

# The 2020 Gutty Golf Spectacular

Pacific Coast Hickory Golfers

Catalina Island Country Club Avalon, Catalina Island, CA March 21-22, 2020



Twenty-six miles across the sea, Catalina Island is the place to be! I think we have all heard that 1950's song, and now is the time to pick up those old sticks and a gutta percha ball and come play with them out on the island.

Welcome to the fifth annual PCHG's Gutty Golf Spectacular, the first all Gutty tournament west of the Mississippi. This Gutty event will be contested on the hickory era and great-for-gutty-golf Catalina Island CC. This 9-hole course measures in at 2,100 yards and will play to a bogey of 36. The original 3 holes were built on this property back in 1892 by the Banning

brothers. Around the turn of the century it was expanded to 9 holes. The course meanders through a canyon

setting towards Avalon cove and the Pacific Ocean. This event will take you back in time, playing golf like it was about 120 years ago. You can't play farther out in the Pacific as the next course out is in Hawaii.

The event will be popular with golfer's better halves, as Catalina Island is a beautiful tourist and destination spot. Saturday night after the first round Kurt and Julie Olsen will be hosting the group for a cocktail & appetizer reception. The island has many little restaurants and of course great seafood can be found. Awards both days. Lunch at the Sand Trap after final round (golfers cost).



\*Only the McIntyre "Park" ball, and sand tees are used for this event. Dress in period attire.

## Contestant Information

Name:		Handicap	
Address:			_ Zip Code:
Phone:	Email:		
Entry Fee:		# of Participants	Total \$
36 hole golf tournament		#@ \$195	\$
Rental Set of Gutty Clubs		#@ \$40	\$
"Park" Gutty golf balls		#@ \$13 each	\$
		TOTAL ENCLOSED	\$

\*\*\* Check and entry form must be received by Friday, February 28th, 2020 to Eddie Breeden, 1200 Rugby Way, Upland, CA. 91786.

# More Info...

#### Boats:

Yes, Catalina Island is 26 miles across the sea. There are two options with boats to and from Catalina Island. The boat ride is usually about 1 hour 15 minutes. Please plan you timing accordingly. Check the times of departure and arrival, along with a little time to get from the dock to the golf course if arriving on Saturday morning.

The **Catalina Flyer** departs out of Newport Beach only once a day. Please visit the website for more info. www.catalinainfo.com

Catalina Express offers more departure times and ports. Times throughout the day from Long Beach, San Pedro, and Dana Point. Please visit the website for more info.

www.catalinaexpress.com

# Hotels:

There are a good number of hotel options on the island in Avalon. But, they can fill up fast because of location, location, location! I strongly recommend reserving your room as soon as you decide on this event.

The Holiday Inn Resort Catalina Island is probably one of the best priced and closest to the course. If you google search you will find lots of places and prices.

(310)510-0325 or 1 (888) HOLIDAY

www.ihg.com/holidayinnresorts/hotels/us/en/avalon/snaav/hoteldetail?cm mmc=GoogleMaps--HI--US--SNAAV

### Golf:

<u>First round</u> tee times will start at 1pm Saturday March 21. This will allow those hoping on the boat in the morning to get to the island with plenty of time, and for those already there to enjoy the weather, views, site seeing, etc. (Golf cart fee may be payable to course)

Sat Night after golf Kurt and Julie Olsen have graciously invited us over for the event reception at their home.

<u>Final round</u> tee times on Sunday start around 8am. This will allow for lunch after golf (at golfers cost) and awards presentation before many go out to explore or head back on the boat in the afternoon.

**Contact:** If you need any other information or have questions please contact me.





