

TOMGC Rules and Greens

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I am sorry that this issue is so late; I am just recovering from a terrible case of bilateral pneumonia. I picked up the flu from my wife, Nagzilla, right at Christmas, which turned into pneumonia and lasted until I finally went to the ER when we got back from our trip to Portland on January 9th. I forgot that pneumonia can kill old people.....actually, I forgot that I was an old people! I've been back to the ER, and the pneumonia is gone, but the doctor said I might have this stupid cough for as long as a month.

How's the house going you ask, well: We've got our initial grading plan, and are waiting on a bid from a soils/septic contractor to get started on the grading, septic placement, structural engineering on the house plan and all of the title 24 calcs, engineering, and all that stuff. I've built dozens of houses, but never realized all that went into making the plans that I used to build those houses. Anyway, stay tuned. As the weather changes, I think things will start to happen.

As of January 1st, the 2023 POY competition began. Each time you place/win money, in one of our weekly competitions, you score points towards becoming player of the year. And, being player of the year gives you the best chance of winning the Twin Oaks Cup Tournament, when the player of the year and the 7 runners up, compete for that prestigious honor.

You may begin to see some changes in our website. Our new secretary, Steve Tugwell, is working with our past President and all around good guy Brian Bender, to overhaul the old website program that Brian developed all those years ago. We are hoping that the website and Golf Genius will be your two main go-to sources for club related information. This is where you should be looking for upcoming events and other pertinent club related information.

Your board of directors should be having its first meeting for 2023 early next Month. After we initiate the new members, I'm recommending a paddle wheel, we will get to the business of continuing to work to make this the best golf club in the county. Sadly, while we have gained the services of Steve Tugwell, Jerry Moskovitz, and John Larisey, we will soon be losing the services of our wonderful and faithful handicap chairman, Al Dyson. Al and his wife Susan have decided to pack up and move to New Mexico. Like losing our secretary, Bill Jackson, we are not just losing board members, we are losing two really special individuals!

I hope to be sending out these little newsletters each month or so. Good day, and good golf.