

MAY 2026

BEYOND THE GREEN



April Net Chix Winner

Net Chix Winner for April was Kathy Lee!

She joins January Net Chix winner, Marcella Christoff, February winner Patti Tilton and March winners Nancy Sartor and Mitsuko Cameron.

Welcome New Members

Please welcome new members:

Valerie Hooper - 'Buddy' Cheryl DeWildt

Sue Damiani - 'Buddy' Debbie Ferini

Kerry Hart Angel 'Buddy' Gwen Hare

Tournament Volunteers

Thanks to all of you who have volunteered to head up our 2026 Tournaments.

2026 Tournament Schedule:

4/9 Friends and Family – Edda Ashe
4/27 Interclub Scramble*
5/13– Sunheim Cup at Timber Creek
5/28 – Sunheim Cup at Lincoln Hills
6/4 Guest Day -Kelley Royball
7/2 Red White and Blue – Pat McNiff
8/13 Captain's Cup – Kathy Woodward
10/7 Breast Cancer Tournament*
9/17 Club Championship – Gwen Hare
9/24 Club Championship – Gwen Hare
11/22 Turkey Shoot – Cathy Jaicks

*These tournaments are being run by the Lincsters this year but volunteers are needed to assist them.

May Play Days

5/7 – Net Chix – Orchard

5/14 – 1 BB Odd/2 BB Even Holes – Orchard

5/22 (**Note this is a Friday**) – 2 BB of the foursome – Orchard

5/28 – Sunheim Cup – Orchard (**If you haven't signed up to play on the SCLH team, you can sign up to follow the field on Golf Genius**)

Member Spotlight – Pat Robinson

MY DANCE JOURNEY

My name is Pat Robinson. I am a proud member of the Lincoln Hills Ladies Golf Club...I always enjoy my rounds with the gals. I swap golf shoes for dance shoes for stress relief as well as exercise and am enrolled in Clogging, Tap and Line Dance classes. My favorite is Bollywood dancing, although I have had zero formal training. Both my golf game and Bollywood dancing are a work in progress.

I grew up around Bollywood music and movies in South Africa. I accompanied my mother to all the cultural dance events from the time I was a little girl and was always under foot as she led the dance routines. And, of course I also attended many family weddings with the full-scale 3 to 5 day wedding celebration! There is always an evening of Sangeet, a night of music and dance where young and old participate.

A few years ago, I took my idea of adding a Bollywood dance number to the Tap Company Dance Show and the rest is history. I undertook to

choreograph and teach it to a few ladies in our garage...we have done six numbers both in Vaudeville and Tap Company shows. Of course, we have graduated into practicing our dance from our garage to the Aerobics Room at Orchard Creek.

You may be surprised to learn of the similarities between golf and Bollywood dancing. Both require practice, balance, rhythm and reward patience. Both keep me very humble.

My husband, Don, is very supportive and has encouraged me to pursue my passion and interests. In September this year, we will be celebrating our 30th wedding anniversary. We both worked for Prudential Financial Services. I was promoted to the Roseville office from managing the Monterey Agency and lived in our home in Cameron Park. When we downsized, we found this wonderful Del Webb community and moved here in 2014. We are thrilled with the decision. We have met great people and have forged wonderful friendships for which we are so grateful.

Last, but not least, I want to extend our heartfelt thanks to all who came to see The Dance Extravaganza, "Shake it Up". The best is that part of the proceeds go to the Lincoln High School Performing Arts Program.



New Member Spotlight Sue Damiani



I was born in California and raised in both San Jose and Stony Brook, NY. I earned a degree in Community Recreation with a minor in Physical Education from the University of Colorado Boulder.

I began my career at Xerox working in Nebraska and North Dakota before returning to the Bay Area in California.

I spent over 20 years in a career in Hi Tech holding leadership roles in sales, business development and early teleconferencing innovation.

I then earned my teaching credentials and spent nearly 20 years at San Marin High School in Novato as both a Math teacher and PE teacher.

My life has been shaped by family and resilience. I have two sons and was married for 39 years before losing my husband to illness related to Agent Orange exposure. I later shared a long-term partnership built around a mutual love of travel and golf.

I'm very new to SCLH and am looking forward to meeting and playing with new golf friends.

Message from our Handicap Chair

If you post the wrong score, please email or text Linda Blackburn at Linda@the-blackburns.com or 916-207-2640 and she will correct it.

There's a pin for that!

Did you break 100, 90, 80 for the first time, there's a pin for that! Contact Linda Blackburn to get yours and wear it proudly!

2026 Friends and Family Day

Thank you to all who attended the Friends and Family Play Day. I hope you enjoyed the day.

The Sunheim Cup is Back

The Sunheim Cup tournament between Sun City Roseville and Sun City Lincoln Hills will be held on Wednesday, May 13th at Timber Creek and Thursday, May 28th at Lincoln Hills. For you new members, this is a two-person competition that we play with Timber Creek where we play their course on a Wednesday and our course on a Thursday. The format at Timber Creek is Stableford, one best net ball of the twosome and at SCLH is best net ball of the twosome. Edda Ashe is responsible for this and hopes that many of you will sign up to play.

We won the cup last year, so let's do our best to win again this year.

(Note – Edda will handle the Golf Genius sign up for those ladies who are playing in the tournament. If you wish to Follow the Field on 5/28, you can sign up yourself on Golf Genius.)

Golf Cart News from the Pro Shop (edited)

Recently, the Lincoln Police Department has reinstated the Traffic Enforcement Division resulting in an increased presence within Sun City Lincoln Hills. In particular they are enforcing the existing Federal Law prohibiting non-street approved Golf carts from being driven on public streets. In the past few months a few Lincoln Hills Golf Club team members have been pulled over for being on Sun City Blvd without being aware that our golf carts cannot be in the golf cart designated lane.

This prompted us to go to the local Police Station to get the status on who can and can't drive golf carts on city streets. Unfortunately, for the time being, it's not good for LHGC or residents who have their own personal golf cart. Only 'Street Approved' (those possessing a City of Lincoln issued permit) are permitted to drive in designated Golf Cart lanes on public streets. The Lincoln Police Department is starting to enforce the law that has been in place for over 40 years.

This has resulted in our club owned golf carts to be restricted from driving on the streets as well. While this is an inconvenience for our team members as well as those who choose to play 9 holes, going forward I ask that none of our Lincoln Hills golf carts be driven on the streets within Sun City to avoid the potential for being pulled over by the local PD and possibly receive a citation.

If anyone does take one of our golf carts onto a public street, is pulled over by Law Enforcement and receives a citation, any costs will be the responsibility of the person driving the cart.

We have added verbiage to the Golf Cart sign out sheet in the Golf Shop stating this.

Rules Rule from our Rules Chair, Sylvia Feldman

Rule 6.3c Wrong Ball (1) Making stroke at wrong ball. A player must not make a *stroke* at a *wrong ball* Penalty for *Playing Wrong Ball* in Breach of Rule 6.3c(1): In *stroke play*, the player gets the general penalty (two penalty strokes) and must correct the mistake by continuing play with the original ball by playing it as it lies... * The stroke played with the *wrong ball* and any more *strokes* before the mistake is corrected (including *strokes* made and any additional penalty strokes solely from playing that ball) do not count. * If the player does not correct the mistake before making a stroke to begin another hole or, for the final hole of the round, before returning their scorecard, the player is disqualified.

Also – On the Orchard course hole #15 must be played from the 'back' red tees. Whenever playing the Executive Tees you must play from the yardage on the score card, not necessarily the yellow markers. You must tee up within two club lengths of the markers. If there is no marker, tee up from the center of the fairway.

A Message from the Tournament Committee

We realize that last-minute play day cancellations are often unavoidable. If you need to cancel on Wednesday evening or Thursday morning, PLEASE DO NOT call the pro-shop. You should contact the committee member running the tournament that week either by text, phone call, or email.

Also – please note **Summer Rules start in May 1st.**

Don't forget to check out our website!

There is a wealth of information contained in the LHLGXVIII Website. The website address is lincolnhillsladiesgc.memberplanet.com.

Included on the site are the following:
Club Bylaws
Club Standing Rules
Club Local Rules
Play Day Information (including a link to Golf Genius)
Club Roster (password is 'pawsley').
Note, this information is not to be used for personal, political or commercial purposes not related to the business of the club). Also, please do not share the password. Please take a few minutes to review the roster to ensure that your personal information is correct.
Contact Donna Sanderson (dsandersonsgk@aol.com) if any changes are needed.



May Birthdays

Shoemaker – 5/10
Gay Wold – 5/12
Merri Levin – 5/14
Ronnie Link – 5/23
Liz Phillips – 5/23
Barbara Grant – 5/28
Yeong Hur – 5/31
Barbara Korenthal – 5/31

Executive & Extended Board for 2026

Captain – Lissi Bedford
Co-Captain – Kathy Woodward
Treasurer – Georgia Richie-Lynch
Secretary – Ilene Marshall
Past Captain – Eileen Boore
Tournament Chairs – Edda Ashe & Maureen Senn
Handicap Chair – Linda Blackburn
Membership Chair – Kathy Lee
Sunshine/New Member Chair – Donna MacKinnon
Web Administrator – Donna Sanderson
NCGA Ambassador – Karen Thom
Social/Catering Chair – Sharon Knoll
Photographer – Cathy Jaicks
Publicity – Karen Escobar
Rules/Pace of Play – Sylvia Feldman
Eagles, Birdies, Chip-Ins – Barbara Grant
Eclectic – Patti Tilton

FYI – Golf Course Aeration Dates

8/18 – Orchard
8/31 - Hills

A final note – the Inter Club Scramble was a huge success this year. We had 21 players from our club participate. We thank the Lincsters for running the tournament this year.

Captain's Inspiration

“You can make more friends in 2 months by becoming interested in other people than you can in 2 years by trying to get other people interested in you.”

(Dale Carnegie)

**Be Kind, Be Friendly, Be Helpful to Your Fellow Players and
Enjoy the Day**