TEE TIMES!

Welcome Back, from your "Wild and Crazy" editors

It seems like yesterday that we were all together for the Fall Banquet, doesn't it? And just like that, in a flash, winter is over and we're all excited to tee it up again. We all found ways to survive...some went south or west for a week or a month or more. Some stayed here to hunker down and tough it out. Either way, we're all ready to get back on the course. Remember, don't pack your winter gear away just yet. We all know how spring golf in Minnesota is...shorts one day, winter hat and gloves the next!

Keep sending family news, photos, and random fun stuff our way. We make it up if we don't get it.

Sandy and Chris



Our sympathies to the Fitch family on the loss of their dad, Don, at age 97. An avid golfer, he seems to have passed on that passion to Pam and Konny.

We also sadly lost a former member of CWGC, Rosemary Jagoe, at age 85. She loved being outdoors, playing a round of golf with friends and having a few good laughs.

Important Dates to Remember

April 23 - Spring Luncheon **June 21 -** 1st Calcutta **August 16 & 19 -** Club Champion dates **October 11 -** Fall banquet

"Life is nothing but a big golf course with lots of bunkers."

~ Anonymous



In the category of Random Items Found on the Golf Course, this one is a contender. Which makes us think...why don't we have such a contest? Keep your eyes peeled and your camera at the ready for odd things found on our Como Golf Course. Send them to Sandy and Chris and we'll dig into the prize closet and find a suitable reward for the winner. It might be tough to top this canoe found on the 5th fairway by Jane Cacich, but crazier things have been seen. Good luck!

What Did You Do During Your 2nd Covid Winter?



These two happy ladies vacationed in sunny Florida. This is the report from **Kathy Zieman: "Maureen McDonald** and her husband Mike joined us for a few days in Naples. We played Valencia where Maureen had her best round of golf. We love that Florida roll of the ball."



A handy idea that **Kathy Zieman** plans to share with our Como grounds crew: use seashells to make a "waste bunker" where you can ground your club to hit out of it. We bet they will welcome this great idea.







These three photos are from **Rae Cornelius**: In a "where is Waldo" type photo at the top, can you spot **Rae** and **Colleen Halpine**? They played in a golf tournament in Texas. **Rae** also went tobogganing with grandkids then tested her talent and patience by wallpapering her guest bathroom.



Tillie Wolske got out of the Minnesota cold and snow to visit a high school classmate in St. Petersburg, FL. A perfect get-away. It looks like Tillie was trying to out do the flowers with that picture perfect shirt. We think they are both beautiful.





Sandy Terry made this adorable dinosaur quilt for her even more adorable great grandson Jamison Joseph born on Sunday, March 27th.

Blankets wrap you in warmth, quilts wrap you in love



Look Who Went to "the Desert"...Palm Springs, CA!



Sandy Denault, Angie Guillaume, Ruthie Pallow and Amy Winkel spent the month of March enjoying the sun and beauty...on and off the golf course... in Palm Desert.

They also met this lovely couple on the right who we're sure they will renew acquaintances with this summer on Como's 15th fairway.



And look who they bumped into!



None other than **Ruthann Ryberg** and Katie. How fun is that?





Sandy also spent some time with her cousinin-law and former CWGC member Kathy Denault. You just never know who you will run into when you get out of town.

Not to sound like the Palm Desert Chamber of Commerce but...there are over 100 golf courses to choose from, a downtown Palm Springs Street Fair every Thursday night, celebrity sightings, and street names like Dinah Shore Drive and Ginger Rogers Road, and wait for it...you board your flight home from the Sony Bono Concourse!



If this does not make you long for a winter golf vacation, we're not sure what would.
Such a gorgeous place.
It is second only to our own Como Golf Course.







Glow in the Dark at the Living Desert and Zoo exhibit was amazing!



Chris Langer, married to a non-golfer, also vacationed in Palm Desert but found plenty of fun things to do. They rode a tram up Mount San Jacinto, searched for the iconic Marilyn Monroe statue, and spent a day in Joshua Tree National Park. Fun fact: a Joshua Tree is not a tree...it's a member of the asparagus family. What you don't learn when you travel!









Two last photos from Ruthie: A gorgeous sunrise and Brooklyn Pallow-Winkel, dog-gone she's a great traveler.

Even more fun stuff! Can you believe it?



Theresa Peterson has found the perfect way to fill those long winter hours...she plays 500 on her laptop! One of the best parts of this is that her playing partner inher neighbor and one of our new members, Carolyn Coverdale! The computer fills in their foursome...have to feel sorry for them since Carolyn and Theresa are both super card sharks.

They log on at 1:30 most afternoons and have been known to play into the supper hour! They always end the day with a winning hand.



Cheryl Nordby played "hostess with the mostest" when Angie Guillaume, Ruthie Pallow, Amy Winkel and Sandy Denault stopped by for a visit and a couple of fun days playing golf at Cheryl's home in Arizona. One of the 4 visitors said that the CA/AZ course are really hard and will make Como look easy. Our lips are sealed as to who said that! Hmmm....time will tell!



Konny Fitch loves to bowl, and she must be pretty good at it since her foursome won 1st place! Konny reported they had to do a "roll off" to determine the winner. She's ready to change out the big black ball for a little white one! Aren't we all!



Cheryl
Nordby sent
the above
photo of the
lovely animals
on her golf
course in
Arizona.



I think we'll stick to the geese rather than deal with these javelinas. Yikes!

That's it, folks! The winter addition of Tee Times has been "put to bed." We can't wait to see all of you on the course! It's going to be a great year!