

November President's Message

Welcome back to all who were elsewhere over the summer!

By-laws Change

The financial review team has recommended we change our by-laws to include more specific verbiage as to what should be included in the annual financial review. This revision will be voted on at the December 6 luncheon. The proposed change to Article XII – Budget and Finances is highlighted in yellow:

“The Association’s financial records shall be reviewed within sixty (60) days of the close of the fiscal year. This review shall be conducted by two (2) advisors residing in SaddleBrooke HOA#1 or HOA#2 who are not on the current Elected SBWGA-18 Board of Directors, both of whom have financial backgrounds. This review shall consist of: 1) review of documentation for and approvals of significant transactions, (2) review of bank statements and reconciliations, and (3) review of documentation for membership and sponsorship income. The outgoing and newly elected treasurers shall be in attendance. A report of the review shall be made at the next general meeting.”

2023 Membership Registration

Please register online using the instructions emailed out previously. Your registration must be received by November 30 in order for your information to be included in the 2023 handbook. Call or email Cathe Kropp, cathe50@outlook.com, if you need assistance using the online registration.

****Important:** If your personal information has changed since a year ago, please email your new information to Deanna McCann, turnerdj54@gmail.com.

Congratulations to the 2023 Officers

The following were elected by acclamation at the November 1 general meeting:

President	Nancy Sartor
Vice President	Cathe Kroppe
Secretary	Jan Kreis
Treasurer	Patty Mawe
Tues Play Day	Francie Entz
Special Tournaments	Marsha Camp
Membership	Deanna McCann
Handicap	Sandi Chester

Thank you, ladies, for agreeing to serve on the 2023 SBWGA Board of Directors. And a big thank you to Sheila Clarkin, Sandra Murray and Ann Chatham for serving on the nominating committee. We look forward to another great year.

Please Help

There are several committee positions to be filled for 2023. We are trying to have two people at each position so if you are new, you will have an experienced partner. Please email Nancy Sartor, nancysar@msn.com, to volunteer. We need you!

Upcoming Important Dates

Nov 9	Board Meeting at 8:30 in the Coyote Room
Nov 15, 17, 19	Cactus Classic Net Tournament w/Cocktail Party
Nov 29, Dec 1	Solheim Tournament (sign up on bulletin board)
Dec 5	Kachina at Arizona National (sign up on bulletin board)
Dec 6	Holiday Luncheon and General Meeting

2023 Tournament Schedule

Jan 19-31	President's Cup match play
Feb 21	3 Jills & A Jack
Mar 14, 16, 21	Club Championships (regular, senior, and legend divisions)
Apr 2, 3, 4	Quail Classic Invitational
May 1-2	Member/Member
May 16	SaddleBrooke Women's Classic here (with MV/Preserve and SBR)
July 11	Member Guest Day
Sep 19	LAGOS (SBWGA to host w/the Niners)
Nov 14, 16, 18	Cactus Classic net tournament

Your Handicap Index

Remember to post the same day you play. Please review Carol's email about how to score an incomplete hole. This keeps your handicap accurate.

Thank You to our November Sponsors

AIM Mail Center
Fairway Cooling & Heating
Robert Longley of Longley Tax & Financial Services
Wendy Harn of Morris Hall
Dede Crowder of Preventive Health & Skin Care

November Birthdays – Have a great day, ladies!

Huffman	Nancy	11/1
Hauth	Cacilia	11/2
Falconer	Maggie	11/3
Molitor	Jean	11/5
Turriff	Barbara	11/5
Buhler	Margie	11/7
James	<i>Betty (H)</i>	11/8
Burnham	Linda	11/9
Chatham	Ann	11/14
Hubbard	Becky	11/14
Klomp	Ruthie	11/15
Fosmire	Gail	11/16
Weisbeck	Peggy	11/16
Denahan	Angie	11/18
Costello	Audrey	11/19
Stonecipher	Ann	11/20
Turner	JoAnne	11/23

Warner	Darlene	11/24
Houser	Kathleen	11/29

SBWGA Board of Directors

The next board meeting will be October 12 at 8:30 in the Coyote Room North. Please email me if you are going to attend as that room can accommodate only a few extra people. Agenda will be posted on the website by October 10.

The 2022 board email address, sbwgaboard2022@gmail.com, is also posted at the bottom of the Home page of the web site. We welcome your questions or comments at any time.

The Rudest Things You Should Never Do on the Golf Course

There are 35 rudest things and I will be reminding you of them in the coming months. Here is the next set. **NEVER:**

26. Not Take Honors on the Tee Box

Unless playing ready golf has clearly been established, if you have honors, you've earned it. You should be able to enjoy it.

27. Stand in another golfer's line of sight

A few steps off to the side makes all the difference.

28. Congratulate someone on making a putt before they do

Specifically, if the ball ends up missing. Just wait a few extra seconds and save yourself an awkward situation.

29. Not let the next group play through

There's actually no upside to not letting faster groups play through. Just do it.

30. Eye up putts for too long

You're not playing the Masters — and it's probably not helping you that much anyway.

Read more at: <https://golf.com/instruction/rules/golf-etiquette-rude-things-rules/>

My golf thought for the month is from Bobby Jones: "Golf is the closest game to the game we call life. You get bad breaks from good shots; you get good breaks from bad shots, but you have to play the ball where it lies."

Ann Stonecipher

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