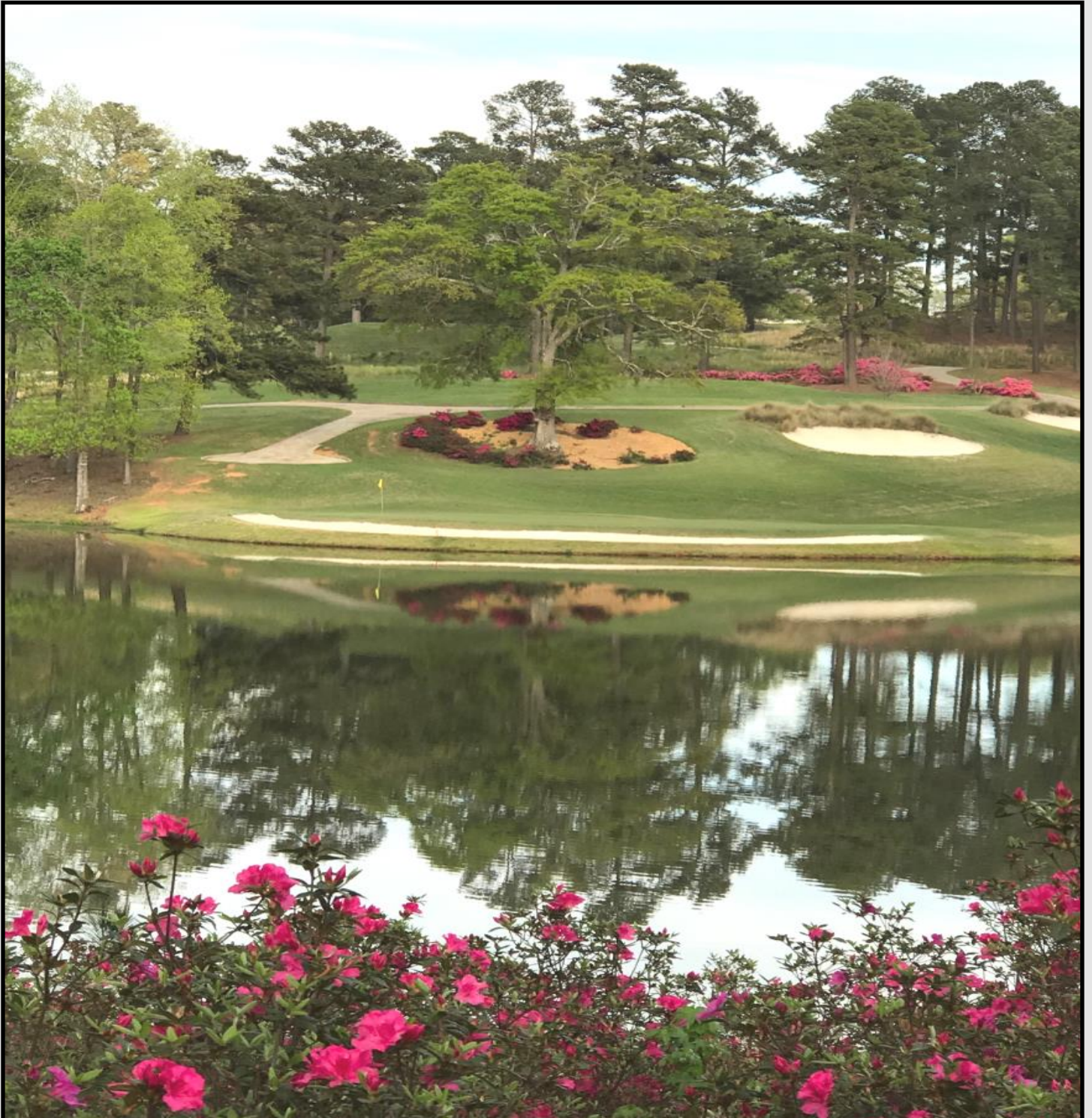


BRICKYARD

G o l f C l u b

March 2019 Newsletter



Club Hours and Information

Clubhouse	7:30am-8pm, Tues-Sun
Food Services	11am-2pm, Tues-Thurs & 11am-3pm, Sun 11am-4pm, Fri & 7am-5pm, Sat
Range	7:30am-Dusk, Tues-Sat & 7:30am-6pm, Sun
Pro Shop	7:30am-6pm, Tues-Sun, Will close at 7pm as of 3-10-19



Please note our policy while there is lightning nearby. For the safety of our members and their guests, when lightning is within a 5 mile radius, the siren will sound letting everyone on the premises know that the course will be closed at that time. Everyone must leave the course once the siren has been sounded. The clubhouse is your safe haven. Thank you for your cooperation.

Brickyard Management

Dress Code for the Golf Course, Range & Club House

Collared shirts and golf shorts or pants are required.

Jeans, cutoffs, gym shorts, and tee shirts are not allowed by anyone at the facility.

Tennis shoes and golf shoes with soft spikes are appropriate.

A no cell phone policy is encouraged in the clubhouse. Cell phone use is

acceptable outside of the clubhouse and in the locker rooms.

Thanks for your adherence to the dress code & cell phone policy!

Ask us about the Unlimited Cart Plan! If you would like to sign up for this deal, please contact the Golf Shop for more information.

Club News & Announcements

Spring Forward



Daylight
Savings
Time
begins
Sunday

March 10, 2019



Par 3 Tournament Winners

Flight 1

Jason Hutcheson 1st Gross
Hal Johnson 2nd Gross
Jason Churchwell 1st Net

Flight 2

Tommy Molony 1st Gross
Steve Veal 2nd Gross
John Thigpin 1st Net

Flight 3

Dex Schroeder 1st Gross
Mike Johnson 2nd Gross
BJ Fischer 1st Net

Flight 4

Theron Ussery 1st Gross
Brandon West 2nd Gross
Tal Israel 1st Net

Flight 5

Ron Richardson 1st Gross
Conrad Massey 2nd Gross
Miki Folsom 1st Net

Flight 6

Tim Pryor 1st Gross
Charles Cook 2nd Gross
Eric Castro 1st Net

Flight 7

Dexter Lashley 1st Net
Chris Raines 2nd Net
Tyler Wood 3rd Net

Golf & Club Announcements

WELCOME

Joy & Richard Batton

Melanie & Ryan Emory

Sue Hake & Deborah Lumpkin

Jessica & Dallas Malone

Chantel & Matthew Terry



Par 3 Tournament Jason Hutcheson

2019 Golf Clinics



Junior Clinics

Saturdays, February 9th-March 16th

1st Parent-Junior Tournament Saturday March 23rd

Ages 6-10 2:00-3:00pm

Ages 11-14 3:00-4:00pm

\$20 per Clinic

or

Pre-Pay for all 6 Clinics

For \$75 (A Savings of \$45)

Ladies Clinics

Thursdays, March 14th –March 28th 5:00-6:00pm

\$20 per Clinic or

Pre-Pay for all 3 Clinics For \$50 (A Savings of \$10)

**GO GET GOLF
READY**



Call the Pro Shop to sign up today. Zac, Blair & Brett are happy
to take care of you.

Pro Shop Staff

Golf News

"The Object Of Golf Is Not
Just To Win. It Is To Play
Like A Gentleman, And
Win!"
- Phil Mickelson



2019 Hutch Cup

Individual Match Play

Round 1- March 12th

Round 2- April 16th

Round 3- May 21st

Elite 8-June 25th

Semi Finals-July 30th

Finals-August 27th

Cost -\$50 plus

cart fees

100% of the Player's

Course Handicap

Sign up in Pro Shop



Golf Course Superintendent News



Hole #13

Well it seems as though we need to start renting out canoes to play the course !

Briane Faletto Class A Golf Course Superintendent

The rain is wreaking havoc on the course conditioning. Thank you all for being so patient with us as I think we have been Cart Path Only since Christmas!!!! Hopefully we will get some breaks and the course will dry up. We are scheduled for our full course fertilization/spring pre-emerge bulk spread on March 5th. I am looking at getting some alternate dates because we are way too wet to have the truck out here on that date. We will have our pre-emerge attached to the fertilizer so we will get both tasks done at once. This will help any new weeds from popping up. We will need to make the course Cart Path Only the day of, and the following day, to prevent burn. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

We will slowly start lowering the heights of cut on our mowers this month as the temperatures rise. We will eventually get the greens, tees, fairways, and roughs to our normal cutting heights, hopefully by the end of the month.

We will be finishing up some of our winter projects this month and preparing for some spring projects. We will be re-sodding some more of our tees with the Zeon Zoysia grass, so keep an eye out for some temporary moving of the tee markers.

We have been dealing with a major irrigation main line leak on #7. The leak was under the cart path so it took a while to locate and then prepare to fix it. It should be completed, weather permitting, the first week of March. Please be aware of the temporary cart path detour on that hole.

See you on the course!!!!

Briane Faletto, GCS

Tough Man Tournament



Saturday, March 30th

18 Hole Four Ball Guests are Welcome

\$150 per Team

Flighting by Combined Team Handicap

Last Flight Net Payouts Only

Sign Up in the Pro Shop



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Golf News



Par 3 Tournament

Dennis Doucet & Barry Bloodworth

Saturday Morning Dogfight

Have you been looking for a group to play a round of golf? Here is an opportunity to meet other Brickyard golfers and get out on the golf course. Starting March 2nd, the Pro Shop will organize foursomes to play between 8:30am and 9:30am. For \$10, you may participate in a points game based on your score for each hole. If you choose not to participate in the points game, you are still welcome to come out and get in a four-some. You do not need a tee time to participate. You do not need to find a game. Just call the Pro Shop to sign up or just show up by 8am on Saturday mornings. This is a great way to meet other members of the Club.

Hope to see you at the Club!!

Brickyard Ladies Book Club



Ladies' Book Club

Join us for our Ladies' Book Club! The Book Club meets on the third Tuesday of every month at 5:30pm.

This year marks our 8th year as a Book Club and we have read a total of 70 books; we have 19 members and are always looking for new members.

This social is open to all Brickyard members. Please join us for Fun & Fellowship. marymisinco@outlook.com

Brickyard Ladies Book Club

"Beautiful Inventor" by Margaret Porter

A novel of Hedy Lamarr. Hollywood Beauty. Brilliant inventor. The incredible story of a remarkable and misunderstood woman.

Hedy Kiesler, Austrian actress of Jewish heritage, scandalizes Europe with her nudity in the art film Ecstasy. Her hasty marriage to a wealthy munitions merchant disintegrates as he grows increasingly controlling and possessive. Even worse—he supplies deadly weapons to Hitler's regime.

She flees husband and homeland for Hollywood, where Louis B. Mayer transforms her into Hedy Lamarr, an icon of exotic glamour. Professional success clashes with her personal life as marriage and motherhood compete with the demands of studio and stardom.

Motivated by the atrocities of World War II, Hedy secretly invents a new technology intended for her adopted country's defense—and unexpectedly changes the world.



Ladies' Book Club

Join us for our Ladies' Book Club! The Book Club will be meeting Tuesday, April 2nd at 5:30pm. "Beautiful Inventor" by Margaret Porter will be featured. This is a novel of Hedy Lamarr, and Ms. Porter will be joining the group for a discussion of her work. This social is open to all Brickyard members. Hope to see you at the Club for Fun & Good Fellowship!

Golf & Club News



Brickyard Members,

I have received many questions regarding Handicap Adjustments for those playing different tees during tournaments, I have contacted the GSGA and this was their response to this inquiry:

One of the greatest misunderstandings in the Handicap System™ is that you "establish your handicap from a particular set of tees." This is not true. Each time you post a score, it is adjusted to a common level in the form of a Handicap differential (a scratch player on a standard golf course). A Handicap Index is determined by the lowest ten differentials out of the last twenty scores.

Further, a Handicap Index is portable and can be converted to a Course Handicap™ from any set of tees rated for the player's gender. Section 3-5 of the Handicap System™ allows for a fair match or competition when players play from any set of tees, regardless of age, ability level, or gender.

The point that most people don't understand is that a Course Handicap represents the number of strokes that are needed to adjust a player back to the Course Rating (not par).

Section 3-5 is a two-step process applied anytime men compete against men from different teeing grounds or men compete against women. The first one is that players must convert their Handicap Index to a Course Handicap for the set of tees that they're playing. This represents the number of strokes that they receive for their specific set of tees.

The second adjustment that needs to be made is for the difference in Course Ratings. The players competing from the set of tees with the higher Course Rating receives additional strokes equal to the difference between the Course Ratings the second adjustment must be made to "equalize" the courses.

A good way to see how one would play from a given set of tees is to sort of back into it using the math in the Course Rating System and the Handicap System. For example, Player A with a Handicap Index of 12.0 is our sample player playing at Brickyard. The ratings for men from these tees are as follows:

Gold 72.1/132 6,600 yards **Green** 70.9/130 6,200 yards **Blue** 68.6/127 5,800 yards

With a little math, Player A can figure out a target score for both sets of tees. This target score will represent what score you need to "play to your handicap." You are only expected to play to your handicap 25% of the time or less so this score will represent a good day for you from each set of tees. The average score from each set will be 2-4 strokes higher than this target score. The target score is figured by adding the Course Handicap to the Course Rating (CR) and then rounding to the nearest whole number. If you can't find all the conversion charts you can use the formula: Course Handicap (CH) = Handicap Index X Slope Rating / 113 to figure the Course Handicap. After doing the math you have 2 target scores:

Gold-84(12CH+72.1) avg score 86-88 **Green**-83(12CH+70.9 CR) avg score 85-87 **Blue**-80(11CH+68.6 CR) avg score 82-84

Notice that the difference in target score between the Gold and the Blue is 4 strokes but there is only a difference of 1 in the Course Handicap. This is the best way to illustrate the need for Section 3-5 that I can think of. The Slope Rating does not take care of everything when competing from different tees.

If some play from the blue tees and some play from the green tees, there are 2 adjustments that need to be made. The first one is that players must convert their Handicap Index to a Course Handicap for the set of tees that they're playing. This represents the number of strokes that they receive for their specific set of tees. The second adjustment that needs to be made is for the difference in Course Ratings. Each player is playing the set of tees that they feel comfortable with and we have a fair match.

In general, golfers would enjoy the game more if they did not overestimate their abilities and considered playing one set shorter than their mind told them to. On the other hand, the American way is to give freedom of choice and our Handicap System allows that. All that being said, there are certain circumstances that would dictate moving back. Strong senior players will probably enjoy their day and challenge themselves more if they moved back a set or two, and our Handicap System allows that.

Club Events & Announcements



Happy Hour Fridays!

Join us on Friday nights in March for Happy Hour!
From 6:00pm-8:30pm, there will be a themed buffet along with half priced drinks! The buffet is only \$8 for adults & \$4 for children up to the age of 10. There are 2 drawings, a \$100 credit and a free bar tab!

Saturday Breakfast

**Join us every Saturday morning
7:30am-9:30am for a delicious
home cooked breakfast!!**

\$8.95/person \$4.95/children 12 yr & under

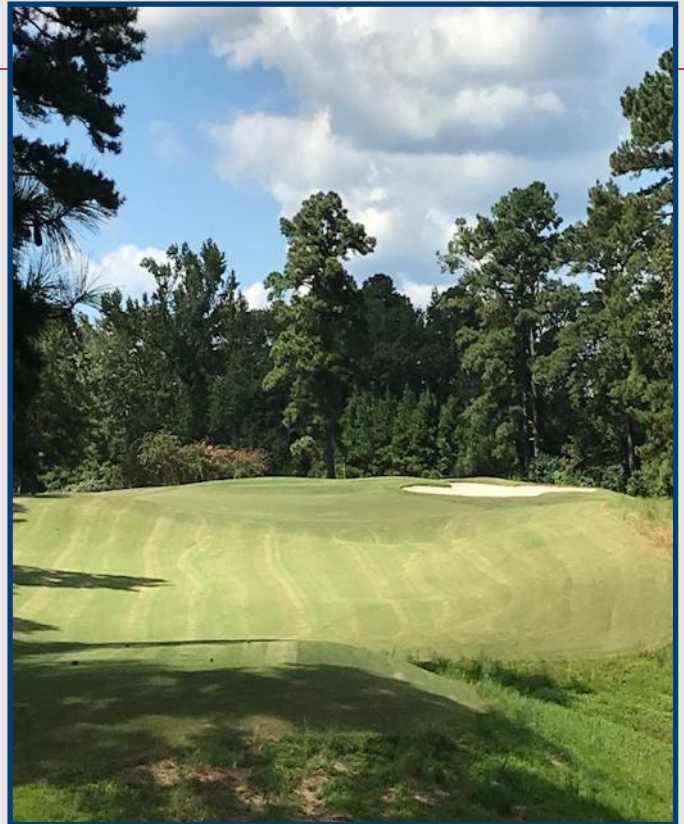


Club News



Just a friendly reminder members, please do not use the two practice putting surfaces for chipping. Use the practice chipping area near the sand bunker behind #9 green.

Thanks for your cooperation.



Monthly Payment Policy

Payments on membership accounts are due by the 10th of each month. Any unpaid account at the end of each month will incur a finance charge of 1.5% of the total balance due and a \$25.00 late fee will be billed to your account.

If accounts are 60 days past due, the club shall suspend the members charging privileges.

If accounts are 90 days past due, the club has the right to terminate the membership.



Making your monthly payment through our Website is easy and convenient. The new online payment portal is available for your use as of February 1st. If you have any questions, call Pam Hawthorne at x 222.

Club News



To All Brickyard Ladies
Wine & Cheese Social
Thursday, March 28, 2019
6pm-8pm
\$5 per person
Hope to see you at the Club!!



Join us every Sunday in
March & April
Buffet Lunch
11am-1:30pm
Adults-\$10 Kids-\$6

The Wellness Center

While the Brickyard Golf Club does not have a fitness facility on site, we have partnered with The Wellness Center to provide a discounted rate to our members. The membership to The Wellness Center is \$29 per month, per person and is conveniently billed to your Brickyard monthly statement.

- No registration fee
- Free racquetball, basketball and volleyball court time
- Indoor jogging/walking 100 meter track
- Unlimited use of fitness equipment
- Unlimited attendance of group fitness classes
- Unlimited use of indoor pool
- Free towel service
- Free childcare
- Massage and spa therapy services
- Permanent kit locker (depending on availability)
- Annual lipid (cholesterol) profile
- Individualized fitness programs

If you are interested in joining The Wellness Center, simply stop by and tell them you are a member of the Brickyard Golf Club.



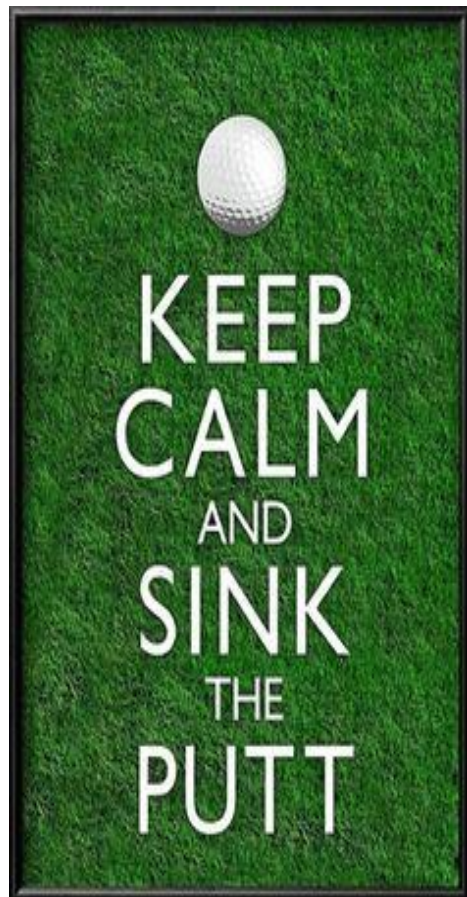
Getting Golf Ready



Things you should remove from your golf bag now:

- ♦ Golf balls more than 18 months old
- ♦ Ball markers from any clubs that have blackballed you
- ♦ Wedges with worn grooves
- ♦ Divot-repair tools because you never hit any greens
- ♦ Yardage books from golf courses you'll never play again
- ♦ Rules of golf because everyone in your group cheats anyway
- ♦ That granola bar from last August that will break your teeth
- ♦ All the scorecards you started filling out before the usual disaster struck

*Golf Digest



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March

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31 Sunday Lunch Buffet 11am-1:30pm					1 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	2 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30-9:30am Junior Clinic
3 Sunday Lunch Buffet 11am-1:30pm	4 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	5	6	7	8 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	9 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30am- 9:30am Junior Clinic
10 Daylight Savings Time Sunday Lunch Buffet 11am-1:30pm	11 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	12 Hutch Cup Matches Begin	13	14 Ladies Clinic 5pm	15 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	16 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30am- 9:30am Junior Clinic
17 Sunday Lunch Buffet 11am-1:30pm	18 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	19	20 First Day of Spring	21 Ladies Clinic 5pm	22 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	23 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30am- 9:30am Parent-Jr Tournament
24 Sunday Lunch Buffet 11am-1:30pm	25 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	26	27	28 Ladies Clinic 5pm Wine & Cheese 6-8pm	29 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	30 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30am- 9:30am Toughman

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April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Book Club 5:30pm	3	4	5 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	6 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30am- 9:30am
7 Sunday Lunch Buffet 11am-1:30pm	8 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	9	10	11	12 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	13 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30am- 9:30am
14 Sunday Lunch Buffet 11am-1:30pm	15 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	16	17	18	19 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	20 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30am- 9:30am
21 Easter Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	22 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	23	24	25	26 Happy Hour 6pm-8:30pm	27 Dogfight Breakfast 7:30am- 9:30am Sr. Club Champion
28 Lunch Buffet 11am-1:30pm Sr. Club Champion	29 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	30				

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