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# *SCHNEE VOGELI SKI CLUB*

## *The Green Buzzard*

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**Presidents Corner:** Howdy Fellas: This Sat is the "His & Hers" tournament that Don has set up, Aug. 25<sup>th</sup> is our Club picnic at Wildwood Park and the SVSC golf tournament, Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> is the highway cleanup and shotgun shoot. Then Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> we start our first meeting for this season. So, I hope everyone is getting by and enjoying the cooler days, when we have them. I hope to see you all soon.  
Scott

**The SVSC His & Hers Golf Tournament** : Well it's that time of year again! The **SVSC** His & Hers Golf Tournament is this Saturday the 11<sup>th</sup> at the Resort at the Mountain or the new name is "Mt. Hood Oregon Resort". The first tee time is at 11am and I have attached a list ( separate email) for the tee times and the couples playing together. I was asked to put some of the couples together and the first and last tee times were asked for due to their reasons. I need everyone to be there 30-45 minutes prior to their tee time. I believe the green fees are around \$65 dollars which includes the power cart. The Tee to Green or 2 for 1 cannot be used for this event, sorry! This year due to costs the Mulligan's are \$5 each or \$10 a team payable to me. I have also attached a copy of the rules, but there will be a copy of this in each cart. Make sure you read these rules as there are 3 different games and don't forget about your Mulligan's. The Rendezvous has the bar area and probably outside reserved for our group from 4-7pm. When you get there think about ordering your food so that all the food orders don't go in at the same time. This is a very FUN event so, it doesn't matter how well you do it's the FUN you're having so, I hope all of you have a great time! After everyone eats Vanna White (Kathy) and I will be handing out prizes for EVERYONE as usual.  
**PS---**If you are on the list and not going to make it I need to know ASAP by phone or email.  
Thanks, Don

**25 Aug. Club Picnic** The World Famous Horseshoe and Golf Tourney at Wildwood Park. The food will be ready approx. 1130a and the golfers can eat after their tournament. As always there will be plenty of good food available and if you would like to bring a dish to share it will be much appreciated. Terry and crew will be setting up about 9a so, if you'd like to lend a hand come on down.

**Membership Dues:** It's that time of year to pay dues for the upcoming season. They are \$60 until Oct 31st. Nov 1st they increase to \$75. Dec. 1st they increase to \$90. Jan 1st those that haven't paid will be removed from the membership rolls. You may pay at the meeting or mail to our PO Box.  
Thanks, Dale.

**Historian:** I want to put out a standing request for Club related pictures you may have and want to see included in the Club's photo albums, face book or Flicker. Contact Christian Bennett.

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**The Golfer:** Clay, now into his golden years had a lifelong ambition to play the 17th hole at TPC Sawgrass in Ponte Vedre, Florida, exactly the way the pros do it. The pros drive the ball out over the water onto the small green that is on a small spit of land. It was something Don had tried hundreds of times without success. Don's ball had always fallen short into the water. Because of this, he never used a new ball on this particular hole. Don always picked out one that had a cut or a nick, as did many other "average" golfers when negotiating very challenging holes. Recently Don went to

Sawgrass to try again. When he came to the fateful hole, Don teed up an old cut ball as usual and said a silent prayer. However, before he could hit the ball a powerful voice from above seemed to be booming out from the clouds, saying, "Wait! Replace that old ball with a brand new one, a Titleist ProV1 if you have it." Don complied, with some slight misgivings, despite the fact that this same force seemed to be implying that he was going to finally achieve his lifelong ambition. As Don stepped up to the tee once more the voice came down again, "Wait. Step back. Take a practice swing." So Don stepped back and took a practice swing certain now that this heavenly force was going to make his dream come true. The voice boomed out again, "Take another practice swing." Dutifully, Don did. He stopped expectantly and waited, a long silence followed. Then the voice said, "**Use the old ball.**"

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### **Calendar Of Upcoming Events:**

-  11 Aug. His & Hers Tourney –11a tee time
-  25 Aug. Club Picnic, World Famous Horseshoe and Golf Tourney at Wildwood Park  
This will be a shotgun start/scramble
-  08 Sept. Highway Cleanup and Shotgun Shoot - Meet 0930
-  11 Sept. Our 1<sup>st</sup> **SVSC** Meeting for the 2018/2019 Season 7p at The Gap

### **Schnee Vogel Ski Club**

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