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OCGC TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE 2016 (Tentative)

Mon, Feb 29	Sequoyah CC, Oakland	Fun Event - Guest Event
Sun, Mar 20	Silverado South CC, Napa	Fun Event - Guest Event RAIN OUT
Sat, Apr 2	Deer Ridge, Brentwood	Marc Rice Memorial
Sun, May 1	Hiddenbrooke, Vallejo	Director's Cup
Thu, May 19	Blackhawk CC Lake, Danville	Fun Event – Guest Event
Sun, Jun 12	Las Positas, Livermore	
Mon, Jul 18	Round Hill CC, Alamo	Fun Event - Guest Event
Sat, Jul 30	Rancho Solano, Fairfield	
Sat, Aug 20	Blue Rock	Club Championship
Sun, Aug 21	Chardonnay, Napa	Club Championship
Sun, Sep 11	Mare Island	Daimo Cup
Sun, Oct 15	Paradise Valley, Fairfield	
Sat, Nov 5	Tilden Park, Oakland	Hugh Lee TOC

OCGC HAS A FACEBOOK PAGE!

PLEASE VISIT OUR FACEBOOK PAGE AT <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Oakland-Chinese-Golf-Club/1538219453073989>. AND BE SURE TO LIKE THE PAGE TO BE NOTIFIED OF UPDATES.

We would like your help in building our community and ask you to recruit your friends to LIKE our Facebook page as well.

We look forward to seeing you on Facebook. If you have any questions, please email Cliff Tong at Tong.cliff@gmail.com.

For more information on the club visit www.oaklandchinesegec.org . For more information on the Federation of Chinese GC, visit www.chinesefedgolf.org to see the activities of the 20 member clubs.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

The Club Championship was played on consecutive days at Blue Rock and Chardonnay GCs. The level of difficulty for the 25 players is reflected in the net scores with only two scores in the 60's. Incredible come back by Alan Whiteside to win Low Net.

George Kong III, defending his title, won Field low gross with a score of 81-82 – 163

<i>A Flight</i>		<i>B Flight</i>	
1 Victor Hui	70-72—142	field low net	T1 Alan Whiteside 79-67—146 low net
2 Kam Kong Tong	74-70—144	low net	Teerry Owyang 74-72—146 second net
3 Joseph Young	73-72—145	second net	3 Ray Jeung 75-72-- 147
4 Nobby Noriye	72-75—147		4 Tom Fujimura 75 -76--151
T5 Alex Fong	69-79—148		5 Frank Chiang 73-80--153
George Kong III	73-75—148		T6 Mark Wong 71-83--154
7 Kenny N Fong	75-75—150		Nelson Wong 73-81--154
8 David Yip	80-74—154		T8 Allen Yuen 77-79--156
T9 Chris Pangilinan	77-82—159		Chris Lang 81-75--156
Mr. John O'Shaughnessy	76-83—159		10 Eddie Yokoyama 82-87--169
Tyler Eng	77-82—159		11 Chuck A Chinn 91-88—179

Ladies Flight

1 Jeanne Yip	72-74—146	low net
2 Joyce Shao	72-76--148	
3 Christine Lee	83-70—153	

KPs: Blue Rock: Alex Fong, Chris Pangilinan, Chris Lang. Chardonnay: Victor Lui, Chris Lang, Joyce Shao, John O'Shaughnessy.

Skins: Blue Rock: Frank Chiang, KK Tong, Alan Whiteside, Chuck Chinn. Chardonnay: Frank Chiang, Eddie Yokoyama(2), Ray Juang(2), Kenny Fong, George Kong, Chuck Chinn.



**CLUB CHAMPS – (L-R) JEANNE YIP, K.K. TONG, GEORGE KONG III,
ALAN WHITESIDE, NOT PICTURED VICTOR HUI**

DAIMO CUP SUMMARY

The Daimo Cup scheduled for Roddy Ranch was changed to Mare Island with the closure of the former. Did that have anything to do with the low signup of 12 players on the pairings? Actually, there were only seven members who played this trophy event that saw very nice warm weather.

The results saw Stephen Lee winning the trophy and the \$100.00 dinner certificate donated by Daimo Restaurant. The 13th annual event started in 2004 by then owner K.K. Tong, turned the restaurant over to his son Sam who has continued the traditional event. Speaking of Sam who is in Hong Kong, was married last year and expecting a baby in September. K. K. made the trip from Hong Kong to present the trophy and certificate to Stephen who won with a net of 71. K. K. just missed winning his own event by two strokes with a net of 73

The followers were Victor Hui – 73, Alan Whiteside – 77, Bernie Lee – 78, Chris Pangilinan – 83 and Hugh Lee – 89. There were no skins, but the KP’s went to Stephen Lee, Hole 3 and Guest Dave Maxwell Hole 17.



DAIMO CUP – (L) K. K. TONG, STEPHEN LEE

2016 VANCOUVER LABOR DAY INVITATIONAL

It was Vancouver’s turn to host the Inter-City Event that is rotated every year between the four Pacific Northwest Federation Clubs. The clubs are Portland, Victoria BC, Seattle and Vancouver BC. These clubs joined the Federation a few years after the Federation was formed in 1970 and the Federation now boasts 20 clubs. Check out www.chinesefedgolf.org for a bit of history.

The golf venues used in Vancouver were at the two Northview Courses, the Ridge and Canal, in Surrey BC. The central accommodations were at the Sandman Hotel Vancouver Airport. The field of 115 including 28 women toured the two championship courses where there were challenging fast greens and tight fairways.

OCGC sent seven members to play and three were in the winner’s circle. The Men’s “A” Flight saw Clem Leung winning Low Gross, Kim Shek won Low Gross in the Womens’s “A” Flight and 2nd Low Net was won by Judy Lim in the Women’s “B” Flight. Congrats to the winners! Also, playing were Chuck Chinn, Alex Fong, Al Lim and K.K. Tong.



(l-r) KIM SHEK, ALEX FONG, JUDY LIM, CLEM LEUNG, K.K. TONG, CHUCK CHINN, AL LIM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The board is still looking for volunteers to fill open positions on the Board of Directors. The offices of President and Vice-President are open. This will be a great opportunity for members to gain experience and provide some valuable feedback to help the club continue improving by doing new and innovative programs for the membership. There are only four dinner meetings a year to learn how each of the committees function. If you have are interested in supporting the club, give anyone of the Board members a call.

We recently filled the office of Tournament Chair – Elect who will be working on lining up your courses for 2017. See the officer’s list above to contact them to help on the events in 2017. There are plenty of older members out there that have benefited as a member for many years, but have not served on the board in any capacity. Let’s step up to help on committees when asked, to gain some insight on how the committees work and to gain experience as a future chairperson.

The TC – Elects are busily contacting courses for 2017 and have a few confirmed. The tentative schedule will include Callippe, Hiddenbrooke, Rancho Solano, Mira Vista, Boundary Oak, Peacock Gap, Paradise Valley, Chardonnay, Eagle Vines, Monarch Bay, and Metropolitan with alternates at Lake Chabot, and Shoreline. As we get closer to the end of the year, with more confirmations, the dates will be announced.

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If you have any changes in your address, phone or email address, contact Secretary Steve Chan (steven.chan@calbt.com) who will pass on any changes to other members of the board.

SHORT SHOTS

The Player of the Year standings show Alan Whiteside taking over first place with Victor Hui coming in strong with great scores over the past four events and only five points behind. Following close behind are Alex Fong, Frank Chiang, and Joseph Young. Check out the attachment which shows that we have 70 members that have played at least one event in 2016. With only two more events, there is still a chance to get into the winners (5) circle.

The NCGA Most Improved Golfer report that comes out monthly shows the current MIG winner this month. It compares the monthly index from the previous year to the current month. The September and October’s MIG s were Christine Lee and Perry Seto respectively. Christine’s index September 2015 was 22.3 and improved in September 2016 to 18.1. Perry went from an October 2015 17.5 to October 2016 14.7. Congrats!

The club welcomes new members Gordon Wong and wife, Ann Evans which brings the OCGC membership up to 110. As we are in October, any new members signing up at this time, their dues will be applied to their 2017 dues. Watch for the membership renewal forms that will be sent out as soon as the NCGA fees for 2017 are known.
