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From the Office

Summertime is slipping by and school is sneaking up! The pool has been busy and we hope you all are enjoying it. On August 19th, with public school starting, the pool will be open regular hours during the weekdays with no lifeguard on duty (swim at your own risk) until late afternoon. The guards will be on staff regular operating hours on the weekends and Labor Day. Also, the swimming pool has a new landline telephone (SCDHEC requirement) that is located inside the guard room - direct line # is (843) 225-7397.

July was a busy month for golf with the July 4th Firecracker Blitz, Roy Meyers Junior Open, Member-Member, and Charleston Area Men's Interclub Match. Results for all of the events are listed in this newsletter. Our Member-Guest tournament is slated for Aug 3/4. The fun and competitive format - a five 9-hole match-around - will be sure to test the best our golfers have to offer. Our next club tournament will be the Cuthbert Classic, two person team Captain's Choice format, on October 27, at 12:30.

The clubhouse / pro shop had some much needed repairs done last month and we will be painting and put the finishing touches on it soon.

We are also starting an advertising campaign to raise funds for one of the clay courts to be restored to its fullest potential-the one closest to our back patio. We will be selling banners / signs to be displayed on the courts to help offset the cost. The tentative date to start the courts would be late September. If you are interested in this project or advertising please call me. We are also thinking about the best use of the second clay court - the restoration cost estimates were more than triple the other court making it not cost effective to restore. One thought in mind is possibly installing a few golf warm-up tents to enable golfers to use their drivers, etc, to loosen up before play. We are thinking ahead how to improve our facility and make the best use of what space we have.

Let us know what you think about these plans and, as always, thank you for your support.

--Suzanne

I have been blessed with the amazing opportunity to complete my family medicine rotation for PA school in a place so near and dear to my heart. I will be headed back to Togo, a small country on the western border of Africa, this October. I have designed a tee-shirt for \$20 to help support my mission and cannot thank you enough for taking the time to read my story. If you feel led to do so, you can find my page under Customink.com and browse fundraising / campaigns / 29483. Thank you so much-I greatly appreciate your support and prayers , Brianna Blanton

\$50 Winner Jill Weatherford

To qualify for this monthly drawing, pay your account in full by the 10th of each month.

2019 Interclub Schedule

\$35 per match

DATE	TIME	COURSE
5-Aug	8:30 AM	Wescott
16-Sep	9 AM	Legend Oaks
7-Oct	9 AM	Shadowmoss
4-Nov	9 AM	Dunes West
2-Dec	10 AM	RiverTowne

2019 Member-Member—July 13/14

The LaPrads claimed the title after a three hole tie-breaker playoff against Kirk and Christian Woods. The field played 4 different 9 hole formats-best ball, captains choice, shamble, and finished with alternate shot.

Flight Results:

1st flight Steve Laprad - Tyler Laprad 127
Runner up Kirk Woods-Christian Woods 127
2nd flight Gary Hartmann-Casey Evans 130
Runner up Wayne Mizell - Scott DeLaughter 135
3rd flight Cory Deering-Jeff Winningham 132
Runner up Dave Bordiuk-George Howard 133
4th flight Britt Blanton - Rett Fowler 138
Runner up Taylor Summers - D McCollum 138



Tyler (left) and Steve LaPrad - our 2019 Member-Member Champs

2019 Club Tournaments

Aug 2, 3, 4 Member - Guest
Oct 27 Cuthbert Classic
Dec - TBD Hartmann's Christmas Open
Dec - TBD Summerville Cup vs. Pine Forest CC

Tee times will be available each tournament date unless otherwise noted. Call pro shop up to one week in advance to schedule.

AUGUST EVENTS

NOTE-Please keep the dates and times below in mind when scheduling your tee times.

- 2 Member Guest—pairings party 6 PM under the Candlelite Pavilion
- 3 Member Guest—match a round—course will open at 3:30 PM
- 4 Member Guest—final round—course will open at 12:30 PM
- 5 FREE Shag Lessons under the Candlelite Pavilion 7 PM Adult Basics 8 PM Open Dance
- 9 Miracle League Golf Shotgun start 10 AM, course open at 4:30 PM
- 10 Miracle League Gala under the Candlelite Pavilion 6 PM
- 10 Pool Party 6-9 PM
- 12 FREE Shag Lessons under the Candlelite Pavilion 7 PM Adult Basics 8 PM Open Dance
- 14 Summerville Salt Water Anglers Fish Club Meeting 6 PM
- 17 Knights of Columbus Golf 8 AM
- 17 McGinnis Memorial in Club House
- 17 SHS 79 Class Reunion under the Candlelite Pavilion
- 19 Santee Seniors Golf 9 AM—course open at 1:30 PM
- 19 FREE Shag Lessons under the Candlelite Pavilion 7 PM Adult Basics 8 PM Open Dance
- 20 SOBs—TBA
- 20 Summerville Exchange Club 7 PM Social, 7:30 PM dinner
- 23 Shag Party under the Candlelite Pavilion with Turn Around, Tom Sorell 7 PM \$15
- 24 Coastal Center Golf Tournament 9 AM, course open at 2 PM
- 24 Pool Party 6-9 PM
- 25 Director of Staff Golf Tournament 8 AM
- 26 FREE Shag Lessons under the Candlelite Pavilion 7 PM Adult Basics 8 PM Open Dance
- 28 Team Trivia with Bad Joke Tom, Mexican Buffet \$11.95 per person

The snackbar / grill will remain open through Labor Day to coincide with the evening pool hours:
Sat - Thurs 8pm—Friday 9pm.

On 7/15/19, SCC hosted 114 golfers for the Charleston Area Men's Interclub Golf Association monthly outing. Our team at SCC claimed first place-way to go and thanks for representing!

A portion of each interclub golf outing is used to help local charities. The Fisher House of Charleston was selected to receive goods/donations collected at SCC from members and patrons throughout July. Many thanks to Bob Sideikas, our Interclub Chairman, and all who made contributions to the Fisher House of Charleston - serving Veteran families in 22 Coastal Counties. For more information please visit their website at: www.friendsoffisherhousecharleston.org



Congratulations to Steve and Tyler Laprad on winning the Member Member. They were leading a few years ago until the alternate shot final 9 but this year they were able to win an alternate shot playoff against Kirk and Christian Woods. The match play is into the second and third round and I am hoping to have it completed by the end of August. Please try to schedule your match as soon as possible so we don't keep future matches waiting. I want to thank our junior interclub team for playing this summer - we ended up coming in third place. I'm looking forward to our continued improvement next summer. Our Member Guest will take place the first weekend of August - results will be included in the next newsletter.

We have some great ideas for our two tennis courts and are working on raising money through advertising to speed up the process. The initial plans are to have court 3 professionally resurfaced and have a nice clay court for members to enjoy. Court 4 we want to use as a golf warm up area - I have a few ideas and we are currently brainstorming the best way to do this - please let us know any suggestions! While we wouldn't have much space for ball flight it would at least give anyone playing a chance to hit some full swing shots to get loose. The initial advertising spaces will be limited - we will have details in the pro shop soon.

Cooler temperatures are coming and I'm looking forward to one of the best times of the year - I hope everyone had a great summer! ~Bray

Firecracker Blitz Results

1st place went to Jim Linder, Bill Bumeder, Allan Sharkey, and Bob Hampe

2nd was Archie O'Neal, Bob Kessock, Jeff Haselden, and John Cato

Member Specials

Tuesday and Wednesday ride 18 for \$12.00 anytime. Thursdays - Bring a guest to play golf for the same rate you pay-per person fee.

REMINDER— full member referral credit has been increased to \$100 per each new full member you endorse. (\$25 credit for a seasonal new member, \$50 for a new social member and \$100 for a full new member). Please make sure you sign the referral on the application!

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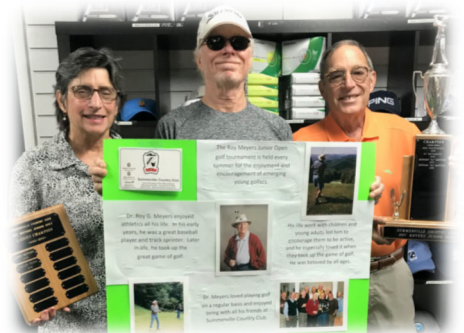
Aug 9/10—Golfing for Miracles, golf tournament, gala and silent auction. \$150 per player, Captain's Choice. Benefits The Summerville Miracle League. Sponsorships available.

Aug 24—8th Annual Coastal Center Cup Golf Tournament, 9 AM shotgun start. Fundraiser to help intellectually disabled and special needs Coastal Center residents. \$75 per golfer includes cart and golf fee, gift bag, free beverages, opportunity to win door prizes, two mulligans and BBQ buffet meal at conclusion of tournament.

The 20th Annual Junior Open in memory of Dr. Roy Meyers was held on Friday, July 12, 2019, at Summerville Country Club. The individual stroke tournament had 20+ junior golfers participate in 4 divisions. The overall winner was A.J. Martino, 14 yrs old, who claimed the title for the third consecutive year by shooting one under par, 70, from the white tees. Louis Thompson had a great round shooting a 72 to finish as runner-up. Third place went to Payne Rutherford with a 79 and Jackson Reed finished fourth with an 80.

In the Ladies Division Aubrey Merryman defended her 2018 title by shooting 89. Olivia Reed was runner-up with a 96. McKenzie Driggers claimed third with 111.

20th Annual Junior Open



The Roy Meyers family who represented the late Dr. Roy Meyers during the 2019 Junior Open in Memory of Roy Meyers. (left to right) Elizabeth Meyers Tapp, her husband Charlie Tapp, and Mark Meyers (wife Sandra unable to attend)



(L to R) Club Pro Bray Blanton, Jackson Reed, Louis Thompson, Sky Thompson, Payne Rutherford, AJ Martino, Aubrey Merryman, Olivia Reed, McKenzie Driggers, and Drew Goodman

Results of the 12 + under age groups. Cash Blanton, 12, shot a 48 from the red tees to win the 11-12 age division. In the 7-10 division (played 9 holes from special tees):

- 1st place Cas Yingling 49
- 2nd place Boze Blanton (6) 51
- 3rd place Scott Baker 53
- 4th place Mason Garrison 56
- TIE for 5th place Franklin Philipp 61
Mary Bryce Nye 61
- 7th place Hampton Weatherford 66
- 8th place Jay McElheney



(L to R) Cash Blanton, Boze Blanton, Mark Meyers (Dr. Roy Meyers son), Franklin Philipp, Cas Yingling, Mason Garrison, Mary Bryce Nye, Hampton Weatherford, Jay McElheney, Scott Baker, Club Pro Bray Blanton, and Banks Blanton

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