (8) strokes Gross or eight (8) strokes Net of the leader or in the top 16 Gross or in the top 16 Net, plus ties, whichever is greater, after the Qualifying Round.

There will be three golfers crowned; one Gross, one Net and One Senior Champion.

Tournament Director—**Leo Gravelle**

Phone: 818-378-2674 Cell

Email: [lfg551@verizon.net](mailto:lfg551@verizon.net)

Entry fee : **\$65.00**/player/round

October's away tournament is :



Tournament Date: **Saturday the 10/5/2019.**  
First tee time: **8:30AM SHOTGUN START**  
Deadline to sign up: **9/22/2018**  
Maximum Number of Players: **68**  
COST: **\$80.00** (includes prize fund, golf, cart)  
Contact: **Rick Adler** Phone: 818-497-2482  
EMAIL: [rickadler32@gmail.com](mailto:rickadler32@gmail.com)

Elkins Ranch, over Grimes Canyon, is another of the club's regular rotation. It's out in 'the country' compared to Simi and has an orange grove look and feel. Some Simi Hills guys are also members of Elkins Men's club. It has 5 lakes and many interesting shots including the signature 17th hole with it's 110 foot drop from tee to fairway.

Burgers are very good and there is plenty of room to sit out on the patio after the round. The shotgun start makes it a good time to catch up with friends you don't see often.



## SIMI HILLS MEN'S GOLF CLUB

### October Home Individually Flighted Tournament

This is a Tournament Date: **Sunday October 20, 2019.**  
First tee time: **7:32AM**  
Deadline to sign up: **October 6, 2019**  
Maximum Number of Players: **88**  
COST: **\$65.00** (includes prize fund, golf, cart)  
Contact; **Leo Gravelle** Phone: **818-378-2674 Cell**  
EMAIL: [lfg551@verizon.net](mailto:lfg551@verizon.net)

Time to start ensuring you have enough points for the Simi Cup event, a reward event for players who participate in club events the most. The top 32 guys on the points list at the end of the year get to play in that one day Ryder Cup style event.

This is a Flighted tournament and will use split tees, popular with the players. The lower handicapped players will play Gold and the more seasoned and people new to the game will play the silver tees. This has not yet been cast in brass so the tees may change by tournament day.

*"The only sure rule in golf is he who has the fastest cart never has to play the bad lie." – Mickey Mantle*

## RENEWING YOUR MEMBERSHIP

The SCGA changed from a January 1 to December 31st annual membership period. Until this year, If you joined in August, you paid for a whole year but your membership expired on 12/31 so you only got 5 months of benefit for your membership fee. All renewals were processed in December.

The change is that now, if you sign-up on August 1st, your membership is active up until July 31st of the next year. This has obfuscated the processes and made renewing a royal pain in the butt for the Membership Chairman. PLUS: we have had 3 members actually renew twice for the same period. Once via LA Golf (our Website) and another through the SCGA.

You should be getting reminders straight from the SCGA with instructions on how to renew.

Because of these issues, John Van Diepen, has asked that when you renew, please do so ONLY via the SCGA site. To renew go to: [www.scga.org](http://www.scga.org) If you have a log-in

you can go in that way or, on the home page there is a tab on the left margin of the page that says "RENEW Membership". Click on that link and you'll get the renew screen.

Enter Simi Hills in the search box

### Club Name

Select "Simi Hills Men's Golf Club Fee \$80.00" followed by a link entitled "Renew Now" click on that link and you'll be asked for your GHIN number. Eventually you'll get to the renew screen. You can pay via credit card without the extra \$5.00 processing fee that we have now. Questions to John Van Diepen - his email is : [aslcci@aol.com](mailto:aslcci@aol.com)



*Why be a member of the*

### **Simi Hills Men's Golf Club**

Our men's club is growing and here's why:

Let's start with the course itself, Simi Hills Golf Course. It's professionally designed, managed and maintained. It's in excellent condition, year round. The staff is friendly and professional which makes us all proud to call Simi Hills our home course!

Our current and past board members have always cared and are committed to the club. Since the club's conception, our goal has been to provide an atmosphere of fun, competition, comradery, and improving the quality of everyone's golf game. We blend our 35 year history with innovation as we refine original ideas while coming up with new ways to enhance everyone's enjoyment and love of the game.

We are proud to host over 24 tournaments a year, half at home and half all over Southern California. From Ojai to Beaumont, we "keep it fresh" all year long. Our Tournament Directors are all skilled and capable of running tournaments earning us a reputation for quality Tournaments.

We have a great group of members but we still want to grow. The more participating members we have the larger the tournament participation potential. This means more and bigger tournament prizes and even better, more fresh ideas for the club! It is said that the best way to grow is from referrals. Remember to share with a friend your thoughts about 'your' club and invite them to join!

If you have more ideas about how to make our club better please let me know.

Best Regard's,

[John Van Diepen](#)

Handicap/Membership Chairman



## NEW REWARD PROGRAM For recruiting new members



Know someone who is looking for a golf club to join? Do yourself, and that friend, a good deed! Invite them to join the best men's club at the best golf course with the best restaurant in Ventura County. **Simi Hills Men's Golf Club!** You will earn \$20.00 for every NEW MEMBER you recruit to join the club.

The process is simple.

First, after you've done your part of convincing the recruit, contact me with the gentleman's name **in advance**. Email, text or phone call will work (all below). I will add the guy to the list.

The new member can use one of these 2 easy options to join the club.

1. Fill out an application. They are located at the course in the drawer under the posting computer and in the hallway to the restrooms on the wall. Have them fill it out and send it to me with a \$90.00 check. Please don't send cash.
2. Join on-line; <http://simi.lagolfclubs.com/clubs/NewHome.cfm/ClubID/22/Section/Home>. At the top left under the word 'Home' click on 'Join/Renew your membership 2019'. Follow the prompts and fill out the application.

**There is no limit on how many new members you can bring in.**

Once the new guy joins, I will send you your \$20.00 prize. I'll send it off to your home address in our club roster unless you tell me differently.

Thanks,

John Van Diepen  
Membership & Handicap Chairman  
Simi Hills Men's Golf Club

805-358-2995 text or voice  
[aslcci@aol.com](mailto:aslcci@aol.com) email



## *EDITORS COMMENTS*

I think I'll just leave Paige Spiranac up for another month as inspiration to speed up play. In fact, I'll add another shot of her golf swing so you know I'm not just using gratuitous cheesecake shots to improve readership. She's a serious golfer!



About time to think about running for the Board of Directors in November. You need to think about:

1st, it doesn't pay squat.

2nd, it takes quite a bit of time

3rd, It's very satisfying to do something helpful for your golf club.

I you have an opinion and think the golf club should be operating is the

same or a completely different way, then you might be a good fit.

If you might want to put your name in the hat, talk to Willie and he'll refer you to the nominating committee.



*Tim Crable*

Editor