

RED TO THE RESCUE!

By Tom Schwab

Don "Red" Roskopf comes to the rescue again. There was a late cancellation for the August WGCSA meeting and when Red heard about it, he didn't hesitate to volunteer his Camelot Country Club. On top of that, he gave us the deal of the century; full day package including a cart was \$26, and those coming to dinner only paid \$7. The meeting was attended by 80 golfers and 90 total both because Camelot is such a fun course to play and Red is so well liked in the industry!

Superintendent Dave Brandenburg and his staff's hours of hard work surely reflected in the great shape of the golf course. The fairways were lush and the greens were a joy to putt on. With the undulations on a couple greens, you were happy to just get the ball to the cup. He's also done some nice tee rebuilding. You really get some gorgeous views of the rest of the course from on top of those tees.

Dinner was served in Red's remodeled clubhouse where he donned the hat of the chef. Red grilled some fine 10-ounce fillets and had all the fixings.

After dinner came the announcement of the golf prizes. There were two golf events scheduled for the day. The team

yellow ball tournament was met with mixed reviews. Only five of the 20 teams involved were able to finish the tournament with all of Camelot's water hazards. If the team's yellow ball went O.B. or was lost in a hazard, the team was out. The surviving winning teams were: first place — Wayne Otto, Bruce Worzella, Steve Schmidt, and Rod Johnson; second place — Don Steinmetz, Felix Materisi, Butch Payne, and Ray Shane; third place — Mike Kactro, Pete Newell, Ed Birke, and Lloyd Reed. The individual throw out tournament, where you could throw out your three worst holes, was won by Chuck Frazier. Tied for second were Wayne Horman and Felix Materisi. Tied for third were Jeff Ruesch, Jeff Greisemer, and Jeff Buske.

Near the end of the evening Red gave out some special prizes to some people who have meant a lot to him over the years. Those were Rod Johnson, Ralph Christopherson, and Bob Musbach. Red then introduced the person who has meant the most to him — his wife Joanne. As the meeting ended, he thanked us all for coming to Camelot. We are the ones always thankful to travel to Camelot.

Thank you, Red and Joanne.



Good conversation . . .



good food and . . .



a gracious host (and acting chef!) make for a wonderful WGCSA meeting.

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