

THE LEXINGTON TIMES

JULY NEWSLETTER 2017

"Over 100 years of fun"



FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

Happy Independence Day! Summer is here and I can't think of a better place to hang out than the club! The pool is the perfect place to 'chill out' for a little bit. Let Kelly and her pool staff pamper you with delicious food, cold beer, ice cream treats, and some fruity frozen drinks! Many thanks to our seniors for building the swing set in our new kids play area behind the pool. It took a little longer than expected, but it should provide our children a safe, fun new area to burn off some excess energy!

Speaking of the pool, we've added some new activities that your 'teens' will enjoy. Each Saturday night in July, we're inviting all teens to bring their friends and enjoy 'Teen Night at Lex'! Our staff has prepared some fun and games, just for teenagers, and we hope the pool will be their hangout spot on Saturday nights. It will be fun, safe, and hope to make it a Lexington Tradition!

We're also extending our Friday and Saturday night hours in the Tri-Brook until 11:00 p.m. The kitchen will still close at 9:00 p.m., but we'll have late-night drink specials and snacks available, so come out and enjoy a nightcap 'at the club'! Jason will be playing music on the patio (weather permitting) every Friday night from 7:00-10:00. Saturday night will feature different themes like trivia, corn hole, and other adult themed games. If you have any ideas, please let us know!!

On Friday, June 16, more than a dozen members turned out for Sand, Seed & Suds. They filled divots in the fairways and on the tees. After their hard work, the group enjoyed music by Jason, delicious hors d'oeuvres compliments of Chef Bunyan and Sous Chef Phil, draft beer and Happy Hour specials. Thanks for helping us make #LexingtonProud!

As you may know, Deborah Goglia has been promoted to the position of food and beverage manager at Ashley Plantation. We are sad to see her go, but her commute to Daleville from Roanoke is much shorter, and we thank her for the time she spent with us in Lexington. Deborah's replacement should be a familiar face, and I'm happy to announce that my wife Ann has joined the Up to Par team, and will be the Event Sales Manager for LGCC, The RE Lee Hotel and Sheridan Livery. We're both excited, and Ann will be working out of the Up to Par office on East Henry Street in Lexington.

Keeping with the event theme, please think #LexingtonFirst if you need to host a social event. We have the Tri-Brook, patio, the View or the pool, perfect for group from 12-250. Think #LexingtonFirst and let our team pamper you and your guests. Birthday party, Wedding reception, rehearsal dinner or retirement party?? Think #LexingtonFirst and let your guests enjoy Chef Bunyan and Sous Chef Phil's fabulous food! Business meeting, luncheon or dinner? #LexingtonFirst and let us set up your meeting to suit you.

Finally, I always ask for comments on how our staff is doing, because in order for you to think #LexingtonFirst you need to be #LexingtonProud!

Thank you, and may God Bless America as we celebrate our 241st Birthday! See you at the Club!

Mike Ahrnsbrak General Manager

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GOLF AT LEXINGTON

Below you'll find exciting events, important notes and more!

PRO SHOP HOURS

Monday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday - Sunday: 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

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GOLF UPDATES

July 4th, Red, White, & Blue Golf Tournament

Date: Tuesday, July 4th

Time: 9:00 a.m. Shotgun Start

Format: Four Person Captain's Choice

Entry Fee: \$25.00 entry fee plus cart, \$65.00 per guest includes all fees.

Awards will be made in both gross & net divisions. Total of four players handicaps divided by 8. Contact golf shop to sign up at 463-3542.

Complimentary Junior Golf Clinic

Saturday, July 8th 10:00-12:00

Junior Golf School

A short game school will be conducted on Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday July 11th thru July 13th. This school will focus on simplifying the golf swing technique to create a consistent repeating golf swing. The cost is \$100.00 per member and \$125.00 for non members which also includes lunch. Come join Coach Jeff and to sharpen up your short game skills. To sign up contact the golf shop at 463-3542.

Adult Junior Tournament July 16

Format: 2 person Captain's Choice

Time: 2:00 Shotgun Start

Cost: \$10.00 Per Player Plus Cart

To sign up contact the golf shop at 463-3542.

Men's Member-Member July 28 - July 30

Date: Friday, July 28 thru Sunday July 30

Format: Best Ball of 2 Net (50% of Handicap). Flights will be determined by the total team handicap. Team members may not have more than a 10 shot difference in their 18-hole handicaps: otherwise, players handicaps will be adjusted to be within 10 shots. Handicap adjustments will be made for tees based on the USGA recommendation.

Entry Fee: \$125.00 per player.

Registration Deadline: Tuesday July 25.

Contact pro shop to sign up at 463-3542.

Ladies Member-Member Results

Congratulations to all of the winners from the Ladies Member-Member Tournament that was played on Saturday and Sunday June 3 and 4.

1st Low Gross with a score of 78, Sue Boller and Sally Bruce

1st Low Net with a score of 59, Linda Maini and Joyce Davis

2nd Low Net with a score of 60, Carol Blair and Dorothy Blackwell

3rd Low Net with a score of 61, Natalie Garvis and Vickie Black

Member/Guest Results

Congratulations to all of the participants from this years Member - Guest Golf Tournament, a great time was had by all. Also congratulations to Shawn Watkins and his partner Corey Mace for winning the 2017 Shoot-Out and being crowned the 2017 Member - Guest Champions.

FIRST FLIGHT

1st Shawn Watkins - Corey Mace (28 points)

2nd Neal Lineberry - Gary Tyree (26.5 points)

SECOND FLIGHT

1st Mitch Shaner - John McCoy (24.5 points)

2nd Darrin Webb - Tim Rockefeller (24 points)

THIRD FLIGHT

1st Donnie Ross - Brian ross (27 points)

2nd Cliff Jarrett - Cory Hombaum (25.5 points)

FOURTH FLIGHT

1st Nate Beck - Paul King (28 points)

2nd James Owens - Arron Girson (26 points)

FIFTH FLIGHT

1st Kermit Rockett - Greg Rockett (27 points)

2nd Bruce Boller - John Boller (26 points)



Nice shot

Congratulations go out to Charles Hallock for shooting a 74 several shots lower than his age, also Dick Cayo shot his age with a score of 80.

Last but certainly not least Buddy Atkins made a hole-in-one on number #14 from 110 yards using a 9 iron. Nice playing guys.

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FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

Why are those carts parked so close to the tee/green? How come nobody fills a divot? Can't we teach our golfers to fix their ball mark plus one more? Long time golfers and long tenured superintendents have fielded these questions forever. "Fixes" are implemented and we are all happy for a while. Then we aren't. Ropes, stakes and signs have been used for traffic control. Clubs have given ball mark repair tools to everyone to use. Bottles of sand on all the carts are available. None of it seems to work.

I have the fix and it works every time. Courtesy. That's it! Doing what is right is just courtesy to the rest of your foursome and the others playing that day. All golfers except for maybe the absolute beginner knows the proper etiquette. But they aren't the major offenders, you are. If you see someone struggling, point it out to them, but do it in a positive manner. Let's all enjoy this great game.

A little courtesy goes a long way. Commit to practicing some today!

Jeff Karlstrand, CGCS Director of Agronomy

GOLF GROUP OR TOURNAMENTS

Have a tournament in mind for this year, or a planning a get together with golf buddies? Don't keep it to yourself.

Call our Membership and Golf Sales manager at 540-463-4141.



A SENIOR MOMENT by Mike Evans

The LGCC Seniors had no inter-club matches in May. The sole organized competition was the annual joint mixer with the LGCC Ladies Golf Association, held May 17. Nine mixed-gender teams competed in this fun captain's choice tournament. The winning team was Montrose Grandberry, David Woody, Mike Evans, and John Winfrey. Inter-club play resumed on June 1 as LGCC hosted and defeated Ivy Hill 70.5-55.5 with the following pairs winning their individual matches: Woody-Sullivan, Calkins-Morris, Grandberry-Atkins, and Jones (solo). Taking closest to pin honors were Lynn Jones and Buddy Atkins. Next, on June 8, LGCC won a home match against Ironwood 76-50. This competition was unique in that none of the seven LGCC pairs lost their individual matches. Pairs securing outright wins were Sullivan-Bruce, Perry-Calkins, Hopkins-Hallock, Russell-Atkins, and Joyce-Tepper. Tim Sullivan and Buddy Atkins won closest to pin honors. On June 15 LGCC eked out yet another home victory 92-88 over Boonsboro. Winning pairs were Sullivan-King, Jones-Scholl, Russell-Atkins, Hallock-Hopkins, and Hill-Morris. Bruce King, John Lanier and Bob Hopkins won closest to pin awards. This brings the season record to 4-1, with the team winning all of its home matches to date and losing its sole away match as of this writing.

FROM OUR KITCHEN

From our table to yours.

TRI-BROOK BAR & GRILL

Sunday	11a.m. - 6p.m. Kitchen closes at 4 p.m.
Monday	Closed
Tuesday	11a.m. - 6p.m. Kitchen closes at 4 p.m.
Wednesday - Thursday	11a.m. - 8p.m.
Friday - Saturday	11a.m. - 9p.m.

FROM THE CHEF

July is the official start of Dog Days which are considered to begin in early July, when the hot sultry weather of summer usually starts. Started a little early this year!



CULINARY CELEBRATIONS IN JULY

NATIONAL HOT DOG MONTH

All month our beef dogs will be \$2 off menu prices. (Pool and Tri Brook)



NATIONAL ICE CREAM MONTH

All month all Tri-Brook Ice creams will be \$3. (Accoutrements extra)



JULY 6 - NATIONAL FRIED CHICKEN DAY

The special burger for Burger Night will be a chicken fried burger.

JULY 7 - NATIONAL STRAWBERRY SUNDAE DAY

In celebration we will be offering strawberry sundaes for our dessert on the weekender specials for \$4.

JULY 13 - NATIONAL FRENCH FRY DAY

We will be offering French fries for free with every entrée or sandwich ordered.



JULY 14 - NATIONAL GRAND MARNIER DAY

JULY 15 - NATIONAL TAPIOCA PUDDING DAY

We will be offering a Grand Marnier Tapioca Pudding for \$4 with every entrée purchased for that weekend special dessert.



JULY 21 - NATIONAL CRÈME BRÛLÉE DAY

Our Weekender House Brûlée Dessert will be offered at \$3.

JULY 28 - NATIONAL HAMBURGER DAY

In celebration the Tri-Brook Grill Burger will be offered all weekend for \$5.

(all accoutrements normal pricing)



JULY 29 - NATIONAL CHICKEN WING DAY

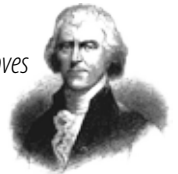
All boneless wings will be offered at \$6.

VIRGINIA HISTORICAL DATES IN JULY

July 1, 1862 - The last of the Seven Days Battles, the battle of Malvern Hill, takes place east of Richmond.

July 2, 1788 - The newly adopted U.S. Constitution goes into effect in Virginia. The document is based, primarily, on the "Virginia Plan," which was drafted by Virginian James Madison.

July 4, 1776 - The Continental Congress formally approves the Declaration of Independence, drafted primarily by Virginian Thomas Jefferson



July 21, 1861 - Union forces under General Irvin McDowell cross Bull Run, initiating the first major battle of the War of Northern Aggression, at the battle of Manassas

July 25, 1831 - Cyrus McCormick demonstrates the world's first successful mechanical reaper on a crop of oats in Rockbridge County.

July 30, 1619 - The Virginia General Assembly, the first representative legislative body in North America, convenes at Jamestown.

Chef's Tips:

TO MAKE A GREAT SANDWICH:

Spread the mayonnaise from corner to corner on the bread. People rush this step and just do a swoosh down the middle. Every bite should be flavorful. Now that's a sandwich!



SECRET TO THE BEST PULLED PORK:

Brine, baby, brine! You gotta brine that pork to really give it the super flavor (72 hours). Slow cook for 15-18 hours



NEW SUMMER MENUS

Come in and enjoy our exciting new menus!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Visit the Club's website for the latest information!

SUMMER AQUATICS AT LEXINGTON!



Rubber Ducky Night

Every Wednesday from 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Remember to bring your favorite floaties and have a blast with us relaxing by the pool or taking part of our games and contests!



Teen Pool Night

Every Saturday in July from 8:00 - 11:00 p.m.

Bring friends and hang out with us by the pool. There will be a new theme every Saturday where teens can eat great food, participate in fun games, and have a blast.



Aqua Zumba & Aquacise Classes

Aqua Zumba Mondays at 7:00 p.m.

Aquacise Tuesday and Thursday at 9:15 a.m.

\$5 per member

Come participate and have a fun while getting exercise!



Swim Lessons

Begin signing your children up for private swim lessons at LGCC. Times and days are flexible. Contact Kelly Bogensberger, the pool manager, at 605-838-9063 to get them started!



WHO CAN FIND LEXI?

Have you met our **NEW**

Lexington Golf & Country Club Mascot!

Be on the lookout! Once you find her post a picture of you and Lexi on our LGCC Facebook page!

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You will be automatically entered into a drawing to win your very own Lexi!

JULY EVENT CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 8:30am MGA (Open) 9am SMGA (Open) 10:30am LLGA (Open)
						Chef's Dinner Specials Red, White, and Blue Teen Pool Night
2 10:30am LLGA (Open)	3 7pm Aqua Zumba	4 Red, White, and Blue Golf Tournament 9am Shotgun Start 9:15am Aquacize Class	5	6 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class 5:30pm LLGA (Open) 5:30pm MGA	7 SPCA Golf Outing 5:30pm Couples 9 & Dine	8 Complimentary Jr. Clinic 10am-12pm 8:30am MGA (Open) 9am SMGA (Open) 10:30am LLGA (Open)
Sunday Brunch 11:30am-1:30pm			Family Style Service Pasta & Pizza Night Wednesday Wine Time	Burger Night	Chef's Dinner Specials 7-10pm Live Music by Jason Hostetter	Chef's Dinner Specials Theme Night at Lexington Teen Pool Night
9 10:30am LLGA (Open)	10 Course Closed for Bayoneting 7pm Aqua Zumba	11 Jr. Golf School Session II 9am SMGA (Open) 9am VMRC Golf Outing 9:15am Aquacize Class	12 Jr. Golf School Session II	13 Jr. Golf School Session II 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class 5:30pm LLGA (Open) 5:30pm MGA	14 5:30pm Couples 9 & Dine	15 8:30am MGA (Open) 9am SMGA (Open) 10:30am LLGA (Open)
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23 10:30am LLGA (Open)	24 Course Closed for Bayoneting 7pm Aqua Zumba	25 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class	26 LLGA Day	27 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class 5:30pm LLGA (Open) 5:30pm MGA	28 Men's Member/Member	29 Course Closed Men's Member/Member
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