



### Upcoming Events

- 6/9: Bridgestone Ball Fitting 1:00-5:00pm  
 6/12: LGA Couples 10:30am  
 6/18: Kids Triathlon 2:00pm  
 6/20: LGA Play Day 9:30am  
 6/23: SMGA Ryder Cup vs Mid Carolina 10:00am  
 6/25&26: Club Championship 8:00am T-Times  
 6/27: Al's Palmetto Golfers 10:00am  
 7/22-24: Member Guest

### Weekly Member Play:

- Tuesday's @9:00 am - SMGA  
 Wednesday's @ 12:30 pm - GH Dogfight  
 Thursday's @ 8:00 am - LGA  
 Fri/Sun @12:00; \*Sat @ 9:30\* - GH Dogfight  
*\*Note new start time for Sat. Dogfight*

### Local Knowledge:

● **Get Fit**  
 The golf ball is the one piece of equipment you use on every shot. Just as everything else in your bag, your golf ball should be custom fit as well. Get Fit at Golden Hills on June 9th, from 1 - 5 pm by the experts from Bridgestone Golf, the #1 ball fitter in golf.

● **Junior Golf Program**  
 As summer nears, it's time to start thinking of ways to occupy your children's time. Once again, Golden Hills will be offering a junior golf play day including instruction. For 6 consecutive Thursdays, at 8 am for 12 & under & 9am for 13 & up, we will conduct a junior golf camp. The kids will be given an hour of instruction followed by play on the course. The 12 & under group will finish at 10:30; the 13 & up group will finish at 11:30. The cost will be \$90 for all six sessions or \$20/session. For each extra family member the cost is reduced to \$60. Register by contacting the Golf Shop.

● **Grips, Club Repair, Loft & Lie**  
 Don't let shoddy grips or clubs hamper your game. Assistant Pro, Ryan Murphy can re-grip or repair your clubs and adjust the loft & lie before your next tee time. Contact Ryan in the Golf Shop for quick and convenient service.

● **Dive In**  
 Dive into summer fun at the Golden Hills pool. The pool is open weekdays from 11am-9pm and weekends from 10am-9pm.

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## News from the Golf Shop

We at Golden Hills look forward to spending the summer with you and your family. We offer an unbeatable experience for all your pursuits and hope you will take advantage of the golf tournaments, tennis leagues, swimming pool activities and other member services available to you. June typically provides a full month of beautiful weather and longer days to enjoy your club. Enjoy the summer and use of our facilities to the fullest extent possible this year!

It is with great anticipation that we look forward to our coveted Club Championship this month, where members get a chance to test their skills for the acclaimed title of club champion. Join us on Saturday, June 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup> for this exciting 2 day 36 hole challenge. The format will be individual stroke play, flighted after the first round, with tee times starting at 8am both days. Championship divisions will include: Men's, Ladies, Senior, Super Senior and Junior. Step up to the challenge and sign up in the Golf Shop for your chance to become the 2016 Golden Hills Club Champion.

The Bridgestone Ball Fitting team will be here on June 9<sup>th</sup> from 1:00-5:00. If you have never been tested for spin rates this is a great opportunity to find the ball best suited for your game. Bridgestone is also running a special all month long of buy 3 sleeves of b330 balls and get one free. Get tested then come to the Golf Shop to get your custom fitted ball!

Get the kids out to the course this summer by signing them up for our Junior Play Day. Our golf professionals, Steve and Ryan, will host a junior play day on Thursdays for 6 consecutive weeks beginning on June 16<sup>th</sup>. The day begins for 7-12 year olds at 8am with an hour of instruction followed by golf on the course concluding at 10:30. Ages 13-18 will start at 9am and finish at 11:30. The cost is \$90 per child for all 6 days or \$20 per session. Siblings will receive a discount to \$60 for each additional child. The kids will learn everything from grip, stance and posture to safety and etiquette. Any child is welcome to participate regardless of their skill level. Sign up in the Golf Shop asap as space is limited. Let us help your children enjoy the great game of golf.

Dive into summer by lounging poolside at your Golden Hills pool. The pool staff is excited to host you and your family this summer. They will be on duty to provide you with an unmatched level of

service and convenience. Our snack bar is stocked with refreshing ice cream for the kids, while also serving drinks and snacks for you and your guests. If you have any questions regarding pool hours or hosting an event, please visit [www.goldenhillsgolf.com](http://www.goldenhillsgolf.com).

On June 12<sup>th</sup> the Ladies Golf Association will host a couples event with a shotgun start at 10:30am. The ladies have chosen to play a 2 person net best ball format and invite you and your partner to join them for the event. The couple always have a great time on the course followed by food and beverages afterward. If you are interested in participating or would like more information please call the Golf Shop. The LGA will also be hosting a Ladies Fun Day on Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup>. Come and join the fun as we introduce new players to the wonderful atmosphere that is Golden Hills. Play will begin at 9:30am with a shotgun start.

The Senior Men's Golf Association continues to play each Tuesday at 9am. If you are new to the club or know someone who is considering membership, this is a great way to introduce them to the fellas. Last month the SMGA continued their matches in the Midlands Senior Ryder Cup by competing against the Camden team on May 26<sup>th</sup>. While Camden CC provided a good test of golf, our SMGA proved to be up to the task by dominating the Camden seniors 16.5 to 7.5. Congrats to our 1<sup>st</sup> place and undefeated SMGA!

Get your swing in tune for the Club Championship and throughout the summer with a lesson from one of our golf professionals. Both Steve and Ryan offer hour long and half hour lessons to fit your schedules. Lessons are available for all ages and skill levels. For more information about exclusive member pricing and availability, contact the Golf Shop today at (803) 957-3355.

The 2016 Member-Guest is right around the corner! Join us July 22<sup>nd</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> for this fun filled event. Festivities begin on Friday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> with a practice round in the afternoon, followed by a putting contest from 5-7pm, long drive contest at 6pm and dinner at 7pm. The format will be net best ball and both rounds will begin with a shotgun start at 9am. Mark your calendar, find your partner and join us for this outstanding event.

Your Golf Staff,

Steve Larick & Ryan Murphy

## Ladies Golf Association

Attention all ladies: The LGA has ample opportunities for you to get out on the course and enjoy the long, sun filled days that summer will bring. Come out swinging for our weekly play days, tournaments and Ladies Fun Day scheduled this month.

We had a great day for our May Couples Tournament. The weather was awesome and the course continues to provide us with excellent playing conditions. Results of the "Blind Nine" tournament format were as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> - Regena & Ralph Sellers; 2<sup>nd</sup> Dar & Mike Seguin and 3<sup>rd</sup> Cindy Remington & Lana Ames. Congratulations to all. Following play, Dar Seguin and Cindy Remington hosted everyone in the clubhouse and served up a taco bar and a wonderful strawberry crepe dessert. Our Couple's Tournament this month will be held on June 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am. The format will be "Net Best Ball". Lunch will be hosted by Karen Lipinski at the clubhouse following play. Don't miss out on the fun by registering in the Golf Shop.

On June 20<sup>th</sup>, we will hold our first LGA Fun Day. The name says it all, as we are looking forward to a day of FUN at the club. The check in will start at 8:30 and play will begin with a 9:30 shotgun start. We've extended invitations to other LGA's in the midlands and hope to show off our beautiful course to a large group of ladies. Contact Darlene Sequin, event coordinator, with questions at (803) 543-6406 or register in the Golf Shop.

Other golf events this month include: One Day State - June 7<sup>th</sup> @ Southern Oaks GC (Easley), Hillcrest GC (Orangeburg) & Summerville CC (Summerville). For more information on these and other upcoming WSCGA and Sandlapper events contact Nancy Hanna at hanna8645@bellsouth.net

Join us for our LGA Monthly Meeting on June 9<sup>th</sup>, at 6pm at Wings & Ale in Lexington. We also invite you to join us each Thursday at 8:00am for a round of golf with other members of the LGA. Call the Golf Shop by 5:00pm on Wednesday if you would like to participate.

For more information on the LGA contact: Annemarie Keene, LGA President, at: snauzers@yahoo.com or (803) 318-3107.

## Senior Men's Golf Association

May was a fantastic month for golf and the SMGA at Golden Hills. Here's hoping June will provide more of the same; with good weather and exciting matches each week for us to enjoy.

Last month the Midlands Senior Ryder Cup competition had our SMGA team facing the Camden team on May 26<sup>th</sup>. While Camden CC provided a good test of golf, our SMGA proved to be up to the task by dominating the Camden seniors 16.5 to 7.5. Congrats to our 1<sup>st</sup> place and undefeated SMGA!

Results of our weekly Tuesday matches since the last report are as follows:

**May 10 - 9 Hole Blind Draw:** 1<sup>st</sup> - John Curry; 2<sup>nd</sup> (tie) Mike Ruddy & Chuck Felkel, 4<sup>th</sup> - Mac Moore & Scott Zhang

**May 17 - Points:** 1<sup>st</sup> - Kirk Wirth (+11); 2<sup>nd</sup> (tie) Mike Ruddy & Bob Amory (+5); 4<sup>th</sup> - Curtis Cooley (+3); 5<sup>th</sup> (tie) Steve Slice, Steve Johnston, Joe Ecker & Dave McElrath (+2)

**May 24 - Handicap:** 1<sup>st</sup> (tie) Ray Chiellini & Bob Amory (63); 3<sup>rd</sup> - Jim Antill (66); 4<sup>th</sup> - Steve Johnston (67); 5<sup>th</sup> (tie) Dave Reynolds & Gary Liles (68)

If you would like to join our SMGA events, we welcome your participation. Our Tuesday matches feature formats that change each week, with play beginning at 9am. Golden Hills members can register by contacting the Golf Shop by 4pm each Monday. Also, any and all senior men are invited to play each Thursday at 9:30am. Call 803.957.3355 to take advantage of every opportunity to enjoy a round with fellow Golden Hills members.

We wish our SMGA Ryder Cup team good luck as they compete against Mid Carolina CC on June 23<sup>rd</sup>, at Golden Hills!

For more information on the SMGA, contact Rich Antinozzi, SMGA President, at (803) 960 - 8706 or email: rja1055@aol.com

## Courtside Notes :



Combo Doubles Season will begin the week of July 5<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in playing on a team at Golden Hills, send us an email with your interest. We will be glad to assist in finding a team that suits your game. Contact tennis@goldenhillsgolf.com

Reserving a court is easy and available anytime by visiting our website at [www.goldenhillsgolf.com](http://www.goldenhillsgolf.com). Under the "tennis" tab, members can view available courts and times, then make a reservation.



Keep cool by the pool all summer long at Golden Hills. Pool hours are 11:00 am - 9:00 pm weekdays and 10:00 am - 9:00 pm on weekends. Members are required to sign in upon arrival. Don't forget, we have the snack bar stocked with plenty of cold drinks, snacks and ice cream to keep you fueled for fun!

Members may request a date for a pool party on our website, under the "swim" tab, click on "pool party reservation". You can also visit the website for additional pool news and updates, as well as information on swim lessons and rules for the season.

Practice for the **Golden Hills Gators** is underway and we have a great team taking shape. If you would like to participate, it's not too late to register. Go to the "swim" page at [www.goldenhillsgolf.com](http://www.goldenhillsgolf.com) & click "Online Registration". Team information, including important dates, practice & meet schedules, is posted on the website. Email Head Coach, Jennifer McLeod, at [goldenhillsgators@gmail.com](mailto:goldenhillsgators@gmail.com)



## KID'S TRIATHLON

June 18<sup>th</sup> @ 2pm

Swim, Bike, Run - TRI at Golden Hills Golf & Country Club  
Visit: [www.bodyshopathletics.com](http://www.bodyshopathletics.com) to register