



Upcoming Events:

- 10/2 Northside Missions 12:00pm
- 10/8 SMGA Cookout
- 10/13 MCEC 1:00pm
- 10/19 LGA Couples 10:00am
- 10/19 MGA MEGA Tournament
t-times 11:45am - 12:45pm
- 10/21 & 10/28 SMGA Championship
- 10/23 LGA Invitational 10:00am
- *GH Dogfight's ~ Wednesday 12:30 pm;
Friday 12:00 pm & Saturday 9:00 am
- *Big Sunday ~ Tee off btw 12-12:45 pm
- *Senior MGA ~ Tuesday's at 9:00 am
- *LGA ~ Thursday's at 8:00 am &
Monday's at 5:00 pm

Local Knowledge:

● **From the Superintendents Desk:** If you missed the updated message on the news greens and tee from the Superintendent last month, you can view it on our website under the "members" tab.

● **Hole In One:** Congratulations to Dean Davis on his hole in one made on September 16th. Hole #7, 142 yds, 7 iron.

● **Get a Better Fit for your Swing!** When you play better, you'll get more enjoyment out of every round and practice session. If you would like to adjust your irons to better fit your swing, Asst. Pro, Robbie Prichard, can help. Contact the Golf Shop for more info on getting your clubs better suited for your game.

● **Always be prepared!** Locker rentals are available for you to store your gear and be prepared to play whenever the opportunity arises. Contact the Golf Shop to check for availability.

Hours
Mon - Fri: 7:45am - 6:30pm
Sat & Sun: 7:30am - 6:30pm

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News from the Golf Shop

Excitement is in the air at Golden Hills! The new greens on holes 5 & 14 and tee complex on hole 14 have opened for each of you to test your skills. Although not fully developed, the playing surfaces will improve each week and should spark a little enthusiasm for other planned improvements yet to come. With our impressive and event packed month ahead, we hope you and your family will enjoy the great things occurring at Golden Hills.

Our members have done a tremendous job of defending Golden Hills first place ranking in the 1st annual Lexington County Cup. The competition has been ongoing since March but only one event remains. With a 3 point lead heading into the final match on October 11th at Hidden Valley CC, team Golden Hills will hopefully capture the cup and bring it home. We need 8 members to complete our team for the final match, so if you have an interest in playing and representing Golden Hills please contact the Golf Shop.

Go team GH; we will be rooting for you!

Our Men's Golf Association has combined 3 classic formats into 1 for the new **MGA MEGA Tournament**. This event will consist of 2 man teams competing for Net Best Ball, Gross Best Ball & Gross + Net Best Ball of the twosome. You may make up your own foursome or sign up as a twosome. Participants will also garner points for their standings in our Fall Challenge. The tournament will be held on Sunday, October 19th and the entry fee is \$30, excluding cart fees. Tee

times will be assigned on a first come first serve basis beginning at 11:45 and the last tee time ending around 12:45. Don't miss your chance to play in this new event that is guaranteed to be a crowd pleaser!

Our Golf Shop is continuing its successful **Pick Any 3 Sale** through October! Stop by the shop to see our new Fall & Winter clothing and pick any 3 shirts or shorts to receive **35% off** your total! These new designs are impressive and will definitely fit your style!

The SMGA will host their annual 36 Hole **Senior Championship** on Tuesday, October 21st & 28th. The entry fee will be \$10 a week, plus cart fee, with a 50% payout to the weekly winners and 50% for the overall winners. The event's starting time will be 9am during the regular scheduled senior play date. For more information or to sign up please contact the Golf Shop.

Visit our Golf Shop, website or facebook page for all information on upcoming events and social opportunities.

We wish each of you a safe & Happy Halloween!

Your Golf Staff,
Steve Larick, Robbie Prichard & Adam DeLoach

MGA Yellow Ball Results:

8 yellow balls were issued to teams competing in the MGA event last month but only 3 returned. Regardless, everyone had a great time and it was a beautiful day to play.

Net Yellow Ball Results:

- 1st- Randy Senn, Phillip Gibson, Robbie Davis (70)
2nd- Manning Crapps, Paul Morario, Scott Wilson (71)
3rd- Mike Moody, David Huff, Shawn Miller (76)

Net Best Ball Results:

- 1st- Shawn Wallace, Jeff Jones, David Wilson (57)
2nd- Manning Crapps, Paul Morario, Scott Wilson (59)
3rd- Chris Ulmer, John Phillips, Tom Smith (60)
3rd- Phillip Gibson, Randy Senn, Robbie Davis (60)
5th- Trent Whitfield, Kirk Van Laan, Chip Whitaker (61)
5th- Randy Fisher, Dale Shelhorse, Bill Hastings (61)

Closest To The Pin: #3 Manning Crapps, #7 & #13 Phillip Gibson, #15 Tom Smith, #17 Greg Erickson



We've had an energized and competitive field teeing it up in our matches this season. October 5th will mark the end of our second round, with the remaining matches to be completed as follows: 3rd round - Oct. 19; 4th round - Nov. 2; 5th round - Nov. 16; Championship and consolation round Nov. 30. Follow the competitors and results by viewing the brackets posted on our website or in the Golf Shop. Good luck guys!

Ladies Golf Association

Enjoy fall, with its moderate temperatures and stunning scenery, by joining us on the links at Golden Hills! We invite ladies, of all levels of play, to join us each Thursday at 8:00 am and/or Monday at 5:00 pm for the LGA's standing tee times. In addition, you are welcome to join us for our upcoming tournaments, social events or meetings. Join us, you'll be glad you did.

We had an excellent turn out for our Couples Tournament last month. The results of our Ryder Cup 6-6-6 format were as follows: 1st - Connie Liley & Nancy Dodge, 2nd - Penny & Gene Wilson and 3rd - Dawn & Neal Clark. Following play we enjoyed a tailgate lunch. With the excellent chef's in our group, many enjoyed second and third trips to the food table (we may need to walk 9 holes the next time out!).

Our next Couples Tournament will be held on Sunday, October 19th. The format will be a 2 Person Best Ball, with play will beginning at 10:00am. We will, once again, finish play with a wonderful lunch. Be sure to join us and enjoy a great day of golf, food and fellowship. Registration is available in the Golf Shop.

Additional ladies golf events occurring this month include: **One Day State**, October 14th, at the following locations: Links at Stoney Point (Greenwood); Boscobel (Pendleton); and Pawleys Plantation (Pawleys Island). The next **Sandlapper** tournament will be held on October 23rd at Persimmon Hill (Saluda). The SCGA-WSCGA Mixed Team Championship will be held on October 25th & 26th, at Oldfield Golf Club and Island West Golf Course in Okatie and Bluffton, SC.

Our next LGA meeting will held on Thursday, October 9th. The meeting will be held at the Wings and Ale (Lexington location) at 6:00pm.

If you would like to become a new member of the Ladies Golf Association please contact Carolyn Brooks at (803) 359-7070 or email: csbrooks41@gmail.com. The LGA is a great way to get to know the other wonderful ladies at the club!

Courtside Notes:



Get your game ready for a fabulous fall season with Hobson Performance Tennis (HPT). HPT offers clinics and lessons for individuals or groups/teams. While junior tennis is a key focus at HPT, instruction is available for players of all ages and abilities. If you are looking to pick up the game or in need of a lesson, contact HPT's USPTR certified professional, Morné Hobson, at (803) 719 -1385 or Hobson1@windstream.net

Fall league play is under way. If you are interested in participating in an upcoming league on a Golden Hills team, contact our Tennis Coordinator, Melissa Kneece at (803) 530-7293 or email tennis@goldenhillsgolf.com

Reserving a court is easy and available anytime by going online at www.goldenhillsgolf.com. Under the "tennis" tab, members can view available courts and times, then make a reservation. If you have questions or would like information on tennis at Golden Hills, contact our Tennis Coordinator, Melissa Kneece.

Senior Men's Golf Association

What wonderful golf weather we had in September! Hopefully, October will be just as beautiful. Great weather, great golf and a great group of guys playing too; what more could we ask for! If you would to join in on all this "greatness", new members are always welcome. Any male member of our club, age 55 or more, can participate with our group. Just call the Golf Shop by 6:00pm on the Monday preceding our Tuesday match and you can be added to the roster.

We've got some special events scheduled for October. First, our **Fall Cookout** at the club will be October 8th, beginning at 6:30pm. This year will include BBQ Pork and BBQ Chicken. Cost is \$5.00 each. Get your reservation in to Rich Antinozzi or George Cobb or notify the Golf Shop. Second, we'll have a special "**Senior Men's Championship Tournament**" in October. It will be held the LAST TWO TUESDAYS in October. Full individual handicap will be accorded each participant. So, get your game in order, gentlemen!

The results of our matches since the last report are as follows:

Sept. 2, Two Man Team Best Ball - 1st - Rudy Fleischhacker & Joe Mack (54); 2nd - George Cobb & Barry Long (56); 3rd - Jim Antill & Mark Gardner (59); 4th - John Curry & Vic Labatte (60); Also: Closest-to-the-Pin Winners were #3 - Steve Johnston, #15 - John Curry.

Sept. 9, "Points" Match - 1st - Mark Gardner (+13), 2nd - (tie) Mark DiMaggio & Larry Mixson (+4), 4th - Jim Conlee (+3), 5th - (tie) Vic LaBatte & Kirk Worth (+2).

Sept. 16, Individual Handicap - 1st - Dave Reynolds (64), 2nd - Jerry Keene (65), 3rd - Vic LaBatte (67), 4th - Mark Gardner (68), 5th - Steve Johnston (69) 6th - (tie) Dave Middleton, Dwight Johnson, Larry Mixson & Steve Upperman (70). Of special note and congratulations to Dean Davis, who had a hole-in-one on #7.

Sept. 23, "Points" Match - 1st - Rick Green (+9), 2nd - (tie) - Jerry Keene & Knut Brockman (+3), 4th - Dave Reynolds (+2), 5th - (tie) George Cobb, Larry Mixson & Dave Middleton (+1).

As always, we congratulate all of our above winners. If at first you don't win, try, try again. May your golf be blest with long and straight drives, great chips and super putts!

Great Traditions Return Next Month



Mark your calendar for the annual event not to be missed!
The Golden Hills Turkey Bowl & Bog
November 23rd

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Turkey Trot

5 mile, 2.5 mile & 1 mile fun run - Nov. 27th

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