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from the Rules and Regulations Committee

1. Our community is governed by our documents that state that member complaints will be investigated after written complaints are filled out. (*Rules and Regulations, Chapter 19*).

After filling out the form, take it to the office, where it will be given to the chair for the Rules Committee. The Rules Committee will then investigate the complaint.

3. Under the FORMS tab on our website you may also find the governing documents. You should have received a copy of the governing documents when you moved here. They are entitled Articles of Incorporation, Declaration of Restrictions, Bylaws and the Rules and Regulations.

by Kathy Hiller

However. A few readers took exception to some of the tongue-in-cheek statements. I agree that #9 was over the line with their wording, and I am very sorry that I failed to consider the insensitivity that was expressed. My aim was to add my own (and hopefully funny) statement about our newspaper, *News & Views* (#12).

As most know, we do not have a section for “Letters to the Editor”, but I do try to respond to anyone who has a differing opinion and have even printed several of these. The most recent one was regarding the use of wasp spray to disable someone who was threatening harm.

I really appreciate that readers take the time to present a different point of view that had not occurred to me. I do not foresee the paper having a “Letters to the Editor” column, but if anyone has a differing slant to anything we publish, feel free to express yourself at: nv@WoodburnEstatesGolf.com. Thank you.

by Rotary Club of Woodburn

The Dental Van will be returning to Woodburn to offer free dental care for approximately 20 people on Monday, April 10, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 700 N. Cascade Drive.

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NEWS AROUND THE NEIGHBORHOOD Stuff You Should Know



Clackamas Circle Potluck

What: Pizza & Beer Party!

When: Monday, March 27, 2017

Time: 6:00 p.m.

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Woodburn Estates Dance and Social Club

by Bill Coleman, Chairman

“April Love”

Spring ushers in a season of new life, new beginnings, and renewed love. Plan to gather with friends and lovers on Saturday, April 8 at Woodburn Estates Dance and Social Club's celebration of spring.

The fun starts at 7:00 p.m. at Woodburn Estates & Golf Auditorium, located at 1776 Country Club Road for “April Love” with dancing and listening to the varied sounds of “The Jefferson-Parks Band”. To reserve a table for your special group, call Marge at 503-981-1421.

Your \$8 admission gets you into the party, and enters you in the drawing for lovely door prizes. All that romance works up an appetite, so be sure to sample an assortment of snacks and desserts provided by our sponsor: Sara’s Salon & Barber. You’ll want to take advantage of the chance to win a big cash prize by participating in the evening’s 50/50 raffle. Bring a friend or lover to this crazy party! Everyone is welcome.

Next up: We launch our “Last Friday” dance with music provided by our familiar friends “Your 50’s Band” featuring Glenn Parkhurst on April 28 at 7:00 p.m. Join us as the Woodburn Estates Dance and Social Club swings you into the heart of spring!

by Sharyn Cornett

We have a travel agency here every second Thursday at Coffee Hour. They come highly recommended by Diana Hyder to help us with all our travel needs. Most people like to talk to real people and not computers so this is your chance. Their name is T/C Christensen’s Travel Concepts with Cori Duda and Sue Christensen. People are requesting night trips to plays, concerts, etc. so be looking for flyers for an evening with friends. No worries about driving at night. We were going to interview people who had taken trips and travels with them, but they have had no takers. If we do not use them we will lose them! Give them a try and make you requests known. They are very accommodating to your needs.

See Coffee Hour flyers on the bulletin boards and printed in *News & Views* listing the events for the month. If you have any suggestions let us know. The last Thursday of the month is Food Thursday and we collected 80 pounds for AWARE Food Bank in February. Good job!

April is spring cleaning time so clean out all your craft items - colored paper, stamps, ink pads, pens, and old cards. Any craft items you no longer need or want and we will donate them to Woodburn School Administration to give away according to school needs.

Get ready for April 22 Pancake Breakfast from 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. We sure would like a big turnout!

Did you know that Woodburn Pet Hospital has a container in their lobby for used eye glasses and cleaned used phones collected for the Lions club? There are several collection boxes at our clubhouse also. It is a great community service.

The Good Old Days & Prices! (1969)




Thank You

Please accept my sincere “Thank You” for the prayers, good wishes, cards, and phone calls I received while I was in the hospital and recuperating at my son’s home in West Linn. The devil didn’t want me and the Lord wouldn’t take me!

Friends are very important. I am happy to be back in my house here in Woodburn Estates. It’s a great place to live! Again, many thanks.

Ryllis E. Linday



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45 Life Lessons Written by a "90-Year-Old" Woman

by Stephanie Wong (from the internet)

People often tell Regina Brett how great she looks for her age. Turns out, she is actually in her 50s — not 90. She wrote down these life lessons the night before her 45th birthday after being diagnosed with breast cancer. Over that past decade, these lessons have gone viral on the Internet amid claims that she is 90 years old. Luckily, she finds humor in this misrepresentation, knowing how many lives she has touched.

Whatever her age might be, these universal lessons are relatable to anyone who needs a little reminder of what's important in life.

1. Life isn't fair, but it's still good.
2. When in doubt, just take the next small step.
3. Life is too short to waste time hating anyone.
4. Don't take yourself so seriously. No one else does.
5. Pay off your credit cards every month.
6. You don't have to win every argument. Agree to disagree.
7. Cry with someone. It's more healing than crying alone.
8. Save for retirement, starting with your first paycheck.
9. When it comes to chocolate, resistance is futile.
10. Make peace with your past so it won't screw up the present.
11. It's okay to let your children see you cry.
12. Don't compare your life to others'. You have no idea what their journey is all about.
13. If a relationship has to be a secret, you shouldn't be in it.
14. Life is too short for long pity parties. Get busy living, or get busy dying.
15. You can get through anything if you stay put in today.
16. A writer writes. If you want to be a writer, write.
17. It's never too late to have a happy childhood. But the second one is up to you and no one else.
18. When it comes to going after what you love in life, don't take no for an answer.
19. Burn the candles; use the nice sheets; wear the fancy lingerie. Don't save it for a special occasion. Today is special.
20. Over-prepare, then go with the flow.
21. Be eccentric now. Don't wait for old age to wear purple.
22. The most important sex organ is the brain.
23. No one is in charge of your happiness except you.
24. Frame every so-called disaster with these words: "In five years, will this matter?"
25. Forgive everyone everything.
26. What other people think of you is none of your business.
27. Time heals almost everything. Give time... time.
28. However good or bad a situation is, it will change.
29. Your job won't take care of you when you are sick. Your friends will. Stay in touch.
30. Believe in miracles.
31. Whatever doesn't kill you really does make you stronger.
32. Growing old beats the alternative — dying young.
33. Your children get only one childhood. Make it memorable.
34. Get outside every day. Miracles are waiting everywhere.
35. If we all threw our problems in a pile and saw everyone else's, we'd grab ours back.
36. Don't audit life. Show up and make the most of it now.
37. Get rid of anything that isn't useful, beautiful or joyful.
38. All that truly matters in the end is that you loved.
39. Envy is a waste of time. You already have all you need.
40. The best is yet to come.
41. No matter how you feel, get up, dress up, and show up.
42. Take a deep breath. It calms the mind.
43. If you don't ask, you don't get.
44. Yield.
45. Life isn't tied with a bow, but it's still a gift.

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Rules Committee 12/12/2016



springtime appreciation

by Evelyn White

Just think. Soon the trees will be leafing out, and all those flowering ones will be in full bloom. Won't that be wonderful? Good ol' Mother Nature will start the springtime change. I love to look out my window and see all these changes come about as the days go by. You will see crocuses blooming, daffodils emerging and the gradual change when the days will warm up and the good ol' sun will be shining brightly overhead.

Oh, and what fun it is to see all the birds; especially the robins. I even get a kick out of those pesky blue jays. It is good that we have winter and the snow and ice and all, but mainly, it makes us appreciate springtime all the more.



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Men’s Golf General Meeting Minutes

Woodburn Estates Men's Golf Membership Meeting March 1, 2017

President Paul Eaton called the Meeting to order at 10 a.m. in the Dining Hall, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Paul Eaton, Will Abshere, Allan Lindberg, Chuck Johnson, Clint Hansen, Fred Bourne, Len Westphal, Gene Stiles, and Ron Gripenstraw. Past President Russ Krussow was also in attendance. A total of 29 members attended the Meeting.

Before beginning with Officer and Committee Reports, President Eaton turned the time over to Dick Hammond. Dick will be heading up the Harvest Invitational Golf Tournament scheduled for July 28, 29, and 30 of this year. Mr. Hammond began his report by thanking and acknowledging Stan Hiller and Fred Bourne for assisting him in the organization and running of this important tournament. Dick also thanked Janice Aiken, last year’s Ladies Golf Club President, for her assistance and other Ladies Golf Club members who assisted in last year’s successful Harvest Invitational Tournament. Dick then explained that last year they were able to raise around \$1,500 in sponsor fees and that around \$1,000 in sponsor fees has already been raised for this year’s tournament. Food vendors will remain the same as last year, but instead of coffee and donuts on Saturday morning, Dick is hoping to have breakfast burritos from Daniel’s Mexican Catering of Eugene, OR. The Friday Horse Race will be held again on Friday following the practice round and a putting contest will be held again after Saturday’s play, followed by the Calcutta betting. Last year’s Calcutta betting set an all time record. Dick then encouraged that, if possible, members provide items for raffle prizes. Fred Bourne pointed out that any donated items should be in “like new” condition.

The format for the tournament will again be a Modified Stableford format. There will again be two divisions and prize money awarded in both gross and net categories. In that the Harvest Invitational Tournament dates were changed from August 25, 26, and 27, Dick stated that the Men’s Golf Club is

planning an alternate shot tournament format for Saturday, the 26th, and Sunday, the 27th. This will be a two man alternate shot tournament, shotgun start, with an entry fee of \$30 per team. Dick concluded his report by stating that he would continue to inform the members as to additional information regarding this important annual tournament.

President’s Report: President Eaton reminded that as of today we are posting all postable scores. He also thanked the many volunteers that assist in the work of the Men’s Golf Club. Paul then reiterated that any concerns or complaints from our membership should be addressed to him and he will ensure that the concerns/complaints are properly answered and resolved if possible.

Vice President’s Report: VP Will Abshere had nothing to report.

Treasurer’s Report: Treasurer Allan Lindberg reported that at the beginning of February, 2017, the balance of the Club’s funds was \$2,114.74. Deposits during the month totaled \$3,775 and expenses totaled \$68.50 (cost of updating the plaques in the Golf Lounge), leaving a current balance of \$5,801.24.

Secretary’s Report: Secretary Chuck Johnson had nothing to report.

Before beginning with Committee Reports, President Eaton asked if there were any new members of the Men’s Golf Club in attendance. A gentleman by the name of Stan Arms then introduced himself as a new member, stating that he moved into our community about a year ago. Stan further stated that in the past he had been an Associate Member. The Club then welcomed Stan to our Meeting and our Club.

Committee Reports:

OGA: President Eaton, also our OGA representative, reported that the annual Tournament of Champions held at the OGA Golf Course, is scheduled for April 1-2, 2017. There is a March 22nd deadline for entering this tournament and our Club has always paid the entry fee for our Club champion to compete. Dick Hammond is our current Club champion and recently had a hip replacement. President Eaton then made a motion that the Club pay the \$145 entry fee for Dick Hammond to play in this tournament (health permitting), the motion seconded by Len Westphal, the motion carried unanimously. President Eaton stated that the Pacific Northwest Golf Association is seeking volunteers for their sponsored tournaments. Anyone interested as a volunteer can receive the volunteer forms from President Eaton. President Eaton reminded members that OGA has special golf and stay offers from various golf courses on their Web site. Currently, Ocean Dunes is offering a stay and play package of \$87.50.

Rules: Ron Hansen was absent with notice. VP Abshere gave a Rules Report by discussing the embedded ball rule and the overall winter rules as played by our Men’s Golf Club in compliance with USGA rules. Larry Jones added that there are many new USGA rules that become effective in 2019. President Eaton discussed a recent rule change regarding accidental movement of a ball or marker on the green, stating that there is no penalty now for accidental movement of the ball or ball marker. He did note that pursuant to this rule, if the ball is moved by wind, gravity, or some other force of nature, there is no penalty, but the ball must be played from its new location.

Greens: Committee representative Fred Bourne reported that Golf Course Superintendent, Tim O’Larey, was on vacation when the Greens Committee had their last Meeting. Fred reported that the maintenance crew is focusing on cleaning up and keeping the cart paths open. He then reported that the Greens Committee is recommending that a USGA representative come to our golf course to design and make recommendations regarding our cart paths. The cost of having this done should be well worth the expense to ensure that the job is done correctly.

Mixed Tournament: Chairman Len Westphal reported that the Mixed Tournament Committee is comprised of himself, Allan and Diana Lindberg, Will Abshere, and Stan Hiller. Diana Lindberg has sent out letters to all past tournament sponsors and that McCully Realty and Woodburn Homes Realty

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Meeting Minutes (Cont)

have already committed as sponsors for 2017. Len met with the new manager of Denny’s and the new manager will contact upper management for approval to sponsor a mixed tournament in 2017. Len also stated that he is lining up a photographer to be available for the mixed tournaments. Len thanked Stan Hiller for creating posters for the mixed tournaments and thanked Steve Hobson for accepting the job of being in charge of table and chair setup for the post tournament dinners.

Handicap: Allan Lindberg reported that he had attended a Handicap Seminar wherein the new tournament handicap software was introduced. There were attendees from some 25 different golf courses. This new tournament handicap software will allow for many options regarding scoring, payouts, and live feeds during a tournament to reflect scores during the course of the tournament. Scores can be posted to a smart phone after each hole and then generated to a Webpage to show a current Leader Board. Co-Chair Clint Hansen will be installing the new software and run it in concert with our current software until familiar with the new software. Allan then reminded that today is the first day to post scores. He reiterated that scores are not to be posted if playing solo. If a golfer is aware that a duplicate score has been posted, they should contact Allan or Clint to have this error corrected.

Publicity: VP Will Abshire reported that the 9 Hole Men’s Golf Club Group recently organized has had 17 golfers sign up already with more to sign up when the “snowbirds” return. This 9 Hole Group will be playing each Tuesday, first tee time of 9:30 a.m., playing either the back or front 9 depending on the 9 holes the Ladies 9 Hole Group are playing that day. Men’s Golf Club members can play both on Tuesday in the 9 Hole Group and also on Thursday during the 18 hole play. The handicap for 9 holes will be half of the 18 hole handicap as established on the day of play.

Sunshine: Our new Chairman for Sunshine is Ron Gripenstraw. Ron reported that in February, he sent out 5 cards as follows: Dick Hammond, hip replacement...Mark Deller, medical issue...Roger Bechtold, passing of his wife...Lon Reed, medical issue...Mike Burton, medical issue.

Membership: Chairman Stan Hiller reported that all bag tags have been prepared up to the present date.

Door Prizes: Gene Stiles had nothing to report.

Unfinished Business: Nothing to report.

New Business: Nothing to report.

Closing Comments: President Eaton, Past President Russ Krussow, and Fred Bourne all reiterated that only the Men’s Golf Club President determines the format and prize money payout for our Thursday Play. Will Abshire stated that there will be a total eclipse of the sun on August 21st which also happens to be one of the days of play in the annual “Snowbird Golf Tournament”. President Eaton then reminded that on the Ladies Golf Club Play Days of Tuesday and Wednesdays, be sure to park your golf carts in a position not to impede with the parking of the Ladies carts or play.

Closing: Bob Price made a motion to adjourn the Meeting, seconded by Steve Hobson, the motion approved, and the Meeting was adjourned at 11:05 a.m.

Note: our next general membership meeting will be held in the Dining Hall at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, April 5, 2017.

Submitted by Chuck Johnson, Secretary – Minutes approved by President Paul Eaton

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Hole-in-One



Dennis Wichert

by Stan Hiller


Dennis Wichert shot a hole-in-one, on the 9th-hole, a 174 yard par 3, using a 5-wood on March 4, 2017, at Woodburn Estates & Golf. This was his 2nd hole-in-one. He is a member of the Men’s Golf Club. Congratulations, Dennis!

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by Evangeline Harris

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growing, usually perennial herbs; a few are biennials. Most species grow 25 to 50 centimeters (10 -20 inches) tall, but some are as short as 5 centimeters and others as tall as 120. Many species are cultivated for their attractive five-petal flowers, which may be red, pink, purple, blue, white or yellow. Pimpernels are also in the primrose family. The evening primroses are a group of yellow-flowered plants that range from short "sundrops" to the tall similar ones. Unlike the roadside weed, oenothera biennis, O. Lamarckiana, makes a good meadow plant. Flowers open in the afternoon and are closed by next morning.

The primrose is a very interesting plant that is edible and actually tastes like lettuce. You will find that there are a lot of other uses for the primrose that involve food and drink or bouquets and arrangements. The primrose is also known as the English primrose and is a beautiful flower. You will find that this flower really is a special one and it looks great. The floral meaning of this flower is special and basically tells people that you can't live without them, so this is a great flower to give as a gift to the one that you really love.

One thing about the primrose that makes it different from a lot of other flowers is that the primrose is edible and tastes good. There are a lot of people that will use it to cook with or to eat raw and brew tea.

Here is an optional extra (but well worth the small additional effort) and is brilliant for using up any primrose flowers you have left over, any that were crushed in the journey from hedge to home and any that were damaged in any other way. The only skill you need to make this delicious flower syrup is patience...

PRIMROSE HONEY
Ingredients: Whatever primroses you have left over - aim for half a cup. 200g caster sugar. 1 pint water. Directions: Warm the sugar and water and stir to help the sugar dissolve. Add your primrose flowers and bring gently to a boil, reduce the heat to a slow simmer and leave to reduce for three hours. The syrup will become a sticky caramel color like a darkened honey. The flower petals will form semi-solid marmalade-style pulpy 'clumps' which means, once you have drained the syrup to use as you would normally use honey, you can keep this solid matter back and use as a sweet spread for toast, cake fillings or to top ice cream.

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Happy Birthday, Mervin!



by Terry Merritt

Happy Birthday to my dad Mervin Merritt, who turned 85 on February 24th!
[We're sorry this birthday wish is belated, Mervin. We missed getting it into the last issue of News & Views. Ed.]

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What a Jewel



Gertrude Rees

by Toni Perry

gem [jem] n. precious stone, esp. when cut and polished; treasure - One of our long-time resident ladies symbolizes this characteristic. Gertrude Rees is cherished (precious), can be a little tough (stone), is pretty small in stature (cut), and definitely refined (polished). Those who know her, value her for the treasure she is.

Gertrude grew up in the Columbia River Gorge where she lived most of her life in The Dalles. She attended St. Mary's Academy, and worked at The Dalles Hotel and as a bookkeeper for The Mayflower Book Company.

A story was told of an excursion she took with her brother one winter's day over the ice from the banks of the Oregon side of the river to the Washington side only to find the day bringing a rapid thaw, blocking their return. She may not have crossed that old river since.

Gertrude's daughter and grandchildren, a pretty big flock, live in that area still. Her daughter expressed the value of family, and that Gertrude holds the most esteemed position of all.

Since celebrating her Centennial Birthday last November, she continues as always to keep busy and involved with Woodburn Estates activities, church work and socializing. She loved to garden, and still plays pinochle two times a week.

Some of us who attend activities with her can attest to keeping her sidetracked so as not to overdo beyond her limits, that not being an easy chore. But all-in-all her energy and spirit are most becoming.

We all can pretty much agree that Gertrude is a pearl of a girl, a sparkling diamond, and rock solid, but most of all she truly is a gem.

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Public Restrooms

Submitted by Shirley Bishop

My mother was a fanatic about public restrooms. When I was a little girl, she would take me into the stall, show me how to wad up toilet paper and wipe the seat. Then she’d carefully lay strips of toilet paper to cover the seat. Then she’d demonstrate “The Stance” which consisted of balancing over the toilet in a sitting position without actually letting any of your flesh make contact with the toilet seat.

That was a long time ago. Now, in my “mature” years, “The Stance” is excruciatingly difficult to maintain.

When you have to visit a public bathroom, you usually find a line of women, so you smile politely and take your place. Once it’s your turn, you check for feet under the stall doors. Every stall is occupied. Finally, a door opens and you dash in, nearly knocking down the woman leaving the stall. You get in to find the door won’t latch. It doesn’t matter.

The dispenser for the modern “seat covers” (invented by someone’s Mom, do doubt) is handy, but empty. You would hang your purse on the door hook, if there were one, but there isn’t – so you carefully but quickly drape it around your neck, (Mom would turn over in her grave if you put in on the FLOOR!), yank down your pants, and assume “The Stance”.

In this position your aging, toneless thigh muscles begin to shake. You’d love to sit down, but you certainly hadn’t taken time to wipe the seat or lay toilet paper on it, so you hold “The Stance”.

To take your mind off your trembling thighs, you reach for what you discover to be the empty toilet paper dispenser. In your mind, you can hear your mothers’ voice saying “Honey, if you had tried to clean the seat, you would have KNOWN THERE IS NO TOILET PAPER!” Your thighs shake more.

You remember the tiny tissue that you blew your nose on yesterday – the one that’s still in your purse. That would have to do. You crumple it in the puffiest way possible. It is still smaller than your thumbnail.

Someone pushes open your stall door because the latch doesn’t work. The door hits your purse, which is hanging around your neck in front of your chest, and you and your purse topple backward against the tank of the toilet. “Occupied!” you scream, as you reach for the door, dropping your precious, tiny, crumpled tissue in a puddle on the floor, lose your footing altogether, and slide down directly onto the TOILET SEAT. It is wet, of course.

You bolt up, knowing all too well that it’s too late. Your bare bottom has made contact with every imaginable germ and life form on the uncovered seat because YOU never laid down toilet paper – not that there was any, even if you had taken time to try.

You know that your mother would be utterly appalled if she knew, because, you’re certain, her bare bottom never touched a public toilet seat because, “Frankly dear, you just don’t KNOW what kind of diseases you could get.”

By this time the automatic sensor on the back of the toilet is so confused that it flushes, propelling a stream of water like a firehose that somehow sucks everything down with such force that you grab onto the toilet paper dispenser for fear of being dragged in too. At that point, you give up.

You’re soaked by the spewing water and the wet toilet seat. You’re exhausted. You try to wipe with a gum wrapper found in your pocket and then slink out inconspicuously to the sinks. You can’t figure out how to operate the faucets with the automatic sensors, so you wipe your hands with spit and dry paper towel and walk past the line of women still waiting. You are no longer able to smile politely at them.

A kind soul at the very end of the line points out a piece of toilet paper trailing from your shoe. (Where was that when you NEEDED it?). You yank the paper from your shoe, pluck it into the woman’s hand and tell her warmly, “Here, you just might need this.”

As you exit, you spot your hubby, who has long since entered, used and left the men’s restroom. Annoyed, he asks, “What took you so long, and why is your purse hanging around your neck?”

This is dedicated to women everywhere who deal with a public restroom (r e s t? You’ve got to be kidding!). It finally explains to the men what really does take us so long. It also answers their commonly asked question about why women go to the restroom in pairs. It’s so the other gal can hold the door, hang onto your purse, and hand you Kleenex under the door.

Scam Alert

From the Rules Committee

We live in a beautiful community, but sometimes we need a couple of reminders. There have been at least two mass mailed postcards sent out recently to some members of Woodburn Estates & Golf asking members to contact a company and a website and asking for information. One of the letters has been taken to the Woodburn City Post office and copies made for their investigation and the other has been notified by phone.

Remember these few tips:

- **DO NOT ANSWER** requests by mail, phone or emails from companies or people who you do not know, and if you did not request the information.
- **DO NOT ANSWER** if you do not know the phone number. The caller will leave a message if it is important and you can call back only if you believe it is legitimate.
- **DO NOT LET** strangers into your home.
- **DO NOT CALL** back a number if a caller or message says that you need to call about you credit card or bank account. Instead, call the number on your credit card or bank card directly and ask them if they have a message for you.
- **DO NOT RESPOND** to someone calling or emailing, and saying that they are your grandchild or child and they need money. (Grandparent Scam) Call your family member direct to see if any problems are true, if a troubling message is left about a loved one.
- **DO NOT CLICK** on emails that look odd, is the not the normal way your friend writes, or you feel concern about. It is better to DELETE and call your friend.
- **DO NOT CONTINUE** the conversation with a stranger on the phone if you do pick up.

The Oregon Department of Justice created a poster to remind consumers how to protect themselves from scams. Following is the text from that poster. See below this article for a cut-out version of the poster. If you’d like to print your own copy, visit the ODJ website at http://www.doj.state.or.us/consumer/pdf/just_hang_up_poster.pdf.

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Golf Tournament Schedule 2017

May 11 & 18	Men’s President’s Cup – Thursday Event
May 26, Fri.....	Men’s Horse Race
* May 29, Mon.....	Mixed Tournament (1 of 7) Memorial Day
\$ June 2, Fri.....	Rose-A-Rama Invitational Tournament - Women’s Practice Round
\$ June 3, Sat.....	Rose-A-Rama Invitational Tournament - Women’s Scoring Round
* June 10, Sat.....	Mixed Tournament (2 of 7) Spring Scramble
June 13 & 20, Tue.....	Nine Hole Women’s Handicap Championship
June 14 & 21, Wed.....	Eighteen Hole Women’s Handicap Championship
June 16, Fri.....	Women’s Horse Race
\$ June 19, Mon.....	Willamette Valley Ladies Tournament
June 22, 23, 24	Men’s Club Championship (3-day)
* July 4, Tue.....	Mixed Tournament (3 of 7) Independence Day
July 6, 7, 8, 10&11	Men’s Match Play championship (Wed. 12 th , if needed)
* July 15, Sat.....	Mixed Tournament (4 of 7) Summer Scramble
July 21, Fri	Mixed Horse Race
July 22 &23 (S-S)	Family Golf Fun Day No green fees to Members & Associates & family Tee times required starting at 7:00 am (golf car rental not included)
+ July 24, Mon	Erling Jacobsen – Junior Tournament (both clubs host the boys & girls)
\$ July 28, Fri	Harvest Invitational – Practice Round
\$ July 29, Sat.....	Harvest Invitational – Scoring Round & Calcutta at the Auditorium
\$ July 30, Sun.....	Harvest Invitational – Scoring Round & Picnic at the Auditorium
July 31, Mon	Mixed Tournament (5 of 7) – 80 & Over
+ August 1, Tue.....	Rally for the Cure – 9-Hole Women
+ August 2, Wed	Rally for the Cure – 18-Hole Women
+ August 4, Fri	Rally for the Cure – mixed 2-person scramble
* August 5, Sat.....	Mixed Tournament (6 of 7) Fall Scramble
August 15 & 22 Tue.....	Women’s Club 9-Hole Club Championship (2-day)
August 16 & 23 Wed	Women’s Club 18-Hole Club Championship (2-day)
\$ August 12, Sat.....	End of Watch – Correctional Peace Officer Fundraiser
+ August 19, Sat.....	Snowbird Tournament Practice Round
\$ August 20&21	Snowbird Tournament (Sunday in Auditorium & Monday at Gazebo)
Aug. 26 & 27 (Sa & Su).....	Men’s Club Alternate Shot (2-days)
Aug. 31, Thu (3day).....	9 & 18-Hole Men’s Handicap Championship (T-F-S)
* September 4, Mon.....	Mixed Tournament (7 of 7) Labor Day
September 5, Tue	Turkey Shoot - Nine Hole Women
September 6, Wed.....	Turkey Shoot - Eighteen Hole Women
September 7, Thu	Turkey Shoot - Nine and Eighteen Hole Men
\$ Sept, 15, Fri.....	Women 9-Hole Scramble Tournament

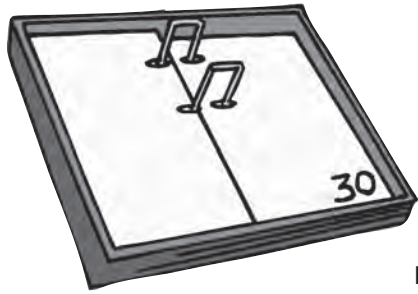
Board of Directors approval date – September 27, 2016
All **mixed tournaments** to have Auditorium and Dining Hall reserved for golf banquet from 1–5 p.m.

Note: Subject to change with notice.
Event changes as of 1-24-17 by Board of Directors.

- * Auditorium and Dining Hall to be priority reserved for golf banquet
- + These are promotions, or charity events, or junior events exempt from green fees for guests.
- \$ These are events that require a due and or fee.

Please note new changes on page 6 in your phone book or download from our website.





Activities Calendar

* Any change of date, time, activity, or place MUST be made with the office 503-982-1776.

Saturday, March 25	Sunday, March 26	Monday, March 27	Tuesday, March 28
8:30a Ping Pong – DH 10:00a Saturday Crafts – Craft Room 3:00p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool 4:00p Private Party – Aud/DH/Kit 5:00p Hand & Foot Cards – Card Room		8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Estates Quilters – Craft Room 8:45a Walking Club – Aud 9:00a Ladies Pool – Pool Room 9:30a Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room 9:30a Yoga – Aud 10:10a EZ Bridge Club – Blue Room 10:15a Zumba Class w/Video – Aud 12:30p Swiss Pairs Bridge – Blue Room 6:00p Clackamas Circle Potluck – DH/Kit/DH Foyer 6:30p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool	8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Ping Pong – DH 9:30a Tai Chi – Aud 10:00a Bicycle Club – by Mailbox 10:00a Needle Work – Card Room 10:00a Uke-de-do's Beginners – Craft Room 12:30p Uke-de-do's Intermediate & Advanced – Craft Room 1:00p Tuesday Aftn Bridge – Blue Room 1:30p Board Meeting – DH 3:30p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool 5:30p Poker Night – Card Room 6:00p Line Dancing Beginners – Aud 7:00p Line Dancing Intermediate – Aud

Wednesday, March 29	Thursday, March 30	Friday, March 31	Saturday, April 1
8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Ping Pong – DH 8:45a Walking Club – Aud 9:00a Woodburn Estates Carving – Craft Room 9:30a Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room 9:30a Blackjack – Card Room 9:30a Yoga – Aud 10:15a Zumba Class w/Video – Aud 10:30a Metaphysical Book Exchange and Talks – Blue Room 11:30a Chamber of Commerce Forum - Lunch – Country Cottage 12:00p 5 Handed Double Deck Pinochle – Blue Room 12:00p Ladies Pool – Pool Room 1:00p Painting Class – Craft Room 1:00p Library Mtg – Travel Office 2:00p Wii Bowling – DH 6:00p Pinochle Cards – Blue Room 7:00p Bingo – DH	8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Estates Quilters – Craft Room 9:30a Easy Bridge – Blue Room 9:30a Coffee Hour – Aud/DH/Kit 10:00a Bicycle Club – by Mailbox 11:30a Bible Study – Travel Office 12:30p Chicago Bridge – Card Room 4:30p Rules & Regs Comm – Conf Room 5:00p Poker Night – Card Room 6:00p Pinochle Cards – Blue Room 6:00p Advanced Line Dance (Everybody Welcome) – Aud 6:30p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool	8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Ping Pong – DH 8:45a Walking Club – Aud 9:30a Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room 9:30a Estates Bible Study – Craft Room 9:30a Yoga – Aud 10:00a Vision Loss Resources – Conf Rm 10:15a Zumba Class w/Video – Aud 11:00a Tai Chi – Aud 1:00p Bunco – Craft Room 1:00p Friday Party Bridge – Blue Room	8:30a Ping Pong – DH 10:00a Saturday Crafts – Craft Room 3:00p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool 5:00p Hand & Foot Cards – Card Room
			Sunday, April 2

Monday, April 3	Tuesday, April 4	Wednesday, April 5	Thursday, April 6
8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Estates Quilters – Craft Room 8:45a Walking Club – Aud 9:00a Ladies Pool – Pool Room 9:30a Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room 9:30a Yoga – Aud 9:30a St. Monica's Circle – DH/Kit 10:10a Easy Bridge – Blue Room 10:15a Zumba Class w/Video – Aud 12:00p 3 Table Dup Bridge – Blue Room 1:00p Music Makers – Aud 6:30p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool 7:00p Golden Squares (Square & Round Dancing) – Aud/DH/Kit	8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Ping Pong – DH 9:30a Tai Chi – Aud 10:00a Bicycle Club – by Mailbox 10:00a Needle Work – Card Room 10:00a Uke-de-do's Beginners – Craft Room 12:30p Uke-de-do's Intermediate & Advanced – Craft Room 12:30p Woodburn Garden Club – DH/Kit 1:00p Tuesday Aftn Bridge – Blue Room 3:30p House Committee – Conf Room 3:30p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool 5:30p Poker Night – Card Room 6:00p Card Making – Craft Room 6:00p Beginning Line Dancing – Aud 7:00p Line Dancing Intermediate – Aud	8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Ping Pong – DH 8:45a Walking Club – Aud 9:00a Woodburn Estates Carving – Craft Room 9:30a Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room 9:30a Blackjack – Card Room 9:30a Yoga – Aud 10:00a Men's Golf Club Monthly Meeting – DH 10:15a Zumba Club w/Video – Aud 12:00p 5 Handed Double Deck Pinochle – Blue Room 12:00p Ladies Pool – Pool Room 1:00p Library Mtg – Travel Office 1:00p Painting – Craft Room 1:00p Writing Group – Conf Room 2:00p Wii Bowling – DH 6:00p Pinochle Cards – Blue Room 7:00p Bingo – DH	All Day <i>News & Views</i> Copy Deadline 8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Estates Quilters – Craft Room 9:30a Coffee Hour – Aud/DH/Kit 9:30a Easy Bridge – Blue Room 10:00a Bicycle Club – by Mailbox 11:15a Activities Meeting – Conf Room 11:30a Bible Study – Travel Office 12:30p 1st Thur Bridge – Blue Room 4:30p Rules & Regs – Conf Room 5:00p Poker Night – Card Room 6:00p Pinochle Cards – Blue Room 6:00p Advanced Line Dance (Everybody Welcome) – Aud 6:30p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool

Friday, April 7		Saturday, April 8		Monday, April 10		Tuesday, April 11	
8:00a	Water Exercise – Swimming Pool	8:30a	Ping Pong – DH	8:00a	Water Exercise – Swimming Pool	8:00a	Water Exercise – Swimming Pool
8:30a	Ping Pong – DH	10:00a	Saturday Crafts – Craft Room	8:30a	Estates Quilters – Craft Room	8:30a	Ping Pong – DH
8:45a	Walking Club – Aud	3:00p	Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool	8:45a	Walking Club – Aud	9:30a	Tai Chi – Aud
9:30a	Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room	5:00p	Hand & Foot Cards – Blue Room	9:00a	Ladies Pool – Pool Room	10:00a	Bicycle Club – by Mailbox
9:30a	Estates Bible Study – Craft Room	7:00p	Estates Dance and Social Club – Aud/DH/Kit	9:00a	Marketing Mtg – N&V	10:00a	Needle Work – Card Room
9:30a	Yoga – Aud			9:30a	Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room	10:00a	Uke-de-do's Beginners – Craft Room
10:00a	A Vision Loss Resources – Conf Room			9:30a	Yoga – Aud	12:30p	Uke-de-do's Intermediate & Advanced – Craft Room
10:15a	Zumba Class w/Video – Aud			10:10a	Easy Bridge – Blue Room	1:00p	Tuesday Aftn Bridge – Blue Room
11:00a	Tai Chi – Aud			10:15a	Zumba Class w/Video – Aud	3:30p	Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool
1:00p	Bunco – Craft Room			11:00a	Greens Committee – Conf Room	5:30p	Poker Night – Card Room
1:00p	Friday Party Bridge – Blue Room			12:30p	Swiss Pairs Bridge – Blue Room	6:00p	Beginning Line Dancing – Aud
				1:00p	Tech Committee – Conf Room	7:00p	Line Dancing Intermediate – Aud
				6:30p	Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool		

Wednesday, April 12	Thursday, April 13	Friday, April 14
8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Ping Pong – DH 8:45a Walking Club – Aud 9:00a Woodburn Estates Carving – Craft Room 9:30a Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room 9:30a Blackjack – Card Room 9:30a Yoga – Aud 10:00a Crafts for Fun – Blue Room 10:15a Zumba Club w/Video – Aud 12:00p 5 Handed Double Deck Pinochle – Blue Room 12:00p Ladies Pool – Pool Room 1:00p Library Mtg – Travel Office 1:00p Painting – Craft Room 1:00p Car Show Mtg - Conf Room 2:00p Wii Bowling – DH 6:00p Pinochle Cards – Blue Room 7:00p Bingo – DH	8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Estates Quilters – Craft Room 9:30a Coffee Hour – Aud/DH/Kit 9:30a Easy Bridge – Blue Room 10:00a Bicycle Club – by Mailbox 11:30a Bible Study – Travel Office 12:30p Chicago Bridge – Card Room 2:30p Genealogy – Conf Room 4:30p Rules & Regs – Conf Room 5:00p Poker Night – Card Room 6:00p Pinochle Cards – Blue Room 6:00p Advanced Line Dance (Everybody Welcome) – Aud 6:30p Water Volleyball – Swimming Pool	All Day <i>News & Views</i> Publication 8:00a Water Exercise – Swimming Pool 8:30a Ping Pong – DH 8:45a Walking Club – Aud 9:30a Talking Club Mtg – Blue Room 9:30a Estates Bible Study – Craft Room 9:30a Yoga – Aud 10:15a Zumba Class w/Video – Aud 11:00a Tai Chi – Aud 1:00p Bunco – Craft Room 1:00p Friday Party Bridge – Blue Room

The Irony of Life

by Phyllis E. Bridge

One summer I sat at home
Tethered to our own acreage
By garden, children, cows and pigs
And at eventime I'd watch
The dozens of car lights go by
And oft I envied them
They had places to go, something to do!

Another summer I was mobile
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