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November 2023

From the Desk of Jeff Hunter

General Manager

As I write this, the forecast has gone completely crazy and our warm temps are tumbling. Two days of fall weather are upon us and will be followed by what I feel is the best weather of the year for outdoor activities that include golf, tennis, pickleball and dining on the new patio.

October has been a fairly busy month as we build toward the holiday season. Cash and crew have been doing a great job getting the golf course in shape, the greens rolling well and a healthier turf going into the winter months. Our first good rainfall in quite a while tested the new bunkers and we are very happy to report that we had no standing water or drainage issues. The tee boxes also look great and continue to thrive, while the greens continue to firm up a bit as they get healthier and healthier.

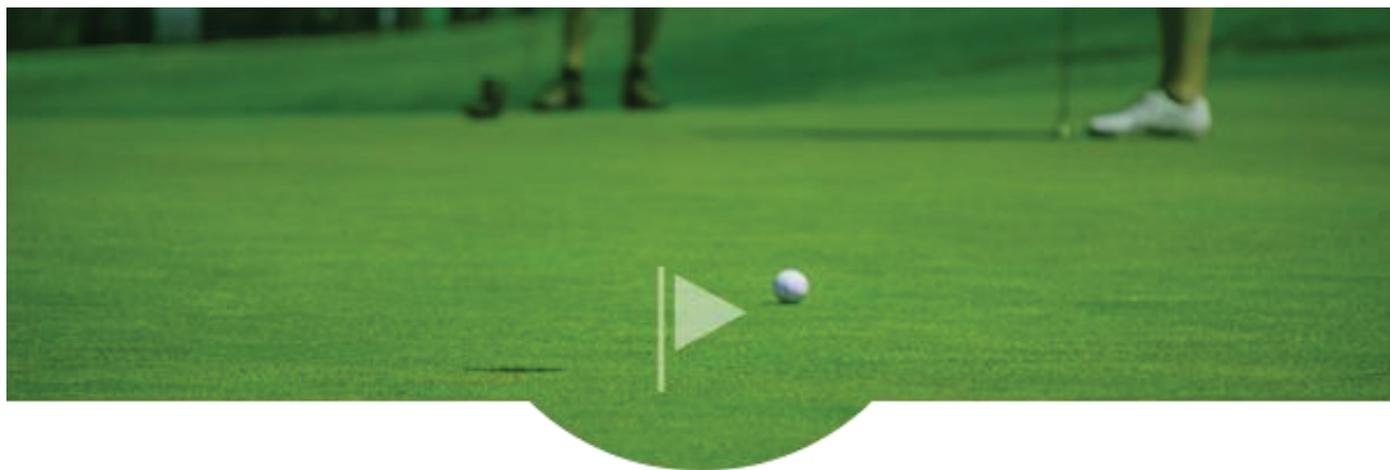
The Ladies Partnership and the Collins Cup kick off a busy November on the golf course as we all try to get out and enjoy the weather. Tennis and pickleball are also picking up as the weather cools so please contact Garry for lessons or information on leagues.

Thanksgiving is right around the corner! If you have not made your reservations for Thanksgiving, please call Janey or Donna to reserve the time that you wish to attend. This is always a great meal and a busy day, so please do not hesitate. Again, this year, Chef Chase will be preparing meals to go as well. These meals must be ordered early so he may prepare all the fixins and can be picked up on Wednesday the 22nd. Call to reserve your feast and leave the cooking to us!

Planning a Christmas party and not sure where to go or what to do? Donna and Caitlyn can help you with all things Christmas. Member events or company parties big or small can be accommodated. Please call the office to reserve your room. The Christmas shopping begins November 9 here at Riverhill with the RWA Christmas Mini Market. New this year, non RWA members and their guests will be allowed to shop after lunch! GENTLEMEN, this is a great way to do your Christmas shopping at not get caught at the last minute. See you there!

As always, please watch for flyers and emails about upcoming events at Riverhill. Your staff is working hard to provide great events for all members to enjoy. Please do not hesitate to contact me with ideas or suggestions. We hope everyone has a great and Happy Holiday Season!

Jeff Hunter, PGA - General Manager



Golf

November is here and The Holidays are approaching quickly, that means the Golf Shop Christmas Sale. This year's sale will be Friday December 1st 3:00 – 6:00. We will be offering extra discounts on the wheel, have free gift wrapping available, taking special orders along with having wine and snacks on hand. The wheel will have the most discounts of the season that night so stop by and get your Christmas shopping done early and tell your friends.

Carts update for the winter: Thank you to Cash and his team for all their efforts getting the course back into condition heading into winter. At this point we are in better condition in the fairways than we were a year ago and we want to provide everyone the best playing conditions through the winter. With that being said we will be Cart Path Only for 9 holes each week and will rotate between the front and the back 9 until the spring. On the 9 holes that is 90 degrees please drive the carts in the roughs as much as possible and on the 9 holes that is cart path only, over 75 years old and handicap carts can use the roughs.

Congratulations to all the qualifiers for this year's Collins Cup Matches. The tournament will take place November 3rd & 4th, this year's Captains are Chuck Swallow (The Army) and Les Henry (Les is More).

Demo return season is here as we make way for new products in early 2024. If you have one of our demo clubs checked out, please return it to the golf shop, thank you.

30 teams competed in the Member-Member Match Play. Flight Winners were: Championship –Rick and Jonathan Perry, 1st Flight – Jeff Harris and Harold Danford, 2nd Flight – Tim Jones and Marty Rachford, 3rd Flight – Bob Fairchild and Jay Swanson, 4th Flight Dan Ehrenreich and Mike Smith.

Our last club event of 2023 will be The Winter Scramble on Saturday December 2nd. It will be a 2-person scramble and you pick your partner. Entry fee is \$55 includes prizes and lunch, toy donations will be taken for Blue Santa and will earn players a mulligan.

We have started to receive our winter gear from Sun Mountain and FootJoy, as well as Men's ½ zip pullover sweaters from Tommy Bahama. Men's and women's tops from Adidas and FootJoy. Sun Mountain golf bags are in stock and Taylor Made TP5 and TP5X are on special 2dz for \$90.

We are working on details for the 2024 calendar and will send the dates out via email once it is finalized, hopefully by December 1st.

Reminders:

- Store credit earned before November 30th must be spent before December 31st, store credit cannot be transferred.
- Any store credit earned after December 1st may be carried over to 2024.
- Don't forget about that the Golf Shop will trade-in your old equipment. It is a very simple process: 1) Bring your clubs to the shop and we will give you a bid in 24hrs. 2) if you accept the bid that amount will be issued to your credit book to use towards golf shop purchases.

Upcoming November Golf Events:

3rd & 4th - The Collins Cup

11th & 12th - Texas Golf Association Stableford – course opens at 1:00 each day

23rd - Thanksgiving Day - course will be open for an 8:30 shotgun, all carts must be in by 12:30pm.

Dec 1st - Christmas Sale – 3:00-6:00

Dec 2nd - Winter Scramble – 2-person make your own teams – 9:00 Shotgun

Fairway Feats

- Jeff Harris 72 during Fall Member Member
- Harold Danford shot 73
- Rolando Lopez broke 80 for the first time at Riverhill with a 79

Matt Trevino, PGA

Riverhill Women's Golf Association

On September 22 and 23 RWGA held the 2023 Ladies Club Championship Tournament. What a wonderful weekend!

There were fifteen lovely ladies compete in this two day tournament.

Our 2024 Ladies Club Champion is

*****CAROL HARRELL*****

The Throne upon which she sits was made by none other than our resident artist Linda Ehrenreich!
Congratulations Carol!

I must say the competition was steep! Carol overcame our 2023 Club Champion, Diane Henry, by one stroke!

Championship Flight

1st – Diana Howard

Tied 2nd – Patty Armstrong and Becky Silva

First Flight

1st – Maurine Muncie

Tied 2nd – Nancy Wilson and Anita Woodward

4th – Marlene Grothues



September was concluded with Ace of the Month for September on the 27th. And the winner of Ace of the Month is ANITA WOODWARD!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Congratulations!

ACE- Anita Woodward
Low Gross – Carol Harrell
1st Low Net – Judy Fellows
2nd Low Net – Rhonda Taylor
Low Putts – Patty Armstrong



Anita Woodward and Maureen Muncie (Above) Donna Terrell, Becky Silva and Carol Harrell (Below) sharing some laughs.



What a wonderful meeting and social on September 28th. This was our last meeting for the year and it was quite a blowout!

Susie Lovitt, Becky White, Judy Fellows and Sharon Smith discussing the darling charcuterie cups prepared by Chef Chase!



Pictured below, Jan McLaughlin (center), creator of the beautiful jewelry on display with Barbara Holloway, Brenda Wendel and Carrie Wilson.



The weather was picture perfect for our 19th Annual Julia Finger Tournament!!!!!! Julia was beautiful in her team colors of Yellow and Blue! And Julia did not disappoint as she grabbed her putter for the ceremonial commencement of the Tournament!



Winning Yellow Team!!

Marlene Grothues
Carol Harrell
Becky Silva
Trophy
Judy Fellows
Maureen Muncie
Terry Terrell



Blue Team

Diane Henry
Patty Armstrong
Barbara Holloway
Julia Finger
Glenda Bumpus
Gill Davison

The twelve ladies who participated were able to do so because of their active involvement with RWGA! Thank you Julia for continuing this much anticipated and rewarding Tournament! The Blue Team fought a hard battle for two days but the Yellow Team prevailed!



The final Ace of The Month Tournament was held October 11, with Winning the Ace of the Month being BECKY SILVA. Carol Harrell – 1st Low Net, Nancy Wilson -2nd Low Net, Carol Swanson-3rd Low Net and Patty Cunningham won the Low Putts! The Ace of the Year Tournament will be held on November 22, 2023.



Diane Henry and Carol Harrell competing in the first flight winning Second Place. Rhonda Taylor and Terry Terrell completed in the Fourth Flight winning Second Place.



The Member Member Tournament included a few of the RWGA Members



Linda Smith competed with her Husband Doug Smith and Patty Armstrong and Becky Silva competed.



ACE of the Year Tournament will be held on November 22 and our Christmas Lunch will be on December 13th.

Blessings for a wonderful upcoming Holiday Season!



Tennis

Riverhill Tennis would like to introduce Tory Manchester to our team. Tory graduated from Schreiner University where he played Tennis all 4 years .Tory was originally from California and after graduating, worked for Petter Burwash International as a tennis professional for several years at the JD Marriot Resort in Palm Desert California. Tory enjoys both playing and teaching tennis to all ages and levels of players. Many of you have already seen him on the courts helping with clinics and will appreciate his skill and love of the game that he displays. Welcome Tory to the Riverhill tennis team!

Christmas is coming soon which means we will have our Blue Santa Toy drive mixers for tennis and also pickleball coming soon. Look out for the information with times and dates in emails and social media posts soon .

Pickleball

The usual Tuesdays night 6pm pickleball get together are always happening. Come out and enjoy playing with your fellow members. Remember if you have guests please register and pay at the tennis shop. We have a list at the tennis shop with names of people who enjoy playing and if you would like to add your name let Garry know. Garry is available to teach beginner lessons or groups if you are new to pickleball and want to get started. Call Garry to get started.

Fall Pro Shop Special

It's that time of year again when we have several of our demos up for grabs at low prices . Come by and check them out soon Also on sale this month are racket bags at 40% of retail. Members receive 10% off retail prices of Tennis rackets and bags everyday. Selkirk Pickleball paddles are 10% off also.

The fall kids continue through November with some new days and times added. We don't have the classes the week of Thanksgiving. Take a look at the schedule and call to sign up now.

Tennis for Tots 3 to 7 years old

Tuesdays 4:30pm to 5:30pm or Wednesday 4pm to 5pm

Beginner 7 to 11 years

Tuesday 4:30pm to 5:30pm or Wednesday 4pm to 5pm

Intermediate/ Advanced

Monday and Thursday 4:30pm to 6pm

Elite Junior

Tuesday 6pm to 7:30pm or Saturday 9am to 10:30am

Session 3 October 30th to December 2nd (none Thanksgiving week)

Session 4 December 4th to December 23rd (3 weeks pro-rated)

Tournament News

Congratulations to Trei Gohlke who placed 2nd at the USTA San Antonio boys 18 singles level 6 tournament. Trei continues to work hard and improve. Way to Go Trei! Tennis director Garry Nadebaum played an ITF held in San Antonio and placed 2nd in the Mens 55's singles and doubles this month also. Garry's current ITF World singles ranking is #13 and Doubles is #1.

Weekly Clinics

Tuesday Adult Clinic 6 pm

Thursday Ladies Clinic 9 am

Saturday Adult Clinic 9 am

Tuesday 4:30 pm - Wednesday 4 pm Tennis 4 Tots Beginner 7 to 11

Monday - Wednesday 4:30 pm Intermediate Advanced Kids

Tuesday 6 pm - Saturday 9 am Elite Junior Clinics

Garry Nadebaum

Director Of Tennis





Social

November

November 12th: Sunday Brunch Buffet! 11 am - 2 pm. Join us for our delicious brunch including our NY Strip, Winter Salad Station, Shrimp Cocktail, Fresh Fruit Tray, Bacon & Sausage, Herb Grilled Chicken in a Roasted Red Pepper Sauce, Au Gratin Potatoes, Green Beans & Dessert Table. \$35++per person

November 15th: Birthday & Anniversary Celebration Dinner! 5 - 8 pm. Are you celebrating a birthday or anniversary this month? Join us for a fantastic celebration at Cedar Crest with Birthday Cupcakes for everyone! Option 1: Chicken & Cheese Enchiladas in a Verde Sauce, Refried Beans & Spanish Rice|Option 2: Beef & Chicken Fajitas - Two flour Tortillas, Refried Beans & Spanish Rice |Option 3: Almond Crusted Salmon, Tomato Basil Orzo, & House Salad

November 19th: Last Day To Order Thanksgiving Dinner To-Go! Enjoy our delicious Riverhill Thanksgiving Dinner in the comfort of your own home. Please visit: <https://riverhillcc.com/thanksgiving-2023> to view our To-Go menu and call 830-896-1400 to place your order and schedule your pick up time by 5 pm on the 19th. Thanksgiving Dinner To Go pick is on November 22nd between 11 am and 5 pm.

November 23rd: Thanksgiving Day Buffet! 11 am - 3 pm. Enjoy a fantastic Thanksgiving Day feast in the historic Riverhill Mansion. View our menu at <https://riverhillcc.com/thanksgiving-2023>, and please call the office at 830-896-1400 to book your reservations.

November 25th: Tired Of Turkey Happy Hour At Eleven-Straight! 4 - 7 pm. After the buzz of Thanksgiving is over, it's time to relax and unwind. Join us for an evening of delicious appetizers, cocktails & \$3 draft beer.

November 26th : Sunday Brunch Buffet! 11 am - 2 pm. Join us for our delicious brunch including our carving station, breakfast favorites, delicious entrées & sides and our fantastic dessert table. \$35 ++ per person.

November 28th: Wine Club Dinner & Tasting! Cocktails at 5:30 pm. Dinner & Pairing at 6:30 pm. Enjoy a sumptuous 4-course dining experience paired perfectly with wines from Kerrville Hills Winery. 1st Course: Ahi Tuna Crab Rolls | 2nd Course: French Onion Soup | 3rd Course: Tenderloin Medallions with Red Wine Demi, Au Gratin Potatoes, Bacon Wrapped Asparagus | 4th Course: Bananas Foster

Eleven-Straight Hours

Tuesday - Friday 9 am - 8 pm

Breakfast Tacos 9 am - 11 am - Regular Menu 11 am - 8 pm

Saturdays 7:30 am - 8 pm

Full Breakfast 7:30 am - 11 am - Regular Menu 11 am - 8 pm

Sundays 8 am - 8 pm

Full Breakfast from 8 am - 2 pm - Regular Menu 11 am - 8 pm

Sundays featuring Sunday Brunch Buffet - Breakfast Tacos will be available at 8 am and our regular menu will be served after brunch from 2 pm - 8 pm.

Bar Service Available Until 9 pm Tuesday - Sunday

RWA PHOTOS



President, Tio Smith and Treasurer, Bettye Warnock visit before the RWA October meeting.



Tom Jones and Mary Weekly have the program for the Christian Mens Job Corp at the October meeting of the RWA.



Riverhill Women's Association
Meeting Notice

Christmas Mini-Market

Local Boutiques and Vendors

Thursday, November 9
2023

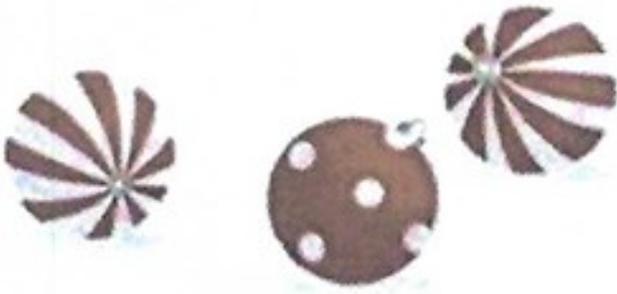
10 am – 12:30 pm

RWA Member Shopping

1:30 pm to 4 pm

Open to Riverhill CC Members and Guests

Reservations call (830) 896-1400



Dining Events
 Golf Events
 Tennis Events

November

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 RWGA Pinehurst 9	2 RWGA Pinehurst 9 Ladies Clinic 9	3 Collins Cup 1	4 Collins Cup 8 Adult Clinic 9
5 Move clock back Breakfast off the Menu till 2 pm	6 Club Closed Tivy Boys Golf 10 Int/Adv 4:30	7 TNT 7-11 4:30 Pickleball 6 Adult clinic 6	8 RWGA 10 TNT 7-11 4	9 Ladies Clinic 9 Riverhill Women's Association	10	11 TGA am Open play 1 Adult Clinic 9
12 Sunday Brunch 11-2 TGA am open play 1 pm	13 Club Closed Int/Adv 4:30	14 TNT 7-11 4:30 Pickleball 6 Adult clinic 6	15 RWGA 10 TNT 7-11 4:30 Birthday & Anniversary Night	16 Ladies Clinic 9 Staff Scramble 4	17	18 Adult Clinic 9
19 Last Day of To go Orders Breakfast off the Menu till 2 pm	20 Club Closed	21 Pickleball 6 Adult Clinic 6	22 Thanksgiving to Go Orders Pickup	23 Thanksgiving Buffet. Seatings 11-2 8:30 shotgun course closes 12:30	24	25 Adult Clinic 9 Tired of Turkey Happy Hour 5-8
26 Sunday Brunch 11-2	27 Club Closed Tivy Girls 10 Int/Adv 4:30	28 TNT 7-11 4:30 Pickleball 6 Adult Clinic 6 Wine Club Dinner	29 RWGA 10 TNT 7-11 4:30	30 Ladies Clinic 9		