

# BIRDIES AND BOGEY

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### Membership Appreciation...NCGA Dues...Treasurer Needed

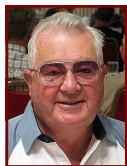
70 members attended our **Membership Appreciation Day** on Sept. 22nd. It included breakfast, scramble (not eggs...golf), lunch and awards, including closest to the pin (3 winners on each par 3), and a driving contest for all four flights. We started early and finished before it was hot, although a couple of teams were sure hot on the course...Special thanks go to **Don Whalen Gary Bohn, Phil Hancock and Marty Owens** for all the time they put into this day on behalf of the entire golf membership. A great annual event. Following all that activity, your officers met to perform an annual review on our golf club policies. We did come up with some recommendations and will review them at our next golf meeting on Oct 11th following our SIRs luncheon.

**NCGA dues**... A reminder that we are now collecting 2012 NCGA dues starting at our October 10<sup>th</sup> meeting. The cost for next year is: New (or restatement of player) \$46 + \$20= \$66. Existing members: \$36 + \$20= \$56. These rates for 2012 only apply through the first of next year, so sign up early. The included \$20 is used by our Treasury to primarily cover part of the Membership Appreciation Day and our annual Luncheon Banquet. Note: New members can join immediately for just \$10 to be eligible for our golf tournament for the rest of this year ( all other fees have been waved for 2011 membership). For additional information, please contact Gary Bohn.

**Treasurer** Last month I announced we had identified our slate of officers for 2012. However, **we now have an opening for Treasurer**. Marty Owen, who has been our golf chairmen since 2003 will not be available. That means we do need someone to step up as treasurer. Gary Bohn and Marty would be available to help you so you won't be doing this on your own until you are ready. You can continue using current procedures or make whatever upgrades you want that help you in the role of Treasurer. If you have an interest, please talk to Gary. We need to have someone by our next meeting. This would be a great opportunity for new members as well as others who would like to help the club that they play in.

**Remember: It's surprisingly easy to hole a 50-foot putt when you lie 10.**

*Don*



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The 2011 schedule is completed. Some changes have been made from the information I gave last month. Antelope Greens, Timber Creek, and Ancil Hoffman did not respond to my many letters, phone calls, and personal visits; therefore, they were cancelled. The dates they were for were immediately filled. This still gives us 52 regular dates, 2 Overnights, an Carson City for a total of 58 dates. Of the 58 dates, 38 are shotgun starts, 3 are split, and 17 are straight tee times. I'm still scheduling the shotguns to encourage carpooling and socializing after the event. If this is too many shotguns, then bring it up at the Golf Meeting and we will call for a vote, Too late to change for the 2011 schedule but good to go for the 2012 dates. The majority of dates (49) are on Thursday, with 4 dates on Monday, 2 Dates on Tuesday, 2 dates on Wednesday, and 1 date on Friday. Most of the odd dates are on the Overnights and Carson City. Our participation has declined in 2010, let's plan to get out and play more in 2011.

*Don*