



Landmark

32nd Giddings Cup Fact Sheet 2014

The **Giddings Cup** was established in 1983 as an annual senior amateur, low handicap invitational Golf Tournament. The **Giddings Cup** strives to continually enrich its field, making it one of the year's most popular amateur golf events. Contestants in the **Giddings Cup** have hailed from 28 countries. This year (2014) the **Giddings Cup** has changed to a 36-hole Championship with the addition of a new Flight, which includes participants age 25 and older.

2014 Date: 32nd Giddings Cup: April 3rd – 6th

Practice Round	Thursday
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Welcome Reception (6:00 p.m.)	Friday
SilverRock Resort (1 st Round)	Saturday
Indian Wells Golf Resort (Final Round)	Sunday

Host Golf Courses

2013	SilverRock Resort, La Quinta Country Club and Mountain View Country Club
2012	La Quinta Country Club, SilverRock Resort and Mountain View Country Club
2011	La Quinta Country Club, SilverRock Resort and Mountain View Country Club
2010	Mountain Course at La Quinta Resort, SilverRock Resort and Mountain View Country Club
2009	SilverRock Resort, Mountain Course at La Quinta Resort and Mountain View Country Club
2008	SilverRock Resort, Mountain View Country Club and The Golf Club at Terra Lago-South Course
2007	The Golf Club at Terra Lago-North Course
2006	The Golf Club at Terra Lago-South Course (formerly Landmark Golf Club)
2005, 2002, 2001	Landmark Golf Club-North Course
2004, 2003	Landmark Golf Club-South Course
2000, 1999	Desert Willow Golf Resort
1998-1983	La Quinta Resort Mountain Course

2013 Champions 203 Jeff Burda & John Richart

2013 Super Seniors 215 Bob Fouke & Bob Howe

CHAMPIONS

1983 (216)
Dick Giddings
Ed Updegraff
1984 (212)
Dick Giddings
Ed Updegraff
1985 (214)
Jim Brennan
John Owens
1986 (209)
Bill Henry, Jr.
Leo Kubiak
1987 (214)
Dick Giddings
Ed Updegraff
1988 (210)
Dick Giddings
Ed Updegraff
1989 (213)
Dick Giddings
Ed Updegraff
1990 (219)
John Owens
Marshall Trammell
1991 (211)
Jackie Cummings
Dick Goerlich
1992 (210)
Jim Frost
Bob Jacobs
1993 (207)
Jackie Cummings
Dick Goerlich
1994 (208)
Wayne Samples
Don White
1995 (206)
Moss Beecroft
Bo Williams
1996 (209)
Charles
Cunningham
Harcourt Kemp
1997 (209)
Jackie Cummings
Dick Goerlich
1998 (203)
Bob Hullender
James Stahl
1999 (205)
Ken Kirkpatrick
Ted Lyford
2000 (203)
Bill Heldmar
Bob Fouke
2001 (201)
Roger Brown
John Olive
2002 (204)
Bill Heldmar
Bob Fouke
Super Seniors
(216)
Gerry Doan
Fred Strebels
2003 (208)
Jerry Greenbaum
Bill Ploeger
Super Seniors
(212)
Bryan Conn
Bud Dock

CHAMPIONS

2004 (203)
Jerry Greenbaum
Bill Ploeger
Super Seniors
(211)
Fred Rowland
Fred Strebels
2005 (203)
Roger Brown
Bill Heldmar
Super Seniors
(215)
Fred Rowland
Fred Strebels
2006 (202)
Chris Maletis
Mitch Voges
Super Seniors
(223)
Paul Ladin
Jim Ono
2007 (208)
Dick Lahey
Steve Rhorer
Super Seniors
(216)
Fred Rowland
Fred Strebels
2008 (203)
Sean Forey
Scott Radcliffe
Super Seniors
(213)
Richard Anderson
Bob Wernick
2009 (205)
Bob Fouke
Chris Maletis
Super Seniors
(207)
Bob Hullender
Michael Mahoney
2010 (204)
Gary Hardin
Greg Mokler
Super Seniors
(207)
Bob Hullender
Michael Mahoney
2011 (200)
Jerry Greenbaum
Chris Maletis
Super Seniors
(208)
Bob Fouke
Fred Rowland
2012 (200)
Tom Phillips
Doug Potter
Super Seniors
(210)
Bob Fouke
Fred Rowland
2013 (203)
Jeff Burda
John Richart
Super Seniors
(215)
Bob Fouke
Bob Howe

Format & Schedule

36-Hole Stroke Play Event

No Handicaps, USGA Rules

Thursday: Practice Round, not included in Entry Fee
Friday: Practice Round, not included in Entry Fee
Welcome Reception, 6:00 p.m. @ SilverRock Resort
Saturday: Team Four Ball (Better Ball) Tee Times start 7:30 a.m.
Sunday: Team Four Ball (Better Ball) Shotgun start 8:00 a.m.
Awards Luncheon, Immediately following play

2014 Social Events

Friday Evening: Welcome Reception, No-host Bar 6:00-7:30 p.m.
SilverRock Resort
Sunday: Awards Luncheon, Indian Wells Golf Resort (Following Play)

Championship Flights

Giddings Cup Flight

The Giddings Cup Flight will remain as it has been since the inception of the **Giddings Cup**. Both players must be 55+. Both courses will be played at approximately 6,500 yards. Teams in this Flight will compete for the **Giddings Cup** Championship and awards. Teams eligible for the Giddings Cup Flight may declare prior to the event to compete in the Landmark Flight.

Super Senior Flight

Both players eligible for this Flight must be 65+. Both courses will be played at approximately 6,300 yards. Super Senior Flight participants will compete for its own Championship title and awards. Teams eligible for the Super Senior Flight may declare prior to the event to compete in the Giddings Cup Flight.

Landmark Flight

We are excited to launch a new competitive Flight during the 2014 **Giddings Cup**. Both players must be at least 25 years of age. Players 55+ may play with a younger partner in this Flight (i.e. a 57 year old may play with a 25 year old). Both courses will be played at approximately 6,800 yards. The Landmark Flight will compete for its own Championship title and awards. This Flight will have a limited field in 2014.

History of the Giddings Cup

The roots of the **Giddings Cup** date back to a 1952 golf tournament in Phoenix, Arizona, the meeting place of contestants Ernie Vossler (dec. Feb 2013) and Dick Giddings (dec. Feb 2002) and the beginning of their friendship that spanned four decades. In 1983, Vossler was planning an event that would bring great amateur golfers to the desert properties Landmark was developing. Vossler and General Bill Yancey, 25 year Executive Director of the Bob Hope Classic, conceived the original format for the **Giddings Cup**.

Vossler reflected, "There was never a question about naming the Tournament in honor of Dick Giddings. It was a natural. Dick Giddings was a great player, a loyal friend of Landmark's and one of golf's great gentlemen."

Dick Giddings played golf with many of the greats including Walter Hagan, Denny Shute and Byron Nelson. Dick won several club championship titles, the first in 1930. He won the Northern California Amateur and played in 11 USGA events.

On the **Giddings Cup**, Dick remarked, "The **Giddings Cup** was created as a scratch competition where you get the best partner you can, come on out to the desert, have some fun and see who you can beat."