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July features tournament doubleheader.

On Sunday, July 18, we'll tee it up at the Creek for a Two-Man Scramble Tournament. On Saturday, July 31, Prescott Golf G&CC will host our annual "beat the heat" Two-Man Best Ball Tournament.

The Two-Man Scramble on the 18 has an added attraction: The net winners of this event will represent CCMGA in the AGA's annual statewide Club Team Championship to be held in December.

The tournament entry fee is \$50 per team. The format: eighteen holes, flighted, gross and net, blue tees. Maximum team handicap differential is ten strokes. July 1 handicaps will be used. For more details on the handicapping procedure and other tournament activities, see the entry form available in the pro shop or on ccmga.net. Please register as a team. If you need a partner, please note that fact on your entry form. THE ENTRY DEADLINE IS SUNDAY, JULY 11.

Guests are welcome at the Prescott Tournament. Just make sure they have verifiable USGA handicaps. If not, they will be required to play at scratch.

The entry fee is \$60 per player. It buys you golf, a cart, range balls, lunch after golf, and makes a \$5 contribution to the prize pool. The pool will be paid out based on gross and net results. You can get in an optional team skins game for \$10 gross, \$10 net.

The club does have dress requirements which you will find on the entry form you can pick up in the pro shop or download on ccmga.net.

THE ENTRY DEADLINE IS 5:00 PM WEDNESDAY, JULY 21.

Annual mid-year membership sale begins on July 16.

This sale is always a success because we've learned that our members are the best salesmen CCMGA can have. To go with the benefits we offer, here are the buy-in options available for the balance of the year:

.....From July 16 to August 31, 2010, you can join CCMGA for the remainder of the year for only \$55.

.....From September 1 to October 15, 2010, you can join CCMGA for the remainder of the year for just \$45.

.....After October 15, we are offering a package deal which makes you a CCMGA member for the rest of the year for \$15 provided you purchase a full membership in 2011 for \$75.

New mid-year members are eligible to participate in the remaining monthly tournaments provided they meet the requirements they will find on the entry forms.

Other benefits include participation in the Thursday RAZZ, membership in the Arizona Golf Association which provides you with an official USGA handicap good anywhere you play and access to our website, ccmga.net, which has a host of information about our association plus links to other golf oriented sites.

Membership applications are available on ccmga.net and in the pro shop.

"If I were a board member I would have changed the way we" If you've ever said that or heard it said, here's an opportunity to make your voice heard where it counts....as a CCMGA board member.

Four new members of the Board of Governors will be elected at our annual meeting and banquet on November 19, 2010. The three top vote getters will serve three year terms. The fourth highest will serve for one year.

All candidates must be able to give the time necessary to attend monthly board meetings, serve on committees and do volunteer service.

Computer literacy is essential as the bulk of the board's business is conducted by E-Mail, and nearly all of our members have computer access.

To place your name in nomination, suggest a member you think would make a good board member, or have questions about board service, just contact one of the following members of the Nominating Committee before September 13, 2010.

Ken Kerner – kkerneraz@cox.net

Tom McConnell – macwaker@cox.net

Arnie Reah – arsan4@cox.net

Mark your calendars.

To ensure that overseeding has taken hold, our Fall Match Play Tournament is currently scheduled to begin the first week in November.

And finally.....

"Golf is, in part, a game; but only in part.

It is also a religion, a fever, a vice, a mirage, a frenzy, a fear, an abscess, a joy, a thrill, a pest, a disease, an uplift, a brooding melancholy, a dream of yesterday, a disappointing today and a hope for tomorrow." *Grantland Rice*