

**NUWC Golf Employees League Bulletin 2nd Half
Week #18
31 August, 2017
2nd HALF STANDINGS**

Place	Team	1 st Half Pts	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	9	308	33	R	37.5	47.5	47	36.5	36	36	34.5
2	7	304.5	39	A	48.5	43	36	33.5	36	30	38.5
3	6	292	45	I	34.5	30	41.5	38.5	36	38.5	28
4	5	291	33	N	36	24.5	37.5	43.5	37	35.5	44
5	2	290.5	36	O	37	42.5	30.5	39	35	33	37.5
6	3	290	39	U	32	29.5	34.5	36	39	42	38
7	4	289.5	48.5	T	35	36	34.5	35.5	33	33.5	33.5
8	1	269.5	27		40	29	37.5	33	30.5	36.5	36
9	8	257	23.5		23.5	42	25	28.5	41.5	39	34

Green Indicates Bye Week. The Bye Week team receives 36 points

Birdie (or Better) Report (8/31):

Birdie Report	
<u>Name</u>	<u>Hole Number</u>
Servidio	5
Hassan	1
Berube	1,2
Casey	8

WEEKLY LOW SCORES:

LOW GROSS score for WEEK 18: Diodato, Kilcline (39)

LOW NET scores for WEEK 18:

Group	Name	Team	Gross Score	Net Score
A	Mike Kilcline	SUB	39	31
B	Lawrence Gallagher	9	43	31
C	Denis Coffey	7	43	29
D	Henry Cotta	5	43	26

2nd Half LOW SCORES:

LOW GROSS score for the SECOND HALF: Schwab (36)

LOW NET scores for THE SECOND HALF:

Group	Name	Team	Gross Score	Net Score
A	Tony Caldwell	6	40	29
B	Don Aker	6	41	29
	Ron Cirillo	2	43	
C	Adam Macksoud	2	42	28
D	Henry Cotta	5	43	26

Nobody challenged the A,B, and C group Low Nets again. Still looks like they will be tough to beat. Marshall Lundberg saw his one week reign at the top in the D Group shattered by Henry Cotta who shot a 43 net 26. I doubt that will be beat in the last week.

EDITORS NOTE (Although not sure why this is called this since the editor is the scribe, 1st reviewer, 2nd reviewer, editor and publisher!) – Last week's bully erroneously reported that Romeo Velasco had the low gross and low net for week 17. I guess people still read the bully! I was informed by Paul Dube that he scored the low gross with a 40 and tied Dale Dandrea in Week 17 for low net with a 31. I guess the scribe missed Dube's score since his name has rarely been seen on the scorecards this year! Apologies to both players but it didn't matter anyway regarding the leaders' standings in the 2nd half. With this observation, sounds like Paul unintentionally just nominated himself for the secretary/scribe position!

Note: Subs are ineligible for prizes

News

Team 9 lost their match but still managed to maintain a small lead for 1st place. Team 7 made a small gain and remains in 2nd place. It looks like all Team 9 has to do in the final week is hold their own to clinch a playoff spot. Team 7 on the other hand needs to be looking over their shoulder. They play 5th place Team 2 and need to ensure they don't get whipped (Team 2 needs to win by 14.5 points to overtake them). Team 5 also made a jump, led by Henry Cotta single handedly destroying Lundberg and Gannon by the score of 16 – 2! They could now be in the running! In fact, Teams 3,4,5 and 6 have a chance to move into 2nd place if they score well but all teams need the results of the Team 2 vs. 7 match to work in their favor. It may come down to the final groups so go to the 19th after your round and watch the drama unfold! Once again, the president's decision to go to a playoff format a few years ago is keeping more teams involved into the last week! So I say, "Dave Nassaney.... Great President?" or "Dave Nassaney...THE GREATEST PRESIDENT!" (I want to keep on good terms as I walk out the door.)

Heard there was a bit of action on the 1st tee with players waiting to tee off getting a bit impatient with those who just tee'd off before them. Coffey and Mendoca were so

loud that they disturbed Fratus's who was in the motion of putting on the 4th green. Berube went over to them and as a good league officer explained the etiquette of being quiet on the tee when they see people putting on the 4th. He did however thank them since their actions caused Fratus to miss the putt! Berube thought he had made a point but shortly thereafter, Coffey started yelling again.....this time as one of the original culprits, Mendonca, was hurriedly teeing off and running down the 1st fairway trying to catch up to his group since he was late on arrival. Lesson learned is to be considerate of those putting on nearby greens and SHOW UP ON TIME FOR YOUR TEE TIME!

It might be a good idea to put some unique marking on your golf ball. Some were playing extra holes and at some point two exact same balls were found in the 10th rough and confusion took over from there. One ball was from someone playing #10 and the other was from another player who sprayed their tee shot to the right from the 8th tee. It was resolved with no altercations and although the player from Hole #8 was at first disappointed, cheers were heard from the 8th green so it must have worked out in the end. So think about marking your balls. I typically write "F#@% OFF!" on mine so when my ball is discovered in the woods, the finder will know exactly how I was feeling after the shot!

Last week I mentioned that you also should have received an email requesting nominees for the 2018 NGL officers. Guess nobody wasted any time responding as I heard at the 19th, our seating Prez was discussing the election season at wit. And when Tim Fratus left the table momentarily he returned to find out that he was nominated for VP and the nomination was seconded! Scott Hassan, who was one who helped nominate Tim was then nominated for a position but did his best to decline. It is good to see this type of chatter starting as I've stated before, we need new blood as some of us will be retiring but we'd like to help the new officers before we leave. So please consider volunteering your name to be a future league officer. If anyone wants to know more about the positions and responsibilities, please speak with a current officer. It is not as overwhelming as you may think. The biggest responsibility is the need to respond to league members' incessant whining on what's wrong and what could be done better. For those people, I've got one more bully to go and I may just have to shame people to become officers in the last bully! Step up to the plate!

Please note that Sept. 7th is the make-up week for Week 11 (July 13th).

Also, the announcement for the End of Year Tournament which will be played at Ledgemont on 26 September was sent out. **Get your foursomes in!**

Notes:

Captains should e-mail the handicapper, Pete Michno, no later than 1100 Wednesday to give their line-ups. However, I'm sure the handicapper would appreciate Captains providing the line-ups earlier if you have them set. 1100 on Wednesday should be the exception, not the rule.

Captains should inform all retirees and non-NUWC members on their teams to use the website for all League information.

Slow Play Watch:

Heard a good report so hopefully there were no significant delays. Maybe Coffey and Mendonca yelling at people to move on the 1st tee helped the cause.

Joke of the Week

A U.S. citizen is vacationing on his own in Ireland. He decides to play a round of golf and is paired with three local gents.

He takes a few practice swings, steps up to the first tee, and proceeds to hook the ball out of bounds. He shakes his head, reaches in his pocket, and re-tees another ball. He tells his playing partners that he is taking a Mulligan. He pounds one down the center of the fairway about 280 yards out.

With a big smile, he asks the others "In the U.S., we call that a Mulligan; was wondering what you called it here in Ireland."

After a moment of silence, one of the locals replies, "Hitting three."

Quote of the Week

"Keep your sense of humor. There's enough stress in the rest of your life not to let bad shots ruin a game you're supposed to enjoy." -Amy Alcott

Golf Cartoon of the Week



Great Picture of the Week



