



2018 Sonoma Pines 5th Annual Golf Tournament

A special thank you to our tournament sponsors. Without their support our community event could not take place. Our lead sponsors this year are from West Kelowna and Westbank businesses and residents. All money raised goes directly towards Clubhouse improvements for the benefit of ALL Sonoma Pines community residents.

Gold level sponsor: Once again was **Budget Blinds** a generous supporter of this and many other events in our community.

Silver level sponsors: **Remedy's RX Pharmacy, Kelsey Fairbanks with Royal LePage, Dr. Harleen Braich with Westside Dental & Implant Center, and Porrelli Law.**

Bronze level sponsors: **Joan Woods, Royal Le Page** who is one of our Sonoma Pines residents and a new sponsor this year **Gorman Brothers Lumber Limited.**

Hole sponsors: **Adrienne Louie, Royal LePage; 19 Okanagan Grill; Mike Makin, Coldwell Banker; Westside Canvas; UPS, West Kelowna; Eric Steinback, Remax; and Western Financial,** whom we would also like to thank for adding the "Hole-in-One" challenge, these past two years.

New hole sponsors this year were: **Wendy Parrish** owner of **Wendel's Dogz, Nature's Fare, Brightside Dental** and **Peachland Dental.**

We also want to extend special thanks to **Two Eagles Golf Course and Academy,** our course hosts and **Dean and Joy** for helping to set up this year's tournament and **19 Okanagan Grill,** Neil and his crew who, once again, served an excellent meal.

We also would like to extend very special thanks to those who assisted in the organization and operation of the tournament: **The Sonoma Pines Social Committee,** for their generous donations, and especially, **Jean Scheidl & Lorna Wright** for assisting in tournament organization and for the clubhouse setup. To **The UPS Store** in Westbank for providing all the printing and reproduction services. Thank you also to **Jim Diachuk** for on-course pictures-before heading out to golf and to **Don and Ann Clark** for the scoring tabulation, and thanks to **Shari Bouzane and Pam MacKenzie** for manning the Registration Table at the course.



Raffle Prizes



Overall winners:
Shari and Jim Bouzane,
Jim Blackburn and Lori Cunningham.



Registration Table

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Sonoma Pines Website and Sonoma Sun Newsletter

www.sonomapines.info

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Golf Tournament cont'd



Second-place winners:
Maureen Binkley, Dave Michie,
Sue Olsen and Jim Harris.

A new trophy added this year "The Happy Gilmore Trophy" for the team who had the most fun. We figured that if you finished in last place, you were enjoying golf and not worried about winning!



Happy Gilmore Trophy:
Jim and Calista Diachuk,
Connie and Walter Rendell - 😊
maybe a few too many birdie drinks



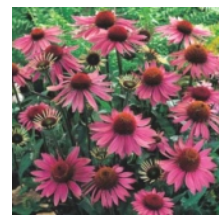
Third place winners:
Bob and Tyler Waterfield,
Ken Delichte and Lucina Rocchia
The tournament was followed by socializing and supper at the clubhouse.

Lots of door prizes and great items for bid on the silent auction table from *2019 Two Eagle memberships* to a *housecleaning certificate*, also a *50-50 draw* and numerous raffle items to be won.

We had 72 golfers and 16 non-golfers for dinner and by all reports everyone had a great time. Once again, we would like to thank all the committee members, participants and dinner guests for supporting our event. We hope you all had an enjoyable day and dinner and we look forward to seeing you back next year.

A big thank you to the Golf Tournament Committee: Chairperson Terry Burkholder, Vice Chairperson Jim Diachuk, and Members, Nadine Casey French, Pam MacKenzie, Lois Michie, Kathy Hovorka, Shari Bouzane, and Lynn Laird.

Submitted by Chairperson
Terry Burkholder



Gardener's Corner

Putting your garden to bed for winter in the Okanagan

Autumn is a good time to add compost to garden beds after perennials are cut down and the only thing left is the crowns of plants. There might be a 1-inch stub, you just sprinkle the compost around the outside of the crown and let it sit there. Then you don't need to work the soil in the beds so much in the spring when there's a lot of other stuff to do.

After perennials quit blooming is the best time to divide crowded clumps. Plants are going dormant at this time of year, so they will adjust to having you dig them up and separate their roots. By spring, you won't be able to tell you did anything to a plant in the fall.

Having a Xeriscape garden in our semi-desert climate now even makes more sense as our landscape and irrigation committee moves forward with water conservation. The mulching of the Xeriscape garden will start after the first hard frost hits. We will leave the garden dormant over the winter and in the spring we should be able to see which plants have survived. This is the time to take stock of our garden. Springtime will be the time to fill in any areas that need improvement or move some of the plants that hide the plants behind them.

Thank you to our dedicated group of Xeriscape landscape volunteers that help maintain this garden for benefit all members of the community

Dagmar Leuenberger-Swift
Landscape Committee
Volunteer



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Sonoma Pines Calendar Of Events

Calendar click here: <http://www.sonomapines.info/calendar/>



Happy Hour Fun at the Clubhouse

October 5th Happy Hour 4pm – 7pm
bring an appy to share or cost \$7.50 pp. We encourage people to bring a dish to ensure enough food to share. Dessert supplied. Appetizers @ 5pm Bring your own refreshments. See you there!

October 19th 6th Annual Oktoberfest 4pm - 8pm



Join us at the Sonoma Pines Beer Garden (aka Clubhouse) for an evening of fun, dancing and sing-along. Cost \$12.50 pp which includes Bratwurst on a bun, Salads, Dessert & door prizes. Bring your own refreshments. Contact Lorna Wright lorna-wright@shaw.ca or call 250-452-9872 to register (no later than Monday Oct.15). Event limited to 65, get your tickets early.

Dates to remember:

November 2nd – Happy Hour
November 16th - Trivia Night
November 25th – Grey Cup Potluck

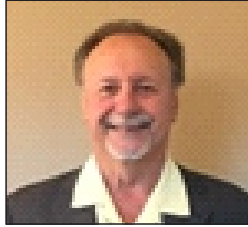
Irrigation Lines Notice



Starting on Thursday, October 25, 2018 the irrigation lines are to be blown out.

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RDCO ELECTION



John Michael Cole
Candidate for
Director

John Cole is a home owner in Sonoma Pines. Currently John sits on the Westbank First Nation Advisory Council. He is a past Director of the Sonoma Pines Home Owners Corporation Ltd (SPHOA).

John has put his name forward as a candidate for the role of Director, Regional District Central Okanagan Board. As a director of the RDCO board, he will exercise due diligence on behalf of citizens in the Central Okanagan West Electoral Area with respect to oversight of the organization and he will work hard to ensure that best practices are utilized in providing top quality services.

Sonoma Pines residents may vote for the Regional District Central Okanagan Board - West Electoral Area positions. See RDCO website:

<https://www.regionaldistrict.com/your-services/corporate-services/election-referenda/candidate-information.aspx>

Please exercise your voting right on Saturday, October 20th

Advance Polls October 10th & 16th

Westbank First Nation Government Offices or Killiney Beach Community Hall, 514 Udell Rd, Vernon.

General Election October 20th

Constable Neil Bruce School, 2010 Daimler Road or Killiney Beach Community Hall, 514 Udell Rd, Vernon.

If you haven't registered to vote, please do so online at Elections.bc.ca website.

Sonoma Pines Activities & Contacts Quilting Club

Kate Fawcett at 778-754-4426
or email johnandkate@shaw.ca

Painting Club

Glen Heming 250-768-0991
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Clubhouse Rentals

If you are interested in reserving the Sonoma Pines Clubhouse and require any information please call Jean Scheidl at 778-754-1884
Rental Forms and Insurance Information are now on line at www.sonomapines.info under the Clubhouse tab.

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