

BRICKYARD

G o l f C l u b

December 2023 Newsletter



Club Hours & Information

Pro Shop- 7:30a-6p **Golf Course**-8a-6p

Range-7:30a-6p (Sun 5pm) **Pavilion** -7:30a-8p

Kitchen-11a-4p **Tues-Sun**

*Golf Course, Range, Practice Facilities, Pavilion, Clubhouse
are closed on Mondays*

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 the 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.

Brickyard Management



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 Pro Shop will send a message to your cart letting everyone on the premises know that the course will be closed at that time. Everyone must leave the course once they have been notified.

The clubhouse and the pavilion are your safe haven.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Brickyard Management

2024 Tournament Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time</u>
-	-	-	-
Jan. 1	Mon	Holiday: Golf Course & All Facilities Open	New Year's Day
Jan. 6	Sat	Polar Bear Open, 2 Man Scramble	10:00 AM SG
Feb. 11	Sun	Super Bowl, 2 Man Scramble	12:30 PM SG
Mar thru Aug		Hutch Cup, 2 Man Team	
Mar. 16	Sat	Member Par 3	9:30 AM SG
Mar. 18	Mon	Golf Course & All Facilities Open	
Mar. 31	Sun	Holiday: Golf Course & All Facilities Closed	Easter
May. 15-16	Wed & Thur	Aerify: Course Closed	
May. 27	Mon	Holiday: Golf Course & All Facilities Open	Memorial Day
June-Oct		Individual Hutch Cup	
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Jun. 8-9	Sat & Sun	Brickyard Invitational	TT
Jul. 4	Thur	Holiday: Golf Course & All Facilities Open	4th of July
Jul. 20-21	Sat & Sun	Member-Member	9:30 AM SG
Aug. 12-13	Mon & Tues	Aerify: Course Closed	
Sep. 2	Mon	Holiday: Golf Course & All Facilities Open	Labor Day
Sep. 7-8	Sat & Sun	Club & Sr. Club Championship	TT
Oct. 4-6	Fri, Sat & Sun	Member Guest	9:30 AM SG
Oct. 12-13	Sat & Sun	Jr. Club Championship	TT
Oct. 15	Tues	Sr. Member Guest	10:00 AM SG
Nov. 9	Sat	Brick Cup Finale	10:00 AM SG
Nov. 28	Thu	Holiday: Golf Course & All Facilities Closed	Thanksgiving
Nov. 29	Fri	Black Friday Scramble	10:00 AM SG
Dec. 24	Tues	Golf Course & All Facilities Closed at 2:30pm	
Dec. 25	Wed	Holiday: Golf Course & All Facilities Closed	Christmas



2023 Golf Course Project

**Holes #7,
11 & 12**

**The
Beginning
of the
Work**



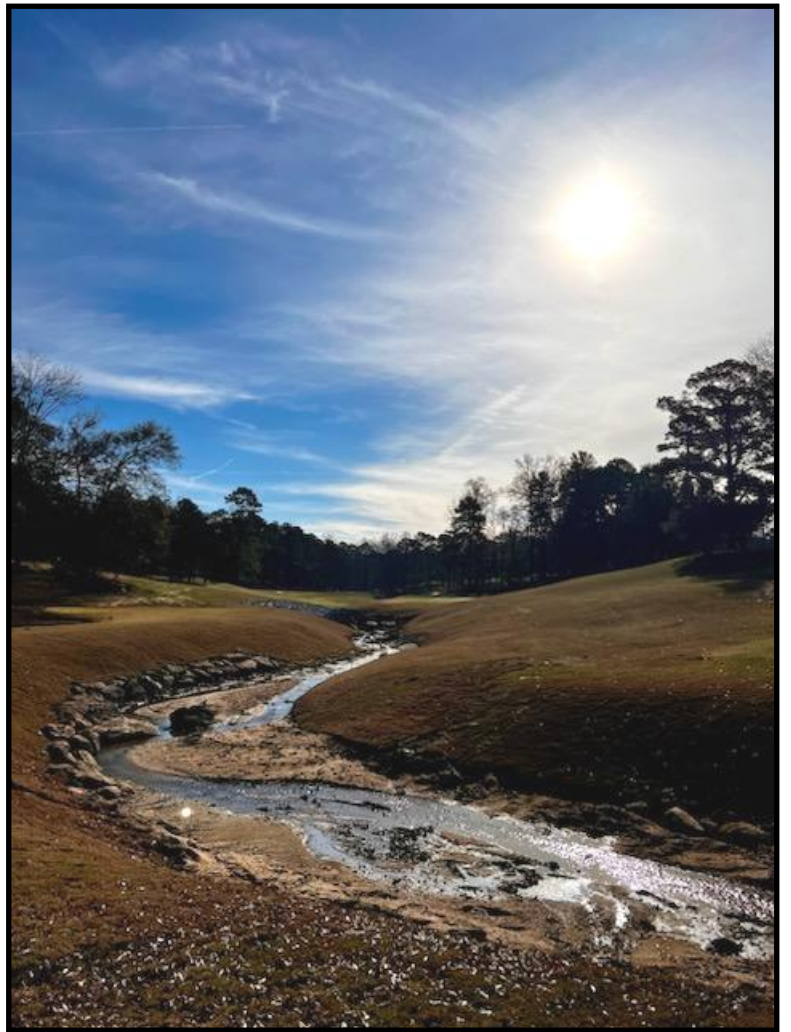


The Finished Project

Holes #7, 11 & 12



**GREAT
JOB!**



Christmas Lunch



Sunday Lunch Buffet December 10th 11am-2pm

Adults \$20 Kids \$11

Reservations are required by Wednesday December 6th at 12pm.

No Exceptions Maximum # of Reservations-170

Fried Chicken Ham Turkey Dressing & Gravy

Creamed Potatoes Collards Black Eye Peas

Sweet Potato Casserole Macaroni & Cheese

Potato Salad Rolls Desserts

RSVP to Kathy Allen at membershipdirector@brickyardgolf.com or
478-477-6765 x224



Saturday, December 16, 2023 6-9pm

Complimentary Cocktails & Hors d'oeuvres

*The Pro Shop will be open with special sales
for your holiday shopping.*

Reservations are Required.

Hope to see you there!!



Club News



Visit With Santa
Sunday
December 10, 2023
12pm to 2pm
Complimentary
Photo with Santa
Light Refreshments
Pavilion

Thanks Santa

For the New
Fairway
Bunkers on #9
&
The Greenside
Bunkers
on #14





Flight 1

Fielding Combs & Ryan Ridley-1st Gross

Justin Pyron & Eric Phillips-2nd Gross

Matt & Will Marshall-1st Net

Craig & Thomas Entwistle-2nd Net

Flight 2

Peter & Michael Morison-1st Gross

Marty Davis & Ron Richardson-2nd Gross

Dan Wiley & Mason King-1st Net

Kevin Balkcom & Mark Allen-2nd Net

Flight 3

Larry & Kevin Wiley-1st Gross

Brad & Larry Thigpen-2nd Gross

Ken Clampitt & Hoyt Stanfield-1st Net

Frank Morris & Byrom Ferrell-2nd Net

Black Friday Scramble

Flight 4

Robert & Matt Heller-1st Gross

Bryan & Griffin Sappe-2nd Gross

Frank Gaudry & Ken Yeomans-1st Net

Wade McCurry & Pat Rabun-2nd Net

Flight 5

Michael Hinson & Jim Woods-1st Gross

Ricky Spires & Justin Elliott-2nd Gross

Todd Mansfield & Russell Ray-1st Net

Close Ups

#2 Will Marshall

#5 Lionel Francis

#11 Taylor Pyles

#14 Brent Orr



Golf Course



New Practice Bunker



**It's every player's
responsibility...**

- Repair ball marks
- Replace or fill divots
- Rake bunkers



*A message from your golf course
superintendent and GCSAA*

GOLF RULES



Test your knowledge of the Rules of Golf -The answers are on page 21.

- ◆ **Rule 6.2.a** Player A hits a terrible tee shot to begin the play of hole #2. The ball hit a tree and comes back to the same teeing area. Player A picks up the ball, cleans it, tees it up again, and plays the hole out.
 - A) A receives a two stroke penalty for playing from a wrong place. (Ball teed up)
 - B) In addition to penalty under A, Player A gets a one stroke penalty for lifting and cleaning a ball in play.
 - C) There is no penalty. A played under the rules.
- ◆ **Lost Ball Definition:** Player C hits his second shot into a bunker 200 yards away. Upon approaching the bunker, the ball is not visible. Each of his 3 fellow competitors agrees the ball landed in the bunker. After a 3 minute search the ball is not found. What should Player C do?
 - A) Take a stroke and distance penalty for a lost ball.
 - B) Apply the unplayable ball rule, but must drop in the bunker. Accepting a one stroke penalty.
 - C) Estimate where he thinks the ball is buried in the bunker and place a ball on that spot. No penalty as everyone agrees it is there.
- ◆ **Rule 17.2** Player B's tee shot came to rest in a penalty area. He decides to play the ball as it lies. His second shot travels 50 yards but never leaves the red penalty area. The ball is not in a playable position, so B decides to take relief from the penalty area.
 - A) He drops the ball two club lengths from the margin of the penalty area that is nearest to where his ball is at rest, not nearer the hole. One stroke penalty.
 - B) He goes back to where the original (first shot) entered the penalty area and dropped two club lengths from where that ball crossed into the penalty area, not nearer the hole. One stroke penalty.
 - C) He tries to improve the chances of playing the ball as it lies by removing several loose impediments. This caused the ball to move into a worse spot, so he chooses to take relief outside the penalty area, using the spot outside the penalty area, nearest to where his ball lies. One stroke penalty, plus one stroke penalty for causing a ball at rest to move. Total of 2 strokes.

GOLF COURSE NEWS



During the month of December out on the course, we will be working on several different things. Some of these include spraying a color package on Greens, Fairways and Tees, hand watering Greens and newly sodded areas, and cutting and trimming some trees that need to be removed. Spraying a color package with green pigment and fertilizer is and has been a common practice for us over the past couple of years. These health/color packages help with improving the Greens overall health, plus add a good green color on our dormant Bermuda Greens through the winter months. On Fairways and Tees however, this has not been in our maintenance plan until this year. It is the same idea as on Greens, but with less frequent applications and not quite as good of color. It will still highlight the Fairways with a green color that will easily be seen from the Tee box to differentiate the Fairway from the rough.

This time of year, with the cold nights, moisture management is one of the most important factors on greens. To balance the moisture, we will be doing more hand watering on Greens and newly sodded areas. On Greens, if there is too much moisture/water from just running our irrigation, the wettest areas of the soil will develop disease. If the high areas get too dry from winds drying them out or not enough irrigation on an area, these areas will get desiccation or winter kill. This is why we use a moisture meter to measure the soil moisture and hand water the dryer areas, while not over watering the low or wetter areas. Please alternate traffic patterns to prevent wear & tear on the fairways & roughs. (See picture above)

One of our long-term goals is to cut down trees that are causing shade or water issues on the course. During the winter months, we will get started on removing several trees from the course that are creating problems or have been struck by lightning. Also several trees will be limbed up for a cleaner look all throughout the course. Lastly, if you have been out to the course, you have seen that the streambank restoration is complete, and the first part of our bunker renovation has also been completed. The bunkers that were done first include the practice bunker, #9 bunkers and #14 bunkers. If you have not seen these, I encourage you to come out to the course and check them out. In the spring of 2024, we will continue to renovate the remaining bunkers.

Thank you for choosing to be members at The Brickyard and as always please remember to use the sand buckets on par 3 Tees to help the area heal faster and always repair ball marks on Greens.

Golf Shop News



The 2023 year is coming to an end. There is still time to come out to the club in the late afternoon for a quick 9 holes. The winter golf shop hours will be 7:30am-6:00pm, the Practice Range 7:30am-6:00pm (Sun 5pm).

The end of the year “Brick Cup Finale Match” was played last month and Team Dallas Malone surpassed Team Brad Thigpen and totaling 74-70 match play points. The 2024 Member Tournament Schedule is posted in the Men’s & Women’s Locker Rooms and the golf shop. It is also on page 3 of this newsletter. This is a great way to plan out your family activities and still play in your favorite events.

On Sunday, December 3rd, The Brickyard is hosting “The Junior Tour” presented by Under Armour beginning at 1:30pm Shotgun, playing only the back nine holes (Holes 10-18) There will be close to 50 juniors in the competition. Members will be going off Hole #10 with tee times beginning at 8am-11:12am playing all 18 holes. Tee Times beginning at 1:48pm till 3:00pm will play the front nine holes only (Holes 1-9). You may play just 9 or if you want to play 18 holes then play the front 9 twice. We appreciate your understanding and bear with us in making this as smooth as possible, as this is a unique way of running Sunday’s golf operation. We have several club members playing in this event and it’s a great way for the Brickyard to support junior golf this year.

The Member Christmas Party is Saturday December 16th at 6pm. The Golf Shop Christmas SALE will be going on during the Party and will begin at 5pm and last till 8pm. The Christmas SALE will run December 16th – 24th. Lots of new FJ Outerwear and other items will be available for the Christmas SALE. Details will be announced a few days leading up to the Member Christmas Party. Golf Lessons make a nice stocking stuffer for the Holidays. Call Derek and Blair for details.

The next Member Tournament will be the Polar Bear Open, a 2-Person Scramble scheduled for 10am on January 6, 2024. Then, on Sunday February 11th the Super-Bowl Scramble will take place. Details on these upcoming events will be emailed out to the membership and posted at the Golf Shop in the coming days.

Please remember to call or cancel online your tee times if you’re not using. Tee Times can be made 10 days out by either calling the golf shop or by reserving a tee time at our website. We’ve noticed an improvement during the past few months on members signing in at the golf shop. Thank you. Please continue signing in at the golf shop before going onto the course. Make sure that when reserving your tee time, either through calling the golf shop or online, you book it for one, two, three, four or five players. This ensures that other members don’t book on your tee time when you’re expecting more players than what is booked.

Lastly, stop by, call, or email us or the ladies your most recent contact phone number information. We have experienced when calling members, the phone number on member’s profiles are no longer a working number.

We wish you a Merry Christmas and safe travels during the Holiday season Derek Lafferty, PGA Golf Professional 15

Club News

Welcome
WE ARE GLAD YOU'RE HERE



Kim & Greg Manders

Meghan & Jimmie Meece

Myungduk Kim & Hyunjin Chung

Lucy & Kyle Miller



December 1st,

22nd & 29th

Happy Hour

Food Service

6pm-7pm

Half Price Beverages

6pm-9pm

Hope to See You !!

Golf News



January 6th 2 Man Scramble 10AM Shotgun



ALL PRO SHOP CREDIT EXPIRES MARCH 30, 2024
PLEASE REDEEM YOUR CREDIT SOON

The Brick Cup

Brickyard Golf Club has an annual event called the Brick Cup. It is a yearlong accrual of points based on tournament participation. Members accrue points based on the number of tournaments entered and how they play in those tournaments. At the end of the tournament season, points are totaled and the Top 5 players receive awards as outlined below. The top 32 point members are eligible to participate in a season ending team event for bragging rights; it is called The Brick Cup Finale.



Here are the Top 5 Brick Cup Awards:

- 1st Place-\$500 Pro Shop Credit**
- 2nd Place-\$400 Pro Shop Credit**
- 3rd Place-\$300 Pro Shop Credit**
- 4th Place-\$200 Pro Shop Credit**
- 5th Place- \$100 Pro Shop Credit**

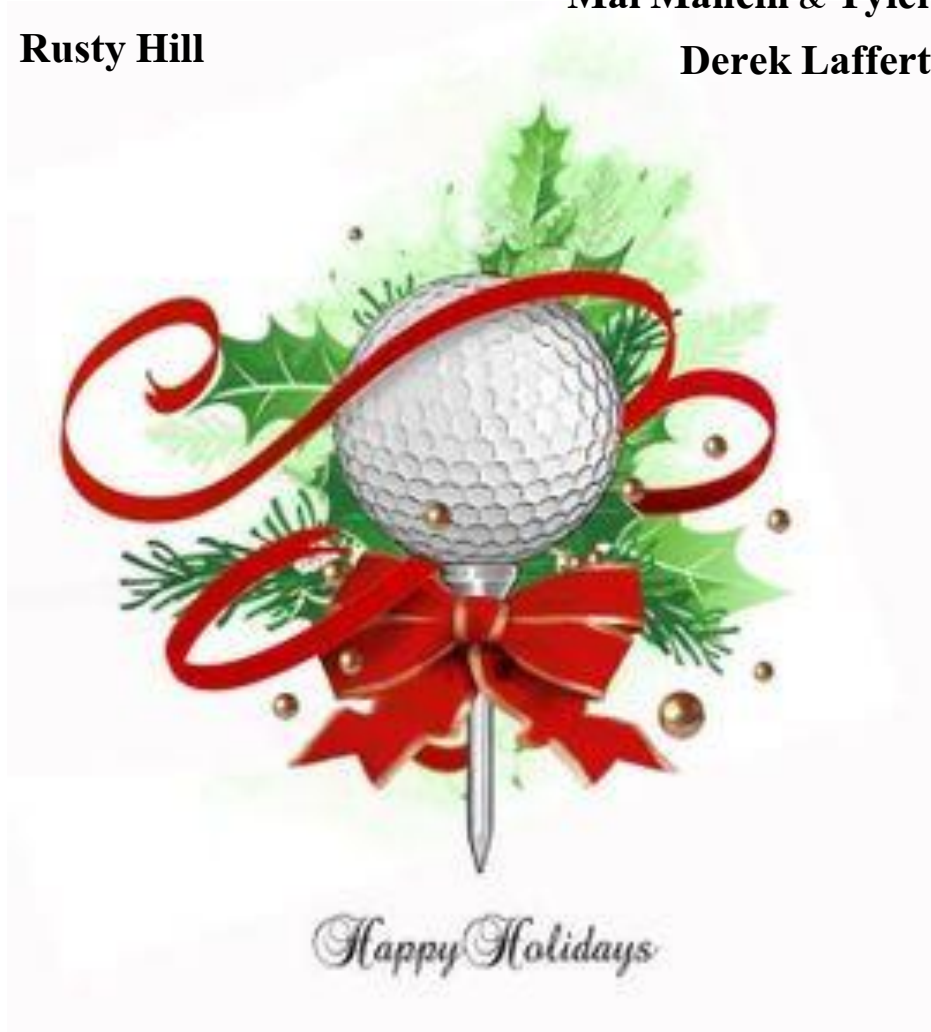
2023 Brick Cup Finale

Dallas Malone Team -74

Dallas Malone & Justin Pyron
Larry Wiley & Richard Mixon
Hoyt Stanfield & Bryan Sappe
Carl Stanley & Fielding Combs
Taylor Pyles & Tyler Brown
Art Riley & Lee Lemke
Ed Hutcheson & Fielding Gurley
Wolfgang Coronel & Jim Woods
Rusty Hill

Brad Thigpen Team -70

Brad Thigpen & Larry Thigpen
Wes Casteel & Jeff Pyles
Brian Roper & Craig Westbrooke
Adam Bailey & Dennis Smith
Rawls Edwards & Justin Backus
Frank Gaudry & Miki Folsom
Jake Wilkes & Tyler Wood
Mal Mancin & Tyler Moore
Derek Lafferty





**Ask us about the
Unlimited Cart Plan
only \$145 per month!
If you would like to
sign up for this deal,
please
contact the Pro Shop
Or The Office.**



Golf News



Are you a member of the Hole in One Club? If not, you should consider it. If you have a Hole In One and are a member of the Club, you win over \$400 in

Pro Shop credit. If you have a Hole in One and are not in the Club, you win nothing. As a member of the Hole In One Club, if another member has a Hole in One, you are charged only \$5 for his winnings. See the Pro Shop today and join the Club.



Answers to Quiz on Page 13:

#1 Answer is "C".

#2 Answer is "A".

#3 Answer is "B".

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December

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Happy Hour 6-9pm	2
3 Under Armour Jr Tournament	4 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Closed	5	6	7	8	9
10 Christmas Luncheon 11am-2pm Santa 12pm-2pm	11 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Closed	12	13	14	15	16 Member Christmas Party 6pm
17	18 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Closed	19	20	21	22 Happy Hour 6-9pm	23
24/31 Christmas Eve All Facilities Close at 2:30pm	25 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Closed	26	27	28	29 Happy Hour 6-9pm	30

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January

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Open	2	3	4	5 Happy Hour 6-9pm	6 Polar Bear Open
7	8 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Closed	9	10	11	12 Happy Hour 6-9pm	13
14	15 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Closed	16	17	18	19 Happy Hour 6-9pm	20
21	22 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Closed	23	24	25	26 Happy Hour 6-9pm	27
28	29 Golf Course, Practice Facilities & Pavilion Closed	30	31			

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