

### **December 2022 Newsletter**

### **Monthly Survey**

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

To learn about our members, we are asking you to participate in this survey about the <u>*Holidays*</u>!

**Take Survey** 



Don't Forget! 2023 Memberships Now Available!



Inrougn December 31, 2022, we will conduct weekly prize drawings in conjunction with membership renewals and new joins for 2023. It's just a small way to say THANK YOU for your continued support and membership. Prizes will range from Gift Cards to PING putters, Bushnell Wingman speakers and Lag Shot training aids!

Members joining or renewing prior to each drawing will be entered to win that week's prizes. **The earlier you renew, the more chances you have to win!** The first drawing was held on Monday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, and the final drawing will be on Tuesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>. For more information and a list of winners, visit the Member Appreciation page on our website.

**AGA Member Appreciation** 





## Winter Special Seville Golf and Country Club -Game On Golf Clinics

These clinics are for **men and women** who are beginner, social and recreational golfers. The basics of the full swing and short game will be reviewed, and instruction will be designed for each golfer's playing ability.

Registration fee of \$125 includes: 3 clinics (4.5 hours/practice balls included)

> Session 1: January 7, 14, 21 / 3:00 - 4:30 PM

> > **Register - Session 1**

Session 2: January 8, 15, 22 / 3:00 - 4:30 PM

You will have the opportunity to receive instruction from PGA Master

**Register - Session 2** 





# PLAYER DEVELOPMENT

## 2023 ITTY BITTY OPEN Set For January 14



In its 35th year, the Junior Golf Association of Arizona (JGAA) hosts the 2023 Itty Bitty Open on Saturday, January 14, 2023 at 21 valley-wide locations. Open **FREE of charge to all kids 3-5 years old**, the event offers golf clinics where juniors and parents learn basic skills taught by qualified PGA and LPGA professionals.

Kids then participate in fun-filled, non-competitive golf games and tournaments. Each golfer receives a set of plastic golf clubs (right-handed only), balls, a bag, and a visor – participants are asked to leave their own clubs at home. An adult "caddie" must accompany each golfer.

**Register Now!** 

**Event Flyer** 



The USGA and The R&A have unveiled a regular update to the **Rules of Golf** as they continue to make the Rules easier to understand and apply. The new Rules will go into effect on **January 1**, **2023**. Click the button below to read more!



### **Rules Trivia**

Test your Rules of Golf knowledge with this trivia question:

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

Player A's ball in the general area is not in a location where Player A can see the putting green. Player A asks another competitor in the group to stand in a location on the line from the ball to the center of the putting green (Player A is not addressing the ball during this interaction). After the competitor moves away from Player A's line of play to the putting green, Player A plays the ball.

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

#### The answer can be found at the end of this newsletter!







See the PGA TOUR's best tee it up at the 88<sup>th</sup> edition of the WM Phoenix Open. This year brings new and exciting changes to the event including a record-setting \$20 million purse. Will 2022 PGA TOUR Player of the Year Scottie Scheffler defend his desert title? Or will a new firsttimer take center stage in the winner's circle? Find out February 6-12 at TPC Scottsdale.

Learn More





#### **C: No Penalty**

There was no penalty for getting help from a person who stood in a position requested by Player A to locate a specific location on the course, as the person moved away before the stroke was made. See Rule 10.2b(2).



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