

BRICKYARD

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SPLENDID SEPTEMBER!

Fall Member Member—Sept. 16th & 17th

Member Guest—October 6th, 7th, & 8th

Club Hours of Operation

Clubhouse	7:30am—8:00pm, Tuesday—Sunday
Kitchen	11:00am—7:00pm Friday—Sunday <i>* Saturday Breakfast Buffets served from 7:30a—9:30a</i>
Pro Shop	7:30am—7:00pm Tuesday—Sunday
Pool	4pm—8pm, Tuesday—Friday 10am—8pm, Saturday, Sunday, and Labor day-Closed for the season after Sept. 4th <i>Tee times begin at 8am Tuesday—Sunday</i>



Please note our policy regarding play while there is lightning nearby. For the safety of our members and their guests, when lightning is within a 5 mile radius, we will sound the siren letting players know that the course will be closed at that time. All players must leave the

Please keep our dress code in mind for the course as well as the club house:

Collared shirts and golf shorts or pants are required.

Jeans, cutoffs, gym shorts, and tee shirts are not allowed.

Tennis shoes and golf shoes with soft spikes are appropriate.

We also encourage a no cell phone policy in the clubhouse. Cell phone use is acceptable outside of the clubhouse and in the locker rooms.

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.

Welcome to Our Newest Brickyard Members!

- John Kerry Howell
- Joe Etheridge
- Bryan and Ami Kumiga



We have partnered with **The Wellness Center in Macon** to offer our members access to the facility at a discounted price! For **\$29/month per member**, you can keep up with your health and wellness! For more information, see Lauren Fox or Sharon Yaughn on how to get started!

**Join the Hole
in One Club
Today!!**

**No cost to sign up,
see pro shop for
details!!**



Join the National Alliance of Private Clubs for only \$15 per month and receive access to over 600 clubs nationwide. See Lauren Fox for benefits and more information regarding this program.

News & Events

A note from the Superintendent:

I hope everyone is enjoying the last of the summer months. The temperatures should start to fall which means the grass will start to slow it's growing down. We have been working hard to keep a fresh cut and cleaning up all of the clippings after the cutting. The blowers have been working extra hard!!!

Please remember to stay behind the white lines. Please follow these lines back to the cart paths when getting near the green complexes. We are trying to eliminate all of the traffic around the greens. We have also placed a few signs out to remind everyone of this.

The greens are in great shape heading into the cooler months. Our surface management program has been very successful this year. The long term health of the greens is right on track!! We have a plan to eliminate the *poa annua* getting into them this year. We have started all of our pre-emerge applications one month earlier than normal to try and get a jump on the germination of the weeds.

Please remember to fix your divots and ball marks, and rake up your footprints in the bunkers. Keep in mind that others will be playing behind you!!

See you on the course!!

Briane Faletto, GCS

Class A Superintendent



Happy Hour Fridays!

There will be a drawing for a \$100 membership account credit and a bar tab drawing. Happy hour drinks are half price and we will also be offering themed buffet menus for only \$6/person! Check out the themes below!

Pizza Night—September 1st

Taco Night—September 8th

Pasta Night—September 15th

Wings Night—September 22nd

TBD—September 29th

We hope to see you there!



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2017 Brickyard Member Guest

Don't forget to sign up for the 2017 Member Guest on October 6th—8th!!

We will, once again, begin the festivities on Friday, October 6th, with an optional practice round followed by a pairings party with some golf contests! Matches will be played on Saturday the 7th and Sunday the 8th.

Format: Five 9 hole matches against the other five teams within your flight. Following the end of the 5th match, all flight winners and a wild card team will compete in a shootout to determine our 2017 Member Guest Champion.

Field: This year, the field will be limited to 48 teams divided into 8 flights of 6 teams

Cost: \$500/team and includes all golf and cart fees, a FootJoy/Titleist tee gift package for you and your guest, food, and plenty of complimentary alcohol!

Spots are filling up fast, so call or stop by the Golf Shop to make sure that you are signed up!

TAILGATE PARTY!!!

Join us September 9th in kicking off football season with a shootout followed by a tailgate party for the UGA vs Notre Dame game!



The party will be held in the pavilion at 7pm with complimentary tailgating food. The bar will be open so come ready for some good drinks, good fun, and some great football!!



Shootout details to page 6.

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From the Head Pro

I want to thank everyone for being so kind to me as I am getting acquainted with the Macon area and the Brickyard as well. I am still working on putting names and faces together, so please be patient with me for a little while longer.

We have several big member events coming up (Fall Member-Member, September 16th & 17th as well as Member Guest, October 6th-8th). These are events that are handicapped and handicaps are what I want to discuss here for a minute.

I have had several members mention the need for a handicap committee to ensure that we have an even playing field for all member-related events. The best way to ensure that these events are fair is to use the USGA handicapping system and to do what I call “peer reviews” of members handicaps. I am in the process of establishing a committee that will be checking the frequency of members posting scores versus their rounds played. We will develop a plan to ensure members are posting their scores after playing to create a level and even playing field for member events. There will be consequences for those caught playing and not posting scores.

Also to ensure level playing fields in the future, we will start posting members scores from tournaments here at The Brickyard as Tournament scores in their handicap. Tournament golf is the most accurate way to judge an individual’s handicap and ability on the golf course.

Please feel free to stop by and chat with me about any concerns and or questions you may have.

Zac Tilton
Head Golf Professional
The Brickyard Golf Club



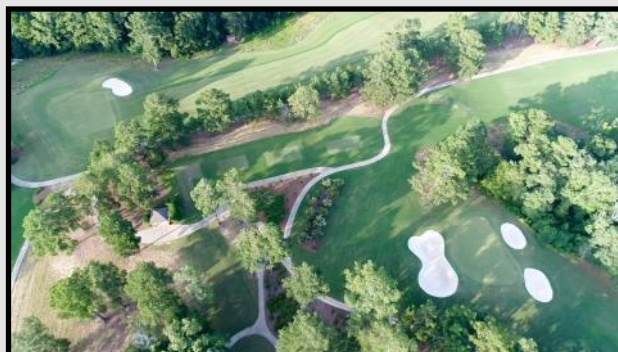
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A huge thank you to
Derrick Knight for these
great drone pictures of our
beautiful course!



Perfect view of the lake
between the 12th and 6th
greens.

The 3rd and 14th holes look great
from anywhere!



Join us for a September 9th Shootout!!

When?? September 9th at 4pm

How much?? \$100 per team (winning team gets 70%, second place gets 30%)

Teams?? 2—person team, first 10 teams will be accepted!! (both players must have GHIN handicaps)

Format?? True Alternate Shot eliminating one team per hole until a champion is declared. 50% team handicap, play the tees you normally play from

Stick around after for the tailgate in the pavilion!!



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Don't forget about Brick Cup Playoffs!

There are only two more events to earn Brick Cup Points: Fall Member-Member and Member Guest! The top 32 points earners at the end of the year will compete in a one day tournament. There will be two teams of 16 players competing for prizes and bragging rights!

Prizes for the points winners are:

- 1st = Member Guest Tourn. fees waived
- 2nd = 2 months of member dues waived
- 3rd = \$200 pro shop credit
- 4th = \$100 pro shop credit
- 5th = \$50 pro shop credit

Top 10 as of September 1st:

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|---------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Steve Gurley 72 | 6. Bill Martin 65 |
| 2. Tee Spinks 70 | 7. Curtis Massey 63 |
| 3. Jackson Henderson 65 | 8. Miki Folsom 62 |
| 4. Jason Hutcheson 65 | 9. Conrad Massey 61 |
| 5. Michael Kitchens Jr 65 | 10. David Steed 59 |

Fall Member-Member

September 16th—17th

- ◆ **Format—2 man Four Ball**
- ◆ **Pre-flighted by handicap indexes**
 - ◆ **9:00am Shotgun**
 - ◆ **\$115.00 per player**
- ◆ **Paying Gross and Net places in each flight**
- ◆ **Brick Cup Points event!**

Sign up now—Deadline is Sept. 13th at 6pm

Brick Cup

11—20 Points Earners as of September 1st

- 11. Richard Mixon 57
- 12. Jody Tyson 56
- 13. Jason Churchwell 55
- 14. Tommy Molony 55
- 15. Dewayne Moore 55
- 16. Barry Bloodworth 50
- 17. Stan Dominy 50
- 18. Dennis Doucet 50
- 19. Richard McCann 50
- 20. Carl Stanley 50

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Bag Tags for Everyone!!

Stop by the Golf Shop and pick
up your personalized Brickyard
bag tag today!



Tuesday, September 26th,
we are hosting the 5 Star
Celebrity Classic.

The course will be closed to
member play, however, the
range will be open after 1.

We apologize for the
inconvenience!



*Members, we like to see the club from your
perspective! Send us your snapshots of the course,
member events, and clubhouse and see it in the
next newsletter.*

*Send us your pictures to
membershipdirector@brickyardgolf.com*

**Yes, we will be open
Labor Day!**

**Monday, September
4th the golf course,
clubhouse, and pool
will be open!**

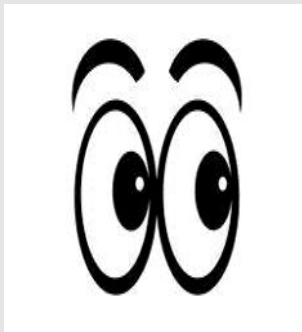
*Zac and Victoria can regrip clubs! We have Superstroke 3.0 and 2.0 in
stock, Golf Pride Multi-Compound, Tour Velvet, Tour Wrap, Align grips,
and can order any grip and color that you want!*

Golf News

Upcoming Events:

- Fall Member-Member - September 16th—17th
- Five Star Celebrity Classic - September 26th
(course closed to members, driving range open after 1)
- Macon Bar Association Scramble—September 29th—course open to members after noon
- Music City Classic - October 5th—course open to members at noon
 - Member-Guest - October 6th—8th

New Grill Menu!



*Keep your
eyes peeled
for a new
menu in the
Bobby Jones
Grille!*

Breakfast Buffet

Join us every Saturday morning in September from 7:30a—9:30a for breakfast.

Scrambled Eggs

Bacon

Grits

Toast

Fresh Fruit Salad

\$8.95/person

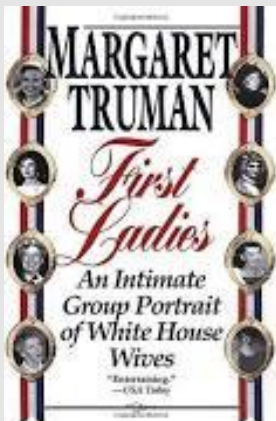
\$4.95/child 12 years and under



Ladies' Book Club

Join us for our Ladies' Book Club! The club will be meeting Tuesday, September 29th at 5:30. It is open to all Brickyard members!!

“First Ladies” by Margaret Truman



Whether they envision their role as protector, partner, advisor, or scold, First Ladies find themselves in a job that is impossible to define, and just as difficult to perform. Margaret Truman, daughter of President Harry Truman, explores the fascinating position of First Lady throughout history and up to present day. With her unique perspective, she reveals the truth behind some of the most misunderstood and forgotten first ladies of our history, as well as the most famous and beloved. She has assembled an honest, yet affectionate portrait of our nation's First Ladies.

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September

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Happy Hour 5pm–8pm	2 Breakfast Buffet 7:30a–9:30a
3	4 Golf Course, Clubhouse, and pool are open!	5 Pool closed for the season	6	7	8 Happy Hour 5pm–8pm	9 Breakfast Buffet 7:30a–9:30a
10	11 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	12	13	14	15 Happy Hour 5pm–8pm	16 Fall Member Member Course open to members at 2
17 Fall Member Member Course open to members at 2	18 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	19	20	21	22 Happy Hour 5pm–8pm	23 Breakfast Buffet 7:30a–9:30a
24	25 Clubhouse, Driving Range, Course Closed	26 Ladies Book Club 5 Star Celebrity Tournament Course Closed to members, range open after 11	27	28	29 Happy Hour 5pm–8pm Macon Bar Association Course open to members after 12 Range open after 9	30 Breakfast Buffet 7:30a–9:30a

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