

# TEE TIMES!



**Important Dates to Remember**

**July 26** – Calcutta with pool party at Kathy Z's house

**August 16 & 19** – Club Champion dates

**October 11** - Fall banquet

*"You have to have the guts not to be afraid to screw up."*  
~ Fuzzy Zoeller

Look how cute these two are...even after surviving the hot, humid 90-degree weather playing in the June Teams on Fire Calcutta! Love the colors and the smiles sported by **Bertsie Rannenberg** and **Tillie Wolske**.



We always like to keep track of what members do in the off-season. **Sandy Denault** spent two long cold winters making this counted cross stitch masterpiece. She is entering it in the Minnesota State Fair hoping to see a blue ribbon attached to it.



There are no losers in match play, no sirree. There are 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishers, that's what there is. In this photo, you have no idea who played who or what place they took. Cheers to such a gracious bunch! **Lori Westrum, Sandy Denault, Jane Cacich and Sandy Terry** are all winners, don't you think?



Members: Let us know if you too are entering items in the Fair. We want to be on the lookout for them!

## Getting to Know New Member Heather McCall

**Tell us a little about your golf history.** I started playing a handful of times a summer about 8 years ago. Since then, I've tried to get out bi-weekly at the very least during the season. Last year I made it a point to start golfing weekly and have kept that up for the most part.

**How did you come to join the Como club?** Annie Nixon is a wonderful friend of mine and has talked about how amazing the club and all the members are. I decided after a couple years and a few hints from her that it was time to try it out myself!



**If you want to, tell us about your family / pets.** I am married and have two wonderful kids. My daughter is 15 and just finished her freshman year. My son is 9 and just finished third grade. They are both very athletic and have multiple sports/ activities going on which takes up most evenings and many weekends, but we love it. No pets right now.



**Would you rather hit out of sand or over water?** Out of the sand now that I've gotten slightly better at it!

**Walk or ride?** I enjoy walking, but also prefer to ride if playing 18 until I become more of a consistent golfer.

**Tell us about your current employment.** I ran a local company for a small business owner from 2015 until the end of 2020 which is when Covid was in charge and the company didn't survive it. Due to that however, I ended up being able to spend more time with and homeschool my two kids the entire 2020-2021 school year which turned out to be a blessing in disguise. My kids went back to school for this last 21-22 school year, and in the meantime, I keep busy with all things related to the kids, home, errands, projects, cooking, volunteering, continued learning in the holistic wellness realm, etc. My husband works quite a bit and travels on occasion, so it works well for both of us during this busier chapter of our lives.

**What is your favorite vacation get-away?** Anywhere south or tropical really! I enjoyed Punta Cana and Hawaii the most so far.



**What do you do in the golf off-season?** I enjoy running and hot yoga during the golf off-season season. I also try to get to the indoor simulator or Topgolf as often as I can.

**Do you have a favorite book you would recommend?** I am passionate about health and wellness, so anything I'd recommend would probably be tied to something of that nature and am happy to share those specifics with people who are interested :)



**Do you have a claim to fame?** As far as a claim to fame... Yikes, not sure I can think of anything too big here! I am known for my amazing, handcrafted cocktails and am able to mix just about anything I might have on hand.



## Teams on Fire Calcutta, June 24, 2022

We did have **Teams on Fire** in both incredibly low team scores and hot weather. Seven teams, twenty-eight members, teed off, shotgun style, on Friday, June 24. They were ready to "torch" the course and the weather provided a little assist, going into the 90's by the time we all finished our rounds.



Golfers were greeted at the door by our ever-smiling **Kathy Berven and Christy Davis**. Christy had organized the lunch orders from Nelson Cheese and Deli while Kathy was taking care of the money & team assignments.



**Sarah Davis** had the breakfast table all set with bananas, muffins, coffee cakes, and juices. As a special treat Christy & Sarah had treat bags for us all. Treats in the bags included water, red cinnamon gun, red licorice, red necklaces, red tees, and finally, an ice cream bucket of Fireball donated by **Sandy Terry**! That should keep all of us in red, this round.



**Heather McCall and Jane Cacich** look ready to start the fire.



**Jean Walley and Pat Pederson** having a little snack before heading out.



**Sandy Terry, Susie Quinn, and Donna Forbes** trying to find the courage to go out in the heat.



**Calcutta Chair Rae Cornelius** explaining the format: best ball for each partner team, changing partners every six holes plus "A Devil of a Putt" on #7 and closest to the Ring of Fire on 10.



**Team Red: Christy Davis, Donna Forbes, Rae Cornelius, Wendy Lane**

**Cheryl Nordby, Sandy Terry, Heather McCall and Jean Walley**



**Sarah Davis, Kathy Berven, Bertsie Rannenber and Pat Pederson**



**Carolyn Bolen, Chris Langer, Annie Nixon, and Susie Quinn** looking happy on the 1<sup>st</sup> tee.



Rita Frenzel, Jane Cacich, Angie Guillaume, and Kathy Zieman

And the winners were: In 1<sup>st</sup> place at -20, earning \$20 each, was **Pam Fitch, Colleen Halpine, Ruthann Ryberg, and Tillie Wolske.**

Nipping at their heels with -19 and taking home \$15 was the team of **Sandy Denault, Theresa Peterson, Lori Westrum, and Amy Winkel.**

Following close behind them at -15 was the third-place team and \$10 richer, **Carolyn Bolen, Chris Langer, Annie Nixon, and Susie Quinn.**

Finally, in fourth place with -13, receiving \$5, was the team of **Rae Cornelius, Christy Davis, Donna Forbes, and Wendy Lane.**



Pam Fitch, Colleen Halpine, Tillie Wolske and Ruthann Ryberg



Amy Winkel, Sandy Denault, Theresa Peterson, and Lori Westrum

We had a raffle drawing from the fishbowl for anyone whose ball/s went into the water. **Suzie Tako** (who sadly couldn't participate due to a knee injury) made a fantastic fishbowl for us all.



Annie Nixon, what is in the fishbowl? Winner, winner, goldfish dinner maybe?

thank You

And a special thanks to Shari behind the pro shop desk for being a pleasant and patient spirit to check us all in.





Wendy Lane had the longest putt on 7 (Devil of a Putt) while Pam Fitch's drive was closest to the hula hoop (Ring of Fire) on hole 10.



After play, there was time to relax and enjoy each other's company as great lunches from Nelson's arrived. Cozy's smiling helpers John & Mikala served the liquid refreshments. Then awards were distributed. Congratulations to not only our winners but to all who played and made this day truly a fun event!



The Calcutta planners: Christy Davis, Kathy Berven, Rae Cornelius, Susie Quinn, and Sarah Davis (missing was Suzie Tako)

A special shout-out to Jane Cacich and Angie Guillaume for being brave enough to walk on such a hot and humid day! A beer after the event seemed to revive them.

## Behind the scenes.....



## MGA Member Day at Stillwater Country Club



Back row: Cheryl Nordby, Angie Guillaume, Bertsie Rannenberg, Sandy Denault, Wendy Lane, and Amy Winkel.

Front row: Kathy Zieman, Pam Fitch, Lori Westrum, Big Winner Sandy Terry, and Ruthie Pallow.

On June 27, the MGA held a Member Day event at Stillwater Country Club. Twelve members from Como formed three teams to participate.

None were team winners, unfortunately, but all enjoyed the meal and an after-golf cocktail of choice. The weather cooperated and a fun time was had by all.



Please put on your calendar our next Calcutta, Tuesday, July 26. This is a change from the Como calendar. We will have breakfast at 7:15, shotgun at 8:00, then over to Kathy Zieman's patio & pool for lunch. Details to follow.

And last but certainly not least....a special shout out to **Dan the Ranger** for being so kind to all of us! We so appreciate that carts with wind shields are dried off and ready to go on our club days! It's the little things in life that are the big things. Make sure to give Dan a wave and a thumbs up as you make your way to the 1<sup>st</sup> tee. He's a real gem!