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This proved to be very helpful because nothing is marked with yardages, neither sprinkler heads nor yardage bushes, not even the tees. It is also interesting to note that several of the men caddying during our tournament have carried clubs at this site since it was built in 1917.

The host Superintendent Bob Klinestecker became a member of GCSANC in 1982 (Class A since 1983) and joined the staff of the San Francisco Golf Club in the same year. His most recent achievement was the design and installation of the all turf practice tee area that turned out top notch. Bob is his own toughest critic, and he is very proud of the maintenance improvements and numerous other subtle changes he has made to the course over the years. Bob considers his most important achievement to be his ability to convince the very conservative, tradition oriented membership to make progressive decisions about the course and equipment used, which have produced positive long term results.

The wonderful people in the clubhouse deserve a great big thanks for all they provided. The hors d'oeuvres were delicious, plentiful, served with style, and the main course was an epicureans delight.

Again, we would like to sincerely thank all the membership and staff of the San Francisco Golf Club for hosting this delightful event. It was one we won't forget.

Photos and article submitted by Carey Krefft

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# MEMBERSHIP FOR AUGUST

## 30 Day Wait Waived

James Galvin, Harding Park GC Associate  
 Kulwinder Dhaliwal, Sequoyah CC Associate  
 Paul Johnson, Richmond CC Associate  
 Ryan Wakayama, Parkway GC Associate  
 Frank Hicks, Associated Chemicals, Inc. Affiliate  
 Terry McGlynn, Norcal Turf Systems Affiliate

## Pending 30 Day Wait

Bradford Langley, Poppy Hills Intern Associate  
 Anthony Steers, Contra Costa CC Associate  
 Mike Ligon, Westar Affiliate  
 Matthew Schiller, KKW, Inc. Affiliate

## Pending Upgrade by Exam

Michael McCoy, Oakmont GC, Associate to B  
 Jeffrey Shafer, Sky Valley GC Associate to B

# !!! ATTENTION CLASS B AND ASSOCIATE MEMBERS !!!

If you are eligible now or in the next few months for a classification upgrade to class A or B and you are worried about the dreaded "TEST" this is for you.

On October 28th the semi-annual study session to help prepare you for the upgrade exam will be held at the Meadow Club golf course by your membership chairman, David Sexton.

If you have met all the requirements the actual test for your classification will be available, or a practice exam can be taken to help you prepare for a future testing date.

In order to qualify for class A you must have completed 3 years as a Golf Course Superintendent. To qualify for class B you must have completed 1 year as a Golf Course Superintendent.

In addition you must submit an application for reclassification to the Board of Directors by the October 10th meeting at Bodega Harbour. The application does not need to be attested for reclassification and they are available from the Association office or by contacting David Sexton.

Depending upon the weather and aerification schedules the Meadow Club may be available for complimentary golf after the morning study session which will start at 8:30 am.

Any questions, please call David Sexton, (415) 457-2050 between 8:30-9:30 am Monday-Friday.

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