



## April 2022 Newsletter

### Monthly Survey

Complete this survey for a chance to win one of two \$50 gift cards to Van's Golf Shops.

In an effort to learn about our members, we are asking you to participate in this survey about **Social Media**

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### Marilynn Smith Arizona Women's Open | May 1-4, 2022



Longbow Golf Club in Mesa.

On Monday, May 2, the **Marilynn Smith Scholarship Pro-Am** will see four amateurs tee it up in a scramble format with special guests and professionals playing in the event. Proceeds go to the Marilyn Smith Scholarship Fund, which provides scholarships to female high school seniors who are planning to play golf at an accredited college or university in the United States. Click on the button below for more information and to register your team for the Scholarship Pro-AM!

Then on Tuesday, May 3, the **Marilynn Smith Arizona Women's Open Senior Division** will feature two-person teams, ages 45 and up, playing a two-day 36-hole tournament with Scramble and Best Ball formats.

[Pro-Am Registration](#)

[Senior Division Registration](#)

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## **Last Chance: The METFUND National at Talking Stick |** **April 10-11, 2022**



Foursomes for the golf outing are filling up quickly - The Michael E. Thornton Foundation (METFUND) invites you to experience 24 hours you will never forget. Be a part of the METFUND National at Talking Stick Resort, April 10-11, and enjoy a special evening with 20 of the 66 living **Medal of Honor recipients**. In these 24 hours you will have the opportunity to share an evening and celebrate active-duty military personnel, Veterans, and their families. This unique experience will feature the Patriot Welcome Dinner & Cocktail Party on Sunday night at Talking Stick Resort, followed by an opportunity to participate in a golf event at Talking Stick Golf Club on Monday morning.

The METFUND provides **immediate financial assistance** for both active and non-active duty military and families in distress by bridging the gap between the urgent needs that arise in daily life, and the long-term support other organizations are able to provide. Click on the button below to learn more about the METFUND, purchase a table at the Patriot Dinner or register to take part in an unforgettable golf event with

[Register Now](#)

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## Junior Golf University Golf Tournament | Wigwam Golf Club



Junior Golf University (JGU) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that oversees its flagship program, the **PING Junior Interclub** (PJI). The PJI is a tournament series providing junior golfers with the unique opportunity to compete as a member of a team. Each team is coed, consisting of eight junior golfers, ages 12-18. Using the interclub concept, junior players develop **team-based** inherent in other sports, while competing in golf, a game that fosters integrity, leadership and life skills.

To **support these organizations**, click the button below to register today and participate in the Junior Golf University Golf Tournament hosted at the Wigwam Golf course!

[Learn More](#)[Register Now](#)

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## Volunteer's Needed! | NCAA Men's and Women's Golf Championship



### Sign Up to Support Student Athletes

College golf's top players and teams will gather at Scottsdale's Grayhawk Golf Club May 20 – June 1 to compete in the 2022 NCAA Men's and Women's Division I Golf Championships – and your help will be a big part of the tournament's success!

#### Various Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer committees include Marshals, Standard Bearers, and Supply Distribution. It's a great opportunity to give back to the community and meet new people.

#### Volunteer Grayhawk Golf Club Perk

A volunteer who works 8 or more shifts (confirmed by Committee Chairman) will receive a twosome (2) of golf at Grayhawk Golf Club, valid dates June 5 – September 14, 2022. Please notify your Chairman if you are looking at getting to those 8+ shifts.

### NCAA Info and Registration



## AZ Travel

Join the AGA at Mayan Palace for the Spring Member Weekend!



in **Puerto Penasco, Mexico** for the Mayan Palace Spring Member Weekend. This annual event has become a favorite and registration includes two rounds of golf, two buffet lunches, **beer on the course**, team awards and prizes.

[Register Now](#)

THIS IS  
*Alabama*



Join the AGA on the **sugary sands of Alabama** for an unforgettable member golf experience September 25-30, 2022. Trip includes five nights lodging, four rounds of golf, hosted welcome reception, and bus transportation. **Space is limited** and the deadline is quickly approaching, so click the button below to register today!

[Learn More](#)

## AZ Golf Club - Upcoming Events

**AZ Golf Club** outings are scheduled each month around the state, with previous outings already completed in Litchfield Park, Yuma, and Tucson! These **social golf** events welcome everyone of all skill levels from beginner to advanced.

### Copper Canyon GC (Buckeye)

**May 20 | 7:45 AM**

2-person Shamble



### Elephant Rock GC (Williams)

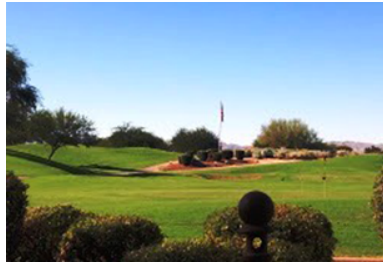
**July 18 | 8:00 AM**

2-person Scramble

[Register Now - Copper Canyon](#)[Register Now - Elephant Rock](#)



## Senior Cup Series | Falcon Dunes GC | April 27



Join us for the first Senior Cup Series of the season! Head over to **Waddell, Ariz** and tee it up at this four-ball stroke play event the last Wednesday of this month! Hurry, registration is closing soon!

[Register Now](#)

## AGA Scramble Day Registration Now Open

The first Scramble Day of the season is now open for registration, set for May 21st at the **Wigwam Golf Club** in Litchfield Park! Get out of the house, grab the gang and get together for a **fun-filled day of golf!**



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## Rules Trivia

Test your Rules of Golf knowledge with this trivia question:

**What is the Penalty, if any?**

Player A's ball comes to rest in the light rough in the general area close to the fairway. Player B, while searching for his or her ball drives over Player A's ball pressing Player A's ball into the turf.

Player A drops a substituted ball in the fairway within one club-length of the spot where the original ball was pressed into the turf, not nearer the hole than the location of Player A's original ball. Player A continues to play the hole.

- A: One-Stroke Penalty
- B: Two-Stroke Penalty
- C: No Penalty



## AGA Player Development

*Take A Swing!* Golf Clinics and Get Your Golf on: Nine and Wine

### *Take A Swing!* Golf Clinics | Aguila GC and Cave Creek GC



In partnership with **Reid West Golf Academies**, the AGA is excited to announce a new clinic series designed to help new and returning golfers develop the skills they need to be successful on the course.

*Take A Swing!* Golf Clinics offer six levels of golf instruction - jump in and find the **session that fits your game**. Click the button below for more information on each session and register today!

#### Clinic Information

#### 2022 Schedule

### Get Your Golf On: Nine and Wine | Bear Creek GC (Chandler)

Get Your Golf On - Nine & Wine is an adult **golf mentoring program** offering a casual golfing experience, designed for the new or returning golfer to help them feel at ease on the golf course. Play up to nine holes of golf with a mentor, then gather in the clubhouse after golf for a beverage, hosted appetizers, golf talk and networking.



#### 2022 Schedule

**It's time to schedule your peace of mind.**  
 Make your annual screening mammogram appointment now.



## AZ Under30 Club Upcoming Events



### Talking Stick Golf Course

**May 21 | 12:30 PM**

Grab a friend and tee it up at this Best-ball event in Scottsdale.

**Registration Deadline: May 13**

[Register Now](#)

### We-Ko-Pa (Saguaro) Golf Club

**June 12 | 8 AM**

AZ Under30 members are welcome to bring a non-member to attend this Scramble event. Click the button below to register and reserve your spot!

**Registration Deadline: May 28**



[Register Now](#)

## Just For Fun | Registration Open

AGA Just For Fun Days are just that...FUN! There is no format, just golf. Keep score, don't keep score. Play a game within your group or just enjoy an afternoon of golf with friends. The **two day golf outing** is open to men & women of all skill levels.

### June Outing | Payson, Arizona



#### The Rim Club (Round 1)

June 16 | 10 AM



#### Chaparral Pines (Round 2)



[Register Now - Payson, AZ](#)

## Live Where You Golf



Dove Mountain is a golf enthusiast's dream, with some of the best golf courses in Arizona. Imagine stepping out your back door and onto a **Jack Nicklaus-designed** fairway. Neighborhood amenities include The Ritz-Carlton, Dove Mountain Resort and Spa, restaurants and 50 miles of Tortolita Mountain trails.

[Learn More](#)



## GOLFTEC Tip of the Month



hit the **center of the face** of the driver to increase distance and help straighten out wayward shots.

Watch Now



Best 36 Holes on the Monterey Bay with dramatic and **brehtaking ocean vistas**, these courses offer golfers two different but fun experiences. Bayonet, with its narrow playing corridors and steep, penal bunkering and Black Horse, with its sweeping vistas of the Pacific and slickly contoured greens. You will never forget your rounds here on the Monterey Bay. **Click the button** below to reserve your 36 holes of golf and 1 night stay.

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## Rules Trivia Answer

**B: Two-Stroke Penalty**

Player A's procedure for a lie that was altered was incorrect. To avoid a penalty of

original spot, not nearer the hole, and in the same area of the course as that spot.  
See Rule 14.2d(2).



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