



October 2017 Newsletter



Team Hopkins: Candida Sandoval, Tim Brown, Josh Hopkins, Scott Jacobi

Second Glow Ball event another success

Team Hopkins prevailed in our latest Glow Ball Tournament, a 4-person event at Fairgrounds Golf Course Sept. 8.

“The Fairgrounds Glow Ball event is always the best I go to,” says team member **Scott Jacobi**. “Your course is perfect for this.”

Scott says he is anxious to play in the next one, noting “I hope there are many more to come at The Fairgrounds.”

Based on the enthusiastic response – 48 players -- there will be an event Oct. 6 with tentative plans for more in 2018. We may even award points for how you place and offer some kind of “tournament of champions” at the end of the year for the top point getters. Nothing for certain yet but keep your eyes open.

Team Hopkins – **Josh Hopkins, Candida Sandoval, Tim Brown** and **Jacobi** – finished 4 under par with birdies on Nos. 12, 16, 17 and 18. There were some warm-up holes but only the 9-hole Glow Ball portion of the event counted in the scoring. Team Ross and Team Omlid tied for second at 3 under par.

Josh said the course set up perfectly for his team, adding “we have our best putters go last after reading what’s happening on the greens.”





Hawaiian outfits and good food were the order of the day Sept. 9

FG Club makes golf a little bit more fun . . .

The Fairgrounds Golf Club mixed some golf with a Hawaiian fashion statement of sorts and some good food to make Saturday, Sept. 9, a special day.

Members provided food, including ribs, several salads, smoked salmon and Gloria Murray's incomparable teriyaki meat balls and an assortment of tropical drinks, so for those who didn't play so well, at least they came away well-fed.

The club does something like this several times a year, and perhaps should consider doing it a little more often. It's fun and the food is outstanding.

Hole in one – sort of . . .

It wasn't your typical hole in one that we experienced at Fairgrounds the other day. In fact, the ball wasn't even struck on the golf course, but on the driving range.

The people involved will remain anonymous for obvious reasons, but here is what happened: Two women were hitting on the range, while at the same time, a man was using our bathroom. Somehow – and it's hard to figure out how – the ball came over the driving range net, rebounded off of something, came down the hall and caromed into the bathroom, ending up where the guy was sitting.

We've had balls bounce into the pro shop, but as far as we know, this was a first. Nobody was hurt although there was a certain level of embarrassment.

New merchandise

We have new golf clothing and balls on sale as well as great deals on other items such as golf bags for as low as \$59, with more stuff coming in soon. Come in and check it out, and also check out our new Keurig Single-Cup Coffee Maker.



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