



Upcoming Events:

- 10/6: GH Shootout 9:00 Tee Times
- 10/15: MCEC 1:00 pm
- 10/16: LGA Invitational 10:00 am
- 10/18: Lex Co Existing Ind. 11:30 am
- 10/21: Couples Tournament 1:00 pm
- 10/22: Clothed in Hope 9:00 am
- 10/24: SCSAE 11:00 am
- 10/28: LGA Championship 1:00 pm
- 10/29: Lexington Chamber 12:30 pm
- 10/31: Happy Halloween

News from the Golf Shop

Welcome to October and the beginning of fall! With cooler temperatures arriving and the trees starting to turn into their glorious fall colors there is no better time of the year to get out for another fabulous round of golf here at Golden Hills.

The Ladies had a wonderful turnout for their 2012 LGA Member-Guest. Congratulations to our champions Teri Byrdic and Donna Johnson. Teri and Donna fired a strong score of 59 to edge out the victory over two other strong scores of 60. Mother Nature treated us to another absolutely perfect day and the wonderful dinner provided by Kovachi's made this event a true enjoyment for all.

The Golden Hills **Match Play** Tournament is in full swing and as the field drastically draws smaller, the competition will only get better. Please check the tournament board,

in the Golf Shop or on our website, for any updates on future matches. I would like to thank everyone that has participated in this event and congratulate those who are still fighting their way to the championship match.

We are getting the new fall apparel lines in on a weekly basis now and are excited about the new styles that we will be stocking in the pro shop. Please come out to take a look at what we have to offer. Just remember, it will look even better in your closet than here in the golf shop! In order to make room for all the new merchandise, we need to cut the inventory on selected spring and summer items so next time you're by the shop please check out all the great apparel at clearance pricing!

I would personally like to thank everyone that took part in all the instructional programs that were offered during

the month of September. We are in the works of putting together another schedule of clinics for November so if anyone has any thoughts or ideas please feel free to contact either Steve or myself to discuss them in further detail.

Thank you all for the support that you have given to Golden Hills Golf & Country Club and its staff. If there is ever anything we can do to help your experience please feel free to contact us to let us know.

In the meantime, play well and often!

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Welcome

New Members:

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HOLE IN ONE ARCHIVE

There's nothing more exciting or rewarding for most golfers than making an ace. With this in mind, we have decided to create a **Hole In One Archive** for our members. If you are one of the fortunate few to accomplish the ultimate shot, we would like to recognize you for your great achievement.

To be included, please submit as much information as possible (Hole #, Date, Yardage, Club Used) from your hole in one at Golden Hills. Any past and all future information should be sent to dian@goldenhillsgolf.com

Submissions will be added to our Hole In One Archive and posted on our website. We look forward to hearing from you!

Local Knowledge:

o Statements are sent via email. If you do not receive your statement or If you need to update your email info. contact:
dian@goldenhillsgolf.com

o An automatic draft is available for Members that would like to have their credit/debit card drafted to cover their monthly charges.

o Fall/Winter Hours:
Mon - Fri: 7:30 am - 6:00 pm
Sat & Sun: 7:00 am - 6:00 pm

Ladies Golf Association

We have enjoyed a lot of great golf and social time together over the past few months and are looking forward to even more in October. With this in mind, we invite and encourage ladies, of all levels of play, to join us for any or all of our upcoming events. Don't miss out on the beautiful fall season or the great condition of our golf course!

Last month we had nine couples play in the "surprise format" Couples Tournament. Joining in on the fun were three new couples, Karen & Mark Lipinski, Leslie & John Wrenn and Rich & Pat Antinozzi – thanks for joining us! The "surprise format" allowed each person to only use 5 clubs. The winners were: 1st Karen & Greg Yarbrough; with a tie for 2nd Erin & Dennis Hansen and Diana & Rob Dorey. Karen and Greg hosted everyone following play for a wonderful dinner at their home. Our next Couples Tournament will be held on October 21st, at 1:00 pm and following play Carolyn and Charlie Brooks will be our gracious hosts for dinner.

On September 22nd, we held our Member-Guest. We had a great day for golf, with perfect weather and wonderful friends to play with. A special *Thank You* to Diana Dorey for her hard work in planning and putting together the event and to all the great cooks that prepared breakfast and desserts! Congratulations to the winners: 1st - Teri Byrdic & Donna Johnson; 2nd - Janet Ramsey & Carole Stone; 3rd - Annemarie Keene & Mary Ann Suda. Bert Woodward won Closest to the Pin honors and Nancy Dodge won the Chipping Contest.

The first ladies **Golden Hills Invitational** will be held on October 16th. The event will feature a Ryder Cup format, with 9 holes of Best Ball and 9 holes of Alternate Shot. The cost to enter is \$30, which includes breakfast and prizes. Make plans to be a part of this inaugural tournament! Find a partner and call the Golf Shop to sign up at (803) 957-3355.

The One Day State will be held on October 9th at Brookstone Meadows (Anderson), River Hills CC (Lake Wylie) and Shadowmoss Plantation (Charleston). The Sandlapper will be held on October 23rd, at Camden C. C.

Any lady members of the club looking to play during the week are invited to join us each Thursday at 8:00 a.m. and/or 5:30 p.m. for the LGA's standing tee times. Each Thursday at Golden Hills is Ladies Guest Day. Take advantage of this opportunity to invite a friend out to play for only \$27! In addition, LGA guests can play on the 3rd Saturday of the month, after 12:00 pm, for only \$27! To join us or for a tee time, contact the Golf Shop at (803) 957-3355.

Remember to continue posting your ringer board scores and put those birdies on the tree! Also keep your eyes open for "the shot of the year".

Our next LGA monthly meeting will be held on October 16th, at the Lexington Library. If you are interested in joining the LGA or would like a chance to meet our group, we invite you to join us!

For more information on the LGA contact: Carolyn Brooks at 803-359-7070

Senior Men's Golf Association

Due to some rainy weather in September, a few of our regular Tuesday tournaments were not held, including our second Tuesday Ryder Cup match and our third Tuesday individual handicap match. Tournament results since our last report are as follows:

September 4,

Modified Stableford

"Points" Match: 1st - Ray Cheillini (+13), 2nd - Rick Green (+8), 3rd - (tie) Scott Riles & Scott Zhang (+7), 5th - (tie) Larry Mixson & Steve Johnston (+5), 7th - (tie) George Cobb, Mark Gardner and Blackburn (+4)

September 25, Match at Ponderosa C. C.:

1st - Steve Upperman & Kirk Worth (138), 2nd - Nick Rinaldi & Knut Brockman (144), 3rd - Chuck Felkel & Larry Mixson (144). Also, winners of closest to the pin were: #3 - Chuck; #7 - Travis; #14 - Dave R; #17 - Dave R.

Congratulations to all of the above winners!

We held another cookout and social at the club last month. It was a fun evening, with lots of great food. Thanks to everyone that helped with planning the event and preparing the food.

If you would like to participate in our events, we would be glad to have you join us. In each of our matches, various formats are included and any men in our club, who are age 50 and above, are welcome. We normally play a match every Tuesday at Golden Hills and tee off at 9:00 am during the Spring/Summer and 10:00 am during the Fall/Winter. To be included, call Bubba Rinehardt (803-739-4807) by Monday preceding the Tuesday match you wish to play and he will include you on the roster. Try us! You'll like us!

Courtside Notes:

Fall league play is underway and the weather is perfect for anyone looking to spend a little time on the courts. You can reserve a court on our website and a reservation is required prior to playing. To make a reservation visit the tennis section of our website at www.goldenhillsgolf.com.

Contact Melissa Kneece at (803) 530-7293 or tennis@goldenhillsgolf.com for additional reservation or court information.

Hobson Performance Tennis (HPT) has increased the activity on the courts with members and our junior athletes working on their tennis games and fitness levels. If you are looking to pick up the game or need a lesson, contact HPT. USPTR certified professional, Morné Hobson, offers junior and adult clinics/lessons for all levels. Call or email Morné at (803) 719-1385 or Hobson1@windstream.net

