



CHIPSHOTS

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Celebrating 60 Years of Golf on Lopez Island

First year of an all-year green number one fairway.

Horse Race



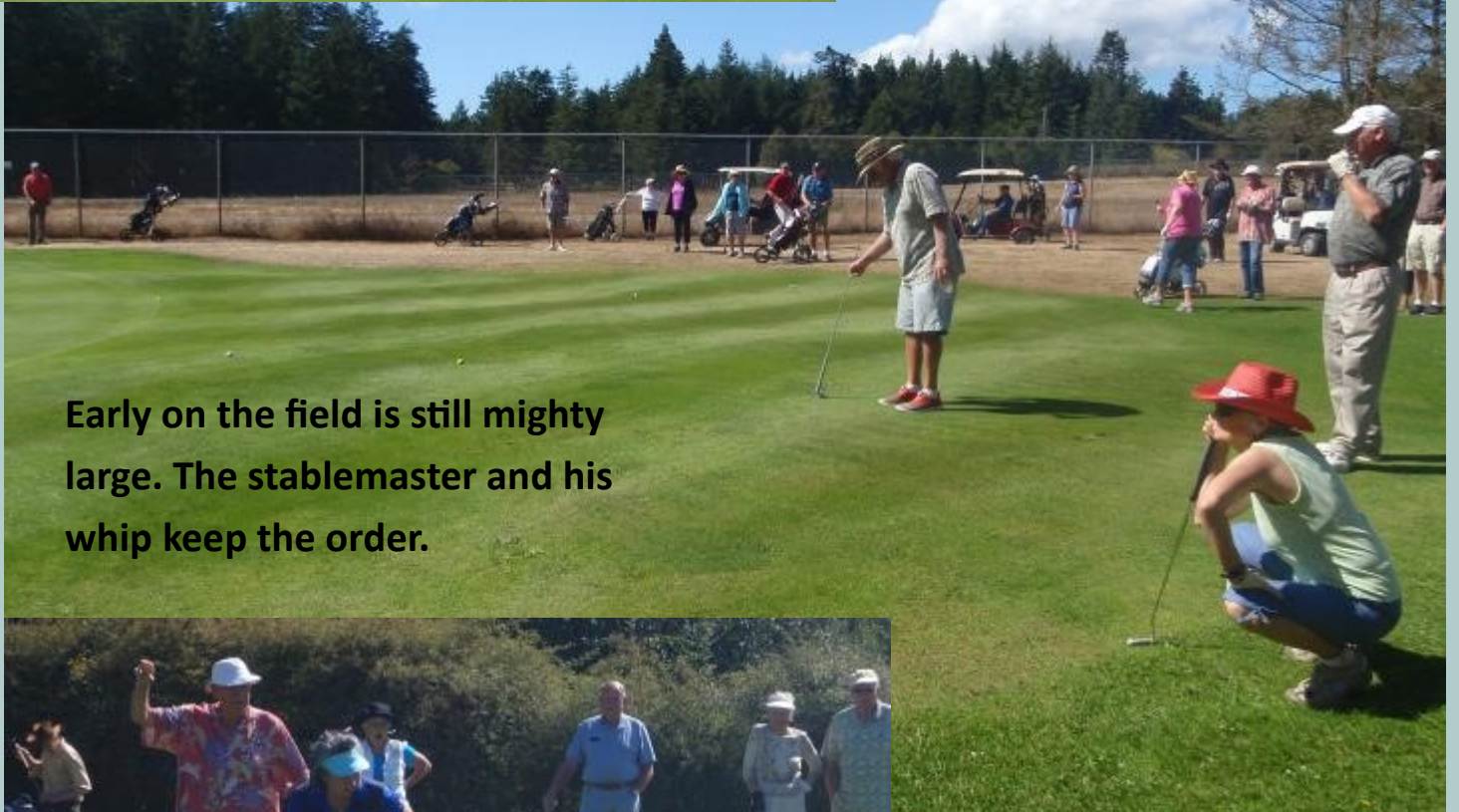
We had 17 teams of stallions and mares register for this year's Horse Race. Our supreme betting concessionaire was again Dennis Mattson. Bill White was this year's stablemaster with his trusty scribe Carole White. Paparazzi Whitney White diligently recorded the day's events and also helped put together the on course snacks. Finally our beverage babes Myrna Mattson and Dolores Vrooman kept players watered and fed.



Danish Cowboy



Keeping calm before the gallery.



Early on the field is still mighty large. The stablemaster and his whip keep the order.



Serious putting keeps you in the game when the eliminations begin.



Beverage Babes

Horse Race Photo Finish...

Teams were eliminated starting after Hole #3.

When we finally reached Hole #9, there were 4 teams remaining:

Gary Hall and Joan Thomas

Mike Summers and Sue Crockett

Bob Gerfy and Joyce Kruithof

Ron Metcalf and Pat Goodfellow



A chip-off was needed to crown our 2018 Horse Race Winners:

1st — Win: Mike Summers and Sue Crockett

2nd — Place: Gary Hall and Joan Thomas

3rd — Show: Bob Gerfy and Joyce Kruithof

Thanks to all our wonderful participants!



King and Queen



These avid players are the monthly Aces from the tournaments this season. They came out on a rainy Sunday to play for the title of King and Queen. (Photo to Left) April Aces Lauren Stephens and Tom Cowan center, are joined by May aces

Joyce Kruithof and Dick Bangsund.

(Photo right) June Aces Carole White and Perry Brown played



with July aces Bill White and Mary Brown.



(Photo left) Finally, September Aces Mike Summers and Bev Smith playing with August Aces Sue Crockett (substitute for Judy Whitney) and Ed Gutkowski.

and the King and Queen are...



Surrounded by their “court” King Bill White and Queen Mary Brown enjoy the royal treatment. They had a net score of 134.



While all the big hitters were busy in the King & Queen tournament, the rest of us had fun competing in a twilight event.

This was a team low net step aside format with each player needing 3 counting shots. No

prior teams were set up; we all just drew chips for hole assignments.

1st place with a 22.2 net score: Bob Gerfy, Kathy Hall, Bette Vaudt & Tracey Locke



2nd place with a 22.3 net score: TJ Anderson, Dick Reiswig, Vaughan Williams & John Vaudt

3rd place with a 25.4 net score: Barbara Reiswig, Becky Presley, Deanna Carpenter & Chris Bangsund

KP #10: Chris Bangsund & Bob Gerfy



LD #11: Chris Bangsund & Bert Bates

Thank you to all 19 hardy souls who came out even though the rains threatened all day.

ALAS, it cleared up just for us with wonderful

sunshine!!!! -Chris Bangsund



Volunteers of the Year

Jeff Hanks has been in charge of pin-setting for many years now. He trains members and often does the job himself, always sensitive to members' suggestions.



Roy Paswaters has been super busy here

this year: tending the trees he planted late last year, co-chairing men's day activities, mowing, making repairs, you



name it!

Bill White has also been co-chairing men's day, organizing the men's weekly lunches, doing mowing and odd jobs all season. He also wielded a mean Horse Race whip!



Carole White has been co-chairing women's day activities as well as making monthly lunches for the women and pitching in as chef for



the men in Lars's absence. The lovely flower bed on the north side of the clubhouse is also Carole's creation.

THANK YOU ALL!

		LIGC 2018 Awards		
MEN		TOURNEY		WOMEN
Tom Cowan		April Ace		Lauren Stephens
Dick Bangsund		May Ace		Joyce Kruithof
Perry Brown		June Ace		Carole White
Bill White		July Ace		Mary Brown
Ed Gutkowski		August Ace		Judy Whitney
Mike Summers		September Ace		Bev Smith
Bill White		KING/QUEEN		Mary Brown
Tom Cowan		SPR RINGER		Lauren Stephens
Tom Cowan		FALL RINGER		Carole White
		McCONAGHY		
Tom Cowan		1ST		Bev Smith
Bob Gerfy		2ND		Mary Brown/ Nancy Lynch
		PRES CUP		
Tom Cowan		1ST		Joyce Kruithof
Perry Brown		2ND		Lauren Stephens
Joe Reynolds		3RD		Carole White
		PILON/ LOTT		
Tobin Arden		1ST		Mary Brown
Bob Gerfy		2ND		Pat Goodfellow
Perry Brown		consolation		
		CLUB CHAMP		
Max Ray-Keil		1ST		Bev Smith
Tobin Arden		2ND		Lauren Stephens
Ron Metcalf/Tom Cowan		LOW NET		Carole White
Tom Cowan		RUSS STORMS		Lauren Stephens
Steve Kyser		MOST IMPROVED		Lauren Stephens
		VOLUNTEERS OF THE YEAR		
		Jeff Hanks		
		Roy Paswaters		
		Carole and Bill White		

Its been a great season...

President's Cup



1st Joyce Kruithof
2nd Lauren Stephens
3rd Carole White

1st Tom Cowan
2nd Perry Brown
3rd Joe Reynolds



Lott
1st Mary Brown
2nd Pat Goodfellow
Pilon
1st Tobin Arden
(not pictured)
2nd Bob Gerfy
Consolation: Perry Brown





These two spent quite a bit of time out of their chairs during the awards ceremony. Tom Cowan was the April Ace, Won the Spring Ringer, Won the Fall Ringer, Got First Place in McConaghy, Had First Place in the Presidents Cup was tied for Low net during the Club Championship and won the Russ Storms award. Equally as engaged was Lauren Stephens also the April Ace, the winner of the Spring Ringer, 2nd Place in the Presidents Cup, Second in the Club Championship, the winner of the Russ Storms award, as well as, the Most improved female player. Well done you two!

McConaghy Women: 1st Place Bev Smith and tied for 2nd Place Mary Brown and Nancy Lynch

McConaghy Men: 1st Place Tom Cowan
2nd Place Bob Gerfy





Hosting the evening awards are Bob Gerfy and Carole White, instrumental in the Men's and Women's Day competitions this season.

The Women's Club Champion Bev Smith displays her bowl with 2nd place winner Lauren Stephens and Low Net winner Carole White.



Women at Gallery



On Tuesday, September 18 eight of us went off to Gallery Golf Course on Whidbey Island at the invitation of their Women's Association. Sue Crockett and Lauren Stephens took home all the prize money for chip-ins and low putts despite the very tricky greens. This was our last off-island outing for the year but we plan to continue these trips next year.

September 21 was a perfect day for plugging the greens.



Plugging continued



Thank you to all the hard working members who joined in this important event. Under the leadership of Lars and Benni, these experienced plugging members made short work of this very laborious job. Whew!



September Work Day





Parting Shots...



The local taco truck came out to supply us with our main course during the awards dinner—tacos. This casual fare was a big hit with everyone. Even the queen, crown and all, went out to collect her taco.



UPCOMING EVENTS

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Remember to check out the **EVENTS CALENDAR** in the **DIRECTORY** on the **WEBSITE** for specifics on all the events. <http://lopezislandgolf.com/>

Last Work Day of 2018:
October 31 (Halloween)

Fall Membership Meeting
October 14 4:00 PM

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