



Catta Talk



CATTA VERDERA COUNTRY CLUB



JUNE 2018

YAPPIE HOUR

on the Terrace
Wednesday, June 13th

Back by popular demand, join us for Yappie Hour on the Casa Terrace from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Bring man's best friend and come and join the fun. No reservations required and there will be fresh baked treats for the dogs. There is no charge for this, just come have fun with the pups.

Lads & Lassies Tournament

Saturday, June 10th

The Lads & Lassies tournament is right around the corner. So it's time to put your team together and register below. Stop by the Golf Shop to sign up. This is a fun annual event hosted by the Catta Verdera Woman Golfers club that you won't want to miss.

Father's Day in Quixote's

Sunday, June 17th

Celebrate Father's Day at the club and enjoy specials in Quixote's all day. So bring Dad and join the fun. No reservations required.

TUNES on the Terrace

Every Thursday ~ 6:00pm to 9:00pm
Join us on the Terrace every Thursday and enjoy a different band and buffet each week, no reservations required. This is a fun night and a great way to meet new members, so come on down and join the fun. Remember, the last Thursday of the month is always "All-You-Can-Eat" Prime Rib!



The Eclectic Tournament

June 22nd & 23rd ~ 1:00 pm Shotgun

The fun and exciting 2018 Eclectic Tournament is here. This tournament is Team Member/Member event and teams will be made up of 2 men or 2 women golfer, no mixed teams.

Format: The tournament is essentially a one-man best ball event completed over two days. You play your own ball on both days and record your score. Then take the best score out of the two rounds for each individual hole to get your 18 hole "Eclectic Score." Both players "Eclectic Scores" will be added together to obtain the team tournament score.

Cost: \$35 Per Player. Includes dinner and awards after round 2.

Please contact the golf shop to sign up by June 17th. If you have not played in the past, this is a great event that you will not want to miss.



Gift cards make a great Father's Day gift! Give your Dad the gift of golf.





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 Signature Men's event The Cabrillo Classic is in the books for 2018. Congratulations to our 2018 Cabrillo Champions Collin Brown and his guest Scott Robbins. A great time was had by all. Friendships were rekindled, money changed hands, and adult libations flowed freely. Also, Congratulations to Michael Lincoln for making a hole in one on his last hole of the Cabrillo. The points from that hole in one propelled his team to a win in their flight. Our next Men's 'Major' is the Los Compadres Match Play Invitational October 19th and 20th. Put it on your calendar as that popular event always sells out.

The Net Match Play Championship is underway as well. Both the Ladies and Men are now mid second round. Our Ladies Mini Invitational was held on May 31st. 80 Members and their guests competed in a fun 'Movie' themed tournament. Congratulations to Karen Anderson and her guests Jody Allen, Sunny Sawyer and Debbie Culbertson on being the Overall Net Champions. And Congratulations to Riye D'Am bra and Michelle Helzer, and their guests Jennifer Douglas and Lisa Wood on being the Overall Gross Champions of the Ladies Mini Invitational.

Summer Junior Camp starts back up this month. The 1st Camp is June 12th, 13th and 14th. Camp 2 will be held July 10-12. Camp 3 is August 7-9. Be sure to get your kids signed up in the golf shop in advance.

Our new scorecards are now in service. The combo tees were changed for this year. The hope of the committee was to create a 'new' different golf course that has varying approach shot lengths and challenges different than either the Orange or Purple tees. Also, if you're a Purple tee player, you may have already noticed that hole #3 has been moved up to the front of the Orange box. This was in the interest of creating a simpler and more equitable golf course. When all players in the group are competing from the same set of tees, it really makes no difference where those tees are located. However, when we have a competitions where there are players competing against each other from the Orange and the Purple tees, playing hole #3 30 yards longer for the players from the Purple tees created an inequity that always bothered me; and many of the players who have had to compete with that built-in disadvantage.

As summer heats up and our hybrid Bermuda begins to flourish, be sure you're staying hydrated while you're out enjoying our beautiful golf course.

~Paul Shorts



Summer Hydration Guidelines

The summer heat is here...keep hydrated to stay on top of your game while on the course.

Hydration in Sports

- The number one rule when dealing with heat is stay hydrated.
- Always keep a water bottle with you and fill it up at every opportunity.
- Water and sports drinks are best, try to avoid sugary soft drinks that contain caffeine.
- Start hydrating before you leave home, well ahead of competition.
- Make sure you keep drinking throughout the competition.
- Avoid alcohol – beer and liquor will only contribute to your dehydration.

Hydration during play

The Sun

- The sun is a wonderful thing, but it can cause lots of damage, too.
- Always apply a high-factor, non-oily sunscreen before your round, and keep applying it during your round.
- Wear sunglasses that provide protection against UV rays.
- Wear a hat.
- Flip your collar up to protect the back of your neck.

Cool Down

- Take a cold shower before and after play.
- Keep a cold towel on hand to use on your face and neck.
- Pace yourself – keep your movements slow and measured as possible.

Watch for Dehydration – Signs include:

- Headache
- Weakness
- Light-Headedness
- Irritability
- Thirst
- Muscle cramps
- Nausea or vomiting
- Loss of mental sharpness
- Excessive heat on your head and neck
- A sharp decrease in your level of play

If you see any of these signs, head for the clubhouse and cool off.



Summer Junior Golf Program

This summer Catta Verdera Country Club will be offering 3 separate Junior Gold Camps for Member's Children, Grandchildren and Member Guest's children. In each camp, the kids will learn fundamentals of the golf swing, short game skills, as well as etiquette & rules. There is also a focus on physical fitness, nutrition and of course making sure they know golf is about both competing and having fun.

Eligibility: Camps are open to children 8- 17 years of age.

Price: The cost for each 3-day session is \$75.00 for members and \$95 for member guest children. Contact the golf shop to sign up your Junior Golfer today!

Camp Session Dates

June 12th - 14th	9:00 - 12:00
July 10th - 12th	9:00 - 12:00
August 7th - 9th	9:00 - 12:00



Acer's Alert!

Congratulation to **Michael Lincoln** for his hole-in-one on the last day of the Cabrillo! Michael made the shot from 170 yards on hole #4. Great shot and congratulation!

CABRILLO CLASSIC

MENS INVITATIONAL

2018 OVERALL CABRILLO CLASSIC CHAMPIONS



Collin Brown and Scott Robbins



Runner-Up: Brent Chaffee and Roger Bales

San Miguel Flight

- 1st Place: Matt Thomas & Kameron Rahimzadeh
- 2nd Place: Roy Fernandez & Jonas Ulrich
- 3rd Place: Rob Brenner & David Aldrich

Oaxaca Flight

- 1st Place: Brent Chaffee & Roger Bales
- 2nd Place: Fred Grinder & Lonnie Dyer
- 3rd Place: Sam Hall & Jordan Krausher

Santa Barbara Flight

- 1st Place: Bob Turnacliff & Joe Fritz
- 2nd Place: Bill Brown & Don Emerson
- 3rd Place: Brad McKenzie & Mark Benjamin

San Diego Flight

- 1st Place: David Sommerhauser & Wes Duval
- 2nd Place: Jamie Lewis & Greg Drumheller
- 3rd Place: Patrick Kirk & Dennis Williams

El Niguel Flight

- 1st Place: Dominic Russo & Tom Bertolino
- 2nd Place: Michael Lincoln & Tai Pilimai
- 3rd Place: John Latini & Rich Satterfield

Santa Clara Flight

- 1st Place: Collin Brown & Scott Robbins
- 2nd Place: Paul Haney & Brian Wells
- 3rd Place: Damion Walkup & Robbie Rightmire



Catta Verdera Women Golfers

Play Golf, Have Fun

Great friends, great game, great course and great weather.....what more could we ask for? There is something for everyone this month!! Come join us !!

Lads & Lassies Tournament

It's just a couple of days away. All the details have been worked out for another great event. We hope to see you out there this SATURDAY, June 9th! For clarification: Tee Time is 8:30 am! Make sure your Lads are ready to rumble!!!

New Scorecards!

New Scorecards are available and being used. The ladies involved with the Match Play Tournament have first hand experience with the new stroke allocations. They are different!!

The Nine and Wine was a big hit!

Combo Tee Stroke Allocation Project - Yes, we are finally committed to making this happen this year. Although the new card will not have the handicaps listed, when we print cards for our tournaments, we can use the new stroke allocation. YEA!! For the first time, we'll be able to use the Combo Tees for Tournament Team Games!! We need your help, however!

First, play the combo tees occasionally because we need a minimum of 300 cards to get statistically viable results.

Also, when playing a combo tee game, please:

- a) Save the card,
- b) Make sure your current handicap is on the card,
- c) Sign and have someone attest the score,
- d) Turn the scorecard in. A labeled box is available at the posting station in the Members Lounge. EC combo cards will be forwarded to us, so continue to forward your combo tee EC game card to Cheryl.

Thank you in advance from the project team.

Individual Eclectic Tournament

If you haven't already signed up, there is still plenty of time to participate in 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

June 7th - Medallion Day & Putts

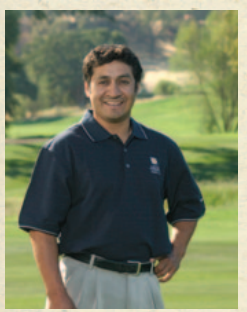
June 14th - Stroke Play & Closest to Pin

June 21st - 2-Person - Odd/Even

June 28th - Stroke Play & Closest to Pin

Kudos

Thanks to Trudy Havis for spearheading and coordinating a very successful and well attended Mini Invitational. Once again, our guests were quite impressed with the thoughtfulness and great tee prizes!! Thanks to Pat Zimmerman for helping out at the event making sure everyone was signed in and collecting mulligan \$. She also ordered the CVWG ball markers and golf towels, both great additions to our golf equipment arsenal.



Ramiro Sena
Course Superintendent

Superintendent's Update ~ Summer Heat!

We kindly ask that you maintain your cart in the fairways when entering the turf areas during the Summer heat. Our rough areas struggle when the temperatures reach the triple digits and we need to come up with alternatives.

Here are a couple ways we can help:

- 1) Walk more frequently.
- 2) Keep the cart on paths at all times.
- 3) Pair up with other player in same cart.
- 4) Must maintain the cart in the fairway once you enter until you execute your green shot.

Our goal is to limit the times you enter and exit the fairways to minimize compaction and heat burn from tires in the rough. That means, if the cart is on the turf surface it must be on the fairway turf as it is a warm season turf and can withstand a lot of traffic. The rough on the other hand, it doesn't like the traffic as much because it is a cool season turf and its recovery time from traffic is much longer. Help us maintain it better and pair up with your partner to limit the cart traffic.

Hold your group accountable and remind them about keeping the roughs more playable in the heat of the Summer. This is one of the best ways we can improve the quality of the roughs.

Your Turf Care Team ~Ram Sena

Calendar at a Glance - Club Events June 2018

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1 Silver Oak Wine Dinner	2 Ladies Saturday Play
3	4	5	6	7 TUNES on the Terrace Ladies Day	8	9 Lads & Lassies Tournament
10	11 Junior Golf Camp	12 Junior Golf Camp	13 Yappie Hour Junior Golf Camp	14 TUNES on the Terrace Junior Golf Camp Ladies Day	15 Course Closed	16
17 Father's Day Specials in Quixote's	18	19	20	21 TUNES on the Terrace Ladies Day	22 The Eclectic Tournament	23 The Eclectic Tournament
24	25	26	27 Course Closed	28 TUNES on the Terrace Ladies Day	29	30

Coming in July...

Thursdays, July 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th
Ladies Day

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Tunes on the Terrace

Saturday, July 7th
Men's Saturday Play

July 10th, 11th & 12th
Junior Golf Camp

Friday, July 13th
Men's Guest Day

Sunday, July 15th
Ryder/Solheim Cup

Thursday, July 19th
Ladies Guest Day

Friday, July 20th
Course Closed

Sunday, July 22nd
Ryder/Solheim Cup

Sunday, July 29th
Ryder/Solheim Cup



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VERDERA**
COUNTRY CLUB

Where everyone wants to be.

CLUB STAFF

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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