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### Golf Shop News

By Jordy Vetter, Director of Golf

I truly hope that everyone is enjoying their summer, whether here at the club or on your family vacations. It's almost time for the kids to go back to school and things are just heating up here at Great Southwest.

The Firecracker member - member was held over the 4th of July weekend. The first day format was a two-person scramble and the second day format was a shamble off the tee and then alternate shot until holed out. The winners for their respective flights were: Flight 1 – Mike Camp and Burk Goldthorn, Flight 2- Don McDaniel and Steve Hannigan, Flight 3- Harry White and Craig Ruggeberg, and Ladies Division winners were: Amanda Jones and Julie Piland. The Ladies Club Championship was held July 9th and 10th, with Amanda Jones retaining her crown as the Ladies Club Champion. Pat Lockwood won the net division. The July LGS Couples event was held on July 31st and everyone seemed to have a great time with Amanda Jones and Philip Webster winning the blind draw portion of the tournament and Jon and Kathy Crumley along with Jon and Diane Foster winning the Red Ball portion of the event.

I would like to thank all of the members for their support and patience with the United States Amateur Qualifier held here on the 26th of July. The qualifier was a huge success and went over very well with a lot of tremendous compliments from the participants. I would like for everyone to wish congratulations to Mike Camp for his 1st alternate position, with his posting of even par over the 36 holes, another member, Bobby Massa took 2nd alternate, also even par for the 36 holes. The Men's Club Championship will be held September 3rd and 4th. The annual Tee-Esta member-guest will be September 23, 24 and 25th. Invitations will be in the mail very soon. Please remember to sign up in the golf shop. Until next time, see you out at the club.



### From The Course

By Richard Webster, Course Superintendent

Over the past two months the maintenance department has made considerable strides to improve the quality of the golf course, and look to do even more in the future. We have recently received a number of new pieces of equipment that will not only help us in job production but in golf course quality as well. We have five new walking greens mowers that we are using daily, this will help improve the quality of cut as well as reduce the unwanted wear done to the outer edges of the putting surfaces. We also have a new fairway mower, topdresser, sweeper, and a new fertilizer sprayer. All of these pieces of equipment, totaling nearly \$100,000 will help us in our efforts to improve the quality of the playing conditions at Great Southwest. We continue to work on the irrigation system adjusting heads and even replacing some as needed. The long term goal is to do as much adjusting as we can to cut down the number of wet areas on the golf course and add sprinkler heads in the areas that are dry and have no current irrigation. August will be a very busy month as we prepare for the club championship and fall member-guest. Have a good month and we will see you on the golf course.



# MEMBERSHIP

By Lisa M. Harrison, Membership Director



Membership has wonderful news! We have added 28 net new members with 170 referrals from current members. We are only 72 net members away from reaching our trigger. First I want to congratulate all of the members for their help and support in reaching a net gain of 28 new members. This is an exciting time for Great Southwest Golf Club and its members to be a part of something great. With only 72 net members to go, all of Great Southwest's members, including its newest members should be spreading the word that great changes will be coming. Because of the added revenues from these members we have added \$100,000 in new maintenance equipment, 3 additional maintenance co-workers, 7 new TV's around the clubhouse with Direct TV, new radios for the golf shop and food and beverage, new uniforms for the service staff, and complete repairs to the plumbing for the Men's locker room and kitchen, as well as, many more items behind the scenes. It is with your support that Great Southwest has been able to make these new improvements. We still need your help to reach our trigger of 100 net members. Please join us for our 9 hole member guest outings and our new member receptions, or contact me at 972-647-0114 x 25 and I will set up a time for you to bring out your friends, family and business associates to see the golf course. We need your support! Help us access the membership capital fund by Sponsoring a New Member before August 31st, 2005 and become eligible to win a new set of Irons and a Driver of your choice custom fit by our professional golf staff. Please come by the membership office for more details.

*Keep an eye out for Club email updates. If we don't have your address please reply by email to [lharrison@greatsouthwestgc.com](mailto:lharrison@greatsouthwestgc.com).*

## AUGUST 2005

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 7 pm	2 Club Closed Course Aeirified	3 <b>Powerball</b> 6 pm (sign up by 4 pm)  Dining room / HH 7 am - 9 pm	4 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 9 pm	5 Dining room 7 am - 9 pm	6 Dining room 6 am – 7 pm	7 Dining room 6 am – 7 pm
8 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 7 pm	9 Club Closed	10 <b>Powerball</b> 6 pm (sign up by 4 pm)  Dining room / HH 7 am - 9 pm	11 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 9 pm	12 <b>New Member Cocktail Hour</b> 6:00 pm Dining room 7 am - 9 pm	13 <b>New Member Reception</b> 10:30 am Dining room 6 am – 7 pm	14 Dining room 6 am – 7 pm
15 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 7 pm	16 Club Closed	17 <b>Powerball</b> 6 pm (sign up by 4 pm) Dining room / HH 7 am - 9 pm	18 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 9 pm	19 Dining room 7 am - 9 pm	20 <b>ABCD Scramble</b> (sign up in golf shop)  Dining room 6 am – 7 pm	21 <b>LGS Couples Tournament</b> Dining room 6 am – 7 pm
22 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 7 pm	23 Club Closed	24 <b>Powerball</b> 6 pm (sign up by 4 pm)  Dining room / HH 7 am - 9 pm	25 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 9 pm	26 Dining room 7 am - 9 pm	27 <b>Complimentary 9 Hole Member/ Guest Outing</b> 4:00 m Dining room 6 am – 7 pm	28 Dining room 6 am – 7 pm
29 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 7 pm	30 Club Closed	31 <b>Powerball</b> 6 pm (sign up by 4 pm) Dining room / HH 7 am - 9 pm	1 Guest Day  Dining room 7 am – 9 pm	2 Dining room 7 am - 9 pm	3 <b>Men's Club Championship</b> Dining room 6 am – 7 pm	4 <b>Men's Club Championship</b> Dining room 6 am – 7 pm