

Around the Greens

Course Safety and Etiquette

Much feedback received by management that some club members are playing the game dangerously. Constant reminders have been published in our newsletters of the need to exercise caution and courtesy on the course. Disregard for another person's safety has serious consequences and offering defensive explanations will not get the culprit off the hook. Shouting and uncouth behavior has no place in a civil society.

The Greens Sub-Committee and Club Management remind members to be respectful of other members and to observe course etiquette, here and elsewhere when playing the game.

Play Suspended Instruction

Members are reminded that it is COMPULSORY for them to cease play IMMEDIATELY once the Play Suspended siren is sounded. Members may feel sometimes the suspension of play is not necessary, as it is not raining. However, the decision to suspend play is based upon warnings received from the club's lightning warning system and precautionary warnings from Changi Air Base Meteorological Department and is for members' protection.

Avoid a tragedy. Think of your loved ones.

Hole-in-one Achievement

Hole-in-one Achievement at Changi Golf Club on Saturday, 27 October 2012. Congratulations to Ms Tan Chi - Wi (G 086/9) on the 4th hole par 3, 120 meters.

F & B News

November Promotion

Lunch or Dinner:
Select any 1 Soup and 3 Meat Vegetable Dishes for 4 pax at \$38. Including free flow white rice.

JW Black Label Promotion

2 bottles at \$138.00.

DECEMBER 2012

Sat	1 Dec	General Play	am
		Changi GC Vs Singapore Cricket Club	pm
Sun	2 Dec	General Play	am/pm
Sat	8 Dec	General Play	am/pm
Sun	9 Dec	Ladies Medal	am
		Monthly Medal - Men	am/pm
		RAF Changi Challenge Cup	
Sat	15 Dec	General Play	am/pm
Sun	16 Dec	General Play	am
		Mixed Greensome	pm
Sat	22 Dec	General Play	am/pm
Sun	23 Dec	General Play	am/pm
Tue	25 Dec	CHRISTMAS DAY - General Play	am/pm
Sat	29 Dec	General Play	am/pm
Sun	30 Dec	General Play	am/pm

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CHANGI GOLF CLUB NEWSLETTER

The resort-style golf club, since 1971

NOVEMBER 2012

*Happy Diwali to our
Hindu members and friends.*



Note from Editorial Chairman.

With the completion of the CID championships, we will be winding down the year with a few more golfing fixtures. These are the monthly medals, an Inter-club game at Batu Pahat, the annual President vs Vice President challenge, and the Mixed-Greensomes event.

In December, CGC will be holding its traditional Children's Christmas Party, as well as the Potluck dinner. Also, after a one-year absence, CGC's New Year Countdown is back!

For those going on end-of-year vacations, stay safe & have a great time.

NOVEMBER 2012

Sat	3 Nov	General Play	am/pm
Sun	4 Nov	Staff Day	am/pm
Sat	10 Nov	General Play	am/pm
Sun	11 Nov	Ladies Medal	am
		Monthly Medal - Men	am/pm
Tue	13 Nov	HAPPY DEEPAVALI - General Play	am/pm
Sat	17 Nov	General Play	am/pm
		CGC Vs Batu Pahat (Away)	am/pm
Sun	18 Nov	General Play	
Sat	24 Nov	General Play	am/pm
Sun	25 Nov	President vs V. President Prize	am/pm

**Don't leave your golf
etiquette at home.**

Please repair divots, ballmarks
and rake the sand bunker.

When buggy is issued
to you, it should be a clean
buggy with no rubbish in it.

A Gentle Reminder
NO SMOKING
Except in designated areas.
Thank you.

Local Affiliated Clubs

- Chinese Swimming Club
- Changi Beach Club
- Sembawang Country Club
- Jurong Country Club
- SAF Yacht Club

Please check affiliation details with the respective club's reception.

CHANGI GOLF CLUB

Monthly Medal A & B Division (Men)
1st Round Club, Intermediate and Duffers C'ship 2012
Sunday 7th October 2012
Stroke Play



Monthly Medal A & B Divisions
1st Round Ladies Club Championship 2012
Sunday 7th October 2012
Stroke Play

Overall Winner - Nett	Ch	Out	In	Total
Ho Nee Yong	17	26	32	58

Best Gross	Ch	Out	In	Total
Jason Wong	2	35	35	70

A Division	Ch	Out	In	Total
1 Quek Seow Tze	18	34	31	65
2 William Teo	16	31	35	66
3 Tiu Lai Hong	10	31	36	67

Best Gross	Ch	Out	In	Total
Roger Lee	5	36	37	73

Ball Sweep (Out)	Ch	Out	In	Total
1 Ho Nee Yong		26		
Tie 2 Dax Singh, William Teo		32		
Tie 2 Tiu Lai Hong		32		

Ball Sweep (In)	Ch	Out	In	Total
1 Quek Seow Tze			31	
Tie 2 A.J. Singh			32	
Tie 2 Ho Nee Yong			32	

B Division - Nett	Ch	Out	In	Total
1 James Quek	21	28	32	60
2 Philip B.S. Tan	23	31	31	62
3 Ng Kwee Hock	22	36	27	63

Best Gross	Ch	Out	In	Total
Lau Teck Leow	20	43	42	85

Ball Sweep (Out)	Ch	Out	In	Total
1 James Quek		28		
2 Tan Wei Cheng		31		
3 Philip B.S. Tan		32		

Ball Sweep (In)	Ch	Out	In	Total
Tie 1 Gordon M.J Tay			27	
Tie 1 Ng Kwee Hock			27	
Tie 3 Philip B.S. Tan, Frankie Teng			31	

1 Jaycee Lau	24	32	31	63
2 Tay Hwee Kheng	20	33	32	65

Ball Sweep (Out)	Ch	Out	In	Total
Jessica Pang		30		

Ball Sweep (In)	Ch	Out	In	Total
Tie 1 Jaycee Lau			31	
Tie 1 Nancy Ng			31	

CLUB, INTERMEDIATE AND DUFFERS C'SHIP 2012 SUNDAY 21ST OCTOBER 2012

Club Champion	Score
Overall Best Gross : Jason Wong	296
Runner Up : Roger Lee	314
Overall Best Nett : Tiu Lai Hong	281

Intermediate Champion	Score
Overall Best Gross : Ho Nee Yong	343
Runner Up : William Teo	356
Overall Best Nett : Ivan Lee	292

Duffers Champion	Score
Overall Best Gross : Lau Teck Leow	356
Runner Up : Frankie Teng	366
Overall Best Nett : Victor Chye	279

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP 2012 (LADIES) SUNDAY 21ST OCTOBER 2012

Champion	Score
Overall Best Gross : Mimi Ho	258
Best Gross Runner Up : Jessica Pang	269
Overall Best Nett : Pamela Lee	214

House & Facilities Updates

Ladies' Changing Room

In the 1960 Malay movie 'Orang Minyak' the oily man would leave behind a trail of black oil and footprints in his victim's house. A similar scene is happening in the ladies changing room with the floor and wall covered in talcum powder and a tell tale pair of small foot prints. There is nothing scary here, except that the air con is choked and coughing talcum powder. We hope that the person/s could be more considerate and apply the talcum powder sparingly.

Bits & Pieces from Club Manager's Desk

Constructed Bollards

The SLA has constructed a row of concrete bollards (painted black and yellow), behind the 2nd/11th green, to prevent the public vehicles from using it as entry point to the residential blocks. Members driving their buggies along this narrow path are advised to watch out for oncoming buggies / maintenance vehicles. Please slow down.

Pedestrian Crossing

In the October 2012 issue I wrote about a near missed accident at the traffic light pedestrian crossing involving our members and a speeding vehicle. The Traffic Police has tracked down the owner of the vehicle and issued a warning letter. Once again, a reminder to cross Loyang Avenue with caution.

A Tale of Two Seas

Sitting in the Geography class in school, I remember how fascinated I was when we were being taught all about the Dead Sea.

As you probably recall, the Dead Sea is really a lake, not a sea (and as my geography teacher pointed out, if you understood that, it would guarantee 4 marks in the term paper!)

It's so high in salt content that the human body can float easily. You can almost lie down and read a book! The salt in the Dead Sea is as high as 35% - almost 10 times the normal ocean water. And all that saltiness has meant that there is no life at all in the Dead Sea. No fish. No vegetation. No sea animals. Nothing lives in the Dead Sea.

And hence the name: Dead Sea.

While the Dead Sea has remained etched in my memory, I don't seem to recall learning about the Sea of Galilee in my school Geography lesson. So when I heard about the Sea of Galilee and the Dead Sea and the tale of the two seas - I was intrigued.

It turns out that the Sea of Galilee is just north of the Dead Sea. Both the Sea of Galilee and the Dead Sea receive their water from River Jordan. And yet, they are very, very different.

Unlike the Dead Sea, the Sea of Galilee is pretty, resplendent with rich, colorful marine life. There are lots of plants. And lots of fishes too. In fact, the Sea of Galilee is home to over twenty different types of fishes.

Same region, same source of water, and yet while one sea is full of life, the other is dead. How come?

Here's apparently why. The River Jordan flows into the Sea of Galilee and then flows out. The water simply passes through the Sea of Galilee in and then out - and that keeps the Sea healthy and vibrant, teeming with marine life.

But the Dead Sea is so far below the mean sea level, that it has no outlet. The water flows in from the River Jordan, but does not flow out. There are no outlet streams. It is estimated that over 7 million tons of water evaporate from the Dead Sea every day. Leaving it salty. Too full of minerals. And unfit for any marine life.

The Dead Sea takes water from the River Jordan, and holds it. It does not give. Result? No life at all.

Think about it.

Life is not just about getting. It's about giving. We all need to be a bit like the Sea of Galilee.

We are fortunate to get wealth, knowledge, love and respect. But if we don't learn to give, we could all end up like the Dead Sea. The love and the respect, the wealth and the knowledge could all evaporate. Like the water in the Dead Sea.

If we get the Dead Sea mentality of merely taking in more water, more money, more everything the results can be disastrous. Good idea to make sure that in the sea of your own life, you have outlets - many outlets. For love and wealth and everything else that you get in your life. Make sure you don't just get, you give too.

Open the taps. And you'll open the floodgates to happiness.

Make that a habit.

To share. To give. And experience life.

Anonymous.

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Reciprocal suspension

Hainan Meilan Golf & Country Club has a new management team and we are unable to touch base with any of the officials to review the reciprocal arrangement. Members are advised that the reciprocal arrangement is temporarily suspended, until further updates.

Batu Pahat vs Changi Interclub Friendly 17 - 18 November 2012.

Closing date for registration is Thursday 8 November. Please note : Members who have registered and do not turn up at Batu Pahat will pay the cost accordingly. Do not deprive other fellow members of the opportunity to play. Be responsible and considerate.

Venue for the next day additional golf game will be advised.

President vs Vice President Prize

Sunday 25 November 2012. May the best team win.