

Welcome to
THE BRASSIES WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION
Founded 1980

"to promote the enjoyment of competitive golf and good fellowship among women golfers of Central Florida."



JULY 2011

DIVOTS

Dear Nancy,

Welcome to the first electronic edition of the Divots!

Treasurer's Corner

We had a great year, starting with Black Diamond and ending with the Challenge at Avila in Tampa.

We had a total of 199 members this year and a balance of \$3477.93 as of May 31st 2011. See you in September at Tierra Del Sol.

Gail Samples
Treasurer

Brassies Board

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New Members **Jackie Dziekan**
Tournament Schedule **Char Murray**
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President's Corner

The Brassies are keeping up with the times! Divots by E-Mail! This means savings in time and money. The Delegates will have to make a copy for any of their members who do not have E-Mail.

Congratulations to Barbara Breesemen on being Player of the Year for the 2010-2011 season. Good going Barbara!

Please note that there has been a change in the date for the Southern Hills event. It was originally scheduled for the first part of May and has been moved back to April 26, 2012.

The Board is proposing a change in the By-Laws. Article VII, Terms of Office, Elections and Voting is Affected. We propose to delete the wording "No Board Member may serve more than two consecutive terms or four consecutive years.: In it's place we propose that the wording be, "No Board Member may serve more that two consecutive terms in any one position." This will allow a current Board Member to move up to President or another position.

The Board is proposing a new, additional flight. It will be called the Legends and is for a member in good standing of at least 5 years who can no longer play to the 18 handicap as is presently required in the D-Flight. No new Brassies member will be eligible and this may not be used by current members who have a temporary medical problem. More details to follow at the September event.

Player of the Year

Barbara Breesemen - The Dunes

Perfect Attendance

Jackie Dziekan - Citrus Hills
Nancy Groth - Ocala Palms
Linda - Harrison - Marion Oaks
Jean Heck - Skyview
Sonia Hoover - Turkey Creek
Pat Laskowski - Citrus Hills
Beverly Ovrebo - Marion Oaks
Gail Samples - Marion Oaks
Ruth Troyer - Twisted Oaks

We all need to get members to step up to the plate and run for office. Serving on the Board gives you an opportunity to get better acquainted with more of our members. Please give it some thought and when the nominating committee contacts you in January, say yes and give it a try.

Mary Ellen McCoy
President

From Tournament Headquarters

The Brassies/West Coast Challenge was hosted by West Coast in May at Avila. The West Coast grabbed the trophy, again, with a 240 to 210 victory.

Our individual high point teams were:

Sonia Hoover and Jean Heck with 12 points.

Heidi Willis and Ruth Troyer with 10.5 points.

Four teams in 3rd place with 10 points:

- Carla Stevenson and Shari Pfannenstien
- Nancy Morton and Mia Kolar
- Mary Ellen McCoy and Hazel Mazzuco
- Laurie Hall and Connie Berdass

Brassies will be hosting the Challenge next year!

2011 - 2012 Schedule

September 7 - Tierra Del Sol *

October 10 - Twisted Oaks

November 10 - Citrus Hills

December 5 - Skyview

January 10 - Plantation

February 6 - Seven Rivers

March 19 - Pine Oaks

April 2 - Silver Springs Shores
April 26 - Southern Hills
May 10 - West Coast Challenge

* [Tierra Del Sol Entry Form](#)
(click link above to download entry form)

By Laws Changes

The membership will be called upon to vote on changes to the By-Laws, after it has been properly notified of the changes. This newsletter constitutes the first notification. Listed below are the changes:

- Article III Membership, Section A: Remove the words "***North***" and "***with a minimum course slope rating of 115***"
- Article VII, Terms of Office, Elections and Voting, Section A: Should read: "***The term of office for all members of the Board of Directors is two years. The President may serve no more than one term. No Board member may serve more than two consecutive terms or four consecutive years in any one position. All members of the Board may renew their Board eligibility after a one year break in service.***"

Did You Know?

The word "***sandtrap***" does not appear anywhere in the Rules of Golf! The correct terminology for a hazard that consists of a prepared area of ground, often a hollow, from which turf or soil has been removed and replaced with sand (or the like) is a ***bunker***.

Impress your friends with your golf savvy by referring to those areas of sand as bunkers!

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