

TEE TIMES!

September 29, 2020 - Last Calcutta of the Season



The best and most clever Calcutta Committee ever: **Ruthann Ryberg, Susan Kimberly, and Rae Cornelius.**

Wanting to do something different and a little fun, the Calcutta committee decided to go with a COVID theme for the final Calcutta. Hence, the entry fee was set at \$13.00, always a lucky number. Certain holes would be "COVID" (uncertain results) and the games would connect to the COVID theme.

Capture the fun

Over 18 holes

Vary those shots

Into pars and birdies

Duck those blowout holes!



Important Dates to Remember

May 2021 - Better year; new season

"Golf is a puzzle without an answer. I've played for over 40 years and I still have no idea how to play the game."

~ Gary Player



And just like that, the switch has been flipped. We went from hot and humid to cozy long underwear and wishing the golf cart seats were heated. Brr...

Thanks to Ruthann for this feast!



Ruthann came through with a wonderful breakfast of a delicious homemade apple pastry, accompanied by a yogurt and granola cup. She added coffee as a special treat for the colder weather. After a slight frost delay, everyone was ready to "get the show on the road" or hopefully, on the fairway.



Susan Kimberly, the financial wizard of the committee, makes sure Ruthann pays her entry fee.



Everyone was paying close attention as Rae, a former schoolteacher (so she knows how to command attention), explained the game to Konny Fitch, Ruth Pallow, Susie Quinn and Tillie Wolske and anyone else paying attention.



Susie Quinn with her badass earmuffs.



The properly socially distanced, from the photographer, team of Tillie Wolske, Annie Nixon, and Ruth Pallow.



The bundled-up team of Sandy Denault, Pat Pederson and Linda See. There were handwarmers too!



The progression of Minnesota golf head gear (no hat to visor to headband) modeled by Denise Beigbeder, Jan Anderson, and Cheryl Nordby.



Ruthann Ryberg, Suzie Tako, and Kathy Zieman are ready to go.



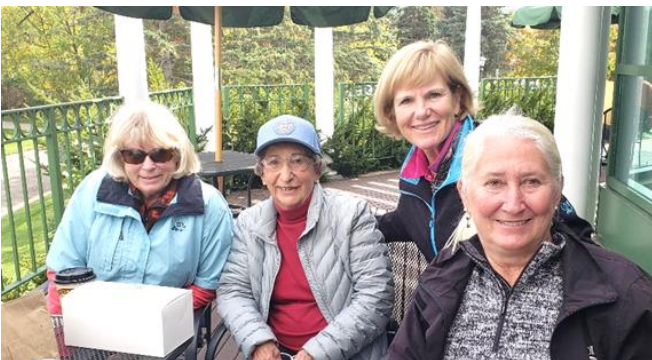
Winner, winner chicken dinner team: **Bertsie Rannenberg, Jane Cacich, Theresa Peterson and Konny Fitch.**



For some crazy reason, two teams were not photographed. One was **Rae Cornelius, Colleen Halpine and Susie Quinn**, the other team was **Kathy Berven, Susan Kimberly, Wendy Lane, and Carolyn Bolen**. Hmm...someone will not be getting their yearly performance raise!



The members hang on **Rae's** every word as she announces the winners.



1st Place Team!!!

And the winners were....everyone!

1st place with a score of 118: **Jane Cacich, Konny Fitch, Theresa Peterson, and Bertsie Rannenberg.** \$25 each.

2nd place with a score of 121: **Annie Nixon, Ruth Pallow, Tillie Wolske.** \$20 each.

3rd place with a score of 123: **Rae Cornelius, Colleen Halpine, Susie Quinn.** \$15 each.

4th place with a score of 126: **Jan Anderson, Denise Beigbeder, Cheryl Nordby.** \$10 each.

5th place with a score of 129: **Ruthann Ryberg, Suzie Tako, Kathy Zieman.** \$5 each.

6th and 7th place teams with scores of 132 & 133 respectively, **Sandy Denault, Pat Pederson, Linda See; Kathy Berven, Carolyn Bolen, Susan Kimberly, and Wendy Lane.** \$2 each.



Creative "water ball" basket for name entry for those who "donated" balls to the water gods. It was meant to lessen the pain. And it did, especially the beer!

COVID Game Winners


Capture the hole, (lowest team gross score on hole 13). **Two teams** tied with a total score of 9. In other words, all team members parred the hole!

Over the water nearest to the pin on hole 18: **Jane Cacich.**

Vary your score, drawing of all members whose individual hole score varied by 6 points or more: **Rae Cornelius**

Into the water, drawing for members whose ball went into the water, **Denise Beigbeder.**

Closest to the **Duck** sitting on the 150 marker on hole 1: **Annie Nixon**

Over the  water and closest to the pin on #18 winner: **Jane Cacich.** And...she gets extra points for being the only walker.



Tillie Wolske and Denise Beigbeder enjoy their great box lunch.



Lunch was socially distanced on the Como Golf Course deck. Nelson's Cheese Shop delivered the preordered lunches. Some were hot; some were cold; but all were large and delicious!



Annie Nixon and Linda See enjoying lunch and a beverage.



Thanks go to Chris Bettinger, Como manager, and Lauren, for serving us the drinks with a smile and helping the committee out when needed. They are the best!

A Few Candid Shots



Colleen Halpine, Suzie Tako, Kathy Zieman and Susie Quinn enjoying the sun and lunch...both well deserved.



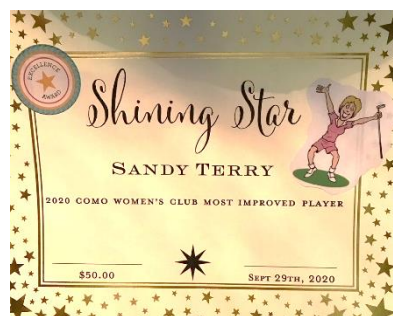
Bertsie Rannenberg and Tillie Wolske. Bertsie is getting ready by pretending she is stretching.



Jane Cacich, Jan Anderson, Konny Fitch, Theresa Peterson and Bertsie Rannenberg...all in mid-chew.

This was also a mini end-of-season banquet since Covid-19 changed our usual big end of the season bash. CWGC President **Ruth Pallow** handed out awards for the various events during the season. Complete information will be in the fall booklet once that is completed and emailed. Congratulations to all winners.

One of the coveted awards that is given out is the Most Improved Golfer. It is a tough one to win. Improving all summer and holding on to that improvement is a challenge. It's so fun to see who is the winner. This year, it was **Sandy Terry!** She took lessons and tried to apply what she learned each time she teed it up. Sadly, she was sick so she couldn't play in the Calcutta and receive her award in front of her adoring fans. Just so she knows, the crowd did go wild.



One last thanks to the Calcutta Committee! You have done such a good job we're going to let you do it again next year. That's the kind of club we are.



Our 2020 Club Champion **Cheryl Nordby** loved seeing her name engraved on the trophy. Who wouldn't?