The Michigan Women’s Golf Association is pleased to announce in 2010 we will again sponsor the LPGA/USGA Girls Golf Program. This year’s program will be held at the First Tee practice facility on Belle Isle beginning Monday, June 28. The objective of this program is to bring golf to girls who reside in an urban area and have limited access to learning golf.

We will provide two (2) sessions; each will run for two (2) weeks, Monday through Thursday from 6 – 7:30 PM. The first session begins June 28 and the second session begins July 12. Girls will be provided 12 hours of lessons taught by a LPGA professional, golf clubs and balls and snacks. Girls aged 11 to 17 are invited to participate. A fee of $20 is requested (scholarships are available). This program is limited to a total 36 participants (18 per session). Feel free to share this with girls who may want to learn the game.

Contact Francine Pegues, MWGA Director, Girls Golf Program, 313-469-7906 or Pegues@mwgolf.org for additional information on the program and to volunteer.

Also, one of the students in the program could be your partner in the July 20th Dearborn Hills GC 9-Hole Member/Junior 2-Woman Scramble. At $27.50/twosome for golf, cart and lunch (+$5/team/closest-to-flagstick), it will certainly be something we can all do.

March/April 2010
Preparing for the Season

By Barbara Porter

When this issue arrives, most of our members will have played a round of golf in Michigan. Some of our March temperatures soared above those of Florida, giving our local courses the opportunity to hang the “open for business” sign a bit earlier than most years. If you haven’t played, at least you’re analyzing your equipment, cleaning your clubs, or making a trip to the driving range any time before entering a MWGA event – add another ritual to your golf routine before entering a MWGA event – familiarize yourself with all MWGA procedures as it is the player’s responsibility to be informed. So, snuggle up with your computer, go to our website www.mwgflo.org and click on Newsletter/News/Policies/By-Laws. There you will find the latest Tournament as well as Administrative policies, etc. These include:

- Tournament & Event Guidelines
- Pace of Play Policy (incl. Pace of Play Definitions & USGA Rules Governing Slow Play)
- Rules and Conditions of Competition
- Scrambles Rules & Procedures
- Inclement Weather Policy
- POY & GOY Guidelines
- Code of Conduct Policy (New for 2010)
- Constitution & By-Laws

Wow...that’s a lot to read and remember! You may ask why you need to know all this stuff. My answer is (1) MWGA does not want any player to have any surprises during a competition; (2) A well-informed player has the upper hand on the golf course and, consequently, is a welcomed addition to any foursome in any event. Knowing the policies makes the round more enjoyable and fun for all, and isn’t that the reason we beat the little round ball? To have some fun, camaraderie, elevate our game and, perhaps, win sometimes? Rest assured, accomplishing the above while being considerate of others should be of primary importance to any MWGA member. That’s why the MWGA has policies.

Speaking of policies, please read the new Code of Conduct Policy and proposed By-Law amendments on page 6 of this NEWSLINX as well as on our website. Even though most of our members recognize and understand this policy from the USGA and GAM, your Board determined such a policy and amendments are warranted additions for our organization.

I am really looking forward to seeing all of you at the Annual Meeting/Spring Scramble at Dunham Hills on May 8. For those who have not signed up, please do so ASAP! At this event we honor our best of the best, and it is really important that we have a great turn out to support the efforts of these players! Like I said, camaraderie.

Thanks to all of you for your continued support of the MWGA!

League for Beginning Golfers

By Linda Neff

Ladies and juniors, learn how to play golf the correct way. The MWGA BEGINNERS LEAGUE 2010 will be held at the Fox Hills Strategic Fox par 3 course. Instruction on the fundamentals of the game of golf will provided for new or returning players as well as actual play on a par 3 golf course especially designed for beginners. It’s good also for those getting back into the game who might be timid about jumping right in on a regulation length course.

When: Wednesdays beginning April 28, 5:30 – 7pm (classes end July 21 assuming no class week of May 26)
Where: Fox Hills Strategic Fox GC, 8768 N. Territorial, Plymouth, MI 48170 — 734-453-7272
Cost: $280/12 weeks

- Weeks 1-3 – 1 hr. group instruction (5:30-6:30)
- Weeks 4-6 – On-course play w/instruction (5:30-7)
- Weeks 7-12 – On-course play in league format (5:30 warm-up and 6pm league)

As added value, Fox Hills will offer all MWGA Beginner League members:
- 15% discount in the pro shop during first three weeks
- Free 15 min. Learning Center “Tune-up” coupon
- Free club fitting analysis coupon
- 20% private lesson continuation discount with Jordan Young, Fox Hills Director of Instruction & PGA Professional

Contact me at my new phone number: 810-985-3593 with questions or to register. Make check or money order payable to MWGA and mail to me at my new address: 1209 13th St, Port Huron, MI 48060.
Golf season has finally arrived, but remember, if you are playing golf, you should be posting scores! All MWGA members are automatically members of GAM and scores should be posted by going to the GAM website at www.gam.org, logging in using your GAM username and password, and then selecting the “View Handicap/Post Score” link. If you cannot remember or do not know your GAM username and password, or have any other questions or problems with posting scores, please email me at handicap@mwgolf.org.

Scores should be posted before the end of each revision period for rounds played in Michigan from March 29 through November 7 (see GAM 2010 Handicap Revision Schedule for dates) and from other regions, during their active golf season. If you cannot post online, please email your scores to handicap@mwgolf.org and include the date you played with the course name, the tees and holes you played, your actual and adjusted scores, who played with you, and indicate if the score is a tournament score.

To understand how and which scores to post and how to adjust scores before posting, as required by the USGA, please read and follow the information that you received in the Handicap and Indexes booklet found in your membership package. You can also find this information by visiting the MWGA website at www.mwgolf.org, then select the “Posting Scores” link. A link to the USGA Handicap System manual can also be found there.

More and more members are going green reading the NewsLinx online!

If you are willing to stop receiving your newsletter by mail and instead read the NewsLinx online, PLEASE send an email to mwga@mwgolf.org. We will notify you via email when the newsletter is posted on our website so you may read the current issue and/or download and print yourself if desired. To date, 216 members (Wow, still increasing!) have chosen to help save costs and trees. It is heartening to see this number continue to grow each time we print it. Thank you!
Ladies, don’t forget that our bodies change from year to year and after a long winter, we all need to re- minded of good mechanics. To be able to see your swing compared to a pro is a great step in making adjustments.

**Date:** Saturday, May 1  
**Location:** Fox Hills Strategic GC, Plymouth 48170 — 734-453-7272  
**Time:** 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
**Cost:** $100  
**Number of Students:** Maximum of 40. The student to teacher ratio will be 8:1 with an additional staff member handling video analysis.

The clinic includes:  
- 4 hours of instruction
- Video analysis with online access to view your swing
- One round of golf, including cart on Fox Hill's Strategic Fox course, one of the nation’s premier par 3 courses
- Golden Fox round of golf with cart for an up-charge of $25 per person to be used any day/time based on available tee times*  
- Gift package that will include tees, ball marker, ball mark fixer and two-ball pack of balls along with a clothing and shoe discount the day of the clinic to MWGA members  
*The certificates for golf are valid for the 2010 golf season.

Instruction will include four stations that each student attends:
- Station 1 Putting Techniques
- Station 2 Chipping and Pitching
- Station 3 Bunker Play
- Station 4 On-Course Situations with video analysis  
Instructors will include Jordan Young, Fox Hills Director of Instruction; other to be determined.

If you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call at 810-985-3593. You can register online at [www.mwgolf.org](http://www.mwgolf.org) and pay via PayPal or credit card, or make your check payable to MWGA and mail to the Event Office, 4158 Charing Cross Rd, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304-3104 after online registration. Hope to see you at the clinic!

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**Still Time to Sign Up — May 1st MWGA Golf Skills Clinic**

*By Linda Neff*

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**What You Need to Know to Help Wie, Reader’s Question and “What’s the Score?”**

To deal with Michelle Wie’s recent ruling, a rules official must know Rule 13-4. Ball in Hazard: Prohibited Actions. Wie’s ball was in a water hazard and she had one foot in the water and the other on a slippery slope. She swung and the ball came out of the water but remained on the slope in the hazard. As she stepped out of the water, she put her club head down. She claimed that she put the club head down to steady herself from falling. The official disagreed and charged her 2 penalty strokes. 13-4 a. states that a player may not test the condition of the hazard and b. cannot touch the ground in the hazard with his hand or a club. Exceptions to the rule are: 1. Provided nothing is done that constitutes testing the condition of the hazard or improves the lie of the ball, there is no penalty if the player (a) touches the ground or loose impediments in a hazard as a result of or to prevent falling.……. How would you rule?

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**Rules R Us By Sara Wold**

In the Michigan Links, Jeanne Myers addresses Rule 14-2b, which says a player may not allow his caddie, partner, or partner’s caddie to stand on an extension of the line of play or line of putt behind the ball. The penalty is loss of hole or 2 strokes. A member asked what if an opponent or fellow competitor or their caddies stood on the line of putt.” Therefore, there is no penalty but it is a matter of etiquette.

**What’s the Score?**

1. In stroke play, Ann’s 2nd shot landed in a bunker. During the backswing of her 3rd shot, the club struck an apple that was lying directly behind her ball and the ball landed on the green. She holed out with her 2nd putt. What was her score for the hole?

2. In stroke play, Mary’s 2nd shot came to rest just short of the putting green. A sprinkler head (located on the fringe) was situated directly between her ball and the hole – on her line of play. Hoping to use her putter, Mary lifted her ball, dropped it at the nearest point where there was no inter- vention from the sprinkler head, and holed the putt. No local rules were in effect. What is her score for the hole?

3. In stroke play, after her 3rd stroke, Jane marked and lifted her ball from the putting green, cleaned it, and replaced it at its original location. Prior to removing her ball marker, but well after the ball was placed at rest, a gust of wind picked up and moved her ball one foot farther from the hole. Jane retrieved her ball and replaced it at its original location. She then proceeded to hole the putt. What was her score for the hole?

Answers are on page 19.

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**Golfer:** “Please stop checking your watch all the time. It’s too much of a distraction.”   **Caddie:** “It’s not a watch - it’s a compass.”

**Golfer:** “This is the worst course I’ve ever played on.”   **Caddie:** “This isn’t the golf course. We left that an hour ago.”
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Please extend a warm welcome to these women who have joined MWGA since the first of January:

**MWGA Trip to Ireland for Golf, Sightseeing and the Solheim Cup**

**September 18 – 27, 2011**

**By Denise Buechel**

Please join us for Eight Nights, Four Star Accommodation Sharing with Full Irish Breakfast, Three Rounds of Links Golf at Dooks, Portmarnock and Waterville Golf Links, Luxury Chauffeur Driven Coach throughout the Trip (Price Includes all Drivers Expenses – Gratuities Not Included), Season Ticket to Solheim Cup, (Ping Pavilion upgrade available if desired), Irish Golf Gift for Each Golfer, Evening Meals Included on Opening and Final Nights (drinks not included), Private Irish Music Performance on Final Night, Info Pack including Itineraries, Brochures, Scorecards, Restaurant & Sightseeing Recommendations, Meet and Greet by Sullivan Golf and Travel Representatives upon Arrival, On Call & On Site Sullivan Golf and Travel Reps throughout the Itinerary. Land price is between $1,920 and $2,420 depending on the number of rounds of golf played. We’ll have group priced air fare later in the year.

The trip is through Sullivan Golf and Travel – an established travel agency in Ireland – which has the seal of approval from our own Sara Wold. For further information or to reserve your spot, contact me at 248-342-8227 or DLBuechel@Comcast.net.

**Membership Snippets**

By Shirley McClain

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**Members & Friends**

**Hole-in-One**

Congratulations to Denise Buechel on her first ace! She scored a hole in one on The Heritage, a par three course in North Ft Myers, FL on Saturday, March 27. It was on hole #5, 79 yards and she hit an 8 iron. Denise was playing in a scramble and it was the closest to the flagstick game hole. She won that prize and her team won first place as well. Needless to say, Denise was very excited.

**Players of the Decade**

The GAM recently named four Players of the Decade in the men’s, women’s, men’s senior, and women’s senior categories. The awards were based on GAM Honor Roll points, competitions, and longevity and consistency on the links. Michigan State University women’s golf coach Stacy Slobodnik-Stoll (Haslett) was named the GAM Women’s Player of the Decade, while Russ Cunningham (DeWitt) was the winner in the men’s category. In the senior divisions, Greg Reynolds (Grand Blanc) and Joan Garety (Ada) were bestowed with the award. Congratulations to all!

Glad to hear Martha MacIntosh is swinging a club again after successful shoulder surgery and therapy.
To: Members of the MWGA  April 12, 2010

We hope you are planning to attend the Annual Meeting, which will be held on Saturday, May 8, at 11:30 am at Dunham Hills Golf Course in Hartland. The following proposed amendments to Article IV: Responsibility and Discipline of the MWGA By-Laws will be presented for your consideration. The Board of Directors recommends adoption.

The amendments to be voted on (wording in red to be deleted; new wording to be added is blue) are being suggested as it is important that members of the Association, when participating in golf-related events, conduct themselves in a manner that will maintain and strengthen the reputation of the MWGA as a respected “Driving Force in Women’s Golf.”

By-Laws may be amended at the Annual Meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the members present. Do plan to attend so your vote counts.

Respectfully submitted, Debra Horning, Secretary

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Excerpt from
MICHIGAN WOMEN’S GOLF ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS
Indicating proposed amendments to be voted on May 8, 2010

ARTICLE IV: RESPONSIBILITY AND DISCIPLINE

Section 1: The Members of the Association shall abide by the Constitution, and By-Laws and other rules, policies, codes, procedures and guidelines of the Association. Members shall conduct themselves at all times in an appropriate manner that reflects positively on the MWGA. They shall accept and enforce the decisions of the Board of Directors.

Section 2: Complaints against a member must be presented to the Board of Directors. After hearing the complainant and the defendant, the decision of the Board shall be final. The Board of Directors has the power to take disciplinary action against a member. Such action may include ineligibility for events or expulsion from membership in the Association.

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NEW
MWGA Code of Conduct for Tournaments & Events

The game relies on the integrity of the individual to abide by the Rules and to show consideration for tournament staff and officials, players, the golf course, clubhouse and host facility staff. All players shall conduct themselves in a disciplined manner, demonstrating courtesy and sportsmanship at all times. Refer to USGA Golf Etiquette 101 Guidelines. In the case of a serious breach of etiquette, MWGA may take appropriate disciplinary action against the offending player or, for a serious breach of conduct, may disqualify a player under Rule 33-7.

At other golf-related or MWGA-sponsored events, MWGA members shall conduct themselves in an appropriate manner that reflects positively on the Association.

The MWGA has adopted the above Code of Conduct. To be more specific, a serious breach in etiquette or conduct may include, but is not limited to:

1. Cheating
2. Willful destruction of golf course property
3. Abusive language or conduct
4. Club throwing and/or physical endangerment of others
5. Offensive or excessively loud behavior
6. Alcohol and/or substance impaired behavior
7. Repeated withdrawals from events
8. No signed scorecard submitted at the conclusion of play
9. Noncompliance of handicap and score posting requirements
10. Noncompliance of dress code
11. Other conduct deemed unbecoming

The MWGA requests all tournament related issues during MWGA events, including any involving the host facility and staff, be directed to the MWGA Tournament Director or a Board member and not to host facility staff.

Following the MWGA Code of Conduct will help ensure an enjoyable experience for all players and the host facility staff at MWGA tournaments as well as at other events in which MWGA members participate.

New 03/25/2010
MWGA Tournament and Event Guidelines

1) **Eligibility.** Tournaments are open to all female amateur golfers; mixed events are also open to amateur male golfers. Professional golfers may participate in designated Pro-Am events.

2) **Fees.**
   A) The entry fee for each tournament will be the greens fees plus $21 for four-person tournaments and for 2-person, 1-day mixed events and $18 for two-person and individual tournaments. $15 and $12, respectively, of the additional amounts will be paid back in prizes. If food, goodie bags or other extras are going to be included at a tournament, the price of those items will be added to the entry fee, as well as projected expenses (postage, printing, etc.). However, every effort will be made to keep these extra costs to a minimum.
   B) The entry fee for non-members will be $20 more than the entry fee for members, unless designated otherwise; i.e., male partners in mixed tournaments playing with members will pay the member fee.
   C) No fee refund will be given after the entry deadline date.

3) **Flights.** The number of flights will be determined by the number of tournament entries. There must be a minimum of nine teams per flight in team events before additional flights will be added.

4) **Prizes.**
   A) All prize money collected will be returned to players in prizes.
   B) A minimum of one fourth of the field will receive prizes.
   C) There will be an equal number of gross and net prizes by flight in all MWGA tournaments.
   D) In order to be eligible for net prizes, a player must have a current, official USGA handicap index.
   E) Each flight will get back a percentage of the prize money based on the percentage of entries.
   F) The number of entries will determine the number of places and amounts paid in each flight. Every effort will be made to keep place payouts consistent from one tournament to another.

5) **Contests.** Players will pay an additional fee for contests if they want to enter them. These contests must be paid at time of tournament entry. All money paid will be returned to the winners. The game structure will be as follows:
   A) $5 will be designated for:
      i) Three Closest to the Flagsticks ($3) in two flights based on individual index
      ii) Chip-ins ($2), not flighted
   B) $5 will be designated for Gross Skins by tournament flight. In tournaments with only one flight, two flights will be created by team handicap for Skins.
   C) These contests will be available at all tournaments and will be run by the tournament committee.
   NOTE: Player’s ball must be lying one and on the green to claim Closest to the Flagstick.

6) **Individual tournaments.**
   A) Flighting and Handicap. For flight position and handicap, a player’s tournament handicap will be equal to 100% of the player’s course handicap.

7) **Two-person team tournaments.**
   A) Flighting and Handicap.
      i) For flight position and handicap, a two-person scramble team’s handicap will be calculated by taking 50% of the lowest course handicap and 25% of the highest course handicap.
      ii) For flight position, a two-person best ball team’s handicap will be calculated by taking 50% of the lowest course handicap and 25% of the highest course handicap. A two-person best ball team’s handicap will be equal to 100% of each player’s course handicap, with no restrictions on team handicap differential.
   B) A two-person scramble team will be required to use each player’s drive 6 times.

8) **Four-person team tournaments.**
   A) Flighting and Handicap.
      i) For flight position, a best 2 of 4 team’s handicap will be calculated by taking 20% of the lowest course handicap on the team, 15% of the next lowest course handicap, 10% of the next lowest course handicap and 5% of the highest course handicap. Each player will receive 100% of her handicap, with no restrictions, when determining hole-by-hole net scores.
      ii) For flight position and handicap, a four-person scramble team’s handicap will be calculated on the following point system:

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B) A four-person scramble team will be required to use each player’s drive 3 times.

Rev.03/14/2010
MWGA Pace of Play Policy
Policy, Procedure, Penalties, Appeals

The MWGA Pace of Play (POP) Policy has been adopted in accordance with the GAM and the USGA, placing the responsibility for maintaining Pace of Play with the players. Players are expected to play efficient golf and to keep up with the group in front of them. The GAM POP policy and the USGA POP recommendations have been incorporated into this policy and modified to address MWGA starting formats (tee times, crossovers and shotguns) and limited resources (lack of marshals, officials and atomic clocks).

I. Policy
A. Groups should play and complete their rounds within 4 hours and 50 minutes:
   1. 15 minutes per hole, 10 minutes at the turn and 10 minutes after the last hole to arrive at the scoring table
   2. 2 hours, 25 minutes for nine holes, including all breaks
   3. 4 hours, 50 minutes for eighteen holes, including the time required to get scorecards stamped at the scoring table at the conclusion of play
B. The **teams/players in the lead group** are in breach of the MWGA POP policy if their scorecards are not time stamped at the scoring table by the expected time (4 hours, 50 minutes after their actual starting time).
C. All **teams/players following the lead group** are in breach of the MWGA POP if their scorecards are not time stamped at the scoring table by the expected time (4 hours, 50 minutes after their actual starting time) or if over that time:
   1. Within 15 minutes of the group in front of them for tee time and crossover starts
   2. For “A” groups within 10 minutes of the group in front of them for shotgun starts
   3. For “B” groups within 15 minutes of the group in front of them

II. Procedure (Refer to Pace of Play Definitions and USGA Rules Covering Slow Play)
A. Mark actual starting time on the official scorecard. Time starts when the first player in the group takes the tee.
   1. For **tee time and crossover starts**, the starter, an official or a member in each group will punch or mark the actual start time of the group on the official scorecard.
   2. For **shotgun starts**, a member of each group will punch or mark the actual start time of the group on the official scorecard.
B. If there are any unusual delays before the start of play or during the round, players should briefly note on the back of the scorecard. Players may be asked to explain in more detail following tournament play.
C. **THERE MAY BE NO WARNINGS** regarding slow play or being out of position. Pace of Play is the responsibility of the players.
D. A player concerned about the slow play of others in the group should speak with the player(s) and encourage them to play more efficiently. If the slow play continues, the player may ask a rules official, if present, to monitor the group. If no rules officials are present, the players in the group should document the incident(s) and inform the Rules Committee of the situation at the conclusion of play. During the round, a player may also request that a marshal or pro-shop staff member report the situation to the MWGA Rules Committee.
E. The official scorecard must be taken to the scoring table immediately after play.
   1. The official scorecard must be time stamped at the scoring table
   2. Scores should be verified and totaled by the players
   3. Scorecards must be signed and left at the scoring table

III. Penalties
A. When a group fails to comply with the MWGA Pace of Play Policy, the teams/players in the offending group will be subject to a penalty assessment of two (2) strokes.
B. An additional 2-stroke penalty may be assessed for each additional 15 minutes the teams/players in the offending group take to have their scorecard time stamped at the scoring table behind the group in front of them.
C. Once the Rules Committee has confirmed the penalty assessment, the scorecard will be returned to each team or player being assessed the penalty so they may initial the card in acknowledgment of the assessment before the card is returned to the scoring table for posting.

IV. Appeals
A. There are only three (3) situations that are grounds for appeal:
   1. The group was delayed by the Committee
   2. The group was delayed by circumstances beyond their control
   3. The player or players were delayed by another player in the group, not on the player’s team
B. Teams/Players that are subject to Pace of Play penalty assessments and appeal the ruling to the Rules Committee must do so at the time the players are informed of the assessment and before any player initials and returns the scorecard. The decision of the Rules Committee will be final.

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MWGA Inclement Weather Policy
Addendum to the Rules and Conditions of Competition for MWGA Tournaments

Prior to play beginning on the day of the event and at the course, the MWGA may make a determination to suspend or cancel play under, but not limited to, any of the following circumstances:

1. The golf course is deemed unplayable
2. Lightning is present
3. A ‘dangerous situation’ develops as defined by a majority vote of the MWGA Rules Officials, the MWGA Tournament Chair and any attending MWGA Board members along with the golf course management (the Committee)
4. If the temperature or wind chill is 40 degrees or less with no forecast of better conditions

During competition, the host course or the MWGA will provide an “alarm” (or another means) to notify players of suspension of play due to, but not limited to, any of the following circumstances:

1. Golf course becomes unplayable
2. Lightning is present
3. A ‘dangerous situation’ develops
4. The temperature or wind chill drops to 40 degrees or less

When play is suspended, if the players are between the play of two holes, they shall not resume play until the Committee has ordered a resumption of play. If they are in the process of playing a hole, they shall discontinue play immediately, mark their ball position and return to the clubhouse (or other noted area) and shall not thereafter resume play until the Committee has ordered resumption of play. **Penalty for breach of this local rule is disqualification. When play is resumed, the ball must be placed in all instances.**

During suspension of play, the Tournament Chair will inform players of the approximate time involved in any delay and keep players updated on the circumstances causing the delay, or if the Committee has made a determination to cancel play.

**After a delay in play, if play is deemed to be continued, the Tournament Chair shall give players a minimum of 15 minutes advance notice for proper warm up, after which a signal or designated time will be given for resumption of play.**

Please note: The MWGA will try to procure rain checks from the course when the MWGA cancels play. However, the final decision lies with the course management.

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MWGA Scramble Rules and Procedures

The current USGA Rules of Golf and the MWGA Rules and Conditions of Competition for Tournaments will govern all MWGA competitions, with the exception of the following rules, which are in effect for MWGA 2-Woman and 4-Woman Scrambles competitions. Any additional local rules will be presented before play begins.

1. All players tee off at each hole. The best or most strategic shot is then selected as the spot from which the next shots will be played. The ball(s) of the other team member(s) are then picked up and moved to that spot. From that location, all team members will play a second shot. This same procedure is followed until the ball is holed.
2. All team members may clean and place their ball. The balls are to be placed within one club length of the landing spot, no closer to the hole **(except on the green, where a ball marker shall be placed within one putter head length to the right or left of the ball to ensure that all balls will be played from the same location).**
3. If a selected shot is played from a hazard, bunker or the rough, the ball must be placed within a club length of the original position, no nearer the hole, **and must remain in the hazard, bunker or the rough.** When the hazard is a bunker, the bunker may be raked after each shot. The grass surrounding the sand bunker is not part of the hazard. If any part of the ball rests on a hazard line, it is considered to be in the hazard.
4. A ball may not be placed on the green when the selected location is off the green.
5. Continuous putting is encouraged to speed up play. A team may knock in a short putt before trying to sink a long putt.
6. When a selected ball is eligible for relief under the USGA Rules, relief should be taken before marking the selected location.
7. If a team is missing a golfer, the team **will not** get an extra shot to make up for the missing player. Likewise, as **prizes are awarded on an individual basis,** if a missing player(s) has (have) paid their entry fee(s), a winning team that is short a player(s) will **not be awarded** the prize money of the player(s) that is (are) missing.
8. A minimum number of drives must be used from each player on the team.
   a. In a 4-Woman Scramble, each team in all flights must use **three** drives from each player.
   b. In a 2-Woman Scramble, each team in all flights must use **six** drives from each player.
   c. Each player’s required drives must be clearly indicated on the scorecard.
9. **Violation of the MWGA Scramble Rules will result in a team being disqualified.**
10. **MWGA Pace of Play Policy will be in effect.**

**Mulligan Rules for Scrambles** — Mulligans are sold at MWGA scramble events as a fund raising activity.
1. Mulligans are $2 a player and a player gets only two.
2. Mulligans can be used to replay any shot anywhere on the course.
3. Mulligans cannot be used for contests, such as closest to the flagstick, longest drive or chip-ins.
4. Mulligans can be used in skins.
5. Each group will keep track of where everyone’s mulligans are used.
6. Do not delay play.

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MWGA Events ($xx Member/$xx Non-Member). Entry Deadline 10 Days Prior to All Events Unless Noted. QUESTIONS: tournamententry@mwgolf.org or 248-557-8180. ENTER TOURNAMENTS AND EVENTS ONLINE at www.mwgolf.org or MAIL ENTRIES to: MWGA Event Office, 4158 Charing Cross Rd., Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304-3104.

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<td>4/17, Sat 9:30—11:30a</td>
<td>MWGA/EWGGA Rules Clinic presented by Jeanne Myers of GAM $5 members/guests</td>
<td>Fox Hills Classic Clubhouse, Plymouth 48170, 734-453-7272 Contact: Linda Neff, 810-985-3593, <a href="mailto:neff@mwgolf.org">neff@mwgolf.org</a></td>
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<td>4/28 — 7/21, Wed, 5:30p</td>
<td>MWGA League for Beginning Golfers $280/12 weeks (assuming no class 5/26)</td>
<td>Fox Hills, Strategic Fox, Plymouth 48170 Contact: Linda Neff, 810-985-3593, <a href="mailto:neff@mwgolf.org">neff@mwgolf.org</a></td>
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<td>Golf Skills Clinic $100</td>
<td>Fox Hills, Strategic Fox, Contact: Linda Neff</td>
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<td>Match Play League Meeting — Golf optional <a href="http://www.golfaa.org">www.golfaa.org</a></td>
<td>Glen Oaks, Farmington Hills, MI 48335, 248-851-8356 Contact: Pat Witek, 248-417-1190, <a href="mailto:witek@mwgolf.org">witek@mwgolf.org</a></td>
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<td>5/8, Sat, 10a 11:30a</td>
<td>Vendor Booths, Swap Meet Annual Meeting, Buffet Lunch Spring 4-Woman Member/Guest Scramble</td>
<td>Dunham Hills, Hartland 48353, 248-887-9170, <a href="http://www.dunhamhills.com">www.dunhamhills.com</a> All activities: Booths/swappers/meeting/lunch/golf/cart/range — $72 Booths/meeting/lunch ONLY — $20</td>
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<td>5/29, Sat 1p shotgun</td>
<td>2-Person Best Ball, Women’s &amp; Mixed Teams $66/member/male partner, $86/non-member</td>
<td>Sycamore Hills (North to West courses REV), Macomb 48042, 586-598-9500 — Fee includes golf/cart/range</td>
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<td>6/12, Sat 2p shotgun</td>
<td>President’s Stroke Play Tournament Golf/cart/range: $62/member, $82/non-mem.</td>
<td>Huron Meadows Metropark, Brighton 48116, 810-231-4084</td>
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<td>6/22, Tue Rev 8a shotgun</td>
<td>2-Woman Scramble Golf/cart: $61/member, $81/non-member</td>
<td>Lochmoor, Grosse Pte Wds 48236, 313-886-1010</td>
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<td>6/26, Sat</td>
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<td>7/20, 7/26, Tue 11a</td>
<td>9-Hole Member/Junior 2-Woman Scramble $27.50/twosome/golf/cart/lunch</td>
<td>Dearborn Hills, Dearborn 48124, 313-563-4653 <a href="http://www.dearbornhills.com">www.dearbornhills.com</a></td>
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<td>7/24, 7/25, Sat–Sun, 9a shotgun</td>
<td>2-Day State Championship — Foot/golf/cart/ range: $152 member, $172 non-member</td>
<td>Eagle Crest, Ypsilanti 48197, 734-487-2441, <a href="http://www.eaglecrestresort.com">www.eaglecrestresort.com</a> Cont. brkft. both days, Sat. soup/sand. buffet, Sun. dinner</td>
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<td>3-Woman Best Ball (Cha, Cha, Cha) Golf/cart/range: $64/member, $84/non-mem.</td>
<td>Devil’s Ridge, Oxford 48371, 248-969-0100</td>
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<td>Match Play Quarterfinals</td>
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<td>9/26, Sun 9a shotgun</td>
<td>Member/Guest 4-Woman Fall Scramble, War of Leagues — Golf/cart/range: $65</td>
<td>Mystic Creek, Milford 48380, 248-684-3333, Lakes to Woods <a href="http://www.mysticcreekgc.com">www.mysticcreekgc.com</a></td>
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<td>May 16 Sun</td>
<td>MI Golf Hall of Fame Golf Outing, Reception, Induction Ceremony</td>
<td>Eagle Eye, Bath 48823, 517-641-4570, <a href="http://www.hawk">www.hawk</a> hollow.com</td>
<td>Loretta Larkin, 248-719-0650, <a href="mailto:llarkin@michigan-golf-foundation.com">llarkin@michigan-golf-foundation.com</a></td>
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<td>May 26, Wed</td>
<td>US WAPL Sectional Qualifier</td>
<td>Notre Dame, South Bend, IN</td>
<td>USGA 908-234-2300, <a href="http://www.usga.org">www.usga.org</a></td>
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<td>Eagle Crest GC, Ypsilanti 48197</td>
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<td>Jun 14 Mon</td>
<td>Kensington Women’s Tournament, Entries close 6/10, $29 golf/lunch</td>
<td>Kensington GC, Milford 48380, $11/cart (pay day of), park entry fee</td>
<td>Harold Beardsley, 248-685-9332 Rain date Jun 28</td>
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<td>Jun 19-20 Sat-Sun</td>
<td>Western MI Women’s Best Ball $135/golf/cart/2 lunches/prizes for all</td>
<td>McGuire’s Resort, Cadillac 49601, 800-632-7302 Special room rate $89</td>
<td>Jane Cook, 115 Kimel, Cadillac 49601, 231-779-1655, <a href="mailto:cooknook@charter.net">cooknook@charter.net</a></td>
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<td>Jun 21-26 Mon-Sat</td>
<td>US WAPL Championship, Qualifiers only</td>
<td>The Warren GC @ Notre Dame, South Bend, IN</td>
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<td>Jul 8-11 Thu-Sun</td>
<td>US Women’s Open Qualifiers only, Entries close 5/5</td>
<td>Oakmont CC, Oakmont, PA, HDCP limit 4.4</td>
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<td>Sep</td>
<td>GAM Women’s Atlas Cup Matches</td>
<td><a href="mailto:Pinkard@mwgolf.org">Pinkard@mwgolf.org</a></td>
<td>GAM 248-478-9242, <a href="http://www.gam.org">www.gam.org</a></td>
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Area Leagues By Shirley McClain

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BECOME A VOLUNTEER

MWGA runs on the allegiance of its volunteers. We are always looking for new volunteers, ways to improve and fresh ideas. To find out about getting involved, please contact Lu Stockton at Stockton@MWGolf.org.

12 March/April 2010
# MWGA — A Driving Force in Women’s Golf!

## 2010 MWGA Event Schedule & Entry Form

Complete and mail this form to address at bottom unless otherwise noted.

Visit [www.mwgolf.org](http://www.mwgolf.org) to register online with a credit card or to get additional forms.

For event details, Tournament Guidelines, MWGA Rules and Conditions of Play, etc. see our website.

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<td>Apr 17 Sat – 9A</td>
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<td>Annual Mtg./Lunch ONLY – no golf – Dunham Hills, Hartland</td>
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<td>State Championship Eagle Crest, Ypsilanti</td>
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<td>State Championship Jr. Div. - Eagle Crest</td>
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<td>3-Woman Best Ball (Cha, Cha, Cha) - Devil's Ridge, Oxford</td>
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<td>Aug 22 Sat – 11:30A</td>
<td>4-Woman Shambles (Who's Your Team?) - Salem Hills, Northville</td>
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<td>2-Day/2-Person The Medalist, Marshall</td>
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<td>Fall Scramble/War of Leagues - Mystic Creek, Milford</td>
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**TOTAL AMOUNT PAID (check, money order, cash, MWGA gift certificates)**

* Games: Closest to Flagstick (CTF), Chip-Ins (CI), Skins (gross by flight). Total payment is the Entry Fee plus cost of games. Games are optional, but to participate, must be paid with entry. If you have not prepaid, you will not be able to enter games on the day of the event.

**Notes/Requests:**

**Confirmation and directions will be sent to your email address.**

*If you do not post scores through MWGA, you must provide:* 1) the name of the organization you post with, 2) the website where your current index can be found, and 3) your member number: __________________________

If we do not have your current mailing address, please enter it here: __________________________

**Send Entry To:** (unless otherwise noted above) Pay by check or MWGA Gift Certificates - Make check payable to **MWGA** and mail to: **MWGA Event Office**, 4158 Charung Cross Rd, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304-3104

TournamentEntry@mwgolf.org - 248-557-8180
Vendors/Swap Meet, Annual Meeting & Spring Member/Guest Scramble
Saturday, May 8, Dunham Hills GC, Hartland

By Pat Shelton

When: Saturday, May 8
10:00a Registration, vendors, swap meet
11:30a Annual Meeting and luncheon buffet
1:00p Shotgun start 4-Woman Scramble
6:00p Prizes, 50/50, discounted drinks and dinner specials

Where: Dunham Hills GC
13561 Dunham Rd
Hartland, MI 48353
248-887-9170
www.dunhamhills.com

Fee: $72 members and guests includes swap meet, annual meeting, lunch, golf, cart, range, prizes (prepay for separate closest-to-the-flagstick, chip-in and gross skins cash contests) $20 swap meet, meeting and lunch only – no golf
Tees: Women’s forward: 5253 yds, rating 70.8, slope 118
Entry deadline: Wednesday, April 28
Questions: TournamentEntry@mwgolf.org or 248-557-8180

This day is an excellent opportunity to introduce some of our golfing friends who may not yet be members of our wonderful association to the enjoyment of MWGA activities. With the Annual Meeting held prior to the Scramble, our guests can learn a little about the workings of the association and enjoy a nice lunch before heading out to the course. At the meeting we will hear the State of the Association, vote on a proposed By-Law amendment (see page 6) and have an opportunity to present ideas and ask questions of the Board. This is also the venue where we’ll learn which golfers in our organization earned the Player of the Year, Golfer of the Year and Most Improved Golfer awards.

As an added bonus, prior to the meeting a variety of vendors and swappers will put out their wares to tempt us with items we just can’t live without. What more could a woman ask for all in one day! (If you wish to reserve a table, contact Inez Bridges at 248-890-4461 or imbridges@aol.com.)

Dunham Hills advertises itself as “the best kept secret in Livingston County.” The course can be a tough but pleasant challenge for golfers of all levels of abilities. Keep in mind, accurate tee shots will be rewarded with level lies, but those slightly off line may be “playing on an angle” for much of the day. The key is to keep the ball in the fairway, no problem for a good scramble team.

MWGA is pleased to tout Dunham Hills’ horn because it’s a course we enjoy playing and management bends over backwards for us. There’s a great menu planned for our May 8 luncheon (see Jan/Feb ‘10 NEWSLINX) and when we come in from the course MWGA golfers will be privy to discounted drinks and dinner specials in addition to the clubhouse daily menu. For this special attention, we have our member, Geri Lowman, to thank, and please do just that when you next see her.

With all this in mind, at a minimum plan to attend the swap meet, Annual Meeting and luncheon. Better yet, plan to golf too! Sign up as a single or pair and we’ll do our best to put you on a team, or put your own team together to vie for bragging rights and MWGA gift certificates. Go online at www.mwgolf.org to register and pay via PayPal or charge card. If you prefer, you can use the entry form in this newsletter to mail in your registration and check or money order. Whichever method appeals to you, get registered so you can join in what should prove to be, weather permitting, the first of many marvelous MWGA golf days in 2010!

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2-Person Best Ball (Women’s and Mixed Team Fourball)
Sycamore Hills, Saturday, May 29

By Inez Bridges

When: Saturday, May 29, 1PM shotgun start
Where: Sycamore Hills GC
48787 North Ave
Macomb, MI 48042
586-598-9500
www.sycamorehills.com
Fee: $66 members and male partners, $86 non-members, includes golf, cart, range, prizes
Tees: Tentative Course Setup - Men: CR-69.3; SR-123; Yds-5960; Women: CR-68.9; SR-117; Yds-4910
Entry deadline: Wednesday, May 19
Questions: TournamentEntry@mwgolf.org or 248-557-8180

Grab your mate, your date — your best golfing buddy for our second event of the season on Saturday 5/29 at beautiful Sycamore Hills Golf Club in Macomb, MI. This will be your chance to tune up for our first individual stroke play event, the President’s Tournament on June 12.

Sycamore Hills is a 27-hole championship public golf course, characterized with mature sycamore trees, lakes, rivers and their own “Scottish Hills.” This all adds up to a challenging round of golf for the experienced golfer, but also an enjoyable round for beginners. We’ll match skills on the North and West courses in an 18-hole, 2-Person Best Ball competition. This is a great course for this format, and the afternoon shotgun start time (1 PM) will allow partners to either get in some pre-tournament warm-up practice or catch up on some much needed sleep.

In a Best Ball, or Fourball format, each player on the team plays his or her own golf ball throughout the round, and on each hole the low score — or “best ball” — of the pair serves as the team score. What a way to spread the pressure and not have that blow-up hole count — my kind of golf.

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2-Person Best Ball  
**Sycamore Hills, May 29 (continued)**

We’ll have the usual cash games of Closest-to-Flagstick and Chip-Ins ($5) and Gross Skins by flight ($5). All games must be prepaid with your entry. **The deadline for registering is Wednesday 5/19/10.** Prizes in the form of gift certificates will be awarded for both gross and net, for 2 to 4 flights and two or more places, based on the number of entries.

Following the event, players may unwind, while waiting for the tournament results, with a delicious snack or meal from the Sycamore kitchen, where the cuisine ranges from hot dogs and hamburgers to steak.

For additional information on the course or to make a tee time for a practice round, please call the course at 586-598-9500. Tee times can also be made online.

Visit us online at [www.mwgolf.org](http://www.mwgolf.org) to register for this event and to review MWGA guidelines on eligibility, tournament requirements and the MWGA Pace of Play policy.

We’re looking forward to seeing your name in the lineup and your face in the field that day.

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| 2-Woman Scramble, Tuesday, June 22 (New Date)  
Lochmoor CC, Grosse Pte. Woods |
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| **Fee:** $61 members, $81 non-members, includes golf, cart, prizes  
**Tees:** Check www.mwgolf.org  
**Entry deadline:** Saturday, June 12  
**Questions:** TournamentEntry@mwgolf.org or 248-557-8180 |

**Play in the MWGA Championship July 24-25 at Eagle Crest in Ypsilanti and go to the Ann Arbor Art Fair**

*By Sara Wold*

| 2-Woman Scramble, Tuesday, June 22 (New Date)  
Lochmoor CC, Grosse Pte. Woods |
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| **When:** Tuesday, June 22, 8AM shotgun start  
**Where:** Lochmoor Country Club  
1018 Sunningdale  
Grosse Pte. Wds., MI 48336  
313-884-3820  
www.lochmoorclub.com |

**Fee:** $152 members, $172 non-members, $25 juniors (Sun only) incl. food, golf, cart, range, prizes  
**Tees:** Check www.mwgolf.org  
**Entry deadline:** Saturday, June 12  
**Questions:** TournamentEntry@mwgolf.org or 248-557-8180 |

| President’s Stroke Play  
Saturday, June 12  
Huron Meadows, Brighton |
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| **When:** Saturday, June 12, 2PM shotgun start  
**Where:** Huron Meadows Metropark  
8765 Hammel Rd  
Brighton, MI 48116  
810-231-4084  
www.metroparks.com  
**Fee:** $62 members, $82 non-members, includes golf, cart, range, prizes  
**Tees:** Red: CR-70.0, SR-114, Yds-5304  
**Entry deadline:** Wednesday, June 2  
**Questions:** TournamentEntry@mwgolf.org or 248-557-8180 |

**Golf Course, in Ypsilanti.** The world-famous Ann Arbor Art Fair will be held in downtown Ann Arbor Wed.–Sat., July 21–July 24.

The Marriott at Eagle Crest is full due to a large convention. The Hampton Inn Ann Arbor South (734-665-5000) at Briarwood is holding 20 doubles for MWGA for Fri. and Sat., July 23-24 for $89/rm/nt + tax. Must reserve by July 9. The Inn has been newly renovated, has an excellent breakfast, high speed Internet and is across the street from Briarwood Mall. From Briarwood one can catch a bus to the Art Fair so it’s a good place to stay for tournament players.

There are actually four art fairs running simultaneously in various parts of Ann Arbor, and there is no charge to attend. Take a bus from several convenient locations to the fairs to avoid over-priced parking fees. The art is fabulous and very high quality and people watching is unsurpassed.

We can guarantee you will have a fun and memorable time by attending both the MWGA Championship and the Ann Arbor art fairs.
You are cordially invited to the
Michigan Golf Hall of Fame
2010 Golf Outing and Induction Ceremony

Following nominations and a voting process by a selection committee that includes representatives from the major golf organizations throughout the state, sports media, and past inductees, we are pleased to announce the 2010 Michigan Golf Hall of Fame honorees. This year's class of recipients will be formally inducted into the Michigan Golf Hall of Fame on Sunday, May 16. The ceremony will be held at Eagle Eye Golf Club in Bath, Michigan and will include a golf outing, cocktail reception, dinner, and awards. We cordially invite you to be a part of this momentous occasion.

Schedule of Events

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The individuals we recognize have made significant contributions to golf in Michigan. Through your participation and support, we can help celebrate their honor and deserved recognition.

Event Fee: $175.00 per person
$50.00 without golf ($25 under age of 21)

Golf attire is acceptable for dinner and induction ceremony.

Contact Lovetta Larkin at 248-719-0650 or llarkin@michigan.golf.foundation.com for a tournament entry form. For tickets, send your check payable to: Michigan Golf Foundation, 6801 North Meadows Way, Dexter, MI 48130.

Deadline: May 8, 2010

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**Golf in Cadillac**
**Michigan 2-Woman Best Ball at McGuire’s Resort**
**June 19-20**

MWGA members always have a terrific time at this tournament hosted by fellow member, Jane Cook (231-779-1655, cooknook@charter.net). The $135 entry fee will cover 2 rounds of golf w/cart, a box lunch Sat, luncheon Sun, awards and prizes for all. McGuire’s is a great place to stay and golf. They are offering an $89 special room rate (800) 632-7302. Visit www.mwgolf.org, watch your mailbox or contact Jane for an entry form.

Deadline June 14; limit 100 golfers.

**2-Woman Best Ball**
**Tuesday, June 6**
Bay Pointe GC, W. Bloomfield
By Pat Shelton

When: Tuesday, July 6, 8AM shotgun start
Where: Bay Pointe GC
4001 Haggerty
W. Bloomfield 48323
248-360-0603

Fee: $50 members, $60 non-members, includes golf, cart, prizes

Tees: Check www.mwgolf.org
Entry deadline: Saturday, June 26
Questions: TournamentEntry@mwgolf.org or 248-557-8180

By this date, you and your partner will have had a few rounds under your belts and be ready to take on the competition in your flight at this 2-Woman Best Ball tournament.

Bay Pointe was designed by William Fuller, opened in 1966 and is located on Middle Straits Lake. “The bent grass course was built upon a bog, so shots can land soft on the greens and only provide a little roll on the fairways. If the fairway rough is long, it can be a problem.” The course is flat, but the tall trees lining the fairways can alter your shots. There are a variety of scenic, challenging holes to test your team.

This will be another weekday golf opportunity for you. Sign up as a twosome or a single, but sign up. I hope to see you on July 6th.
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**GAM Women’s Golf**

_by Lu Stockton_

The 12th GAM Women’s Mid Amateur will be held at Walnut Hills in East Lansing June 1-2. This year will see Stacy Slobodnik-Stoll defend her title in an attempt to win her fifth consecutive Women’s Mid-Amateur title. This exciting event is open to any female ages 25 and up with a USGA index of 20.4 or less. Prizes are awarded for both net and gross winners in each flight. Flights are based on the last revision prior to the Championship. Entries close May 19.

**GAM Two-Person Net Team,** Sept 7 at Lochmoor – $200 per team. Entries close **June 23.**

Women’s maximum index 40.4, with a maximum women’s team combined handicap of 55. Must qualify at one of the following qualifying sites:

- Atlas Valley: Tue, July 6
- Hawk Hollow: Mon, July 12
- Tanglewood: Tue, July 13
- Gowanie: Wed, Jul 21

**GAM Net Amateur,** Sept 19-20 at Warwick Hills. Entries close **July 28.** $80 for qualifier; $110 entry for qualifiers to finals.

Women’s maximum index 34.4. Must qualify at one of the following qualifying locations:

- Western G&CC: Mon, Aug 16
- Greystone: Tue, Aug 17
- Polo Fields G&CC: Tue, Aug 24
- The Emerald: Thu, Aug 26

**Women’s Amateur,** at St Clair River CC, July 26-30. Handicap limit 15.4; entry deadline, **July 14.**

**Women’s Championship,** at Forest Akers West, Aug 9-10. Handicap limit 15.4; entry deadline, **July 21.**

**Women’s Sr. Championship,** at Crystal Mountain, Aug. 30-31. Handicap limit 25.4; entry deadline **Aug. 11.**

Other GAM Programs: GAM Golf Days, Exclusive Tee Times, Swing & Save. Visit the GAM website at [www.gam.org](http://www.gam.org) for details and entry forms. Also see the MWGA website at [www.mwgolf.org](http://www.mwgolf.org).
The Positive Golfer  By Janina Parrott Jacobs

Teases of warmth the last few weeks have given us an early urge for golf. By now, the snows should be history and as I write this during Masters Week, the courses all over metro Detroit are as green as the Champion’s jacket.

As you are well aware, the Masters was Tiger Woods’ first attempt back to tournament golf after a very turbulent few months. Whatever your opinion on the events that transpired, the one lesson you can learn from this is that any golfer — no matter if he or she is deemed ‘best’ in the world — cannot just run out and play or compete if not prepared body, mind and soul.

So, how best to prepare for the season? Here are a few tips:

1. **Mind:** Get your house in order. By that, I mean finish any unfinished business, tasks you need to complete, get caught up with busywork, correspondences, etc. that constantly nag at you every time you walk in the door at home or at work. This will help free your mind from thinking ‘I should be doing…’

2. **Mind:** Clean out the old and prepare the new. If you need new clubs, get them. If you missed the opportunity to clean out your golf bag at the end of last season, do it now (you may find some ‘fun money’ you stashed!). Take out the old worn golf balls and put in brand new ones, though you can keep a few older balls for those water shots for which you might be rusty early in the season. Throw out the broken tees or recycle them to the woods. Re-grip your clubs. Clean and polish last year’s golf shoes, putting in new spikeless spikes if need be. Get a new pair and alternate between shoes so they can air out in between wearings. Put a couple of new or clean towels on your bag.

3. **Body:** Book an appointment with your favorite golf pro so you can get the creaks out. Ask your pro for some good stretching exercises to get those muscles loose — or see a personal trainer.

4. **Body:** If you haven’t been doing this all winter, get out and start walking. Those first 18 holes you play will be tough, even if you ride. And you may have heard the bad news: for middle age women, it is now necessary to exercise 60 minutes per day every day (walking qualifies) just to maintain the weight you are now.

5. **Soul:** Get started out right and do something for someone else. Sign up for the MS (Multiple Sclerosis) Longest Day of Golf, which is held at various courses in both May and September. For details or to register, call the Michigan chapter at 248-350-0020 ext. 204 or e-mail: ldg@mig.nmss.org.

6. **Soul:** Check out a new website with which I am affiliated that has been created especially for women golfers everywhere: www.voiceofwomensgolf.com. You can even have input as to what goes onsite (will launch by May).

7. **Body/Mind/Soul:** Assist the MWGA/LPGA/USGA Girls Golf Program and help mentor young ladies toward the lifelong benefits of this great game.

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Answers to “What’s the Score?” from page 4

1. There is a 2 stroke penalty for touching or moving a loose impediment in a hazard. Rule 13-4c and Rule 23-1 note.
2. There is a 2 stroke penalty for playing from a wrong place. It was not a serious breach of the rules. Rule 20-7a and c.
3. There is a 1 stroke penalty for moving her ball in play. She should have played it from the new position but when she played it from the original position she received a total of 2 strokes. Decision 18-2a/7 and the penalty statement under Rule 18.

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