

**1/25/2024**

**By Bill Travis and Mario Silva**

The Ironmen are in afternoon play, gathering every Thursday afternoon at 1:00PM with a shotgun start, sweeps, birdie pool, and closest to the pin.

Thursday, 1/25/2024, the course was wet from the recent rains, but the day was mostly sunny and warm. Another good day for some golf.

Eight Ironmen played. This was a no-sweeps day.

There was a three-way tie for **First Place** between Victor Hong, Walter Lucas, and Sang Nam each with a net 27; **Second Place** went to Mario Silva with a net 29; and **Third Place** went to Doug Herring with a net 30.

There were three **Birdies**: two by Sang Nam on holes 4 and 7; and one by Victor Hong on hole 7.

**Closest to the Pin** was won by Sang Nam at 4'9" on hole 2.

**Golfer of the Day** goes to Sang Nam with two birdies, closest to the pin, and a first place finish. Way to go Sang!

The Ironmen 9 hole, par 3 group would love to add new members. We are a very sociable group, and play basically pressure-free golf. And the first round is on us. Just call Jerry Juracich at 408-440-8283.

**Deep Thoughts:**

I think it's just the nature of our game that we're friends out here, although we are competitors, we are friends. And you like to see your friend do well, and you sometimes need another pair of eyes. **Steve Stricker**, professional golfer with twelve PGA tour wins, and 2023 PGA Tour Champions Player of the Year

I play golf with friends sometimes, but there are never friendly games. **Ben Hogan**, winner of nine Major Championships