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2012 Annual Report

On May 1, 2012 I made a request to our board for funds to improve the software I was using to build and edit our website. They approved the funds and I immediately excused myself from meeting to start working on our new appearance. Since we had already started our golfing season I felt the need to build as quickly as possible so there would be only a little interruption for our members.

I have tried very hard to keep our website user friendly. One thing I added to the website was a "search" page. Insert a word(s) into the box, hit "enter" and the search engine will search wmsga.org for that word(s). From the start I have stressed the importance of using the "home page" and surfing the site to familiarize your selves with all it has to offer. My suggestion would be to visit the "home" page often and to check the "news and notices" column on the left side of the page.

Jean Young and I have been trying to set a regular schedule for posting tee times and flight information. The results are another story thanks to "snail" mail but I try to post "delay notices" to help our members to understand the hold up.

I have more changes to come. One of them is to add a "message board". This will allow our members to communicate with each other. Say you have a team that is short one player, then you could go to the "message board" and leave a player needed request. Then the member who wants to play but has no team can go to the board, read your request and then reply. Now your void is filled… Also you could use the board to tell of a spectacular shot or even silly things that happen during WMSGA events. I also will be making visual changes during the winter.

During 2011 the website was new and it took Jean and me a while to work out the glitches. For the most part the 2012 seasons has gone very smoothly with very few issues to fix. I would love to see more of our members contributing more photos or other items. I also hope that WMSGA members enjoyed the daily updates during Tri-state, NEWGA and the Maine Women's Amateur.

I hope you have enjoyed using the new website and keep your eyes open for more changes and improvements.

Sincerely,

Charlotte Cole
Webmaster