



Monthly News Letter

~ April 2016 ~

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New Members:

Terry & Jan Watts
Don Ellis

March 5th
Returning - March 15th

New #5 and #9 Green Opening

The renovation projects of last fall are about to be opened. The greens on #5 & #9 will be opened at the Master's Tournament on April 9th.



If you have not signed up to play in this ABCD Scramble it is not too late and be some of the first members to play these new greens.



Changes on the Golf Course



The tee marker signs on the front nine are updated and in some cases were moved to new locations. Directional signs have also been installed to help outside play find their way around the golf course.

The fairways have received the spring pre-emerge and fertilized treatment. With our warm spring the Bermuda is starting to show green.



We need everyone's help by staying off the brown areas where the grass has not started to grow, and minimize traffic on the areas the grass has started to emerge. Please let the immature grasses start growing by staying in the rough as much as possible.

The traffic control signs have been put back out on the golf course. These are to help remind everyone where we need to keep golf carts away from greens and tee boxes. Please use the cart paths to help with the grass growing in and to

Masters Scramble
April 9th ~ 12:30 SG - Sign-up in the golf shop. Draw your PGA Pro Saturday

prevent dirt paths being created around tees and greens.

Tuesday Night Dog Fight ~ The Dog Fight starts on April 5th. There is \$35 annual Men's Golf Association fee to play in the Dog Fight. Each week is \$8 for the game with an optional \$5 for skins.

Friday Night Couples ~ Couples Friday night golf starts April 8th. Play will start with a shotgun at 5pm for the first few weeks until we get a little more daylight, then the start time will move to 5:30. There is a \$10 entry, fee per couple, each week for the evenings contest.

PGA Junior League ~ Sam has been working hard to get the league up and running this season. This is intended for member's children and grandchildren and their friends. But to increase the pool players he has gone to all of the local middle schools to recruit golfers for the 12 player team. **Deadline for player sign-up is May 4th.** If you know of any children from the ages 7-13 that might be interested in playing the fastest growing team sport please contact Sam at the golf shop or by email at srhoten.pga1@yahoo.com.



Upcoming Calendar of Events

Tuesday Night Dog Fight	April 5 th
Friday Night Couples Starts	April 8 th
Master Scramble (ABCD Draw)	April 9 th
Lad & Lassie Couple's Tournament	May 14 th & 15 th

Trash on the Golf Course ~ Is anyone else tired of the golf course being used as a trash receptacle? There are still many improvements that need to be made to our golf course, but one thing that would greatly improve the look of the course would be to place trash in trash containers instead of throwing it on the ground. This picture represents one trip around one green only going 6 feet off the green to pick up cigarette butts. Please help us keep the course looking better by caring for it. ***This also***



includes fixing your ball marks as well as someone else's when you see them.

Member E-Mail Addresses ~ *We continue to seek members that have email addresses and are willing to receive their monthly statements by e-mail. Please check in the golf shop to see if we have your current email your address. We currently only have about 35 working e-mail accounts for members. Additionally, if you normally pay your dues by credit card, please let us have your card information so we can charge your card during the monthly billing cycle.*

Note from the General Manager ~ As we quickly move towards the heart of another golfing season, we have many things on the agenda. We will be working on aerification of the greens starting the week of April 11th, aerification and leveling of tee boxes, aerification of fairways, and looking forward to the renovation of our next two greens (#7 and #8) in the late summer.

We continue to investigate our options for a driving range/warm-up area. We will continue to keep you up to date as this project develops.

We are looking at options for our food service operation going into the summer - possibly producing more grab and go items to be purchased from the golf shop. There is a lot going on and I look forward to all the opportunities ahead of us for this season.

Brent D. Edmister, PGA General Manager

Lad and Lassie
Coming May 14th and 15th
Get your partner and join the fun.
12:30 Shotgun each day



Check out our new hats for 2016!