



# From the 19<sup>th</sup> Hole

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## PRESIDENT'S LETTER

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Welcome to the summer months...we get extended tee times at Torrey Pines which means more players can play! Some other Club and Board happenings

- We had our first major tournament winners – Congratulations to **Frank Rashid and Anantha Krishna –Weekday SCGA Better Ball Champions. And Michael Chipp and Bryan Aasen – Weekend SCGA Better Ball Champions!** Both teams will have an opportunity to represent TPMGC at SCGA's Fourball Championship.
- Upcoming Majors include –Weekday Senior Championship (June 30 and July 7); Weekend Senior Championship (July 24); Grand Torrey Cup Invitational (August 3 and 5) and Club Championship (August 6 – August 14).
- Want to get a guaranteed tee time in a Torrey tournament – volunteer as a Player Assistant! You also get \$50 and can use your volunteer credit to get you into one of our major tournaments! Go to the website and click on “Volunteering” for more information.
- Thanks to Bob Hood, the club now has its own logo hats and shirts! Just go into the TP pro shop and ask to see the TPMGC apparel for purchase. You can use your prize funds to pay for your purchase too. There is also a link on the website.
- Please read the instructions that have been added to each scorecard to ensure your scores have been entered properly in Golf Genius. GG is our official scorecard, so be sure that your foursome sees **the final entries PRIOR to leaving the course.** More details are on the scorecard as to who to contact, etc. if there is an issue. **It is best to wait for the confirming email automatically sent by GG PRIOR to leaving the course.**



- We urge you to also read all the notes for each tournament on the website sign up site. It contains important information as to the rules for that tournament, priority determination, tee time blocks, eligibility for majors, etc.
- **Pace of Play has improved dramatically** – thank you everyone! We had our first tournament at Torrey last week and not one group finished with over a 15 minute Gap! Final POP policy is now posted on the TPMGC website. We encourage each member to familiarize yourself with it to avoid penalties.
- On your behalf, our Club each year donates to various golf related charities – this year we are supporting Pro Kids (\$3500); CIF San Diego (\$3000) and SCGA Junior golf (\$3500). We are proud to be supporting such worthwhile youth oriented golf organizations!
- We had a great Spring Member Event with over 100 members attending. Putting contest, free pizza and drinks plus many raffle prizes given out. Special thanks to members **Ted Cochrane of Wheat and Water Pizza and Brandon Richards of Ale Smith Brewery for their generous donations!**
- *The Club has completed a review of all members' indexes in accordance with USGA and SCGA guidelines resulting in an index adjustment for a few members. The club will conduct a similar review every quarter. We have found during this process that the two most common errors for home/away stroke differential are 1) **Not using the Equitable Stroke Control for away posting i.e., not reducing high scores to a net double bogey score** and 2) **Not posting all scores, including 9 holes played, or simply not posting low away scores.** It is extremely important that these rules be followed to avoid any future adjustment to your index. We strongly recommend that when **you post away scores, you do you post “hole by hole” on the GHIN app or SCGA website.** So your posted score is automatically adjust for the ESC rule.*

***Thank you to all our members for your support of our very busy volunteer Board...any questions, please let me know. Stay healthy! Larry***