

Clubs, golf and recreation clubs, in Singapore changes management committees once every two years and with each change a new team of volunteers would come in with new directions and ideas. Clubs would be very blessed if the management committee fully understood their roles and work along with the staff. Some may try to throw a spanner into the wheel and if that happens staff must be courageous, embrace change and stay relevant for that particular term. In all clubs volunteers practice this mantra when the going gets tough " I am just a volunteer."

#### Car Wash

Members are reminded that washing/hosing of cars, using club's water is not allowed.

#### Kluang Country Club Memorial Charity Golf Appreciation

The KCC Memorial Charity Golf Organising Committee would like to thank Changi Golf Club who has contributed one way or another to the success of the charity drive on 18 & 19 November 2017. A total of RM292,000 was raised.

#### DECEMBER 2017

2	Sat	General play	am/pm
3	Sun	General Play	am/pm
9	Sat	General play	am/pm
10	Sun	Ladies Medal	am
		Monthly Medal - Men	am/pm
		RAF Changi Challenge Cup	
16	Sat	General play	am/pm
17	Sun	General play	am
		MIXED GREENSOME	pm
18	Mon	Private Event - Course Closed	pm
23	Sat	General play	am/pm
24	Sun	General play	am/pm
25	Mon	PH - Christmas Day - General Play	am/pm
30	Sat	General play	am/pm
31	Sun	General Play	am/pm

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Admin / Membership / Accounts Department is closed on Sundays and Public Holidays.

Mon – Sat, Office Operation Hours :  
9.30am – 6.30pm

Administration fee for sending 3rd reminder on overdue account is \$40. Please keep your account in credit. Thank you.

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# CHANGI GOLF CLUB NEWSLETTER

The resort-style golf club, since 1971

DECEMBER 2017



#### Editor's Column

#### JANUARY 2018

1	Mon	PH - New Year - General Play	am/pm
6	Sat	General Play	am/pm
7	Sun	Gold Medal - Ladies	am
		Gold Medal - Men	pm
13	Sat	General Play	am/pm
14	Sun	Ladies Medal	am
		Monthly Medal - Men	am/pm
		Q'fying Rd For Team Match Play C'ship - Men	
20	Sat	General Play	am/pm
21	Sun	General Play	am/pm
		1st Round Team Match play	pm
27	Sat	General Play	am
		CGC Vs S'pore Cricket Club (Home)	pm
28	Sun	General Play	am/pm
		2nd Round Team Match Play	pm

#### Church Notice

*Do not leave your mobiles, purses, wallets, handbags unattended - Others may think it is an answer to their prayers.*

#### No Smoking

*Several complaints have been received about members smoking within the covered area at the Golfers' Terrace. The complainants have requested for the issue to be resolved. Please be considerate by only smoking in the designated area.*

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• Keppel Club • SAF Yacht Club • Changi Sailing Club • Singapore Civil Service Club

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

**Monthly Medal A & B Division (Men)**  
**Sunday 12th November 2017 – STABLEFORD**

Overall Winner	CH	Out	In	Total
<b>Best Point</b>				
1 Xie Xiong	13	19	24	43
<b>A Division</b>	<b>CH</b>	<b>Out</b>	<b>In</b>	<b>Total</b>
1 Chan Hee Mun	13	20	22	42
2 Wee Chew Kwang	16	19	21	40 OCB
3 Kevin Cheong	15	20	20	40
<b>Ball Sweep (OUT)</b>	<b>CH</b>	<b>Out</b>	<b>In</b>	<b>Total</b>
Tie 1 Edwin Foo		20		
Tie 1 Chan Hee Mun		20		
Tie 1 Kevin Cheong		20		
<b>Ball Sweep (IN)</b>	<b>CH</b>	<b>Out</b>	<b>In</b>	<b>Total</b>
1 Xie Xiong			24	
2 Chow Ta Toon			23	
3 Chan Hee Mun			22	
<b>B Division</b>	<b>CH</b>	<b>Out</b>	<b>In</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Best Point</b>				
1 Lim Thiam Ngoh	24	24	23	41
2 Yek Tiew Ming	20	18	19	37
3 William Tan	23	19	18	37 OCB
<b>Ball Sweep (OUT)</b>	<b>CH</b>	<b>Out</b>	<b>In</b>	<b>Total</b>
1 William Tan		19		
Tie 2 Yek Tiew Ming		18		
Tie 2 Lim Thiam Ngoh		18		
<b>Ball Sweep (IN)</b>	<b>CH</b>	<b>Out</b>	<b>In</b>	<b>Total</b>
1 Lim Thiam Ngoh			23	
2 Ben Chan Y. W			20	
3 Yek Tiew Ming			19	

**President / Vice President Prize**  
**Sunday 5th November 2017 – STABLEFORD**

	Points
<b>Winner:</b> Grace Lim	<b>40 OCB</b>
<b>1st R/UP:</b> Helen Lim	<b>39</b>
<b>2nd R/UP:</b> Ng Wei Xuan	<b>38 OCB</b>
<b>4th:</b> Koh Hee Tiong	<b>38 OCB</b>
<b>5th:</b> Edwin Foo	<b>38 OCB</b>
<b>6th:</b> Roger Lee	<b>38</b>
<b>7th:</b> Jacob Eu	<b>37 OCB</b>
<b>8th:</b> Dhanvinder Singh	<b>37 OCB</b>
<b>9th:</b> Loo Teck Chuan	<b>37 OCB</b>
<b>10th:</b> Ho Nee Yong	<b>37</b>

**Monthly Medal A & B Division (Ladies)**  
**Sunday 12th November 2017 – STABLEFORD**

**Game Cancelled Due to Inclement Weather**

**Bits & Pieces from the Club Manager's Desk**

December month is for carols, Rudolph and Auld Lang Syne.

With Christmas day and a New Year upon us again very soon it's time to bring out the dusty old tree to grace that empty corner in the house. Step into any shopping mall and the season's decorations and carols which many of us have grown familiar with, are reminding us to plan and get ready for the celebrations... to buy presents for their loved ones and to hold parties for kins and friends.

December month is also for like-minded people to share the Yuletide joy with under-privileged children. The Changi Children's Christmas Party on Saturday 16 December 2017 will cater to about 80 children from the community. The children will be treated to a magic show, balloon sculpturing, candy floss, pop corns and ice cream treats and KFC-meal. Santa (aka Cosmas) is a beautiful sight giving away candies, gifts and presents to all naughty and nice, rich or poor he doesn't care because he loves you all the same. So let's fill the young hearts with Christmas cheer and sing-along carols from the Campfire Ukes!

The Changi Children's Christmas Party provides a meaningful platform for Club members' children to interact with children from the community while engaging in the fun activities.

December countdown into the New Year is marked with the resounding Auld Lang Syne that historians call it "the song that nobody knows" and yet everyone tried to sing it. "Let's drink to days gone by" and toast for the New Year.

**Jackpot/Fruit Machine Room**

WEF 1 November 2017, only club members aged 21 years and above are allowed entry, and members can no longer sign in their guests nor allow their guests to enter and/or remain in the Jackpot/Fruit Machine Room.

The club shall maintain a record of all persons (including members) that visit the Jackpot/Fruit

machine Room. Such records shall include each person's particulars and the date and time of his/her entry and exit from the room. The particulars of the member to be recorded shall minimally include his/her name, date of birth, NRIC or relevant unique identification number, club membership number and membership expiry date. This is in compliance with the Ministry of Home Affairs and the Singapore Police Force /Police Licensing Regulatory Department's new guidelines.

Thank you for the kind understanding and co-operation. Members failing to comply with the new rules & regulations governing the jackpot/fruit machines operation may be subject to disciplinary action.

**In Appreciation**

Hi Kenny

Can you kindly mention my thanks in a short note in the monthly newsletter - to whoever who found my PG belt and handed it to admin office.

I left it in the changing room on Friday 03 Nov and managed to retrieved it from Teeny on the following Sunday.

Small thing but it sure reinforce that there are good people around.

Thanks

JK (L480)

**Honesty is Still the Best Policy**

Recalling an incident when a lady golfer driving a buggy up to the 8th /17th tee box miss timed her steering and crashed onto the concrete kerb. The buggy's paintwork had some scratches with the fender slightly dented. This lady did a gracious act by notifying the golfing office of the accident and paid for the repairs. This lady could have just walked away.

Buggies are issued in working condition and golfers are reminded to inform the starter immediately of any defect.

**Staff Day Acknowledgement**

The Organising Committee would like to thank the members' participation on the Staff Day and in particular the generous contributions from those

who help made the event more delightful for the staff.

**Donations from the Heart**

Every donation is highly valued and crucial. Every single item and every dollar count. Cash is still the wish of every community service provider for their causes. Donations in kind come under two categories – 1) donor will purchase selected items from a vendor and donate the items; 2) donor will spring-cleaned their house and donate items that have been lying in the storeroom for ages. These items may still be in the box.

Let's take two events organized by CGC – The Changi Charity Open and the Staff Day. Both events look forward to the generosity of members and the public for support, in cash and kind. Cash is cash but the donors of "in kind" items must consider the condition of the items

and the recipients. Bear in mind that recipients from the CCO and Staff Day are not people in need of some throwaway items. Case in point - there was a tee shirt which had some visible perspiration stains. Not recommended are cosmetics as ladies have their preferred brands and electrical appliances with soon-to-expire warranty.

The Salvation Army and the Singapore Red Cross had set up work teams to separate the recyclable items from the disposal ones which is an unproductive task.

**Be Courageous. Embrace Change. Stay Relevant.**

"Technology will progressively take over many jobs-of-today that can be done cheaper, better and faster...however it will at the same time create many jobs-of-tomorrow" Mr. Lim Swee Say, Minister for Manpower.

As a regular Grab user I had the opportunity to engage the driver owners in interesting conversation. Profile-wise many of these Grab drivers are middle-age and already in a profession/vocation. Some may have been displaced from their workplace but they have the courage to embrace change to stay relevant. Grab is a technology-driven service-provider and it has helped create 60,000 private chauffeur jobs here. The taxi population is stagnated at about 24,000.