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From the Files

by Chip

Chip is back, no longer needing a ghostwriter after a successful stint with stents. It doesn't appear he was sorely missed.

Returning behind the counter after a month long layoff, in time to greet the **Tuesday morning Ladies**, poor old Chip found out they had cancelled their annual two day event, officially, or at least to the party line, because of the blistering temperatures. They'll try again this week.

Wednesday Ladies

Despite the heat wave, a small but mighty gaggle of golfers made it out to a Wednesday evening sponsored by Sue Buker of Elite Engraving and Embroidery. Sue handed out Umbrellas, Bags and Blankets. Everyone got into the gift act.

The previous week, rain curtailed some of the action, but a few diehards played it to completion including Kelly Bowman, Penny Ryan, Nancy Kilpatrick, Linda Cuthbertson and Linda Stinson.

Mary Lynne Wilson and Norma Sweeney had the Longest Drive while Elaine Turner and Renee Capello were the most accurate on #3 and 11.

Special mention must go to Krista Hearty's group, bedecked in their Canada Day finery.

The steamy hot conditions didn't wilt the **Thursday Seniors** as Tom Critelli Put together a string of four birdies enroute to a splendid 76, two ahead of Bill Kelso. Gary Patterson was a stroke back at 79.

Only two of Critelli's birds held up for skins. Al Walkden eagled number 7 for one, while Bob Giroux and Fred Parks had the others. Giroux has a career round of 82.

Hole winners included Bob Dungey, Merv Roberts, Critelli and Walkden.

This week **Doug's slugs welcome Lombard Glen** for the first on a home and away set. It's a 7.45 shotgun followed by a luncheon.

Sand Saves

...**Ryder Cup qualifying** continues this weekend and every weekend until the end of the month. The signup sheet is in the Spike Lounge.

... The **golf and BBQ special** is set for 12.30 pm Thursday July 15. It's open to anyone. The proshop has all the details.

...The **Junior Linkster** program, which includes professional instruction, has five more sessions. It ends with a closing tournament and BBQ. Russ or Scott is the go to people. Russ is also putting together a pro-am day slated for August 9.

...**The Chappy Open**, nearing its thirtieth year of existence is ready to tee it up July 23. It's an 11.00 shotgun. Everybody is welcome and one of the unique things about the event is no pre registration is required. Just show up the day of the tournament.

The proshop can be reached by calling 613-267-4504. Book tee times at perthgolf.com.