



Catta Talk

CATTA VERDERA COUNTRY CLUB

MAY 2018

Mother's Day Brunch

Sunday, May 13th

Treat the mom in your life to a special Mother's Day Brunch. Mother's Day Brunch with seatings at 11:00am or 1:15pm. This is Catta's famous brunch with an omelet station, seafood station, carving station, dessert station and much, much more. Reservations are required and can ONLY be made at 645-6721 or jbraden@cattaverdera.com. You don't want to miss out on this great event so make your reservations now.

Silver Oak Wine Dinner **Friday, June 1st ~ 7:00 pm**

Join us for our 7th annual dinner with Silver Oak and their sister winery Twomey. You will enjoy a five course dinner with each course paired with a different varietal. The cost is \$75 per person and reservations are required. Reservations can be made at 645-6721 or at jbraden@cattaverdera.com. This event sells out every year so make your reservations now!



Family Dinner Night

Thursday, May 31st ~ 6:00pm - 8:00pm

This is Chef Keelan's "All-You-Can-Eat" Prime Rib buffet with lots of other good stuff.



There will be a band and lots of fun so come on down and get the summer started right. No reservations are needed.

CABRILLO CLASSIC MENS INVITATIONAL

2018 Cabrillo Classic **May 16th - 19th**

The 14th Annual Cabrillo Classic Men's Invitational has finally arrived! This event is the one of the best in the region and is always a great time for everyone who participates. For our 14th year, this highly anticipated men's Invitational will provide members and guests with three amazing days of competition, camaraderie, and cuisine. We are committed to providing the best event possible for those members participating, so please remember that the course and practice facilities will be available only for those members and guests involved in the event. This event is scheduled for Wednesday May 16th – Saturday May 19th. Non-tournament tee times are available on Wednesday the 16th, but the course will be closed to non-competitors the 17th – 19th. Good Luck to All!

Memorial Day **May 28th, 2018**

Make it a day at the club on memorial Day. The club will be open on Monday, May 29th. We hope to see you at the club for a round of golf and relaxation!





Paul Shorts
Head Golf Professional

Golf Happenings

Troubadour Senior Invitational - We held our 3rd annual Troubadour Senior Invitational this past April 24th and 25th. It was our largest ever as the popularity of this event continues to grow. Your Gross Troubadour Champions for 2018 were the team of Craig Gandy and Dennis Datchler. The 2018 Net Champions were Doug De Martini and Larry Seelig.



Craig Gandy &
Dennis Datchler



Doug De Martini
& Larry Seelig

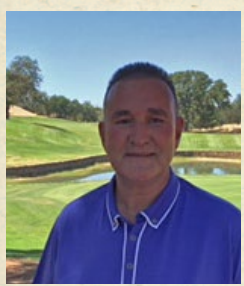
Net Match Play - We're bringing back a Match Play Club Championship. This year we decided to let the 1st 64 Men who signed up in, and then randomly assign seeding numbers. All play will be net, and the players may decide between themselves which tees to play. If an agreement cannot be reached, the Purple tees will serve as the default. The Ladies brackets will be set up depending on how many we have sign up, but seeding numbers will be assigned the same way. Entries close May 12th so sign up soon. Brackets will be released Tuesday the 15th. It is then your responsibility to schedule your match and get the results to the golf shop before the round 1 closing date of May 27th. Those advancing to round 2 will do the same thing and so on until we have a champion.

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Senior Club Championship is coming back! We are bringing back the Senior Club Championship. Sign-ups will open late May. The Championship will be held July 24th and 25th with tee times starting at 8:00AM each day. Keep a look out for a more detailed email coming soon.

Mizuno Demo Day - Sign up in the golf shop to come out for a fitting or just to try the latest and greatest from one of golf's most established companies. Mizuno has also made a strong move in the Driver and Fairway wood market, all without paying to sponsor any tour players. They use the highest grade titanium available in their drivers, so why not give them a try. Location - Catta Verdera Driving Range. Date Saturday May 26th. Time 10AM - 2PM.

Golf Shop - We just got in some new Scotty Cameron Putters as well as the new Vokey SM7 wedges. We Also now have the Callaway Mack Daddy 4 wedges in stock. Those compliment the stock of Cleveland wedges that we always have available to purchase. Grooves wear out. Make sure you're not missing out on short game spin control.



Curtis Landa
Membership Director

FROM THE MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR

Catta Verdera Closed out April ending our Drive to 275

Membership Program Offering with a strong finishing.

On behalf of Catta Verdera and our entire staff I would like to offer a warm welcome to the following new members.

Golf Membership

- Leonard Rasi
- Chris Beloberk
- Jonny & Joanie Wynne
- Doug Christie
- Mark Denison
- Jack Love
- Buzz Stryker
- Matt Koch - Young Executive Golf

Social Membership

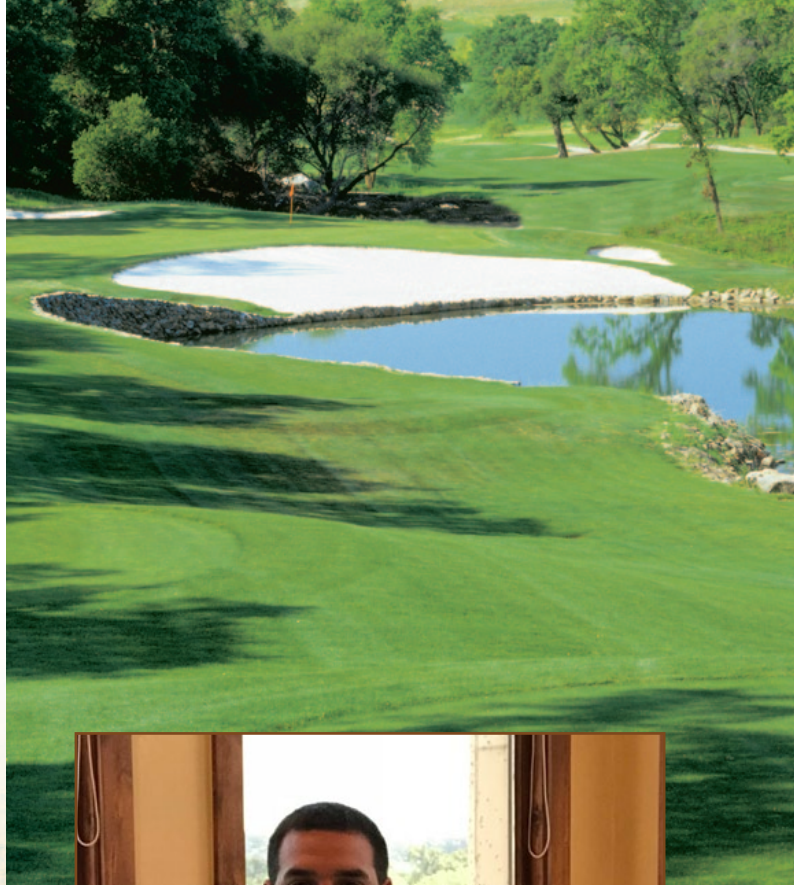
- Dave & Mary Lemke
- Todd Bollenback
- Sarah Stanger & Linda Kachline

I would like to thank the following members for sponsoring a new member, Ronald Rasi, Dillion Grey for the second time in two months, Kris "Chili" Palmer, Keith Poch and Dominic Russo.

CattaVerdera has also received several Social members that have upgraded to our new Social Plus Membership.



Gift Cards make a great Mother's Day Gift. Pick one up for the Golf Shop or a relaxing Massage!



Employee of the Month

Kyle Verle from our Golf Shop staff is this month's Employee of the Month. Kyle came to us last fall from Empire Ranch in Folsom and has quickly become a critical member of our team. Kyle has taken on any task asked of him, and taken initiative to find short comings in our operations and then work toward solutions to improve them. Kyle is currently a Level I PGA Apprentice and will be working through the PGA program in its entirety as he seeks full Membership. Kyle has a young daughter and is also currently a golf coach for Jesuit High School. Next time you see him, be sure to congratulate our April 2018 Employee of the Month, Kyle Verle.





Catta Verdera Women Golfers

Play Golf, Have Fun

They're baaaaack!!! After being aerated in late March, the greens are back, are amazing and running as true as ever! Now is the time to invite your golfing friends to visit so you can show off the best golf course in the region!

New CVWG Members!

We are happy to report that we have 2 new golf members!! **Joanie Wynne** and **Eddy Nanchy**. Welcome to CVWG! We are so happy you decided to join us! Ladies, when you see them on the course, give them a fine CVWG welcome!

Ladies Mini Invitational

If you haven't already, now is the time to get your team lined up for the Mini Invitational. May 31st is the date!! It's a 4-person format and you're not going to want to miss it. Contact Trudy Havis if you need more information. [Click here](#) for a copy of the event flyer with all the information needed to join us!

The Nine and Wine was a big hit!

We had 28 golfers and several others who came just to consume good food and wine. We had several new golfers join us and were able to snag some new members to boot! All in all, a great afternoon and evening of golf and friendship.

Yellow Tee Stroke Allocation Project

The Yellow Tee Stroke Allocation Project is complete and new scorecards are at the printer. They will be available for play mid to late May. We used USGA guideline to determine the new stroke allocations for each hole. It is primarily a statistical process which was generated by the Golf Genius software with some tweaking based upon veteran golfer's experience on the course. When reviewing the new numbers it is important to remember that the analysis was completed using data from over 500 hole by hole scores of games played from the yellow tees. Two groups were compared. Group

A represented the lowest 25% handicaps while Group B represented the remaining handicaps. The differences of each hole scores between Group A and Group B were calculated and decisions were made from this point. The goal was to assign the #1 handicap to the hole that provided the largest variation between groups and so on, until all holes had been assigned. Here are the results:

Hole #	Handicap	Hole #	Handicap	Hole #	Handicap
1	13	7	11	13	18
2	3	8	1	14	12
3	7	9	5	15	2
4	17	10	4	16	10
5	9	11	6	17	16
6	15	12	14	18	8

Individual Eclectic Tournament

Love this tournament! You get 10 games to post your best EVER golf score! It begins May 1 and ends October 31st! We'll be playing from all three tee boxes, so if you are interested, give Cheryl Dibachi a nod and she'll set you up. The cost is \$10 per card. You can play as many as you want, but each 10 games is a separate card and costs \$10. If you play all three tee boxes, the cost is \$30. Join us, it is a great way to force yourself to get out and play with the girls!

Ladies Play Dates

Call the Golf Shop by Wednesday noon to sign-up for a 9:00 am tee time for Thursday Games and scheduled tee times for Saturday games! Sweep will be available, but are strictly voluntary!

Thursday Games

May 3rd - Medallion Day & Putts

May 10th - 4-Person Team, Heros & Bums

May 31st - Mini Invitational - It's Showtime!!

Saturday Game

May 5th - Medallion Day & Putts





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Summer Junior Golf Program

This summer Catta Verdera Country Club will be offering 3 separate Junior Golf Camps for children, grandchildren, and guests of our Member's children. The cost is \$75 per camp for members and \$95 for guests. Each camp runs for 3 days (Tuesday – Saturday) from 9:00AM – 12:00PM. In each camp the kids will learn fundamentals of the golf swing, as well as etiquette, rules and short game skills. There is also a focus on physical fitness, nutrition and of course making sure they know golf is about both competing and having fun.

Camp #1 (June 5th – June 7th)

Camp #2 (July 10th – July 12th)

Camp #3 (August 7th – August 9th)

When signing up with the golf shop be sure to give a phone number, Member sponsor (if the last name is different), and shirt size; you can sign up for one, all, or any combination of the 3 camps.



Ramiro Sena
Course Superintendent

Superintendent's Update

This amazing weather has brought us no less than great times to get some of the projects done.

Some of you have already seen us with the tractors on hole nine. We have been restoring all the bunkers and the bunker surrounds. We are having a great week shaping them and removing some soil off the faces in order to make them less steep. We hope to reshape, add drainage, pour concrete on all these bunker floors and add white sand...all before the Cabrillo. Member will have easy access to get in and out of the bunkers. However, we ask that you enter and exit from the low areas of the bunkers only. This will help us maintain these new style, Capillary Concrete Bunkers, in great shape.

These new bunkers will definitely spice up the 9th hole to make it a bit more dramatic.

We are very excited to make these improvements. Management and ownership have been amazing funding these very expensive projects with one of the best style bunkers in golf to improve the playability of the course.

Thank you for all your support!

Your Turf Care Team ~Ram Sena



Calendar at a Glance - Club Events May 2018

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3 Ladies Day	4 Course Closed	5 Men's & Ladies Cinco De Mayo Edition
6	7	8	9	10 Ladies Day	11	12
13 Mother's Day Brunch	14	15	16 CABRILLO CLASSIC MEMORIAL INVITATIONAL	17 CABRILLO CLASSIC MEMORIAL INVITATIONAL	18 CABRILLO CLASSIC MEMORIAL INVITATIONAL	19 CABRILLO CLASSIC MEMORIAL INVITATIONAL
20	21	22	23	24 Course Closed	25	26 Mizuno Demo Day
27	28 Memorial Day - Club Open	29 Club Closed	30	31 Family Dinner Night Ladies Mini Invitational		

Coming in June...

Friday, June 1st
Silver Oak Wine Dinner

Saturday, June 2nd
Ladies Saturday Play

June 5th, 6th & 7th
Junior Golf Camp

Thursday, June 7th
Ladies Day

Saturday, June 9th
Lads & Lassies Tournament

Thursday, June 14th
Ladies Day

Friday, June 15th
Club Closed

Thursday, June 21st
Ladies Day

June 22nd & 23rd
The Eclectic

Wednesday, June 27th
Course Closed

Thursday, June 28th
Family Dinner Night

Thursday, June 28th
Ladies Day

CLUB STAFF

Jeff Wilson x226
General Manager
Ram Sena x215
Golf Course Superintendent
Paul Shorts x202
Head Golf Professional
Jim Braden x205
Director of Food & Beverage
Keelan Glenn x207
Executive Chef
Yanti Jensen x206
Controller
Curtis Landa x213
Membership Director/Tournament Sales

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Quixote's 916.645.6742

HOURS OF OPERATION

Administrative Office
Tuesday through Friday
8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Golf Shop
Tuesday through Sunday
6:00 am - 6:00 pm
First Tee Time: 7:00 am

Range Hours
Tuesday through Sunday
6:30 am - 6:00 pm

Stables Grill
Tuesday through Sunday
10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Quixote's Members' Lounge
Tuesday 11:00 am - 8:00 pm
Wed & Thu 11:00 am - 9:00 pm
Friday 11:00 am - 10:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am - 10:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am - 8:00 pm



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