



Centennial Valley January 2012

From Reggie...

By the time you get this 2012 will be in full swing here at Centennial! We will spend a great deal of time in January and February planning and scheduling for the peak season, which begins when the time changes in March. As always, if you have any ideas, suggestions or other input that you think will benefit our Club and our members, please feel free to email me that information. We plan on changing some of our programming and enhancing many of our Club events for the New Year!!

It is the time of the year when your yearly cart storage, trail fee, range plan and rental cart plans are due. Please stop by the Golf Shop in January to make your appropriate payments and get your cart stickers when necessary. There will be no changes in these fees for 2012.

The weekend of February 3rd will be a busy one at Centennial. Friday, February 3rd, marks the first night of...FRIDAY NIGHT FEVER!!! The MGA Super Bowl Tournament will be Saturday, February 4th and the annual Super Bowl Party will be Sunday, February 5th. What an awesome weekend to be a member of our Club!!

January is generally a short newsletter for me. As I mentioned earlier, we will spend the majority of the next 60 days planning out the remainder of the year. I look forward to 2012 and another great year of exciting events, programs and social opportunities at the Club. I also look forward to offering you a great golf course, enhanced pool season, new 19th Hole menu and a great fitness facility. I hope to see you all very soon at the Club!!

Reggie
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From Our Pro...

Happy New Year 2012!! While I can hardly believe another year has passed, I trust that each of you enjoyed the Holiday Season.

At the start of each New Year I look back to the prior year to evaluate the golf tournaments, course conditions and general play of our membership. The year 2011 was a great year for our membership and the Club. The overall course conditions were good and we continue to recover from a summer of record heat, especially on some of our putting greens. I expect that everything be in place for another great year on the course. Our tournament schedule last year and this year will look almost identical and we continue to adjust the schedule to better serve our membership. Our membership play was a little under par number-wise for our course; we had about 34,000 rounds of play. This is a very manageable number of rounds for a private course and I am always pleasantly surprised with our pace of play here at Centennial. The gratitude to our membership for observing the course rules with the use of golf cars and taking good care of our course with the sand filling of divots on our tee boxes and fairways. *Thanks for all of your efforts!!*

While the weather in January can be very cold and produce a few snow days, I expect that we will have some nice golfing days also. For those golfers who avoid the cooler weather at the course, please remember that now is a good time to regrip those slick, hard and worn out grips with some of the new tacky and soft style grips that seem to come in every color and proper size for your hands. Just drop by the Golf Shop to check out our wide selection of grips and we can custom order the right grips for you and your game.

Golf Course Etiquette at Centennial ~Tee Times

The following is the proper tee time process at our Club. Groups should first contact playing partners prior to making any tee time. Thus groups will only make a tee time(s) that they know they will use. Groups should also consider that tee times this time of year can be delayed until 9:00 to 9:30, so please check the weather forecast before making earlier tee times. Groups should not make a tee time just in case. Groups should cancel tee times as soon as possible if plans change so that other members may utilize their tee time. Thanks in advance and please remember that this tee time process provides the

membership with the best opportunity to play at their desired time.

Remember, our first tournament of the year is the MGA Super Bowl tournament on Saturday, February 4th. The tournament is limited to the first 36 paid teams.

*Happy New Year,
Mike Smith
PGA Director of Golf*

From the Course...

Please don't take this the wrong way; we are simply trying to get the word out should a snowfall occur. Absolutely NO VEHICLES are allowed on the course or paths while there is a sheet of ice or snow on the ground. This includes 4-wheelers, golf carts as well as any other off-road motorized vehicles. In years past I have failed to get a reinforcing word out in a timely manner before such an event. Thank you for you and your family's cooperation. This is my only message for the month.

*Golfers enjoy the course,
Junior*

From the MGA...

Happy New Year!! I hope 2011 was filled with lots of great memories and good times. I am excited about this upcoming golf season and what it has in store. Our season is just around the corner with our first tournament, the Super Bowl Scramble, on February 4th. This tournament always fills up quickly so be sure to get by the Golf Shop to sign up soon. Please remember that full payment must accompany the entry form for all of our tournaments.

I am excited to announce that we are adding a new tournament to our Shoot-for-the-Irons competition. You will now earn points by playing in the WGA Mixed Scramble in April. Here is our MGA Tournament Schedule for 2012:

Super Bowl Scramble – February 4
MGA Kickoff – April 7
WGA Mixed Scramble – April 28-29

Member/Guest – May 18-20
Superintendent's Revenge – TBD
Centennial Cup – TBD

Please don't hesitate to email me with any questions or comments; shg417@yahoo.com

Here are our 2012 MGA Members of the Board:

Sam Glover – President
David Elms – Vice President
Chris Reese – Secretary
Joy Gurley – Treasurer
Wade Griffin – VP of Membership
Tournament Committee:
Bryan Quinn
Kevin Leach
Alan Ramsey

*Sam Glover
MGA President*

From our Seniors...

By the time you get this I'm sure you have already had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We hope the New Year continues to bring you happiness throughout 2012.

The golf course is sorta (understatement) wet right now. Surely it will dry out enough that we can play some decent golf sometime this winter. When it does dry out enough for the fairway access cardholders to drive on the fairways, you will still need to watch out for the low spots. There is a good chance the wet low spots will be with us all winter. We have had a lot of rain this fall and now we get into the freezing and thawing season, which will make the ground even softer.

Our Senior Events will kick off (hopefully) in March 2012. We have asked for the third Wednesday of each month just like last year. Unless something unexpected comes up, this will be our dates. Any changes, we'll let you know. Happy 2012!!

*Have a good round,
Bob*

From the WGA...

Happy New Year, Everyone!

The WGA celebrated the holidays with a beautiful party at the Hess home, prepared by Chef Vince and his outstanding staff. We noted that seated at one table there was over 500 years of golf experience! If you had come to the dinner, I know you join me in thanking Lee Anne and Steve for the hospitality and generosity to the WGA.

The WGA delivered personal items and canned goods to the Women's Shelter during the holidays. Thank you to all who participated by donating or helping to deliver.

We hope you will join the WGA this coming year. If for no other reason, consider it payment in advance for your wonderful Christmas dinner next year! Obviously there are many more reasons to join us but that just one!

We hope 2012 is bright and full of birdies for you all!

*See you on the course,
Donna Hutchinson
President, WGA*

From Maret...

Child Care:

Hours of Operation:

Friday, 6:00pm-11:00pm **Reservations a MUST**

Cost:

\$5 per hour for the first child and \$2 per hour for the second child from the same immediate family. Prices subject to change.

Fitness Classes:

Our New Session of classes begins January 4th and runs through March 16th. Come give the classes a try! This is your chance to get the weight off that you put on during the holidays. We offer the following classes: **30-30, Body Sculpt, Chisel, Class Choice, Instructors Choice, Power Hour, Tread & Shed, and Yoga.** Our classes can be paid for in 2 ways. The Centennial Fitness card is \$40 and allows you access to all of the classes for the session or you can pay for the individual classes with your member charge at an affordable \$5 per class. The fitness card is only \$20 for ages 60 and up. Check for the new schedule posted at the gym or on our website. You may email me and I'll send you a copy. See you at the gym!

<http://centennialvalleygolfac.com/fitness.html>

Shape Up & Lose:

Are you ready to discover a new you? Beginning January 4th, we are pleased to offer this great program again! Many of our members have participated in the program and seen great results!! This time we will have a Men's Shape Up and Lose and a Women's Shape Up and Lose. The Men will compete against Men only and the Women compete against the Women. This is a 12-week program where you will learn lifestyle changes that you will take with you for a healthier you. This program will begin January 6th and run through March 30th. The cost of this program is \$50; \$25 will go to administrative fees and the other \$25 will go into the pot to be split among the winners. Come on...what have you got to lose?!! **The registration packet is due January 4th. You can get a \$5 discount if you get your registration packet in by December 30th.** Email me for more details and a registration form.

Family Movie Night-January 21st

On Friday, January 21st, we're having a Family Movie Night in the Centennial Center and will be sponsored by CVCC. The movie will be ***How to Train a Dragon!*** The movie will begin at 7pm and our Chili Dog Buffet will begin at 6:30pm. Buffet will be \$8.95++ for adults, \$4.95++ for kids. We will have a concession stand for candy, popcorn, soft drinks and adult beverages! No outside food or beverages, please. We do request that you call and make reservations. 339-3234

Cooking with Chef – January 31st

This month Chef Vince Scherrey, C.C. will present Crock Pots, Casseroles and other Comfort Foods. This class will be Tuesday, January 31st, at 7pm in the Centennial Center kitchen. Of course this class will include a taste of the featured recipes and an adult beverage. The cost to attend is \$40 per person or \$60 per couple but the couple must be under the same membership. We must limit our classes to 12 participants and there is always a great deal of interest in this class, so we will fill it on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Coming in February & March...

Friday Night Fever is baaack February 3rd!!

Every Friday night CVCC will draw a member's number between 7:30 and 8:30pm; all full member's numbers will be in a hat and if you

number is drawn, you win the money in the pot. CVCC will start the pot with \$500 and will add \$50 every week that no one wins. **You must be present to win!** You don't buy a ticket or fill out anything – we will draw from the entire membership. Only full members qualify and must be present. See you on Fridays beginning February 3rd!!

Super Bowl Party – February 5th

Casino Night - Feb. 18th

Cooking with Chef – February 21st

Cooking with Chef – March 27th

To make reservations, register for a class or make an appointment, please email or call Maret.

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