

South Course Men's Club

News & Views

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May 2007

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Upcoming Events

The next meeting is 6:30 p.m., June 5, 2007. Guest speaker from the PLGA, Craig Kessler. McCann Open precedes meeting at 3:00 p.m.
June 3- 4-man Best Ball. June 9 & 10-- Desert Open. July 12-- Sky-links. Sign up on board in club room or call Bob Nelson 562-421-4973

**If you change addresses
Notify Nils at (562)-
494-0415**

Derby's Corner

This month, first, I would like to share some concerns on "participation". We have around 117 members now, yet we usually have only 25-30 that play on the weekends and maybe up to 35-40 for monthly tournaments. I urge all members to be more active and bring our percentage of participation up to a higher level. Second, our club meeting is the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Decisions and policies are made at these meetings, motions are made, seconded, voted on that effect the entire 117 members, yet rarely do we have more than 20 members present. John McCann's Open runs from 3:00-5:00 p.m. prior to the meeting, so it's a great time for us to get together. Meetings usually take one hour, done by 7:30 p.m. So again, I say, please participate in our clubs events & meetings.

Last month I inadvertently left off our premier "6th" man, out of the "FAB Five" (Mike, Joe, Perf, Bob N., and Stan). That's Clyde Hill, a 30 year member. Clyde and his wife Judy have four kids, seven grandchildren. His Palm Dessert "Retreat" has had many memorable nights and card parties. As UPS retiree he has devoted much of time to charitable work within the community. Thanks again Clyde for your many accomplishments.

See you on the tee,

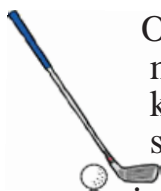
Don Derby,
President of SCMC



Note from the Editor

This month's newsletter features the final installment of the espn article about James Mohon.

Craig Kessler, the Executive Director of the PLGA, will be a guest speaker at our June 5th meeting. Please support the club by attending .



Our e-mail list for the newsletter is growing every month.. If you want the colorized copy, let me know at Mcahill820@aol.com. It really does save the club money to e-mail the newsletter.

South Course Men's Club Meeting Minutes May 1, 2007



1. Meeting called to order by President-Don Derby.
2. Salute to the flag led by Clyde Hill.
3. Minutes of the previous meeting: approved and seconded.
4. Treasurer's report: Nils Djurklou-- Balance on hand--\$ 2322.45- membership-- 117. New Hole-in-one pot - \$188 See Dennis to get in pot since he emptied it with a hole-in-one on 8.
5. Correspondence/ Sick call: None
6. Golf commissioner's report: John McCann--Improvement projects have gone out to bid. South Course has a defibrillator and employees have been trained in use. Sand to replenish the bunkers is AGC responsibility. AGC wants allotment of \$180,000 for sand for all courses. There are complaint forms at the starters counter. These are directed to the desk of the City of Long Beach Director of Golf. Reconfiguration of course based on potential damage, by errant golf balls into Colorado lagoon, to the Cherry Clam is being studied.
7. Handicap Chairman's report: Stan Olin--Golfer of the Month for April- Mike Cahill, after a card-off with Luke Scott, net 53.. New members.. Please check the card file near the computer for your PLGA Index card.
.If you have a handicap number, it isn't necessary to place your score cards in the box. Just enter your score in the computer.
8. Tournament Chairman's report: Ted Zimmerman--Following the advice of his personal physician, Ted submitted a letter of resignation to President Don Derby and the board of officers. The resignation was unanimously accepted by the board effective May 1, 2007, with thanks to Ted for the time and work he put into chairing the club tournaments. Bob Nelson has volunteered to finish the year as Tournament Chairman. June 3 tournament will be 4-man best ball. Participants need to sign-up and pay 7 days before the tournament date.
9. Publinks Chairman's report: Lou Soto. No report.
10. McCann Open report: John McCann- 17players. Closest to pin #3 Cahill, #8 Nils.. Full results in newsletter. June 5 McCann Open format to be determined.
11. AGC Rep: Frank Jordan -- Urges members to participate in tournaments.. There is a negative financial impact to the course due to lack of participation and not filling allotted starting times. Pace of play also needs to improve. Men's club sets the pace for the course. Play ready golf and putt out on short putts. Five employees have had CPR and ADD training.
12. New members present: none
13. Old Business: The club presented a check for \$185.00 to the City of Hope in Ken Zommick's name. City of Hope will notify the family of the donation.
14. New business:
15. Adjournment: moved and seconded



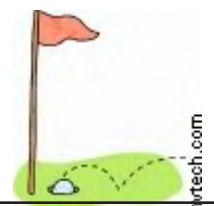
Respectfully submitted
Mike Cahill, Secretary.



The handicap Chairman, Stan Olin, has requested that those members that have been assigned a PLGA index number do not place score cards in the box by the computer.

If you have an index number, enter your adjusted scores in the computer.

Just follow the touch screen prompts.



Treasurer's Bank Statement for April 2007

Date	Description	Receipts	Outlays	Balance
1-Apr	Balance from March 2007			\$2,589.01
3-Apr	Zimmerman for Plaques Ck#2032		\$101.29	2,487.72
4-Apr	Rec Park for ad-Ck# 2033		50.00	2,437.72
4-Apr	Lou Soto for PLGA Ck# 2034		32.00	2,405.72
4-Apr	New Member- R. Garringer	\$65.00		2,470.72
4-Apr	Romani for Zommick	25.00		2,495.72
9-Apr	PLGA-Ck#2035		115.00	2,380.72
10-Apr	Reinstatement- D. Sinclair	65.00		2,445.72
12-Apr	Newsletter-stamps,printing,Ck#2036		80.27	2,365.45
22-Apr	Schechinger for Hole-in-one Ck#2037		98.00	2,267.45
23-Apr	New Member-V. Patterson II	65.00		2,332.45
23-Apr	Barfield & Derby for Zommick	50.00		2,382.45
23-Apr	Foursome Tournament Club Fund	33.00		2,415.45
29-Apr	Ken Zommick plaque to City of Hope Ck#2038		185.00	2,230.45
30-Apr	Hole-in-one pot	92.00		2,322.45
Ending Balance April 30, 2007				\$2,322.45

Ending Balance includes \$188.00 Hole-in-One Pot

Nils Djurklou, Treasurer



May 1, 2007- McCann Open- Gross-net

Results

Gross			Net			Winners	
1.J Mc	34	\$12	1.Cahill	28	\$18	J Mc	\$58
2. M Cahill	34	12	2.J Mc	28.5	13	Cahill	55
3. JD	35	8	2. Pouch	28.5	13	Scheck	39
			4. JD	30	10	Nils	25
			5.Nils	30.5	8	JD	18
			6.Schreck	31	6	Pouch	13
Gross skins			Net Skins			Past Winners	
Cahill 3on6		\$8	Sheck 2on7		\$25	Baird	\$36
Schreck 3on7		8	J Mc 1on9		25	Don D	12
J Mc 2on9		8				Lowery	10
						Strip	6
Close							
Cahill #3		\$17					
Nils #8		17					

Next McCann Open
Tuesday June 5 3:00p.m.
McMulligan--
1 extra shot per hole



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The kid who first beat Tiger (Part 3)

By Jason Sobel
ESPN.com

He has moved on from the time in his life when competing in golf tournaments was important. There is no jealousy, no resentment over the divergent paths he and Woods have traveled since their initial match. In fact, like so many other fans, Mohon has a favorite player for whom he roots.

If the majors are on and if Tiger's in contention or if he's winning, I'll watch a little bit," Mohon said. "When I do watch him play in the majors and he's doing well, obviously I want to see him win, because it's exciting watching him play on TV."

Given the chance to talk trash to Tiger -- hey, he's one of a handful of people in the world who could walk up to Woods and say, "I'm still 1-up" -- Mohon would rather take the high road. "I'm just really happy for him, I'm happy he's doing well. There aren't too many guys that have had that success that I grew up playing golf with. He had some high expectations growing up and he's managed to surpass all of them."

The match remains a distant memory, locked away in some deeply buried compartment of his mind. He harbors no regret about not savoring the moment.

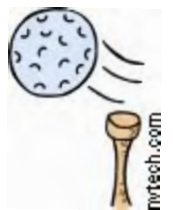
"It happened such a long time ago and I've moved on and done other things," Mohon said. "It's not one of those things that it's all I think of in my life."

How ironic. The kid who beat Tiger Woods barely thinks about it at all. And yet, there is Woods, accomplished champion, worldwide icon, the name James Mohon still etched into the forefront of his mind. Reprinted with permission from espn.com.

Here are a few facts about James Mohon courtesy of Don Derby, Club President: James was a SCMC member from 1988-1991. Club Champion in 1991 with 2 handicap. He worked for Art Shur in the coffee shop. Graduated from Bellflower H.S., then went to Loyola Marymont on a golf scholarship and graduated in 1995. Don & James went to Maui and played Kapalua and Kaanapali in 2006. He is Don's stepson.



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New member Larry Judd pulled a "Puoci" at the knock poker table on meeting night. He found out the hard way that a straight isn't good after 5 pulls.

Dennis Schechinger emptied the weekend portion of the hole-in-one pot with an ace on number 8. Drinks were on Dennis. Great shot Dennis!!

Word is that our version of the "crew of the SS Minnow" had a leisurely jaunt to Catalina and back in some 15 foot swells. Seems one of the crew spent the entire trip below deck on a nappy-poo.



Results of April Tournament

Foursome ("Waltz") 1-2-3 Net Ball Tournament

April 15, 2007

Team Winners:

1st: Barfield – Bravo – Derby – Djurklou; \$20.00 each
2nd: Cahill – Cardenas – Nelson – Olin: \$12.00 each
3rd: Christensen – Crucil – Martin – Zimmerman: \$8.00 each
3rd: Durald – G. Scott – L. Scott – White: \$8.00 each



Gross Skins \$14.00 each:

#1: Romani
#4: G. Scott
#7: L. Scott
#12: Crucil
#15: Zimmerman

Net Skins \$13.00 each:

#1: Romani
#4: G. Scott
#5: L. Scott
#7: L. Scott
#9: Bravo
#12: Crucil
#14: Bravo
#15: Zimmerman
#16: Djurklou

3 Par C.P. \$13.00 each:

#3: Barfield
#4: G. Scott
#6: Macias
#8: Christensen
#12: Nelson
#13: Barfield
#15: Macias
#17: White
#18: J. Martin

Results of Rec Park May 10, 2007

Macias- net 63-- \$30, Lowder net 64--\$25, Christensen net 67--
\$22, M. McCann net 68-\$20. Dewitt system for guests: Hilbert-
net 72.8- \$15, Tengenski- net 73.8- \$9.

Net skins \$23 each: G. Scott 3 on 6, Kirk 3 on 8, Christensen
1 on 12, Olin 2 on 13, Shean 3 on 14, Lowder 2 on 15.

Closest to pins \$27 each: Godich on 5, Gonzales on 2, M. McCann
on 12, Lowder on 15, Kirk on 16.

Complete results on board in club room.

Results of Stableford May 6, 2007

Aiello,D 44 pts-- \$30, Nelson 43 pts- \$28, Dat, Nils, Scott,L 41 pts- \$23 each.

Net skins\$18 each: Shur, A on 2, Nelson on 9, Nils on 12, Derby on 13,Simpson on 14&16,
Olin on 15.

Gross skins \$12 each: Scott,L on 1 & 3, Shur, A on 2, Nelson on 9,Nils on 12, Simpson on 14,
Olin on 15, Day on 13.

Closest to pin \$14 each: Martin on 3, Scott,L on 4, Fear on 6, Aiello, D on 8, White on 9,
Nils on 12, Day on 13, Olin on 15, Aiello, D on 17, Prior on 18.

Complete results on board in club room.

S.C.M.C. Tournament Entry Form

Name _____ Date _____

Tournament sign-up sheets are always posted on the club bulletin board at the South Course Clubhouse. Always confirm your starting time along with the entry fee requirements with the Tournament Chairman, Ted Zimmerman. Early action is necessary in order to maintain that valuable tee time. Ted may be reached at (714)-401-9312 for confirmation of tee times or to answer all questions pertaining to this tournament or any future event.

Tournament date _____ Entry fee _____ Check enc.

Make checks payable and mail to:
Ted Zimmerman, 231 Belmont #8, Long Beach 90803

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Support your club!
Attend meetings the first Tuesday of the month.