



### Upcoming Events:

- 11/5: VFW 12:00pm  
 11/8: LGA Couples 10:00am  
 11/14: MGA Championship 10:00 T-Times  
 11/15: MGA Championship 10:00 T-Times  
 11/19: Lexington Chamber 9:30am  
 11/23: Jesse Eudy Memorial 12:00pm  
 11/26: Happy Thanksgiving!

#### Weekly Member Play:

- Ladies Day:** Tues @ 9 & Thurs @ 10am  
**SMGA:** Tuesday @ 10:00am  
**Dogfights:** Wednesday @ 12:30; Friday @ 12:00; Saturday @ 10:00; Sunday @ 12:00

### Local Knowledge:

#### • Changing Times

Now that fall is finally settling in please note a few time changes to your playing schedules. The SMGA is moving their Tuesday start time to 10:00. The Ladies Day times will change to 9:00 on Tuesday and 10:00 on Thursday.

#### • Shop Early & Save

The Golf Shop is stocked with all the essentials for the golfer in your life. Get your shopping done early by coming in this month for a great selection and sale.

#### • Ladies Chip & Chatter

Our Chip & Chatter was a smashing success and we would like to thank all the ladies who participated. Our finally session had to be postponed so we look forward to our final time together on November 4.

#### • Tennis Lessons

Kyle Koch offers tennis lessons for all ages & ability levels. Whether you're looking to pick up the game or improve it, he can assist. Contact Kyle at (803) 348-1595.

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## News from the Golf Shop

Normally in November we talk about the cooler temperatures, the transition of color from summer to fall, the changing condition of the golf course and shorter days due to daylight savings time. This year is no different except "the Tradition like no Other", The Masters, will be played in fall conditions. What a wonderful reminder this holiday season that we can still enjoy family, fellowship and the great game of golf. We here at Golden Hills are thankful that we have all of you as our "family". Make time this month to enjoy your club with your family and with us here at Golden Hills.

October was a fantastic month to play golf at Golden Hills. The temperatures finally began to drop but some of the golf was red hot. The Men's Golf Association played the "No Alibi" tournament on Sunday, October 18th. The No Alibi tournament is unique in that instead of subtracting your handicap from your score, you receive mulligans equal to your handicap. Strategy comes into play often in deciding when to take those mulligans. Trent Whitfield proved to be a master of strategy as he parlayed his mulligans with some outstanding golf to shoot an even par round of 71. There was a 3-way tie for 2nd between David Ha, Barry Mears and Todd Lindsey who shot 2 over par 73's. Congratulations gentlemen! The MGA Championship will be played this month on Saturday and Sunday the 14th & 15th. To sign up simply call the Golf Shop. Make plans to join us for this year end event and watch a little of the Masters after play.

The Ladies Golf Association held their Championship on Saturday, October 24th. Thanks to all the ladies who joined in the fun and made the day a rousing success. Dawn Clark smoked the field with a score of 67 in the net division and Janet Hoffman took the top prize in the gross division. If you have not had the opportunity to join in

the fun of Ladies Day on Tuesday's and Thursday's please do! In November the times of play will be changing to 9:00 on Tuesday's and 10:00 on Thursday's. Whether you are a beginner or scratch golfer, play 9 or 18, walk or ride, all are invited to come and join in the fun. If you would like to participate with our great group of ladies, call the Golf Shop by 3:00 pm the preceding day.

Our Senior Men's Golf Association continues to grow! In November, they will be changing the start time from 9am to 10am to allow for warmer temperatures to prevail. If you are new to the club, or just looking for a steady game, the Senior Men's Golf Association Tuesday play day is perfect for you. All you need to do is call the Golf Shop by 3pm on the proceeding Monday to sign up and play.

The Golden Hills Match Play tournament is headed into the quarterfinals with only 8 gentlemen remaining. There have been some fantastic matches with many having to play more than 18 holes to find a winner. Congratulations to all who have made it this far and good luck in November.

With Christmas right around the corner, now is a great time to get all the clothing and accessories for the golfer(s) in your family. In November we be offering the annual Shirt, Shoe and Short Sale as well as special pricing on Black Friday. Now is the time to drop by as the Golf Shop is completely stocked to shop for the holiday season or simply treat yourself to the new apparel you have been eyeballing. Get it now while we still have a great selection in stock. If we do not have it and you need it, we will get it for you. Simply stop by the Golf Shop and order it by December 5th to make sure we get your order to you before Christmas.

Your Golf Shop Staff,  
 Steve Larick, Hunter Dodgen & Vince Ferris

## Ladies Golf Association

We had an outstanding month for ladies golf at Golden Hills in October. We look forward to more great games and time together on the course this month!

First up we want to make sure everyone takes note of the new start times for the Ladies Play Day's at the club. The new tee times will be 9:00am on Tuesday's and 10:00am on Thursday's. Also please note there will be no Ladies Pay Day on November 5 due to a tournament at the club. Ladies of all ages and levels of play are invited to join us for the play days. Whether you like to play 9 or 18, walk or ride, all are welcome. In order to play, you must register in the Golf Shop by 3:00pm on the proceeding day. If you do not register, we may not be able to include you in our group. So, please register early by calling the Golf Shop at (803) 957-3355. We look forward to seeing you at the club this month.

We would like to thank all the ladies who came out and played in our LGA Championship last month. It was a beautiful day on a beautiful course with a great group of ladies. Congratulations to Dawn Clark for winning the Low Net Championship, with a score of 67, and to Janet Hoffmann for winning the Low Gross Championship, with a score of 98. Congratulations are also in store for our first ever LGA Captain's Choice winners, with a group score of 86, Karen Waterfield, Sandy Stewart, Eunice Miyaji and Rosemary Jansen. A special thank you to Lois Tessier for the delicious post play desserts and to Tia Davis for the beautiful flowers that decorated our tables.

On October 27 several of our Golden Hills ladies won the Sandlapper event played at the Ponderosa Golf Club. The most exciting part is that, for 3 of the ladies, it was their first tournament play. We certainly hope it's not their last! Congratulations to the following ladies: Jean Burns for winning 1st place in the 2nd Flight; Eunice Miyaji for winning 1st place in the 4th Flight; Crystal Mosgrove for winning 2nd place in the 4th Flight; Karen Waterfield for winning 3rd place in the 4th Flight. Way to go ladies. You made Golden Hills proud! Like we say, if you can play our course, you can play any course! Golden Hills Ladies rock!

For the ladies going on our LGA Fall Trip in a few weeks, we'll be finalizing all our plans in the coming days. We are really looking forward to the trip and a great time together.

We hope you will continue to enjoy fall, golf and great times with friends and family at the club this month. Keep safe and healthy!

If you're interested in learning more about the LGA, contact Annemarie Keene at (803) 318-3107 or email her at: snauzers@yahoo.com

## Senior Men's Golf Association

Cool crisp mornings will greet and treat us to great golf during the month of November. Our SMGA continues to grow and we look forward to another month of fellowship and play at our weekly Tuesday outings. Please note, our start time will move back an hour to 10:00am beginning Tuesday, November 3. All male members of the club, age 55 and over, are welcome to participate. If interested, you can register by contacting the Golf Shop by 3:00pm each Monday. Call (803) 957-3355 to take advantage of every opportunity to enjoy a round with your fellow Golden Hills members.

On October 6 & 13 we held our annual SMGA Championship. It saw 50 of our senior men teeing it up to be crowned the 2020 champion. Congratulations to Mike Blakely on capturing the championship with a 2 day score of 133. The remaining results are as follows: 2<sup>nd</sup> - Fred Kakascik & Joe Rompala (135); 4<sup>th</sup> - Mike Ruddy & Sam Passarella (136); 6<sup>th</sup> - Jim Braden (137); 7<sup>th</sup> - Don Elliott (139); 8<sup>th</sup> - Jessie Snipes (140); 9<sup>th</sup> - Dwight Johnson (141); 10<sup>th</sup> - Bill Lesesne, Jody Young & Randy Senn (142); 14<sup>th</sup> - Jay Byars & Mark Lipinski (143). Closest to the Pins were:

October 6:			October 13:		
# 3	Mark Lipinski	10' 6"	#3	Rich Turgeon	6' 8"
#7	Randy Senn	4' 2"	#7	Jody Young	16"
#13	Mark Lipinski	15' 1"	#13	Mike Blakely	1' 8"
#15	Joe Rompala	10' 7"	#15	Jim Anderson	10' 4"
#17	Scott Zhang	14"	#17	Mark Dimaggio	9'

Results from other SMGA events are as follows:

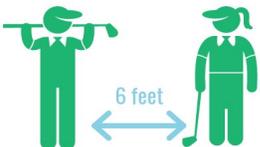
**Sept 29 - Handicap:** 1<sup>st</sup> - Bruce Liles (63); 2<sup>nd</sup> - Knut Brockmann (68); 3<sup>rd</sup> (tie) Jim Anderson & Rick Green (69); 5<sup>th</sup> - Dick Howe (70); 6<sup>th</sup> - Jim Poag, Tom Taylor, Dan Sass, Lee Sessions (71)

**Oct 20 - Points:** 1<sup>st</sup> (tie) Jim Anderson & Don Elliot (+4); 3<sup>rd</sup> (tie) Dick Howe, Tommy Player, Jim Poag & Joe Rompala (+3); 7<sup>th</sup> (tie) Rick Green & David Ha (+2)

**Oct 27 - Handicap:** 1<sup>st</sup> - Gary Liles (67); 2<sup>nd</sup> (tie) Dick Howe & Randy Senn (69); 4<sup>th</sup> (tie) Lonnie Griffin, Bill Branch & Bill Lorenzen (70); 7<sup>th</sup> - Knut Brockman (71)

If you would like to receive emails from the SMGA about events and results, send your address to Ray Chiellini. You can also contact Ray for more information on the SMGA. He can be reached by calling (803) 518-4215 or email him at: dober2plus1@gmail.com

### Play Your Part • Keep Safe & Healthy

<p><b>1. ALWAYS</b> stay six feet apart from others.</p> 	<p><b>2. STAY HOME</b> if you have a fever or feel sick.</p> 	<p><b>5. ALWAYS</b> mark your ball clearly.</p> 	<p><b>7. AVOID</b> handshakes and high-fives.</p> 	<p><b>8. RESPECT</b> the game and all involved.</p> 
<p><b>3. AVOID</b> large gatherings on the first tee, driving range or after the round.</p> 	<p><b>4. If in doubt... DON'T TOUCH IT.</b></p> 	<p><b>6. WEAR</b> a facial covering when taking a lesson.</p> 	<p><b>9. REMEMBER</b> to wash your hands after playing.</p> 	