



2nd quarter 2011 newsletter of the Christian Golf Club of Central CA

This year's Club Championship was a cumulative three round event which began in May at Belmont Country Club, then on to Pheasant Run in June with the final round being played in July at the newly revamped Eagle Springs GC. After the first two rounds, players were given the opportunity to improve their lowest of the first two rounds with a tune up round at Eagle Springs. Over the last 5 years, "Mr. Consistency" Vic Araujo, has won either the Low Gross or President's Flight Championship, and the other Mr. Consistency, Ron Gonzales, has taken second place for the second year in a row, this year missing out by one stroke, but Ron says to "watch out, next year is my year to win, baby". Congrats to all the Champs and high finishers for a competitive 2011 Club Championship.

Many thanks to Daniel Cowherd and his team for all their hard work in putting on another fun Club Championship.

Final Results from the 2011 CGCCC Club Championship:

Low Gross Champ – Brad Fry, cumulative gross score – 233

President Flight Low Net Champ – Vic Araujo, net score – 208

2nd place – Ron Gonzales, net 209

3rd place – Orlando Gonzales, net 222

Director Flight Low Net Champ – Daniel Cowherd, net score – 206

2nd place – Bob Albertson, net 213

3rd place – Mark Carlson, net 220

Secretary Flight Low Net Champ – Ruben Rey, net score – 206

2nd place – Leo Alonzo, net 214

3rd place – Don Sadler, net 214

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Other results from the last few tourneys are as follows:

Riverbend Golf Club Four Man Two Best Ball – April 30:

1st place – Leonard Garcia, Miles Baty, David Rey, Ruben Rey – net 121

2nd place – Norm Weins, Mario Gonzales, Dennis Hammond, Rick Leas – net 123

3rd place – Vic Araujo, Bob Albertson, Mike Gerosa, Daniel Cowherd – net 126

Raffle winners include:

Mike Leal won the Bill Phillips golf lesson

Ron Hickok won the utility club donated by Ted Oliver

David Rey won the YFC Tournament entry

Belmont Country Club Two Man Best Ball – May 14:

Ron and Orlando Gonzales, net 11 under – won in a card-off over the teams of Wynn Eugene Higley and Terry Markus, and Chris Rawn and Leonard Garcia, with all three of these groups shooting 11 under par.

Low Gross – Brad Fry – 76

Low Net – Ron Gonzales won in a card off with Chris Rawn – net 69

Closest to the hole winners – #2 - Orlando Gonzales, #11 – Ruben Rey

Pheasant Run Golf Course Team Results – June 11:

This was a blind draw for two man best ball partners after the round with the entire playing group split into three separate flights.

Flight 1 winners:

1st place - Eric Hansen and Chris Rawn, net 64

2nd place - Jeff Klein and Mike Gerosa, net 65

3rd place – Norm Weins and Mark Saltzman, net 66

Flight 2 winners:

1st place – Dennis Hammond and David Rey, net 60 (they be goin' low)

2nd place – Jeremy Dyer and Scott Saltzman, net 64

3rd place – Leonard Garcia and Don Loyd, net 64

Flight 3 winners:

1st place – Cliff Klein and Ruben Rey, net 57 (they be goin' real low)

2nd place – Luis Medina and Mike Leal, net 63

3rd place – Don Sadler and Steve Brunnengraeber, net 63

NCGA Individual Low Net Qualifier Winners by Flight include:

1st Flight – Christopher Rawn, net 67

2nd Flight – David Rey, net 64

3rd Flight – Ruben Rey, net 64

Eagle Springs Results – Friday July 8-(4 man/2 best ball w/4 balls on holes 2 & 5)

1st place – Ruben Rey, Luis Medina, Don Sadler, Ray Tarvin – net 140

2nd place – John Gallagher, Leo Alonzo, Wynn Higley, Terry Markus – net 143

3rd place – Norm Weins, Orlando Gonzales, Ron Gonzales, Mike Gerosa – net 144

Eagle Springs Results – Sat July 9-(4 man/2 best ball w/4 balls on holes 9 and 17)

1st place – Jeff Klein, Charles McClung, Rick Mathers, Jerry Hardin – net 138 (won on a card off with 2nd place team)

2nd place – Ruben Rey, Luis Medina, Wynn Higley, Mike Leal – net 138

3rd place – Ray Goins, Terry Markus, Steve Brunnengraeber, Cliff Klein – net 140

Four Truths

During these serious times, people of all faiths should remember these 4 religious truths:

1. Muslims do not recognize Jews as God's chosen people.
 2. Jews do not recognize Jesus as the Messiah.
 3. Protestants do not recognize the Pope as the leader of the Christian world.
 4. Baptists do not recognize each other at Hooters.
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Cypress Ridge Results – Friday Aug 19

1st place – Leonard Garcia and Ruben Rey – net 61 (won in card-off)

2nd place – John Gallagher and Robert Ohanian – net 61

3rd place – Ray Tarvin and Luis Medina – net 62

4th place – Jeff Klein and Cliff Klein – net 62

Team Low Gross – Daniel Cowherd and Doug Nelson – 76

Cypress Ridge Results – Sat Aug 20

1st place – Royal Cash and Don Witt – net 60

2nd place – Bud Crain and Vic Araujo – net 63

3rd place – Tony Crisco – net 63

4th place – Daniel Cowherd and Doug Nelson – net 64

5th place – Ray Tarvin and Luis Medina – net 64

6th place - Norm Weins and Ray Goins – net 64

Team Low Gross – Bill Horg and Karl Nielsen – 72

Combined two-day Champs

1st place – John Gallagher and Robert Ohanian – net 125

2nd place – Ray Tarvin and Luis Medina – net 126

The following is taken from The Man Minute by Jason Cruise:

Getting What You Want.

God has a history of giving us exactly what we want. It started in the garden. Adam and Eve wanted freedom. God gave it to them. Even though they had Samuel, the people of Israel wanted "their own king" and God gave them Saul. The prodigal son wanted to go to town and do his own thing, and Daddy let him have just that. You can find story after story in the Scriptures which testify to God letting people have their own way.

Often when I come to a cross-road in my journey of faith, a quiet and sober truth soaks into my heart that while I may say I want to obey the Lord, the truth is ... I can do what I want. I can choose to do it my way, and nobody is going to stop me. The problem with actually following through on what I want to do is that I cannot see the view from 30,000 feet.

I have limited perspective that is mixed thoroughly with limited understanding.

A bad combination for success no doubt! Perhaps that is what Paul was getting at when he stated that he is a slave to righteousness. Paul was a freedman bound to serve the heart of God. Only when you and I find such freedom in such bondage will we be able to overcome ourselves.