



**Directors
2014**

President

Lorne Lindsay

Secretary

Doug Blackman

Treasurer

Brian Ciccozzi

Captain

Don McPherson

Vice-Captains

Dave Thomas - Draw

Geof Trunkfield - Scoring

Membership Director

Bill Titmuss

Social Director

Peter Coyle

Director at Large

Laurie Craddock

Past President

Jim Selley

Advisors:

Webmasters &

Divot Dust

Gary Sinclair

Ed Watson

Event Registration

eSignup & eHandicap

Barry Arnett

Chris Allen

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2014

11:30 A.M.

Directors' Annual Reports

Awards Presentations

LUNCHEON & SOCIAL FUNCTION



AGM & Luncheon Social Function



Awards Presentations

WEST POINT GOLF CLUB

84TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

***Tuesday, October 28, 2014 - 11:30 a.m.
Strathcona Room Third Floor
Arbutus Club – 2001 Nanton Avenue, Vancouver***

BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA

Sign-in of Members at Door and Collection of Annual Dues (cheques only)

- Please bring your cheque (not cash) ***payable to West Point Golf Club*** and leave it with the Treasurer at the door. (Full Play Membership \$125.00, Associate Membership \$50.00)

Welcome/ Call to Order by Lorne Lindsay, President

- General Welcome to Playing, Lifetime and Associate Members; Special Guests
- President's Opening Remarks – Season Overview

Roll Call of Directors

- Introduction of Directors, noting their Responsibilities

Quorum

- Count of Voting Members present (only 8 are required for a quorum)

Minutes of the 83rd AGM held on October 29, 2013

- Published in latest issue of Divot Dust
- Call for a proposer and seconder
- Discussion
- Question – Motion to accept minutes of 83rd AGM October 29, 2013

Directors' Reports for 2014 Season – other than Treasurer's Report

- Published in latest issue of Divot Dust (attached) and taken as read:

President	Lorne Lindsay
Captain	Don McPherson
Vice-Captain - Draw	Dave Thomas
Vice-Captain - Scoring	Geof Trunkfield
Membership	Bill Titmuss
Social	Peter Coyle
Director at Large	Laurie Craddock
Past President	Jim Selley
Communications	Gary Sinclair / Ed Watson
eSignup, eHandicap	Barry Arnett / Chris Allen
Riverway	Peter Coyle

- Call for a proposer and seconder
- Discussion
- Question – Motion to adopt all reports as published

Treasurer’s Report for 2014 and Budget for 2015

Report by Jim Mackie, Interim Treasurer

- See two copies on each table
- Call for a proposer and seconder
- Discussion
- Question

Election of Directors for 2015

- Nominating Committee Members: Jim Selley (Chair), Brian Ciccozzi, Wayne Ferrey
- Slate of Nominating Committee - presented by Jim Selley:

President	Andrew Hobbs	1st Year
Secretary	Doug Blackman	2nd Year
Treasurer	Jim Mackie	1st Year
Captain	Don McPherson	2nd Year
Vice-Captain - Draw	Dave Thomas	2nd Year
Vice-Captain - Scoring	Peter Coyle	1st Year
Membership	Bill Titmuss	2nd Year
Social	Colin Mallet	1st Year
Director at Large	Nick Atkinson	1st Year
- Call for other nominations by Jim Selley
- Call for proposer/seconder to close nominations
- Voting
- Election

Executive appointments made by Board of Directors

Executive Appointment:
Past President **Lorne Lindsay**

Advisor Appointments:
Website Management **Gary Sinclair and Ed Watson**
Electronic Applications **Barry Arnett**

Adjournment

Call for mover and seconder

Membership Fee for 2015 season
\$125.00

Associate Membership Fee \$50.00

Please remember to bring *your cheque (not cash)*
to the October 28th AGM and Awards Luncheon

Brian Ciccozzi - Treasurer

Minutes of 2013 West Point Golf Club Annual General Meeting Held at the Arbutus Club, Tuesday, October 29, 2013

Welcome/Call to Order

The President, Lorne Lindsay, called the meeting to order at 11:50 am.

In his opening remarks, Lorne noted that the Club had enjoyed another fantastic season, thanks in large part to the dedication of Club members. We were finishing the season with a full complement of 100 members, plus three associate members and 13 prospective members on the Wait List. Lorne pointed out that several members had played little or all this past season, primarily because of health problems, and mentioned in particular Dave Fairweather and Roy Moulton, two Charter and Lifetime members, who were unable to attend the meeting, as well as Lloyd Shippam and Maurice Foisy, who were in attendance, and Art Roberts, who was in hospital undergoing tests. Lorne pointed out that Jim Appleby, who had served the Club in many capacities since becoming a member in 2005, including as President in 2009-10, was also in hospital. Cards had been placed at the tables for any members who wished to write a note to Jim. Lorne said that Jim had asked him to convey his thanks and appreciation for the encouragement and best wishes he had received from many Club members.

The President went on to thank Gary Sinclair and Ed Watson for the excellent work they had done to upgrade the Club's website, which is the envy of other clubs, and to thank Barry Arnett for the development and maintenance of our new eSignup program. Lorne mentioned that he and other members of the Board had met with Joan Probert, Supervisor of Business Services with the Vancouver Park Board early in the season, and that this would be followed up with an end-of-season meeting in early November. Lorne said the Club also had good working relationships with the pro shops at McCleery, Langara, Fraserview and Riverway.

Roll Call of Directors

The President introduced the 2013 Board of Directors and Advisors and thanked them for their contributions over the past year:

Dave Stephens, Secretary
Rob Dickinson, Treasurer
Mike Carter, Captain
Andrew Hobbs, Vice-Captain (Draws)
Geof Trunkfield, Vice-Captain (Scoring)
Don McPherson, Membership Director
Peter Coyle, Social Director
Laurie Craddock, Director at Large
Jim Selley, Past President
Gary Sinclair and Ed Watson, Communications Advisors
Barry Arnett, eSignup Advisor
Chris Allen, eHandicap Advisor

The outgoing Board was rewarded with a round of applause from the members present.

Quorum

The President indicated that, with 72 in attendance, the quorum requirement of 8 had been met.

Minutes of the 2012 AGM, held on October 30, 2012

The President noted that the minutes of the 2012 AGM had been included in the latest issue of *Divot Dust*. It was moved by Doug Blackman, seconded by Dave Thomas, that the minutes be approved as published in the October, 2013 issue of *Divot Dust*. Carried.

Directors' Reports for 2013 (other than the report of the Treasurer)

The President pointed out that Directors' reports had also been published in the October, 2013 issue of *Divot Dust*. It was moved by Ray Dujardin, seconded by Jim Mackie, that these reports be approved as published. Carried.

Treasurer's Report for 2013 and Proposed Budget for 2014

The Treasurer, Rob Dickinson, noted that the budget for 2013 had provided for a surplus of \$500. The actual surplus for 2013 was projected to be \$2,409. This reflected higher than anticipated revenues, largely as a result of a successful effort to increase the number of Wait List members, as well as lower than anticipated expenditures, primarily because the purchase of a laptop computer, which had been planned for 2013, had been deferred to 2014. The Treasurer predicted that the Club would finish the fiscal year with a bank balance of \$16,546, most of which was on deposit in a savings account at ING Bank.

For 2014, the Treasurer indicated that he assumed the Club would have a full membership of 100 members, but slightly less revenue from Wait List members than in 2013, resulting in total revenues of \$13,500. The proposed budget for 2014 provided for slightly higher expenditures than in 2013, from \$12,550 to \$13,000, and an end-of-year surplus of \$600 to provide a cushion on the event of unplanned expenditures. This would result in a year-end bank balance of \$17,146.

Following a short discussion, it was moved by Doug Blackman, seconded by Jim Selley, that the Treasurer's report for 2013 and proposed budget for 2014 be approved as presented. Carried.

Election of Directors for 2014

The Chairman of the Nominating Committee, Jim Selley, presented the slate of Directors recommended by the Committee, noting that the proposed Board would have a good mix of experienced and new members:

President	Lorne Lindsay (2 nd year)
Secretary	Doug Blackman (1 st year)
Treasurer	Brian Ciccozzi (1 st year)
Captain	Don McPherson (1 st year)
Vice-Captain (Draws)	Dave Thomas (1 st year)
Vice-Captain (Scoring)	Geof Trunkfield (2 nd year)
Membership Director	Bill Titmuss (1 st year)
Social Director	Peter Coyle (2 nd year)
Director at Large	Laurie Craddock (3 rd year)

It was moved by Neil Brett-Davies, seconded by Don Edmonds, that the Nominating Committee's proposed slate of Directors for 2014 be approved. With no further nominations from the floor, the motion was carried.

Lorne Lindsay thanked the Nominating Committee for their work and expressed appreciation to the departing Board members, Mike Carter, Andrew Hobbs, Rob Dickinson and Dave Stephens for their contributions over the previous two years.

Executive Appointments Made by the Board of Directors

Members were informed that Jim Selley would continue on the Board as Past President; that Gary Sinclair and Ed Watson would continue to participate in Board meetings in view of their responsibilities in relation to Communications, and that Barry Arnett and Chris Allen would also participate in view of their responsibilities for eSignup and eHandicap, respectively.

On behalf of all members, Lorne Lindsay thanked Gary Sinclair for his "superstar" effort in publishing the most recent issue of *Divot Dust*.

New Business

The President noted that the Board was seeking membership approval of a one-time, \$1,000 grant to the Inner City Youth Golf Program, organized by Muncie Booth. A motion to this effect was moved by Mike Carter, seconded by Dave Stephens. Carried.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the 2013 Annual General Meeting was adjourned at 12:19 p.m.

After a short break, Lorne Lindsay asked for a moment's silence in recognition of the passing of three former WPGC members over the past year: Don Lamb, Wally Lyle and Bob King.

The President then said Grace before inviting members to take advantage of the buffet lunch provided by the Arbutus Club, during which Carl Jonsson ran the reverse draw, with Tad Yamasaki being the big winner.

Following the lunch, Lorne thanked the staff of the Arbutus Club for providing the very fine meal members had just enjoyed. He then recognized two Associate members who were present, namely Harold Hunter and Al Williams, as well as the three Lifetime Members who were also in attendance: Ray Dujardin, Hugh Marshall and Gary Sinclair. Lorne also welcomed the four new Board members (Doug Blackman, Brian Ciccozzi, Dave Thomas and Bill Titmuss), as well as Don McPherson, who was leaving his position as Membership Director to take on the role of Captain.

Following the President's remarks, Mike Carter, with the assistance of Andrew Hobbs and Geof Trunkfield, handed out awards to winners of the various competitions, who were then recorded for posterity by photographers Ray Dujardin and Gary Sinclair. Mike noted that handing out the awards for 2013 was his final act as Captain, and remarked that it had been a great pleasure to have been Captain of the West Point Club.

In closing the meeting, Lorne Lindsay congratulated the winners; thanked Jim Selley for arranging to have the trophies and shields engraved, as he had for the past several years; thanked Paul Levy for creating the new Vintage Cup; acknowledged four members who had indicated they would not be continuing as members in 2014 (Michael Alms, Jim Appleby, John Bowman and Dieter Schwab); thanked everyone for attending; and wished all members a good winter.

Respectfully submitted

Dave Stephens
Secretary



84th ANNUAL LUNCHEON & AWARDS CEREMONY

12.00 Noon to 12:30 pm: **Cash Bar Open for Social Gathering.**

12.30 pm: **Members invited to be seated**
General welcome & announcements (President)

Special welcome to:

Lifetime Members
Associate Members
Charter Members
Guests

Saying of Grace

Buffet Luncheon Begins - during which:

Reverse Draw (Barry Arnett)

Awarding of Trophies: (Don McPherson, Dave Thomas, Geof Trunkfield)

1. **Bud Brown Eclectic:** individual winners in each of 3 handicap divisions
2. **Neil McIntyre Trophy:** winner with lowest net score
3. **Ed Angel Trophy:** winning 2-man team
4. **TNT (McCleery):** "Team Net Total" winning foursome
5. **Stroke Play Champion**
6. **Flight Champions:** A, B and C - acknowledgement of champions
7. **Handicap Champions**
8. **Senior Master Champion**
9. **Super Senior Champion**
10. **Season Match Play - Dave Fairweather Trophy**
11. **Putting Jamboree:** winner with lowest score
12. **Joe Dwyer Trophy:** winning 2-man team
13. **Roli Parker Shield Eclectic:** individual winners in each of 3 handicap divisions
14. **Palcutta:** acknowledgement of winning team
15. **Club Champion - Match Play**
16. **Flight Champions:** B and C winners
17. **Ab Miles (McQuarrie Hunter) Tankard:** winner with lowest net score
18. **Laurie Craddock Vintage Cup** - overall winner;
2014 medallions to each winner of Young, Younger, Youngest categories
19. **TNT - (Fraserview):** "Team Net Total" winning foursome
20. **Doug LeBlanc Shield:** individual winners in each of 3 handicap divisions
21. **Bob Jack Trophy:** winner with total of lowest best three scores
22. **Old Block Trophy:** winner - West Point Golf Club
23. **Hole-in-One:** achiever(s) in 2014 playing in any WPGC fixture
24. **Strategic Handicap Management Award** - to be announced at this time

To speed up the process, cash prizes for each of the above winners and all runners-up will be available when you arrive at the AGM and pay your \$125.00 membership dues for 2015.

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Chris Allen

President's Message



It has been my honour and privilege to serve as your President for the past two years. West Point Golf Club has enjoyed another very successful season and I applaud all members for your participation and dedication to the Club. In particular, I extend my thanks to our elected Board and four advisors, who willingly gave

countless hours to ensure the smooth running of our organization. We owe each of them a debt of gratitude.

Those leaving their executive roles are: **Brian Ciccuzzi**, Treasurer; **Geof Trunkfield**, Vice-Captain – Scoring; and **Chris Allen**, eHandicap advisor. Past President **Jim Selley** has completed 8 stellar years of serving the membership in many capacities, providing superb leadership. The Nominating Committee has presented an excellent slate of directors for 2015; I believe that our Club will continue to excel in their capable hands.

The composition of WPGC has changed significantly over the past several years. Due to a variety of circumstances, we have needed to replace members and have been fortunate to attract quality people; 38 have joined over the last 3 years, 49 over the past 6 – an amazing turnover of 50%. When I look back at the roster in 2005 (the year I became a member) 85 new faces have appeared.

Since our last annual general meeting and luncheon, we have mourned the loss of five outstanding gentlemen, each of whom provided service and fellowship to the West Point membership: **Jim Appleby, Dave Fairweather, Art Roberts, Bud Cowlin and Laurie Craddock**. Each one is truly missed.

Representatives of our Club meet regularly with **Joan Probert**, Supervisor of Business Services for the Vancouver Park Board, and we maintain ongoing communication with Park Board staff. The Club also enjoys good relationships with the Pro Shop staff at all four golf courses: McCleery, Langara, Fraserview and Riverway.

Each Director and Advisor has filed a report in this issue of the Divot Dust, recognizing members who have provided valuable service. Our Club continues to thrive on the volunteers who come forward each year to coordinate competitions and events – we definitely could not operate without them. In addition to those mentioned in these reports, there are others who should be recognized. **Carl Jonsson** continues to be our legal expert, submitting the appropriate paperwork to maintain our status as a registered society. **Paul Levy**, in addition to working on the Ab Miles competition (which he initiated as the McQuarrie Hunter Tankard) and the Vintage Cup, annually updates his Journal of Champions. It will be on display at the AGM; take a few minutes to glance through it. **Jim Selley** takes great care in collecting and engraving all our trophies, for which we are thankful. **Brian Ciccozzi** and his team of editors produce our Pocket Reference.

The work done by all the Board members is exemplary, but I must also comment on the contributions of our Advisors. **Barry Arnett** has done good work with the development and maintenance of our *eSignup* system and **Chris Allen's** work with *eHandicap* was much appreciated. The dedication, devotion and time that **Gary Sinclair and Ed Watson** devote to our website and all its manifestations are phenomenal.

As a way of giving back to the game and encouraging young people to become involved in golf, your 2014 Board is recommending an annual contribution of up to \$1,000 toward junior golf. Two programs currently available in Vancouver are: the *Junior Golf Program for Inner City Youth*, coordinated by **Muncie Booth**, Head Golf Professional at McCleery and *The First Tee of Greater Vancouver*, an initiative led by **Tom Monaghan** of Fraserview. Last year we supported the Muncie Booth program.

I hope that you haven't minded my countless email messages during the season as I've tried to maintain the lines of communication and also acknowledge achievements and contributions of our members. Your comments and suggestions have been appreciated.

The "**Sketch of a West Pointer**" project is an attempt to share a glimpse into the background of our members. This year we focused on **Neil Brett-Davies, Gordie MacCulloch, Norm Thiessen, Peter Kidd, David Haddleton** and **Lloyd Shippam**. (*Editor's Note - Please see the website's Members Gallery to access these Sketches*).

At the suggestion of Barry Arnett, the Board created a new event, *Season Match Play*. An annual trophy for this popular event has been named in honour and memory of **Dave Fairweather** - Charter Member, Lifetime Member, former President and Captain. The Board of Directors also re-named the Vintage Cup, in memory and recognition of the contributions of **Laurie Craddock**, former Club Captain. For the current season, a memorial medallion will be awarded to each of the age-group winners: Young, Younger and Youngest!

Best wishes to you and your family for a healthy and happy winter season. Hope to see you in the spring!

Lorne Lindsay

Golf is harder than baseball. In golf, you have to play your foul balls.

My favourite shots are the practice swing and the conceded putt. The rest can never be mastered.

Golf balls from the same sleeve tend to follow one another, particularly out of bounds or into the water.

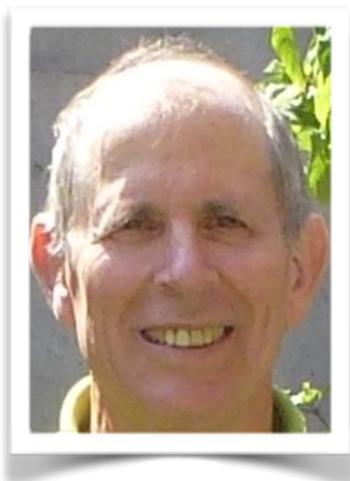
We appreciate the contribution of the four Board members who have completed their terms and thank them for their dedicated service to the operation of the Club.



Treasurer, **Brian Ciccuzzi**; Vice-Captain – Scoring, **Geof Trunkfield**;
Advisor, eHandicap, **Chris Allen** and Past President, **Jim Selley**.

Captain's Message

This year's program was packed to bursting with several new tournaments and some changes to the timing of several others. One reason for changing the timing on early season tournaments was to leave some of the team tournaments (for example, the TNT) until the weather improved. With bad weather and wet fairways there were many more cancelations early in the season which make tournament management very difficult.



The West Point golf season started with a Foursome Captain's game in late March. This was a change from prior years where there has been an evening meeting with Foursome Captains to update them on club expectations, pace of play, etc. The format was successful and will be continued in 2015.

Two new competitions were added to the roster in 2014 which appeared to be well received. The first of these was the *Season Match Play* ably coordinated by **Barry Arnett**. A new trophy was organized by **Jim Selley** and will be handed out at the AGM. The other, ably coordinated by **Richard Martin**, was the *Red, White and Blue* (this tournament was the brain child of **Peter Coyle**). A trophy for the Red, White and Blue tournament will be put in place in 2015.

There were five *Away Games* this year. We dropped our game at Point Roberts because of concerns about the condition of the course and substituted Mayfair Lakes. Despite some concerns about the amount of water on the course and potential lost balls, there was consensus after the game the venue was excellent, the price was right and that we would play there again in 2015.

The *Option Group* was not continued in 2014. The one member in the Group from the prior year was grand-fathered. There were concerns about how to vet members who wished to join the Group and whether the Group members should be eligible for tournaments.

This year we tried a new format for the *Palcutta Social*. The Social was held an hour earlier at 6PM and the Club provided a hamburger meal. There was no discernible increase in the turnout. A decision has yet to be made regarding 2015.

Once again the tournaments came off like well-oiled machines thanks to the dedication and hard work of the coordinators. It was a real pleasure and a most rewarding experience working with them throughout the year. It has also been a pleasure working with the Board and particular thanks should go to **Barry Arnett, Peter Coyle** and **Lorne Lindsay** for filling in the gaps in my knowledge of tournament formats.

Don McPherson

*An interesting thing about golf is that no matter how badly you play,
it is always possible to get worse.*

Vice-Captain's (Scoring) - Message



Another wonderful season of golf is coming to a close and I would like to thank the members of the West Point Golf Club for their ongoing support of the Captain's Table. The encouragement by players goes along way to make those working the 'Table' feel their involvement is worthwhile and appreciated. To those who monitored results each week keeping things straight we are truly indebted.

Gary Sinclair and **Ed Watson** continue to provide a world class website. It is the mainstay of communication within our club. They post each day's results, scores and prizes, for the Captain's Table and keep an ongoing history for the season. We are fortunate to have them and must applaud their commitment.

Pace of play has been wonderful this year with most rounds being completed in less than four hours and fifteen minute and Gap Times mostly under ten minutes. This has given our club a very good reputation with the personnel at all three golf courses. Thanks must go to the late **Laurie Craddock** and **Lorne Lindsay** for their efforts in monitoring and emphasizing the speed of play.

Credit must go to **Dave Thomas** who when handling the draw has taken on the additional complication of giving those managing the 'Table' appropriate tee times. Without this coordination staffing each week would be impossible.

Once again, **Chris Allen** has maintained the Handicap Lists enabling us to have fair competition between members of varying abilities.

I would like to thank those who served at the Captain's Table this year. In particular, **Jim Trotter**, **Phil Joughin**, **Peter Coyle** and **Richard Martin** who were stalwart in the time and expertise they contributed. They volunteered their time and effort willingly. **Dave Thomas**, **Rob Sandhu**, and **Sam Shalaby** also assisted. It was only with these individual's work that the Captain's Table could run smoothly.

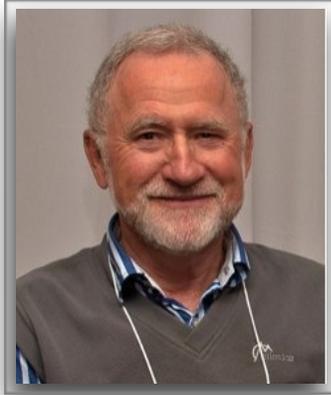
Have a great Winter. May your golf balls fly straight and long! I look forward to seeing you in the Spring.

Geof Trunkfield

*A gimme can best be defined as an agreement between two golfers
neither of whom can putt very well.*

Vice-Captain's (Weekly Draw) - Message

The weekly draw went pretty smoothly this season, particularly for the five week period when **Frank Gallagher** nobly took over while I over-indulged myself in the South of France.



The eSignup process worked extremely well (my thanks to **Barry Arnett**), and very few people forgot the password more than once. Furthermore, I needed to regularly call only one member with his tee time. The rest were either totally computer-savvy, or had a very good friend. Way to go West Point!

A new event was added this season that threatened to make the Drawmaster's easy life a wee bit more difficult – the season-long *Fairweather Match Play* tournament, to be played concurrently with the regular events. Much to my amazement, most contestants managed to give me notice of their intended fixture at least three days in advance, so I hardly had to re-do the draw at all.

At the inaugural club meeting in April, I had mentioned that a small contribution of liquid gold would go a long way in ensuring that any special request would be favourably considered, expecting there to be only one or two. However, by the end of the season, my list of these extended to a second page, and my liquor cabinet was still empty! Some examples:

"Can I play early/late"

"Can I play early AND late" (that one was tricky)

"I want/don't want to play with X"

"X must play with me"

"X wants to play with me, but I don't want to play with him" (sounds like my grandson)

"I need a tee time next to X's tee time"

"I must have a cart partner"

"If it means I have to share a cart with X, I want to have a cart alone".

"I may decide not to have a cart when I turn up, depending on my hips/knees, heart/lungs/gut, but give me a cart partner just in case I don't".

"Is it going to rain? If so, I am cancelling"

"I forgot to register (again). Can you fit me in?"

"I forgot that I registered for this week, and have to cancel"

"I have to cancel because(27 different excuses, not including "the dog ate my homework")"

Seriously, I found everyone very apologetic if they had to cancel, and very appreciative (verbally) if I could fit them in (which I nearly always could, as there were invariably more cancellations than late registrations). It has been a fun experience, and I am looking forward to doing it again next year (seriously).

A few statistics. We were assigned 22 tee times slots on each course. We used an average of 16 slots. We only exceeded 18 slots twice (20 and 21). We used less than 16 slots 5 times. The lowest number of slots used was 12 (greens not even punched).

It only rained twice before October.

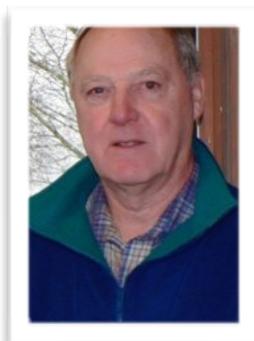
I am renaming the wait list guys, the "save list guys".

Dave Thomas

The Members of our Captain's Table



Peter Coyle



Phil Joughin



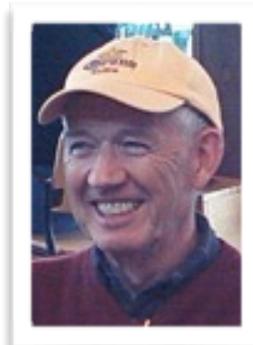
Richard Martin



Rob Sandhu



Sam Shalaby



Jim Trotter

Former Officers of WPGC's Board of Directors

Twenty-three (23) of our currently active or associate members have, in the past, served on our Board of Directors:

**Michael Alms
Ed Bobinski
Mike Carter
Brian Ciccozzi
Neil Brett-Davies
Rob Dickinson**

**David Dickson
Ray Dujardin
Maurice Foisy
David Haddleton
Andrew Hobbs
Harold Hunter**

**Carl Jonsson
Jim Mackie
Hugh Marshall
John McHattie
Roy Moulton
Ben Oxholm**

**Andy Schmidt
Dave Stephens
Gary Sinclair
Craig Thomson
Al Williams**

Membership Director's Message

It has been said that as we age we may become more rigid and we may have greater difficulty accepting change. Yet one of the delights in working with the West Point Golf Club is that change is a constant.



As members depart for a wide range of reasons, new members come in and are warmly welcomed by our group regardless of age.

Our group ranges from 62 to 95 years old, can you guess whom these two are?

This year four members passed away. **Dave Fairweather** joined our group in 1986, **Bud Cowlin** in 2005, **Laurie Craddock** in 2007, and **Art Roberts** in 2007. A lot of golf and friendship memories are tied to those years. Many of those memories will live on for a long time.

As seems to be our tradition, we move forward. This year we welcomed twelve new members with a variety of ages and golf styles. **Don Angus, Tom Becher, Jim Bones, Angelo Dakis, Craig Drake-Johnson, Walter Hill, Jim Kay, Stephen Loomer, Dave Marr, Chris Murray, Russ Quinn, and Bruce Simpson** have all been welcomed additions to our group.

How does the word get out? This year there was a newspaper article about **Don Angus**. It stirred interest and several applications followed its publication. Although it seems most of our Wait List members (currently ten) hear about our club through friends or an occasional meeting on a golf course. It is easy to speak highly of our club. So, please, keep passing on the good word about West Point Golf Club.

Bill Titmuss

Membership Fee for 2015 season

\$125.00

Associate Membership Fee \$50.00

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Brian Ciccozzi - Treasurer

Our 20 YEARS of MEMBERSHIP Club

The following members have been active with the WPGC for over 20 years:

**Ed Bobinski
Hugh Marshall
Roy Moulton
Lloyd Shippam
Al Williams**



Ed



Hugh



Roy



Lloyd



Al

**19 Years
Gordon MacCulloch**



**17 Years
Michael Alms Maurice Foisy Norm Thiessen**



16 Years- Neil Brett-Davies, Dave Dickson & John McHattie



**Dave Haddleton &
John McHattie**



**Lloyd Shippam &
Don Rotherham**

WPGC 1986 - CHARTER MEMBERS – INVOLVED IN 2014



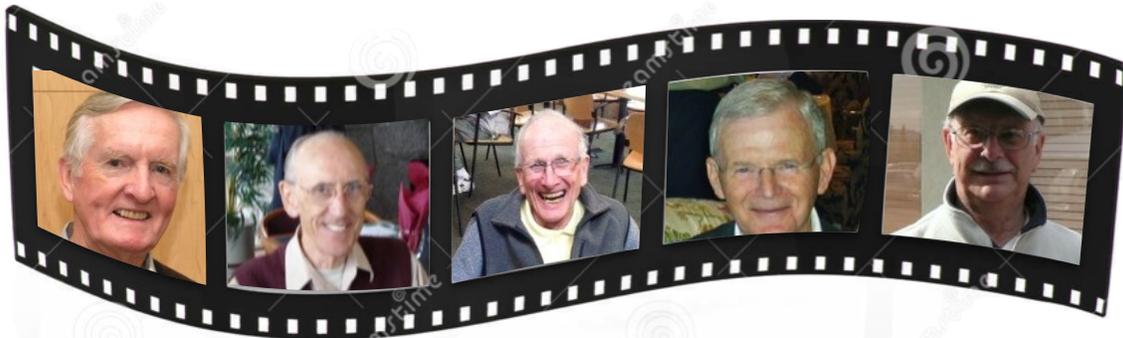
"A Special General Meeting of the 'new' West Point Golf Club was held at the Kerrisdale Community Centre on **April 25, 1986**". The roster of members who opted to remain with the WPGC, at that time, were **53** in number and were recognized as the Club's "Charter Members".

Of the "original 53 members", ROY MOULTON remains and is currently involved as a Lifetime Member.

The current membership has benefited from, and salutes, his dedicated service and many contributions to our golfing pleasures!

Our Lifetime Members

The Lifetime Member designation, inaugurated at the November 2008 AGM, is a gesture of respect and recognition for outstanding contributions to the West Point Golf Club.



Dave Fairweather 2008 **Roy Moulton** 2009 **Hugh Marshall** 2010 **Gary Sinclair** 2011 **Ray Dujardin** 2012

REMEMBERING

We said good-bye to five outstanding gentlemen this year.

Lorne Lindsay

Jim Appleby 1939 - 2013

President 2000/2001

West Point members, both past and present, mourn the passing of Jim Appleby on November 20, 2013.

Jim joined the Club in 2005 and served the membership in many capacities, including two years as President. Jim loved his golf. He will be missed for his friendship, leadership, integrity, sincerity and good nature. Jim always had time for everyone and thoroughly enjoyed his years as a member.

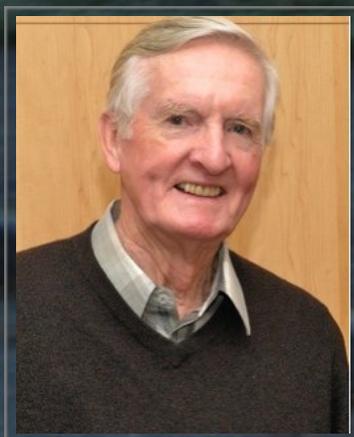
We've lost a true friend.



Dave Fairweather 1925 -2014

President - 1991

Captain - 1989-1990,2002-2003



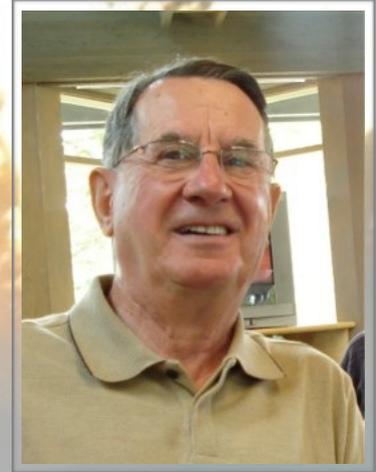
Dave was a Charter Member of West Point Golf Club in 1986 and provided excellent leadership during the formative years of our Club. He served on the Executive for 8 years, including two terms as Captain in 1989, 1990 and 2002, 2003, and President in 1991. Dave was not only a student of the game, a master of golf rules, a strong believer in golf etiquette, but a tireless volunteer on behalf of our members.

In 2008, he became the first member of our Club to be honoured with a Lifetime Membership.

REMEMBERING

Art Roberts 1925 - 2014

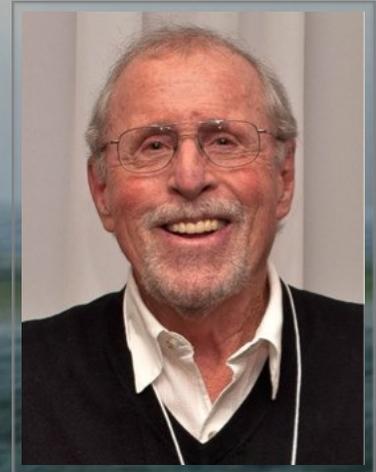
Art was very athletic and always active; he loved his golf and curling. He joined WPGC in 2007 and was the winner of many competitions, most recently in 2013 when he was the Senior Master Champion, Low Net and the Flight C Champion of Stroke Play, Low Gross and Net. When he was 84, Art shot his age at Langara and became eligible for the Ab Miles Tankard event. Art's cheery disposition was much appreciated and he always had time for members, whether they were old-timers or newer members. It was a joy to play golf with Art and chat with him on the 19th hole.



Bud Cowlin 1937 - 2014

It is another sad day for West Point Golf Club. Bud Cowlin, a member since 2005, succumbed to his illness on July 8, 2014 at the age of 76. Bud was a big man in many ways; he had a big heart and great strength of character. He often asked what he could do to help, so became a volunteer at the Captain's Table, where he assisted for 4 years. It was a good role for Bud as he got to talk to most of the members when they finished their game.

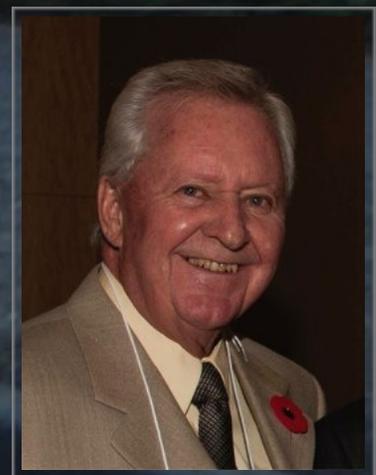
Bud was one of the few two-time winners of the Palcutta competition. He was an individual with great wit and humour, and will definitely be missed.



Laurie Craddock 1933 - 2014

Since joining West Point in 2007, Laurie was a familiar sight on the golf course with his truly relaxed swing. He won many competitions, including the Super Senior Championship from 2009-11 and the Senior Master Championship in 2013. In June 2014, he tied for the lead in the Senior Master Stroke Play and was declared runner-up, based on back nine scores. Laurie introduced the Vintage Cup competition in 2013 in an effort to recognize the achievements of all members, according to their age group. He won the 80+ category in the inaugural year of the event.

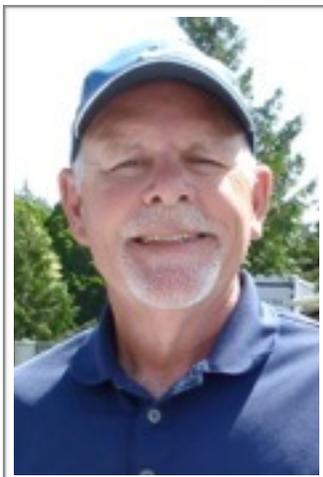
He served as Club Captain from 2010-11 and spent the past 3 years on the Board of Directors, providing guidance and leadership. His vast golfing knowledge and expertise were invaluable to our Club and Laurie made a major contribution to WPGC.



AGM & Awards Luncheon - October 28th

Social Director's Message

Our Annual General Meeting and lunch will mark the end of our 2014 social and playing season. This year's meeting will commence at **11:30 a.m. on Tuesday October 28 in the Strathcona Room at the Arbutus Club - registration to start at 11:00 a.m.** The lunch which will include the presentation of awards - will commence at 12 noon.



This year the Opening Social was held at Langara on April 1. This annual occasion was an opportunity to catch up with fellow members after the long winter and to learn about the upcoming year's golf and social program. Club Captain **Don McPherson** explained this year's fixtures along with his usual assortment of jokes.

In 2014, our membership included 12 new members. The club was very fortunate to have such an enthusiastic group of players eager to join and contribute to West Point Golf Club. Unfortunately the club also lost some long time, valuable members. **Jim Appleby, Laurie Craddock, Dave Fairweather, Bud Cowlin** and **Art Roberts** will always have a special place within the West

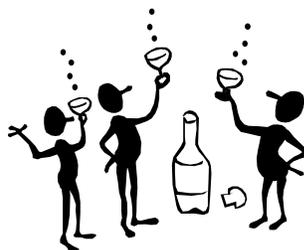
Point membership.

The Putting Jamboree was held on June 17 at McCleery. **Dave Thomas** and **Sam Shalaby** along with their crew of volunteers did a great job putting together this event. All members are encouraged to make room in their schedule for this great annual event.

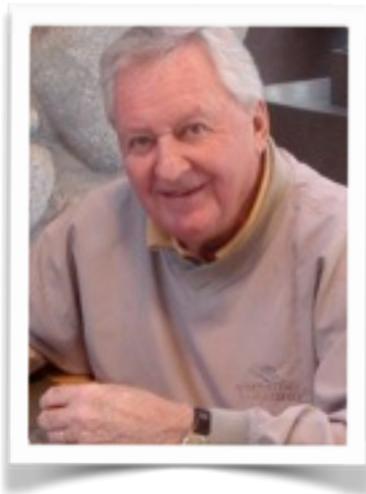
The Palcutta was held on August 5 at Langara. This year's changes included an earlier start and a Burger and Beer dinner. Many thanks to coordinator **Bill Trory**, auctioneer **Kent Curley** and **Brian Ciccuzzi** who kept track of the financials.

In closing I would like to thank all those club members who have donated their time and effort during the 2014 season. Without them West Point would not be the great club it is. This year also marks the end of my time as Social Director. It has been my pleasure to serve the membership in this capacity.

Peter Coyle



Director at Large's Report



Laurie Craddock served as Club Captain for two years, 2010 and 2011, and brought a life-time of golf management and playing to West Point Golf Club. I worked very closely with Laurie when I was Vice Captain responsible for Draw and Scoring, and respected his approach to the game. In addition to the many organizational duties of the captain, Laurie worked tirelessly to promote and maintain a better Pace of Play for our Club. He encouraged the purchase of our time-clock, much to the consternation of several members, but it has emerged as a vital part in our continuing efforts. Laurie was more concerned with the "gap times" – the time between finishing foursomes. As we've been told countless times while playing golf,

the important thing is to keep up to the group in front and not worry about the foursome behind you. Laurie's efforts have been recognized by each of the golf courses we play. Pace of Play is not a new concept, but Laurie brought renewed emphasis to it. The results for the past year have been noteworthy.



After his two years as Captain, Laurie was asked to serve on the Board as the Director at Large. At that time, he asked that Pace of Play be added to his portfolio. When that two-year term expired, the Nominating Committee asked Laurie to serve a third year, fully recognizing the vast knowledge and wisdom that he brought to the table. Another task that Laurie took on was the promotion and sale of West Point hats and towels. There are still a few left.



We were all saddened when Laurie died on July 27. He was a gentleman, a golfer with a smooth swing and always a pleasure to play with. Laurie will be truly missed.



Lorne Lindsay

President 2014

A Message from Paul Levy

The feat of shooting ones age is quite rare and remarkable. When I joined the Club in 2004 I was amazed to find that there were 9 men who had done it almost 10% of the membership. Thus the **McQuarrie Hunter Tankard** was donated to celebrate their accomplishment. (*Editor's note: In 2009, this McQuarrie Hunter Tankard was dedicated to the memory of Ab Miles and is now known as the **Ab Miles Tankard**.*)

In the last 10 years 8 more have accomplished it. However, by the start of this year we were down to only 2 active members of that select group.

We were, therefore, lucky to be joined by **Colin Kelly** and **Don Angus**. Colin shot a 71 on 17th July at Langara. This is the youngest age at which it has been done in our club as far as I am aware. Don Angus shot a 93 at McCleery on June 19th, thereby becoming the oldest member to do it in our club. It should be known, however, that Don had shot a 67 at Fraserview from as long ago as 1989 when he was even younger than Colin is now .

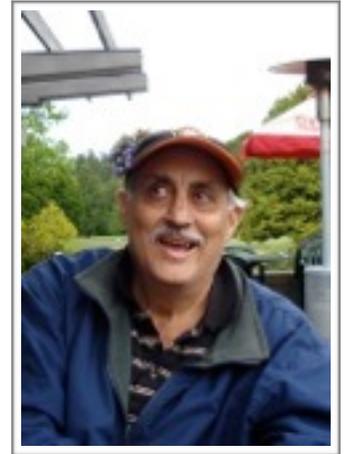
Laurie Craddock always appreciated the achievement and it was his dearest desire in Golf to do it himself. He came very close shortly before his sad and sudden death on July 27th this year.

In 2013, Laurie came up with the idea of a tournament for everyone using their age as their handicap. Thus the Vintage Cup was born. It was first competed for on September 25th 2013 with 42 members playing . Laurie divided the field into 3 categories those over 80 which he dubbed the "Young", those in their seventiesthe "Younger " and those not yet 70 ...the "Youngest". The inaugural competition was won by **Brian Sims** who at age 67 shot a 72, i.e., 5 over "par". Second was **Garry Watson**, aged seventy-one who shot 79...8 over. Fittingly the winner of the over eighties was Laurie himself who shot 89 ..9 over his age .

Most appropriately, the Club decided to rename the Trophy as the "**Laurie Craddock Vintage Cup**" and it was competed for on September 4th at Fraserview . The winners were : Among the "Young" **John McHattie** ... 22 over; Among the "Younger" **Garry Watson** ...9 over; and in the "Youngest" category **Mike Carter** shot 11 over . Thus, Garry Watson was the overall winner.

What is remarkable, of course, is that in the 2 years of competition among our entire membership there have been 4 members who have recorded scores within 10 shots of their age .

This certainly brings home to us how significant shooting ones age is and how appropriate it is for a Club like ours to celebrate the feat "



Paul Levy

Past President's Report

This has been a trying year for me personally, as I have had medical issues that essentially for the first time in my life, have made playing golf a struggle. This has given me a better and more personal appreciation of the problems that many of the membership have faced over the years. In addition, being unable to golf for a period of time also reminded me of how much I missed the opportunity to play and enjoy the camaraderie that one shares with their fellow golfers.



I have been a member of West Point since 2005 and have witnessed improvement in all aspects of the operation of the club over the years. We have progressed and made West Point a better place to play. Our systems for sign-up, obtaining tee times, scoring, competition management, communication and overall Club management by the Board continue to improve. Our website is exceptional and provides a great information base to all members. We continue to attract new members to sustain the membership and add new ideas and skills to the club. I feel fortunate to be able to play in such a fine Senior Golf Club....we are the envy of many.

For a volunteer club to be successful, it needs the help and support of all it's members to contribute when asked. I think West Point demonstrates that spirit in spades. For example, each week I see a dedicated group manning the Captains' Table putting in a long day to do the scoring and weekly awards for the rest of us. Behind the scenes there is **Dave Thomas** putting together the draw each week. We have a roster of members that run our various competitions and a Board that works very hard at keeping the club professionally run and finding new ways to enhance member enjoyment. We could not be successful without these individuals putting in extra hours on behalf of the club.

I wish all of you good golf and good health this winter and look forward to seeing you back next spring.

Jim Selley



Nomination of Directors for 2015

As chair of the Nominating Committee for next year's Board, ably assisted by **Brian Ciccozzi** and **Wayne Ferrey**, I am pleased to announce the following members have agreed to stand for election:

President	Andrew Hobbs	1st Year
Secretary	Doug Blackman	2nd Year
Treasurer	Jim Mackie	1st Year
Captain	Don McPherson	2nd Year
Vice-Captain - Draws	Dave Thomas	2nd Year
Vice-Captain - Scoring	Peter Coyle	1st Year
Membership	Bill Titmuss	2nd Year
Social	Colin Mallet	1st Year
Director at Large	Nick Atkinson	1st Year

Executive Appointments made by Board of Directors

Executive Appointment:

Past President Lorne Lindsay

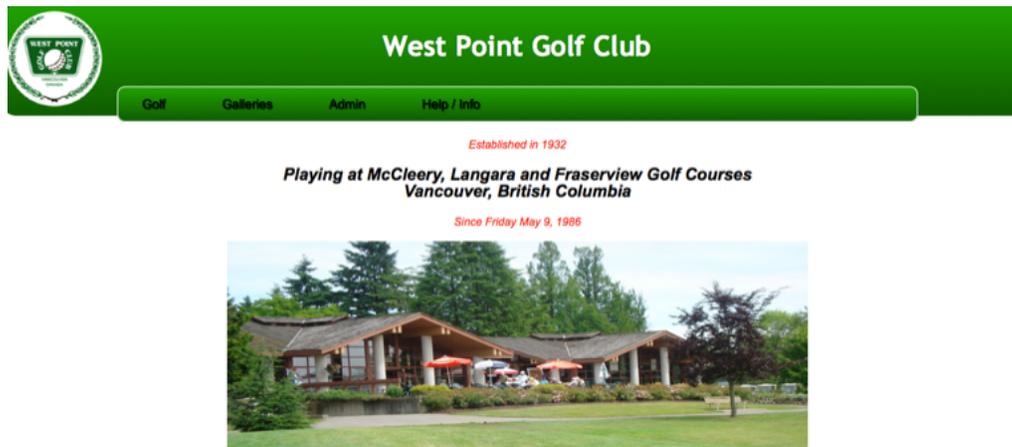
Advisor Appointments:

Website Management: Gary Sinclair and Ed Watson
Electronic Applications: Barry Arnett

Jim Selley



Club Communications Website - Divot Dust



The scope and depth of the website's coverage of the Club's activities is pretty much where we have wanted it to be. We have completed the development and upgrading work that we described at this time last year. Our modification of the Main Menu is performing effectively. Selected content from the *Pocket Reference* has been included for easy access by the membership, e.g., all of the Competition Format posters were included for the 2014 season and were/are accessible via the *Fixtures* and the *Competition Format* sections in the *Golf* drop-down menu. We also put a link to these features on the Tee Times page when appropriate.

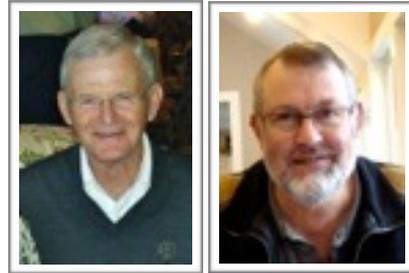
Of interest, and curiosity, to all are the weekly up to date listings of everyone's *Yearly Competition Winnings* (Honey Pot, KPs, and Tournaments) and *Top 10 Money Winners*. For detailed information please go to *Golf/Weekly Prizes*. Of course, the *Leaderboard - Top 10* in each division is presented as soon as the weekly handicap updates are received.

Unfortunately, our *Remembrance* segment has seen far too much use with the passing of *Bud Cowlin* and the shocking loss of *Laurie Craddock* being added to the obituaries of *Jim Appleby*, *Dave Fairweather* and *Art Roberts*.

We have added two categories of membership, that have existed but had not been formally acknowledged, to our Galleries Menu. They are the *Retired Members* and the *Honorary Members* groups. Please take a look at the entries as we know that they're not yet complete and we will welcome comments regarding any errors and/or omissions that you would like to draw to our attention.

Our initiative to expand all of our *Galleries Menu* information to include Club achievements and contributions (winnings, services rendered, competition management, etc.) of all members who are listed in each section (e.g., Members, Associate Members, etc.) is still underway and progressing nicely.

We would like to remind you that the *Galleries Menu's* Members album presents a photo of every member and is accompanied by "citations" that reveal a bit about his *playing prowess and club service* to date. It has proven to be convenient tool to allow us to learn a little bit more about that person in this week's foursome whom we have not yet met.



We have applied a color coding to these citations that represents categories of involvement, i.e., red indicates the Club Championship; green - a Board member or advisor; brown - Shot his Age or made a Hole in One; orange - Captains' Table; violet - a Lifetime Member; and blue - a Charter Member. Within the *Galleries* section, all of the Club's membership categories (7) are listed and defined for your greater understanding of the Club's structure. The *Remembrance* category is included to recognize the passing of our friends and their contributions to the development of the Club.

We are pleased to be able to report that all's well with the Website and thank those dedicated volunteers/game coordinators who manage the events, prepare the "news" and deliver it to us for posting on the website. This almost seamless provision and delivery of details is a tribute to the teamwork that exists within the Club and the excellent work done by all involved.

As we look forward to next season, our preparation for 2015 will focus on continuing development issues, the extension of our present coverage and the enhancement of the effectiveness of existing elements.

Gary Sinclair & Ed Watson

Event Registration & Monitoring

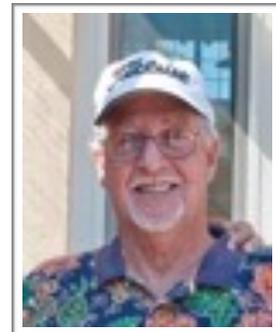
via eSignup

The changes made in 2014 worked very well and very few members had to call me for instructions.

The programs continue to be maintained by **B. Arnett**. Attempts to find a backup programmer have not worked out so far.

The server site is different from the club website due to incompatibilities. This will not change in 2015.

The annual cost to the club is:
\$200 - software upgrades
\$ 15 - Domain name.
\$ 70 - server use.



The downloading of event players to the Drawmaster has worked very well.

Barry Arnett
eSignup Advisor

Record Scores - Handicap Rankings

via **eHandicap**

Handicaps.....the life blood of a golf club.

I was golfing with this old guy one day. At the first tee I asked him what his handicap was.

"14" he says.



"14?" I replied.

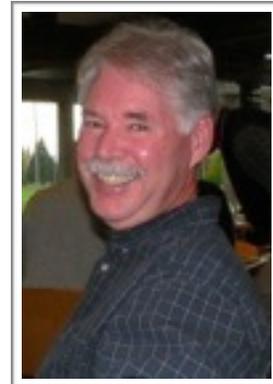
"Yes" he says, "14". Then pointing to his golf bag begins counting, "1 2 3 4 ..."

Well, although probably valid, that's not quite the handicaps I'm referring to.

I am very happy to see that everyone is making a conscientious effort to record their scores on *eHandicap*. Handicaps are a very important part of our club. It is handicaps that make golf one of the few sports where players of varying abilities are able to play together and compete with one another on a relatively level playing field (pun intended). Keep up the good work guys.

As our summer season is coming to a close, let me remind everyone of your responsibility with regards to entering scores during our inactive season.

Here in the lower mainland, the active (handicap) season runs between March 1 and November 15. After **November 15** we are in the inactive season, so there is no need to record scores, unless you are playing in countries where they are still in their active season; *you must enter scores for any rounds played there.*



Some Handicapping figures for our 104 active members:

Breakdown by flights:

0-18 handicap - 33 players

19-23 handicap - 35 players

25 + handicap - 36 players

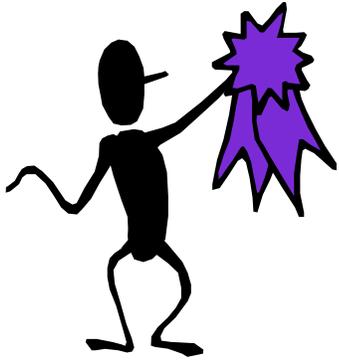


This year our members with a handicap under 10, has increased from 3 to 4.

Have a great winter everyone and see you next Spring.

Chris Allen

eHandicap Advisor



Volunteer Recognition

The ***Captains*** wish to publicly recognize those Club members who are giving so freely of their time to organize and manage our scheduled competitions.

**To the following members, we offer a sincere
"Thank you for your assistance!"**

***Don McPherson, Captain
Geof Trunkfield & Dave Thomas, Vice-Captains***

2014 WPGC Event Coordinators

Once again the tournaments came off like well-oiled machines thanks to the dedication and hard work of the Coordinators.

It was a real pleasure and a most rewarding experience working with them throughout the year.

Regular Competition Coordinators

Brian Ciccozzi Barry Arnett

Geof Trunkfield Neil Brett-Davies

John Foster Dave Thomas

Nick Atkinson Bill Troy

Paul Levy Richard Martin

Brian Sims Jim Mackie

Richard Martin

Away Game Coordinators

Craig Thomson Jim Mackie

Don Edmonds Doug Blackman

Andrew Hobbs

WPGC Competition Winners & Runners-Up 2014

Congratulations on your performances!

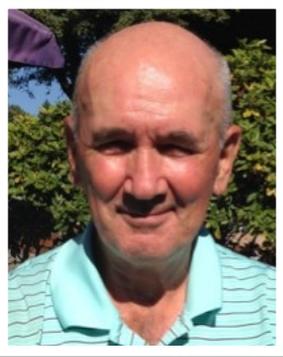


Competition	Winner(s)	Runners-up
Bud Brown Eclectic	0-18 David Johannson	Bill Titmuss
	19-23 Brian Ciccozzi	Phil Joughin
	24+ Paul Levy	Tom Becher
Roli Parker Shield Eclectic	0-18 Colin Kelly	Barry Arnett
	19-23 Don Edmonds	Jeremy Marr
	24+ Paul Levy	Neil Brett-Davies
LeBlanc Shield	0-18 Garry Watson	Colin Kelly
	19-23 Don Edmonds	Doug Blackman
	24+ Peter Kidd	John Foster
Neil McIntyre	Frank Gallagher	Lorne Lindsay
Ed Angel	Andrew Hobbs & Rob Sandhu	Norm Thiessen & Hugh Marshall
TNT McCleery	Bill Troy, Chris Murray	Neil Brett-Davies, Barry Arnett
	Lorne Lindsay, Mike Carter	Jim Selley, Paul Levy
Len Brown Memorial	Barry Arnett	Chris Allen
Stroke Play Champion	Colin Kelly	Bill Titmuss
Handicap Champion	Gary Watson	Colin Kelly
Stroke Play Flight B Gross	Bill Troy	Tad Yamasaki
	Flight C Gross	John Foster
Stroke Play Flight B Net	Stephen Loomer	Doug Blackman
Flight C Net	Don Rotherham	Geof Trunkfield
Super Senior Champion	Barry Arnett	Jim Kay
Low Net	Carl Jonsson	John McPherson
Senior Master Champion	Ed Bobinski	Laurie Craddock
Low Net	Don Rotherham	Joe Hurley
Joe Dwyer Shield	Peter Coyle & Joe Hurley	Garry Watson & Gordon MacCulloch
Dave Fairweather Memorial	Don McPherson	Andrew Hobbs
Match Play Champion	Colin Kelly	Peter Coyle
Match Play Flight B	Ron Babcock	Dave Marr
Match Play Flight C	John McPherson	Jim Renwick
Ab Miles Tankard	Barry Arnett	Colin Kelly

Laurie Craddock Vintage Cup		
Winner	Garry Watson	
60-69 Years	Mike Carter	David Johannson
70-79 Years	Garry Watson	Wayne Ferrey
80 Years Plus	John McHattie	Ray Dujardin
TNT Langara	Jim Selley, Barry Arnett	Dave McMurdo, Brian Boone
	Paul Levy, Neil Brett-Davies	John McHattie, Rob Dickinson
Bob Jack Trophy	Tom Becher	Garry Watson
Red, White and Blue	0-18 Angelo Dakis 19-23 Paul Levy 24+ Joe Hurley	Colin Kelly Dave Thomas Gary Sinclair
2 Man Team - Dwyer Rules		
Texas Scramble - Fraserview	Jack Plummer, John McPherson	John Matkovich, Dave Wilson
	Joe Hurley, Fred Warkentin	Norm Thiessen, Don Angus
Texas Scramble - Langara	Don McPherson, Dave Thomas	Mike Carter, Don Edmonds
	Wayne Gatley, Rob Sandhu	Russ Quinn, Dave McMurdo

WPGC's Top Money Winners - October 9, 2014							
Winnings will be distributed at the AGM							Rank
			Honey				Last
Rank	Player		Pot	KPs	Tourna ments	Total	Week
1	Colin Kelly		\$19.00	\$30.00	\$95.00	\$144.00	1
2	Barry Arnett		\$21.00	\$5.00	\$90.00	\$116.00	2
3	Paul Levy		\$24.00		\$70.00	\$94.00	4
4	Garry Watson		\$16.00	\$5.00	\$65.00	\$86.00	3
5	Bill Titmuss			\$35.00	\$25.00	\$60.00	5
6	Mike Carter		\$24.00	\$5.00	\$30.00	\$59.00	9
7	Tom Becher		\$13.00	\$10.00	\$35.00	\$58.00	6
7	Peter Coyle		\$3.00	\$25.00	\$30.00	\$58.00	6
9	Don Edmonds		\$11.00	\$15.00	\$30.00	\$56.00	8
10	Joe Hurley		\$8.00	\$5.00	\$40.00	\$53.00	
10	Chris Murray		\$8.00	\$30.00	\$15.00	\$53.00	10

Club Championships



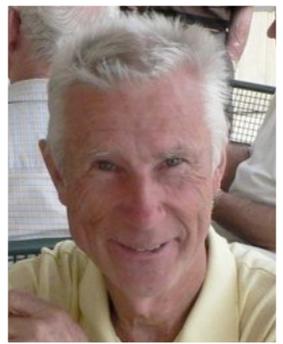
Club Champion
Colin Kelly

Runner Up
Peter Coyle



Stroke Play Champion
Colin Kelly

Runner Up
Bill Titmuss



Handicap Champion
Garry Watson

Runner Up
Colin Kelly



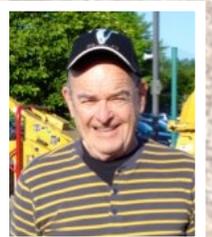
Senior Master Champion
Ed Bobinski

Runner Up
Laurie Craddock



Super Senior Champion
Barry Arnett

Runner Up
Jim Kay



Match Play - Club Champion
Winner
Colin Kelly



Flight
B
Winner

Ron
Babcock



Flight C
Winner

John
McPherson



Opening Day



5th Hole McC



Putting Jamb



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Pot O Gold

WEST POINT GOLF CLUB		PALCUTTA									
NO.	CAPTAIN	HOOP	PLAYER 1	HOOP	PLAYER 2	HOOP	PLAYER 3	HOOP	HOOP	BID	BID
1	N. COOPER	13	E. COOPER	18	B. TERRY	21	A. MCKIE	29	81	240	200
2	P. COVLE	17	P. COVLE	20	S. LOANER	20	A. POTTER	29	80	210	200
3	D. M. WOODRUFF	15	F. MURPHY	17	A. COCHER	23	J. M. HARRISON	26	81	240	200
4	7	19	M. KOSCHEN	19	K. WALTERS	20	D. HARRISON	32	80	210	200
5	6	12	P. SCHUBERT	22	G. TRUNKFIELD	26	81	260	200	200	200
6	12	19	R. QUINN	26	81	200	200	200	200	200	200
7	11	19	24	24	330	200	200	200	200	200	200



Palcutta



Palcutta



Craddock Cup



Craddock



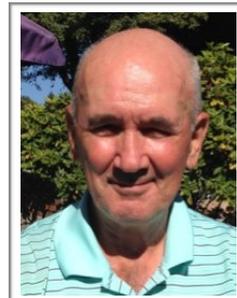
Fairweather

For those who have "Shot Their Age"

Ab Miles Tankard - formerly the McQuarrie Hunter Tankard

*"I was delighted to agree, on behalf of McQuarrie Hunter, to the re-naming of the Tankard in the honour of the late, great **Albert Miles**. This is particularly the case because my memory is that it was getting to know how many West Pointers had shot their age - fully 10% of the membership - and particularly Ab Miles and Doug Symonds (who by then had done it 53 times!) and marveling at their ability to score so well at their ages that first gave me the notion of proposing the competition and donating the Tankard."*

Paul Levy, 2009



Hugh Marshall Don Angus Barry Arnett Colin Kelly

Currently, we have four active members who have "shot their age" and are eligible for this competition. This year's contenders were Hugh Marshall, Barry Arnett, Don Angus & Colin Kelly. **Roy Moulton** is the only other eligible, but non-playing member of this special group.

This year's winner - Barry Arnett

**Please see our website for past members' photos and results
competition winners**

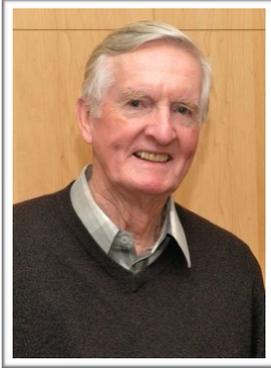


This Season's only Hole-in-One Guy

**Richard Martin
In the Captain vs President Competition
October 16, 2014**

**7th Hole - Fraserview G.C.
171 Yards**

Fairweather Match Play



It was noted by several members that most private and public clubs have a *Match Play competition* that extends over several months. Besides being a good way to meet more members, it provides a platform for Match Play rounds that is a nice change of pace from our usual formats. Since matches beyond the first round had to be arranged by the combatants, and sometimes played alongside Stroke play events, some thought that the two formats would clash and lessen the enjoyment and competition of both events. This did not happen.

It was decided to dedicate the new event to **David Fairweather** who passed away in 2014, at age 89. Dave was a Charter Member of West Point Golf Club in 1986 and provided excellent leadership during the formative years of our Club. He served on the Executive for 8 years, including four terms as Captain and was President in 1991. Dave was not only a student of the game, a master of golf rules, a strong believer in golf etiquette, but a tireless volunteer on behalf of our members. In 2008, he became the first member of our Club to be honored with a Lifetime Membership.

This new event pitted all members in Match Play elimination with full handicaps given. Somewhat surprisingly, up to the semi-finals, the low handicapper won 32 matches and lost only 17.

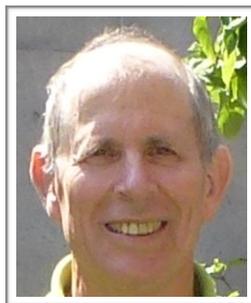
The competition was keen and members respected the match deadlines, and the coordinator had very little to do.

A new trophy was selected and is a design departure from our normal style. Thanks to **Jim Selley** for spearheading this.

Don McPherson won the inaugural event and **Andrew Hobbs** was runner up.



Barry Arnett
Coordinator



Don McPherson



Andrew Hobbs

West Point Golf at Riverway G.C. - 2014

2014 was another successful year for the West Pointers playing Tuesdays at Riverway. We have block times allocated on every second Tuesday of the month, playing from January through to December.



As in previous years, each date involves team competition or individual play tournaments. KP's are also awarded. This provides spirited competition for the field. All communication regarding play dates, sign-up, draw time and competition format are handled electronically which works extremely well. The sign up is via the eSignUp process on the West Point website. Note that play is restricted to 24 members (the maximum tee times Riverway will allocate) so sign up early to avoid the disappointment of being placed on a wait list.

The Pro Shop staff is exceptionally friendly and co-operative and our relationship with them is excellent. The condition of the golf course has been excellent all year. As a result of the drainage project Riverway undertook a few years ago, spring conditions are much drier than most lower mainland courses and also permits good conditions for winter play. I encourage all West Point members to take advantage of this opportunity.

I would also like to thank **John Foster** and **Carl Jonsson** for their assistance in running these events. **Jim Selley** and **Ray Dujardin** continue to actively support and promote this initiative.

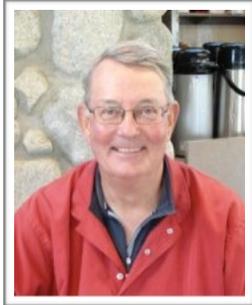
Peter Coyle

*Golf can best be defined as an
endless series of tragedies
obscured by the occasional miracle,
followed by a good bottle of beer.*



Gallery of Candidates nominated to serve on our Board of Directors for 2015

Presenting the members who have have agreed to stand for election:



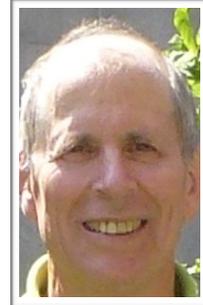
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Andrew Hobbs
1st Year



Secretary
Doug Blackman
2nd Year



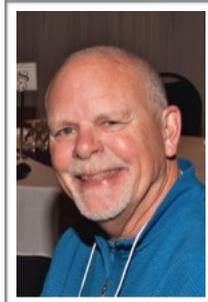
Treasurer
Jim Mackie
1st Year



Captain
Don McPherson
2nd Year



VCapt Draw
Dave Thomas
2nd Year



VCapt Scoring
Peter Coyle
1st Year



Membership
Bill Titmuss
2nd Year



Social Dir
Colin Mallett
1st Year



Dir@Large
Nick Atkinson
1st Year

Membership Fee for 2015 season

\$125.00

Associate Membership Fee \$50.00

Please remember to bring *your cheque (not cash)* to the October 28th AGM and Awards Luncheon

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