

THE LEXINGTON TIMES

AUGUST NEWSLETTER 2017

"Over 100 years of fun"

FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

Our big news for the month is our "Upgrade to First Class" membership drive! Last month our former Class A & B members voted to enact a change in our bylaws, which now allow former Class C and non-equity members to participate in the governance of the club, to include the ability to vote and serve on the Board of Directors. We are embarking on an Upgrade to First Class drive, and are asking all members to join us! Please plan to join us for a poolside party on Friday, August 18 from 5:00-6:00 p.m. If you can attend feel free to stop in or call me at 540-463-4141 and I'll be happy to further explain the benefits for both you and the club!

As we enter the dog days of summer, make sure to plan your schedule to include activities at the club that will help you escape the sweltering temperatures! The cool waters of our pool should make for a refreshing dip on a hot summer afternoon. Enjoy a cold beer, sweet tea, or fruity frozen drink at the pool cabana bar. How about an early morning round of golf? You can be done before the heat sets in, or play late in the evening and enjoy a spectacular LGCC sunset. This is your club, so make sure you are taking full advantage of it!

Our teen night at the pool has been a huge success, and big thank you to those who have come out to the club on Saturday nights! We are looking to extend these nights for both middle and high schoolers into the fall and are looking for activity suggestions. So if you have any ideas, please let us know.

As our kids head back to school, we'll be making some adjustments to the guard schedule beginning Monday, August 13. Hours of operations will be as follows:

Monday	8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.	No guards on duty, swim at your own risk.
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Sunday	8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.	No guards on duty, swim at your own risk. Guards on duty

Please note that children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

Our team is gearing up for a busy fall season, and we would love to host your event. If you are planning a birthday celebration, Christmas party or special dinner, please call Ann at 540.794.1494. Let us take great care of you!

As always, I appreciate your comments and suggestions as our team continually strives to improve. Let me know how we're doing!! 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

Complimentary Junior Golf Clinic

Saturday, August 12 10:00 - 12:00 a.m.

Junior Club Championship

Date: Saturday, August 26

Time: Tee times start at 2:00 p.m.

Entry Fee: \$10.00 per player

Contact golf shop to sign up at 463-3542.

Couples Classic

Date: Sunday, August 27

Time: 1:00 p.m. shotgun start

Format: Two person captain's choice

Entry Fee: \$10.00 per player plus cart

Course Closings

Monday, August 7 - Golf Course Maintenance

Thursday, August 10, - Private Golf Event

Friday, August 11 - Private Golf Event

Monday, August 21 - Golf Course Maintenance

Coming in September and October

Sunday, September 3 - Adult - Junior Tournament

Monday, September 4 - Labor Day Shamble

Saturday, October 7 - Lexington Invitational

Saturday & Sunday, October 14 & 15 - Men's & Ladies Club Championship

Contact golf shop to sign up for any of these upcoming events at 463-3542.

FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

An update on the ponds. In late June we contracted with a lake management company to provide spray services to control unwanted algae and vegetation that should improve the overall appearance of the ponds. The products used have no effect on established grass but could possibly stunt newly seeded areas. We will have two visits per month from March through November and one visit in December, January, and February.

The greens committee is also looking at adding diffusers to the pond behind the clubhouse. Diffusers are placed on the pond bottom with a small compressor on shore that pumps air out into the pond allowing for a column of oxygen to filter to the surface. This is just another means to help control algae in the pond. More to come on that later.

If we get a little break in the weather we plan on doing some weed control, especially on the fairways and around the greens. There are a number of broadleaf and grassy weeds that need to be brought under control

I know it has been hot so play early or late but remember to play!

Jeff Karlstrand, CGCS Director of Agronomy

Ladies' Fun Day Results

Congratulations to all of the Ladies that participated in the Annual Ladies Fun Day Golf Tournament.

First Place Gross - Naomi Scott & Sue Reynolds - 76

First Place Net - Copper Perry & Patsy Lynch - 65.0

Second Place Net - Jane Mortenson & Anne French - 65.2

Third Place Net - Gina Kirsten & Pat Kuhrtz - 66.2

A SENIOR MOMENT by Mike Evans

Since the last Newsletter, the LGCC Seniors have had three road matches, all resulting in losses. This brings the season record to 4-4 with a perfect success record at home and a perfect anti-success record away. On June 21 Boonsboro CC got revenge for its earlier loss at LGCC by thumping our team 21.75-8.25. Of the ten Lexington pairs, only King-Sullivan, Jones-Scholl, and Hallock-Hopkins won their matches. Bob Hopkins won the closest-to-pin contest. The following week another thrashing came at the hands of Ivy Hill 17-4. This was the first match in recent memory where LGCC failed to win a single pair victory. Sigh. Then later that week the team almost pulled off an upset at Ironwood but lost 63.5-62.5. Naturally, virtually every team member could think of one short missed putt that would have turned the match. Heavier sigh. Winning pairs at Ironwood were Jones-Scholl, Russell-Tepper, and Hill (solo!).

In spite of these three losses, the past four weeks did not constitute a total bust for the seniors because a group of aging "craftsmen" under the skillful leadership of Hal Hill completed assembly of a piece of playground equipment in the area adjacent to the pool. We hope our young folks will enjoy it for years to come. While the number of power tools involved was significantly larger than the number of men knowing how to use them, this project was accomplished without a single trip to the emergency room! A much more pleasant sigh!

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MEMBER/MEMBER RESULTS

All 26 teams had a wonderful weekend, with great food, entertainment and some pretty good golf as well!

2017 MEMBER-MEMBER CHAMPIONS WERE

Neil Lineberry & Darrin Webb, who won the shootout!

FLIGHT WINNERS

#1 Trey Cathcart & Charlie Cathcart

#2 Neil Lineberry & Darrin Webb

#3 Kirk Jackson & Larry Black

#4 Bill Russell & Buddy Atkins

Special thanks to Rocky Trudgeon and Nick Maschal for their help in making this the best Member-Member in recent memory!



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. - 11p.m. Kitchen closes at 9 p.m.

FROM THE CHEF

Exciting news! We're always looking for ways to take extra special care of our members! Beginning this month, all Class I and Class II members will be getting a special something in their monthly dues statement - one complimentary brunch voucher for each month. Our team really wants you to enjoy Lexington's best Sunday Brunch, and bring a friend or two. Our Sunday brunch is the best in town, featuring delicious breads, cheeses, fruit, salad, potatoes, vegetables, waffles, pancakes, french toast, made-to-order omelets, a featured entree and carving station. The only limitations are that it cannot be used for one of our special holiday brunches (Easter, Mother's Day, Father's Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas), and we cannot legally provide a complimentary glass of wine or mimosa. So look for your voucher in the mail, and enjoy Lexington's Best Sunday Brunch in The View!!



HISTORICAL DATES IN AUGUST OF THE COMMONWEALTH

August 1, 1770 - William Clark, co-leader of the Lewis and Clark expedition, is born in Caroline County.

August 13, 1878 - An exploration party led by Andrew Campbell discovers Luray Caverns. Largely because railways make them accessible, the caverns become a booming tourist attraction within a few years.

August 15, 1895 - The U.S. Navy commissions the nation's first battleship, the USS Texas, which is constructed at the Norfolk Navy Yard. It is the first of many steel ships to be manufactured in Virginia.



August 19, 1969 - After slamming into the Gulf Coast, Hurricane Camille moves into Virginia and causes massive flooding. Over the next twenty-four hours between twenty-five and thirty-six inches of rainfall in parts of Nelson County, where the storm and flooding result in 121 deaths.

August 23, 2011 - At 1:51 p.m., a 5.8 earthquake occurred in Louisa County. The earthquake was one of the largest in the United States east of the Rocky Mountains and was felt across more than a dozen states.

AUGUST CULINARY CELEBRATIONS

NATIONAL CATFISH MONTH

We will be celebrating by offering catfish as a special every weekend this month.

AUGUST 4 - NATIONAL CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIE DAY

AUGUST 5 - NATIONAL OYSTER DAY

For that weekend we will be offering oysters discounted on the menu (Appetizer, PoBoy, and Easter Shore) and a chocolate chip cookies with every dessert item.

AUGUST 11 - NATIONAL RASPBERRY TART DAY

AUGUST 12 - NATIONAL JULIENNE FRIES DAY

For that weekend we will be offering julienne fries as an alternative to potato chips at no additional cost and the dessert of the weekend will be Raspberry tart.

AUGUST 18 - NATIONAL ICE CREAM PIE DAY

AUGUST 19 - NATIONAL HOT & SPICY FOOD DAY

For that weekend we will be offering a rocky road ice cream pie as the special dessert and a Jamaican Blackened catfish as the Special Fish .

AUGUST 24 - NATIONAL PEACH PIE DAY

Thursday Friday and Saturday we will be offering Peach Pie as a special dessert.

Chef's Tips:

MEAT HOW TO CRACK AN EGG:

Crack eggs on an even surface, like your counter or cutting board, instead of on the edge of a bowl. One should always crack the egg on a flat surface, when you crack on a bowl, the shell gets pushed inside the egg.



PARTIALLY FREEZE MEAT BEFORE CUTTING



Slicing meat to grind or cook in a stir-fry can be tricky even with a sharp knife. To make it easier, place the meat in the freezer for 10 to 15 minutes to slow the molecular structure of the proteins and stiffen it up.

Save the Date:

Friday, August 18 - Another fabulous Chef's Table beginning at 6pm. Enjoy a fabulous 5-course dinner, prepared tableside by Chef Bunyan. \$45 per person ++. Limited to the first 12 to make reservations!

AQUATICS AT LEXINGTON

Visit the Club's website for the latest information!

FROM THE POOL MANAGER

First, I want to thank all the members for making me feel like family to the Lexington community. I've enjoyed meeting all of our members at LGCC.

As we are in the midst of the summer heat, the pool staff and I want to continue to make your experience at the pool enjoyable and exceptional. We encourage the compliments, feedback, and suggestions from our members and guests regarding our pool and food service.

I encourage all our members to come join us for our Rubber Ducky nights every Wednesday night for some fun family time playing games and contests. We have added fitness classes to the pool. On Monday night, get in shape with aqua zumba at the LGCC pool. And get moving on Tuesday and Thursday mornings because we have aquacise classes with the YMCA. This summer season, I have added teen nights for teens to come and swim late-- so teens bring your friends and come enjoy your Saturday night with us.

Please note on Wednesday, August 9 we will be closing the pool from 3-7pm for a private event, but we will reopen after 7pm for Rubber Ducky night.

Lastly, I want to let all of our members know that I am offering swim lessons to all ages. I have taught swim lessons for six years and have taught babies of six months to adults. I am WSI certified to teach lessons and have been on the swim team since I was seven up to collegiate level. Contact me at 605-838-9063 or kelly.bogensberger@uptoparmanagement.com if you are interested in lessons. Thank you for a great start to my first summer season here!

Kelly Bogensberger, Pool Manager

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UPCOMING EVENT



End of Summer Dance
Saturday, August 12



WHO CAN FIND LEXI?

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!

AUGUST EVENT CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class	2 9am LLGA Rubber Ducky Night	3 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class 5:30pm LLGA (Open) 5:30pm MGA	4	5 8:30am MGA (Open) 9am SMGA (Open) 10:30am LLGA (Open)
			Family Style Service Pasta & Pizza Night Wednesday Wine Time		Chef's Dinner Specials 7-10pm Live Music by Jason Hostetter	Chef's Dinner Specials
6 10:30am LLGA (Open)	7 Course Closed for Bayoneting 7pm Aqua Zumba	8 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class	9 9am LLGA Rubber Ducky Night	10 Course Closed for private outing until 3pm 9:15am Aquacize Class 5:30pm LLGA (Open) 5:30pm MGA	11 YMCA Golf Outing 5:30pm Couples 9 & Dine	12 8:30am MGA (Open) 9am SMGA (Open) 10:30am LLGA (Open)
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13 10:30am LLGA (Open) Complementary Jr. Golf Clinic	14 7pm Aqua Zumba	15 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class	16 9am LLGA Rubber Ducky Night	17 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class 5:30pm LLGA (Open) 5:30pm MGA	18 5:30pm Couples 9 & Dine	19 8:30am MGA (Open) 9am SMGA (Open) 10:30am LLGA (Open)
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20 10:30am LLGA (Open)	21 Course Closed for Bayoneting 7pm Aqua Zumba	22 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class	23 9am LLGA Rubber Ducky Night	24 9am SMGA (Open) 9:15am Aquacize Class 5:30pm LLGA (Open) 5:30pm MGA	25 5:30pm Couples 9 & Dine	26 8:30am MGA (Open) 9am SMGA (Open) 10:30am LLGA (Open) Jr. Club Championship
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