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### Are You Getting the Most Out of Your Membership?

*Deb Hess - Chapter President*



A couple of months ago, I challenged each of you to commit to doing one or two things you think will really help you make the most of your membership so it is time to take stock.

Have you been to the calendar on the our website and noticed that the ladies of the Board and their committees have something going almost every night and every weekend? They have out-done themselves by putting together a full schedule of clinics, lessons, social events, leagues and weekend events as a response to last fall's member survey.

So are you taking advantage of all that this Chapter has to offer you and getting the most out of your membership? Be sure to check out the event, league and lesson options. Sign up and we will see you at the next event.

I'd also like to welcome Toni Roberts to the Board as our new Leadership Committee Chair. You'll be hearing from Toni as she works on the upcoming elections; searches out ladies to step up and take on a volunteer position by leading a committee or running for an elected office. Toni, we are happy to have you!

## Upcoming Events

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### June Events

**June 11th - Indian Lakes - 9 holes**

**June 18th - Banbury - 9 holes - New Member Mixer and PAR-TEE  
Dead Line June 11th**

**June 25th - Sun Valley  
Dead Line June 1st**

Please see the [Out of Town Events](#) section for details

### July Events

**July 9th - Banbury Golf Course - Chapter Championship**

*The EWGA Championship is the largest women's amateur golf tournament in the world. Played in three stages, participation requires an official USGA*

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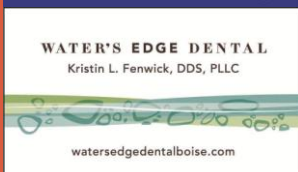
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- The Chapter Championship, an 18-hole qualifying round
- The Semi-Final Championship, an 18-hole qualifying round
- The EWGA Championship Finals, a 36-hole final

The Championship program gives you the opportunity to participate in competitive golf. You will be paired with golfers of similar abilities/handicaps

[See our website for information on how to register](#)

**Deadline is June 24th**

### July 9th - Banbury Golf Course - FUN Scramble

New to the game? Not ready for competition? You can still be a part of this very special day. Come on out and play in a 9-Hole FUN Scramble and then stay for lunch. You can cheer on your favorite competitors and wish them well as they advance to the next level.

[See our website for information on how to register](#)

**Deadline is July 2nd.**

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## Membership Updates - C.J. Ensign, Membership Chair

### MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

WELCOME new member Lori Griffith, we are thrilled you are joining us for golf and fun and friendship.

Mark your calendars to join the Membership Committee for the popular New Member Golf and ParTee June 18<sup>th</sup> at Banbury Golf Course. This is a great event to attend with a new member, with a prospective new member or just for the fun of getting to know the great group of new members that have joined EWGA Boise TV in the last several months.

We will play nine holes starting at 1:00 in the afternoon, then convene at Rusty's lovely home on Banbury to Par Tee, award prizes and generally have a rip roaring good time. Don't miss out! Sign up soon to ensure your spot.

Special Summer Membership Campaign - Let's Get Fired Up!

It's a HOT time for golf right now - and the perfect time to invite new women to join EWGA Boise Treasure Valley.

Every member who recruits 3 new members between June 1st and August 31 will win a special EWGA logo'd prize - PLUS have a chance to win a free registration to the April 2012 EWGA Golfpalooza in Las Vegas!

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## Leadership Updates - Toni Roberts, Leadership Chair

The success of our chapter is evident by the number of members who have volunteered their time for the many committees and elected board positions. In an effort to continue this success, we are seeking volunteers for the Leadership Committee as we embark on this year's elections to be held later this year.

If you are wondering how you can contribute to this continued success, please volunteer as we put together our Nominating Committee. This year we will be electing President, Vice President and Secretary.



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## Quote of the Month

I've always made a total effort, even when the odds seemed entirely against me. I never quit trying; I never felt that I didn't have a chance to win.

Arnold Palmer

### That's a Gimme

"You surely don't want me to hole that?" the pompous amateur blurted." His ball was about 8 inches from the cup, and to which his opponent, the club professional, answered quietly, "Nah."

The amateur picked up and walked onto the next tee. He was about to tee up and take the honor when he was interrupted by the golf pro. "It's my tee box, I think," said the teaching pro. "I won last hole, as you didn't putt out."

"But you said you didn't want me to hole out," spluttered the amateur.

"That's right. I didn't, and you didn't"

Join us in our quest to continue to offer a place for friendship and growth as individuals and a chapter.

Toni Roberts  
Boiseland@aol.com

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## Sponsors Corner - Camilla Strickler, Sponsorship Chair

Our Sponsors Highlighted this month are:

- Fit Physique (Lynn Stroud)
- and
- Rathbone, McReynolds and Daly, LLC (Kimberly Jaques)



### **Tell us about Fit Physique, How long have you been in business?:**

Fit Physique is a local Personal Training Studio, owned by myself and Jeremiah Glassenapp, and we are in our 6th year of business. Providing one-on-one personal training, partner training, group training, and boot camps, all at the best rates in town. Our goal is to help people attain their fitness and body composition goals. Our studio provides unique personalized programs for our clients, including individual focus & accountability, their own Biggest Loser Contest, Transitions Lifestyles weight management classes, and the Fit Physique Body Building & Fitness Contest Team.

### **What is it that your Company does?:**

With state of the art equipment and knowledgeable staff, our gym has everything needed to create a personalized program for each and every client. Whether it's for rehabilitation, body building competition, preparing for a sport such as golf or skiing, to get more definition, to lose weight, to better your health, or to learn how to lift weights properly and safely, Fit Physique has the expertise and knowledge to motivate and help you.

### **What prompted the company to support the EWGA?**

As a golfer and a member of the Chapter, I am very aware of the need to get the body ready for playing the game. Early this year we offered a clinic called 'Core and Stability Training for Golfers'. This targeted clinic was well received and helped a number of ladies get ready for the golf season. If you missed the first one; don't worry I will soon be offering it again.

### **How long have you been a sponsor?:**

This is our first year of sponsorship.

### **How can our members show their support?:**

Give me a call for your FREE consultation. I'm ready to show you how Fit Physique can help you reach your golf and fitness goals.

### **Anything else you would like to share?:**

## **"Dumb Luck"**

Two blonde ladies were teeing off on a foggy par-3. They could see the flag, but not the green. The first blonde hits her ball into the fog and the second blonde does the same. They proceed to the green to find their balls. One ball is about 6 feet from the cup while the other ball's found it's way into the cup for a hole-in-one. Both were playing the same type of balls, Top Flites, and couldn't determine which ball was which. They decided to ask the golf pro to decide their fate. After congratulating both golfers on their fine shots, the golf pro asks, "So, which one of you used the pink one?"

## **"Beginner's Luck"**

A retiree asked a local pro for lessons, explaining that he knew absolutely nothing about the game.

The pro showed him the stance and swing, then said, "Just hit the ball toward the flag on the first green." The old rookie teed one up and smacked the ball straight down the fairway and onto the green, where it stopped inches from the hole.

"Now what?" the fellow asked the speechless pro.

"Uh...now you're supposed to hit the ball into the cup." the pro finally said, after he was able to speak again.

"Oh great...so NOW you tell me." said the beginner in a disgusted tone.

He was given a set of golf clubs by his co-workers.

Here is our location and contact information.

**Fit Physique** (Personal Training Studio)

*Located next to HP near Chinden and Cloverdale*

*behind the Marriot Courtyard Hotel.*

6213 N Cloverdale #155

208-250-1287, or email: [lynnstroud@cablone.net](mailto:lynnstroud@cablone.net)

## **RATHBONE McREYNOLDS & DALY** **INVESTMENT CONSULTING** *of Wells Fargo Advisors*

**Kimberly L. Jaques**  
**Financial Consultant**  
208-333-1433

### **Tell us about Rathbone, McReynolds & Daly Investment Consulting of Wells Fargo Advisors.**

Rathbone McReynolds & Daly is an investment consulting group dedicated to helping individuals, families, corporations and foundations reach their investment goals. We are committed to the financial well-being of our clients, a high standard of ethics and ongoing client advocacy.

### **How long has RMD been in business?**

Our advisors have over 100 years combined experience in managing wealth and have built a firm with continuity spanning three generations. Rathbone McReynolds & Daly was formed in June 1997 and we are part of Wells Fargo Advisors LLC, a subsidiary of Wells Fargo and company. Wells Fargo & Company traces its roots back to 1852.

### **What is it the company does?**

At Rathbone McReynolds and Daly, we design comprehensive investment strategies designed to effectively manage assets and liabilities, retirement income and estate goals. By focusing on your goals and applying our investment discipline we strive to help you reach your financial goals.

### **How long have you been at RMD? What is your position?**

I have been with this firm for nearly 14 years and in the industry almost 20 years. I am currently a Financial Consultant and working towards my CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNERTM designation.

### **What prompted the company to support the EWGA?**

Our love of golf and the desire to support our local golf community.

### **How long have you been a sponsor?**

Thinking he'd try the game, he asked the

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## **"Amateur Status"**

Amateur: "How do you get so much backspin?"

Pro: "Before I answer that, tell me this...how far do you hit your 5 iron?"

Amateur: "About 130."

Pro: "Then why in the heck would you want the ball to spin back!?"

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This is our second year as a sponsor.

### **How can our Members show their support?**

Call Kimberly, 333-1433, to schedule a 45 minute no obligation meeting to review your financial goals and current investment situation. We will introduce our process and philosophy. We can determine if we are a fit to assist you with your investment planning now or when you retire.

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## **Shadow Valley Two Lady Best-Ball *April 30th, 2011***

The rain held off but not the wind for our Two Lady Best Ball at Shadow Valley on April 30th. We had 36 participants; a pretty good turn out! The greens were a little rough due to winter damage so the teeing grounds were moved up a bit.

Prizes were awarded to teams with the lowest net scores:

### First place to:

- Sharyl Jackson and Darla Williamson (61),

### Second place to:

- Jackie Bartel and Bette Wood (64),

### Third place a five way tie (66) to:

- Kay Jameson and Nancy Pond,
- Jayne Black and Shelli Wardel,
- Rusty Rumberger and Peggy Laubenheim,
- Kendra Fallen and Phyllis Slifer, and
- Paula Faulkner and Cindy Tealy.

Shadow Valley provided prizes for the Longest Drives:

- Kendra Fallen (9 - 21.9 handicaps) and Erica Phillips (22 and above handicaps),

and Closest to the Pin:

- Nancy Heldt (9 - 21.9 handicaps), and Barbara Motooka, (22 and above

handicaps).

Thanks to T.J. and his crew for their hospitality!

## **Quail Hollow**

*May 14, 2011*

The threat of rain didn't keep anyone away from Quail Hollow on Saturday, May 14th. As tee times approached, the sky cleared and 20 of us enjoyed a beautiful day on the course with mild weather and great golf. Quail always provides an interesting round with it's elevation changes and challenging greens, but everyone seemed to have a good time. A review of the days outing was held over refreshments at the 36th Street Café following play.

## **Falcon Crest**

*May 7th, 2011*



With due respect to the Old English theme of the Falcon Crest and Robin Hood Courses, sixteen of us teed off on May 7th saluting the wedding of William and Kate with tea, scones and Wiggly Worms. Kris Fenwick went barmy with her drive on the third hole to win the Longest Drive...and Sue Heffner's arse over elbow shot earned her Closest to the Pin. Both won a free round of golf on the Freedom Course. We were brought quickly back from England to Idaho as we sympathized with the squealing calves being branded in the field next to the course. What a cracking good time!

### **Participants:**

Jayne Black	Nancy Heldt
Dottie Devereaux	Deb Hess
Kendra Falen	Kay Jameson
Kris Fenwick	Anne Williamson
Carolyn Flynn	Melissa Ripley
Cindy Fogdall	Camilla Stickler
June Gerhard	Judy Troyer
Sue Heffner	Diana Zigars



## [Handicap Corner](#) - Kendra Falen, Handicap Chair

### EWGA Golf Life Handicap and Statistics Tracking System

The EWGA Golf Life Handicap System can be accessed through the headquarters website at <http://www.ewga.com>. Select Member Club House, log-in, then select Handicap. You are now in GOLF LIFE and may select from any of the following menu items:

Enter a Score - This allows you to enter 9 or 18 hole golf scores.

Enter-Hole-By-Hole Scores - This is where you can choose to keep statistics on your play (i.e. fairways in regulation, driving distances, greens in regulation, number of putts, etc.). If you want to keep your statistics, select the YES dot to the right of TRACK STATISTICS. This will allow you to enter a score and your desired statistics for each hole.

Scoring Record - This tracks your posted scores, including your last 20 scores which are used to calculate your handicap.

Game Tracker - This consolidates and summarizes the information and statistics posted in the ENTER SCORE and ENTER-HOLE-BY-HOLE SCORES giving you an overview of your play.

Print a Handicap Card - You may print a current EWGA handicap card at this location.

Course Handicap Calculator - This allows you to use the away Course Rating and Slope Rating from a scorecard to calculate the number of strokes you will be given in addition to your handicap, if any, at an away golf course.

Play with this site and enjoy!



[Click here](#) for EWGA handicap page and registration form.

## [GEPD News](#) - Tammy Heath, GEPD Chair

**Breaking 100** with TJ Gomez was taught at Shadow Valley. Three members participated in this lesson series. All of them have been very enthusiastic about TJ and what they are learning.

**How Low Can You Go**, at Quail Hollow, completed its series in May. Five members got great instruction from Jim Empey. He did a video of their swing and critiqued each one. The final session included a private club fitting.

Divotz is offering a final **How Low Can You Go** series beginning in June, with Craig Grunig. This series has been re-scheduled and is being offered at a lesser cost with fewer days. If you are interested in lessons, this is the final series to be offered this year.

**The Rules Clinic**, conducted by Genger Fahleson, Executive Director of the IGA, was well attended. Fourteen members participated. Genger made learning the rules of golf an enjoyable experience. Everyone received a golf book of rules; and we all

came away realizing "without rules, there is chaos!"



The putting clinic did not happen. Due to a conflict, this clinic was rescheduled to June 16th. Deb Hess offered to conduct this clinic and share her putting techniques with us.....We told her she needed to go home and write her newsletter report.

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## Season Long Events

### **Spring Twilight League - Linda Roberts, League Chair**

Lakeview Golf Club, located at 4200 W. Talamore (off Black Cat between Cherry Lane and Ustick Roads) is situated in west Meridian neighborhoods. The 6,521 par 72 public course meanders through many different subdivisions with home lined fairways that give the course a tranquil setting but an intimidating look. Although there is Out of Bounds on every hole and water that comes into play on seven of the holes, the course is very playable for all skill levels.

*Format:* We will be offering a competitive as well as non-competitive division in this spring league. Teams will consist of 2 players. Need a partner? Let us know and we'll get you paired with another player.

No handicap? Check with Kendra Falen & she'll get you signed up. Handicaps even the playing field - expand your game.

**Date:** June 6, 2011 - July 25th, 2011

**Location:** Lakeview Golf Course

**Time:** Monday Evenings @ 6:00 PM

**Signup Deadline:** May 31, 2011

**Cost:** \$125

#### **Additional Information:**

Contact Information: Linda Roberts - lroberts1@yahoo.com

Sign up on line or by mail - click [here](#) for registration form

### **Beginner Golf Program - Sandy Boyington**



**The Beginner Golf Program provides an excellent opportunity to volunteer in a most significant way - that is to inspire and encourage women to learn and enjoy the game of golf at their own level.**

- **Social Events**
- **A couple of Lesson Series with a Golf Pro**
- **A beginner League**
- **Time with an individual mentor**

**If you would like to be part of this most gratifying program, let us hear from you. We need several friendly and caring**

individuals to fill in as mentors to the newer golfers.

IF you are one of the newer golfers or returning to the game after a long brea, please consider the programs offered. They are designed to teach you more about the game and help you lower that handicap.

You can reach the Beginner Program Coordinator,

Sandy Boyington  
(208) 781-0387  
boyington44@yahoo.com.

Please visit the website [ewqaboisetv.com](http://ewqaboisetv.com) or talk with an EWGA member and give consideration to this wonderful opporunity to volunteer and learn.

### **Fall Twilight League** - Linda Roberts, League Chair

Designed by John Harbottle, II, Banbury Golf Course meanders around the South Channel of the Boise River, successfully uniting golf with native habitat. A challenging 6,890 yard part 71 public course, Banbury Golf Course has been consistently rated in the top ten golf courses in Idaho by Golf Digest in the past seven years.

Format: We will be offering a "competitive" division only in this fall league. Teams will consist of 2 players. Need a partner? Let us know and we'll get you paired with another player.

No handicap? Check with Kendra Falen and she'll get you signed up. Handicaps even the playing field - expand your game.

Date: August 2, 2011 - September 13, 2011

Location: Banbury Golf Course

Time: Tuesday Evenings @ 6:00 pm

Signup Deadline: July 27th

Cost: \$155.00

#### **Additional Information:**

Linda Roberts - [lxroberts1@yahoo.com](mailto:lxroberts1@yahoo.com)

Sign up online or by mail - [click here for registration form](#)

### **Player's Tour** - Patty Verdun, Event's Chair

Our Chapter's version of the FED EX Cup! Sign up and play in up to EIGHT eligible Chapter evernts. Each participant must play in at least four (4) 18-hole rounds to be eligible for end-of-season prizes. The season long tour will be flighted so a handicap is required. Net scores will be used and handicap adjusted for each course. Points will be awarded to all players who complete the round on an eligible tour event. At the end of teh season, points will be added up and prizes awarded for players placing in each flight. You'll be playing in the events anyway, so why not sigh up to be in the Player's Tour!!

Date: April - September

Locations: Various Golf Courses

Cost: \$25.00 Entry Fee

### **[Player's Tour Results Through May 7th](#)**



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## Out of Town Events

*Invite a guest and enjoy several out-of-town golf events we have planned this season!*

### June

Sun Valley Weekend Out of Town Event at The Sun Valley Resort in Sun Valley, ID. This event is an EWGA member/guest event. Stay at either the Inn or the Lodge on Friday and/or Saturday.



- **Dates:**
  - Hotel Available: Friday June 24th and Saturday June 25th
  - Golf: Saturday June 25th and Sunday June 26th
- **Times:**
  - 9:30 AM Saturday and 8:30 AM Sunday
- **Cost:**
  - The June Golf Package rates apply: \$152, per person, double occupancy, per night, OR \$219 single occupancy per night. King, Queen or double beds available.
  - Rates include golf and cart. The cost for golf in June is \$140 per person so this is quite a deal!
  - You will have the option of playing the new White Cloud Nine plus nine on Trail Creek or all 18 on the Trail Creek Course. Also, for an additional \$40 per person you can play the White Cloud Nine in addition to the 18 on the Trail Creek Course (27 HOLES TOTAL) for either or both days!
  - The deadline to book your rooms is **JUNE 1st**. A \$100 deposit per person is required at booking to hold the room. The deposit less a \$25 service charge will be refunded if you cancel more than 30 days prior to arrival.
- **Sign-Up Options:**
  - **Step 1:**  
To book your package call the Sun Valley Guest Reservation line at 1-800-786-8259. Refer to the EWGA Golf Group Outing to reserve your room - indicate the days you want golf included.
  - **Step 2:**  
Complete the EWGA Golf Event Registration form for golf on-line or by mail so we can set up foursomes and confirm tee times with the golf course.

**Rooms not reserved by June 1st will not be guaranteed by the Resort.**

### September

Stay tuned for sign up details

**Date:** TBD  
**Location:** Whitetail / Jug Mountain golf courses - McCall  
**Cost:** TBD



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