

December 2009

Dear Members,

Season is off to a tremendous start! A successful series of events (PGA's Best, Member Kick-Off, Opening Ladies Day, Opening 9 Hole Ladies Day, and Opening Men's Day) and there are many more yet to come.

If you haven't signed up, you won't want to miss the Men's Stroke Play and Ladies Stroke Play Championships December 5 & 6. The four men's winners win a spot in the Honda Classic Pro/Am and the four ladies' winners win a day of golf and lunch with an LPGA Tour Player.

In other news:

- Garmin GPS Units have now been installed on all of our electric golf cars, including our handicap car. Your help in returning the carts to the staging area after use is more important than ever now that the installation is complete. Please remember that you are responsible for the cart and all the attached equipment when you play or practice.
- The new range clocks and benches for the ranges have arrived.
- We are moving forward with a "remote member check-in" in the Members Club. We are waiting on the arrival of the necessary equipment (computers, etc), but within the next month you will be able to register you and your guests to play without going into the Golf Shop. All forms of payment will be accepted and we hope that you will find this a more member friendly experience.
- Very shortly, the Executive Committee will be selecting the Employee of the Year winners from the 2009 Employee of the Quarter Winners. Our own Jamie Hayes is in the running for Employee of the Year. If you could take a moment to show your support, an email to me at jane.broderick@pbaresort.com will help gain Jamie the recognition he deserves.
- The Golf Committee and Board of Governors have approved revised handicap cart guidelines as follows:

Carts must remain on the cart paths around all tees and on all par 3's
Carts MAY NOT cross the ropes or drive in front of the cart directional signs in the approach areas
Blue Stakes placed near each green denote handicap cart parking
Carts MAY NOT be driven or parked any closer than 30 yards to the center of the green as shown on the GPS Unit

- We are still hopeful to have the toilets flushing at the Estate on course restroom by the end of the year.
- Many of you have been very diligent in releasing unwanted starting times and we appreciate your help. Please be reminded that there is a small glitch in the web system and times must be cancelled from the last player up to the first player, or commonly referred to as "from the bottom up."
- Sign up for the member telephone tree. If you'd like to receive voice mails regarding club specials and events, please stop by Membership to enroll in the telephone tree.

I would like to personally thank you for your patience as we moved through our fall maintenance program. Every effort is being made to provide you playing surfaces and conditions that you can be proud of. Plans are being made to continue to modify the maintenance schedule and practices to ensure quality courses with as little inconvenience to you as possible. Growing healthy turf is something that takes time, and unfortunately, some required maintenance practices can be disruptive. I will continue to work with the Maintenance Staff, communicate to you any issues we may encounter and practices that must be performed.

Sincerely,

Jane Broderick

Director of Golf Operations

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Date	December 2009	HAIG	SQUIRE	CHAMPION	PALMER	ESTATE
1	Tuesday	Ladies / 9 Holers	Members	Open	Resort	Members
2	Wednesday	Members	Members	Open	Peps Pro/Am	Men's Day
3	Thursday	Pepsi Pro/Am	Members	Open	Members	Members / Open
4	Friday	Members	Pepsi Pro/Am	Open	Members / Open	Members / Open
5	Saturday	Members	Ladies Stroke Play	Pepsi Pro/Am	Men's Stroke Play	Members
6	Sunday	Members / Resort	Ladies Stroke Play	Open	Men's Stroke Play	Members
7	Monday	Open	Members	Prader Willi Classic	Resort	Members
8	Tuesday	Resort	Members	Closed	Members	Open
9	Wednesday	Resort	Members	Closed	Men's Day	Members
10	Thursday	Members	Ladies / 9 Holers	Closed	Resort	Members
11	Friday	Resort	Members	Closed	Resort	Members
12	Saturday	Honda Junior	Members	Closed	Honda Junior	Members
13	Sunday	Honda Junior	Members	Closed	Honda Junior	Members
14	Monday	Open	Members	Closed	Resort	Members
15	Tuesday	Members	Resort	Closed	Members	Closed
16	Wednesday	Members	Members	Closed	Resort	Men's Day
17	Thursday	Resort	Members	Closed	Ladies / 9 Holers	Members
18	Friday	Members	Members	Closed	Resort	Closed
19	Saturday	Open	Resort	Open	Members	Members
20	Sunday	Resort	Members	Open	Resort	Members
21	Monday	Resort	Members	Open	Members	Closed
22	Tuesday	Resort	Members	Open	Members	Open
23	Wednesday	Members	Men's Day	Open	Resort	Members
24	Thursday	Members	Members	Open	Resort	Closed
25	Friday	Members	Resort	Open	Members	Closed
26	Saturday	Members	Members	Open	Resort	Open
27	Sunday	Members	Resort	Open	Members	Open
28	Monday	Resort	Members	Open	Members	PARS
29	Tuesday	Ladies / 9 Holers	Resort	Open	Members	PARS
30	Wednesday	Resort	Members	Open	Men's Day	PARS
31	Thursday	Members	Resort	Open	Members	Open
	Good Conditions	Weather permitting - 90 Degree Rule				
	Maintenance	Course Closed for Overseeding				
	Closed	Course Closed for Holiday				
	Cart Path Only			Cart Path Only		
	Special Note	First Tee Time 8:04 due to Holiday				