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A Chance to Give Back.....

President's Message

We are all so very fortunate to spend our summer golfing. I can't imagine how I'd enjoy my summer without all the golf courses and golfing friends in my life! I have two sharing ideas for you this month.

FIRST - How about sharing the "secret" of the EWGA with all of your friends? This is a great time of the year to introduce more ladies to the EWGA. They can get to know the organization this fall through the newsletter and off-season social event we have planned in October (more details soon) and then be well-informed prior to the Spring Kick-Off event. What's in it for you??? Well prizes for recruiting of course.

Share your EWGA experience with your friends. Encourage them to apply and put YOUR name on the application

Nike prizes will be awarded from EWGA Headquarters in the following categories (you will earn the prize in the top category you reach in your recruitment efforts):

- 2-4 members recruited
- 5-7 members recruited
- 8-10 members recruited

Top Recruiter in each Chapter – recruit a "foursome" (4+) to qualify and receive a Nike tote and a dozen Nike golf balls. We already have Chapter members that have recruited 2 or 3 – go for 4!

A SECOND way to give back – join your Chapter Members at a Volunteer Event. This year we will be helping the Palatine Food Bank with a Food Pack Event on November 23rd from 9am-noon. Please share a few hours of your time with those less fortunate than all of us.

We will work hard, have fun and GIVE-BACK to our local community. Go to this link and sign-up today.

[Executive Women's Golf Association - Chicago Metro Events](#)

See you on the course.....

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Education Tip of the Month

By [Kelly Storm](#)

Now that the season is coming to an end, and inevitably you are reviewing some of the ups and downs of your game, I thought you all may get a kick out of these golf quotes. Enjoy!

- I never played a round when I didn't learn something new about the game.
- Ben Hogan
- You don't know what pressure is until you play for five bucks with only two bucks in your pocket.
- Lee Trevino
- I've spent most of my life golfing - the rest I've just wasted.
- Unknown
- "Golf appeals to the idiot in us and the child. Just how childlike golfers become is proven by their frequent inability to count past five." John Updike
- "Golf is a game in which you yell 'fore', shoot six and write down five." Paul Harvey
- "I never learned anything from a match that I won." Bobby Jones
- "*The reason a pro tells you to keep your head down is so you can't see him laughing.*" Phyllis Diller
- A "gimme" can best be defined as an agreement between two golfers, neither of whom can putt very well.
- Unknown
- You can hit a two acre fairway 10% of the time and a two inch branch 90% of the time. – Unknown
- If you want to hit a 7 iron as far as Tiger Woods does, simply try to lay up just short of a water hazard. – Unknown
- I went to play golf and tried to shoot my age, but I shot my weight instead.
~ Bob Hope
- I'm not saying my golf game went bad, but if I grew tomatoes, they'd come up sliced. ~Attributed to both Miller Barber and Lee Trevino
- Duffers who consistently shank their balls are urged to buy and study *Shanks - No Thanks* by R.K. Hoffman, or in extreme cases, M.S. Howard's excellent *Tennis for Beginners*. ~Henry Beard, *Golfing*, 1985
- I'm hitting the woods just great, but I'm having a terrible time getting out of them. ~Harry Toscano
- Art said he wanted to get more distance. I told him to hit it and run backward. ~Ken Venturi, on Art Rosenbaum
- If I hit it right, it's a slice. If I hit it left, it's a hook. If I hit it straight, it's a miracle. ~Author Unknown

Keep hitting them straight!



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Member Benefits at Golf Galaxy

Take advantage of our EWGA member benefits and shop at Golf Galaxy. This year's discount card is available electronically. Here's the link. http://www.ewgachicago.com/EWGA_Golf_Galaxy_discount_card.pdf
Happy Shopping!!!

Member Services News

By [Cristine Marik](#)

2014 Board Elections

Each year we conduct elections for our Chapter Board Members in accordance with our bylaws and the new board for the 2014 season takes over November 1, 2013. This year we will be electing the following positions:

- President (1 year term)
- Finance & Records Director (2 year term)
- Golf Programs & Services Director (2 year term)
- Communications Director (2 year term)
- Member Recruitment Director (2 year term)

Voting will be open from September 5 – 20. Watch your email inbox for our e-blast containing the link to the online voting form. Thank you for participating in the election process!

Welcome & Congratulations!

We are excited to welcome some new members to our Chapter.

Welcome to Our New Members!

Kimberly Pajakowski

Nancy Weiss

We are so happy you are part of our Chapter!

If you have any questions please contact Cristine Marik, Member Services Director at currentmembers@ewgachicago.com



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GOLF EVENTS

By [Sue Miller](#)

Solheim with a Twist / Recognition Event

Join us at Oak Brook Golf Club for the final golf event of the year. You will pair up with a partner to play 6 holes of Best Ball, 6 holes of Alternate Shot, 6 holes of 2 person scramble.

After golf, join us for dinner at our annual **Recognition Event** to recognize and thank the 2013 Board & volunteers.

Sign up for golf only or dinner only or both golf and dinner. Click on the following link for the Event Spot registration form:

<https://events.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e7xbf4pr0398d0cd&oseq=&c=&ch=>

Save the date: Thursday Oct 24th 6-8:00

Join your fellow EWGA members at one of 3 Cooper's Hawk Wineries (Wheeling, Naperville, or Orland Park) or a Downtown Location to be named soon. Wine tastings, food, drinks and great friends- What more could you want! Further information will be posted on the Chapter's Facebook page and an e-blast will be sent to all members in October.

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