

Riverhill Reporter

August 2019

Dear Riverhill Membership,

July was another great month at Riverhill. Membership growth has been stable and Bryan, Jennifer and Matt have given great efforts to grow our membership numbers. Our desire is to continue to grow the membership in a strategic way. Social and tennis memberships represent an area that is beneficial to the success and future of Riverhill, due to the under utilization of club amenities outside the golf course.

The membership and staff have instilled a great sense of pride in belonging to Riverhill Country Club. The positive words and invitations to become part of the Riverhill family have been so impactful for the success of our Club. A special thanks to you all for your promotion of The Club.

We encourage our membership to "follow, like and share" our social media pages. This has been successful in the business world for several years and continues to be instrumental in awareness and growth.

As Bryan has mentioned in his article, Kevin Bartholomew and his golf course maintenance staff have done a great job and for the third year in a row have the golf course as the winner of the Kerrville Daily Times "Reader's Choice" Best Golf Course in Kerrville for 2019. Congratulations on this honor.

Come and enjoy The Club through the remainder of summer. August is typically a hectic month with school starting and last minute family vacations. We hope that you will always make Riverhill your 1st option when you are going out to dine. Our goal is to continue providing a great product for each of our members.

Thank you to all the members in making Riverhill the place to belong! #Riverhill Family #Riverhill Proud!!

From the Desk of Bryan Hargrove

Membership Director

Congratulations to Kevin Bartholomew and his golf course maintenance staff for making Riverhill the winner of the KDT "Reader's Choice" Best Golf Course in Kerrville for 2019. This is the third year in a row for Riverhill to win this honor.

If you call the office for dining reservations after normal business hours, please leave your information with either Janey Marcee, ext.2220 or with Bryan Hargrove, ext 2230. We check our messages daily so your reservation will be taken care of.

Monthly billing statements are sent via email, unless arrangements have been made otherwise, bright and early (around 7:30am) on the 1st of each month. The sending email address is danderson@riverhillcc.com. Please check your junk mail or spam if you do not receive your statement.

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AND NOW A LITTLE GOLF HUMOR



Riverhill Proud! Bryan Hargrove

Welcome to our new members who joined last month:

John & Maureen Baker Kerrville

Joshua & Noel Way, Jackson, Presleigh, Brianna Kerrville

> Carrie Land Kerrville

Jim & Gwen Nichols

Mountain Home

Eric Wheeldon & Tammy Ashby
San Antonio

Garland & Janice Crabtree
Kerrville

Larry Smithers & Celeste Hamman Kerrville

> Leslie Wells Rambin Kerrville

Darrell & Carol Korman Kerrville

> Keith & Clare Paul Hunt

Ron & Joyce Marshall
Kerrville

Caleb & Kaycee Schmerbeck

Kerrville



Golf

The Men's Club Championship will be played September 27th – 29th . The Championship Flight will be 54 holes of stroke play, all other flights will be 36 holes of stroke play with gross and net prizes. The entry is \$65 including lunch on Saturday and appetizers on Sunday.

This summer was another successful summer for our Jr. Golf program. We had 18 juniors compete on our Jr. team and another 80 juniors in our camps. Our fall program will run September 4th – November 20th . The program will include a weekly practice and a monthly on course practice or match against another club. The cost for the entire semester is \$200 or individual practices can be attended for \$15. If you have children or friends with children that are interested in learning how to play golf have them contact the golf shop.

To finish out our summer there will be two more junior events. First a Parent – Child Saturday August 10th, this will be a 2 person 9 hole scramble. Finally the Jr. Club Championship will be Friday August 16th., it will be individual stroke play with 6, 9 and 18 divisions.

August guest special \$49 after 1:00 any day of the week.

The Texas Golf Association returns August 2nd - 4th. This year they have a full field of 56 teams and will be starting at 7:30 off both tees each day the course will open with a double tee start at 1:00 daily.

Our next Member-Staff Scramble will be on Thursday, Aug. 29th at 5:00. \$30 entry fee includes an after round meal and credit book prizes. Please sign up in the golf shop. This year's Couples Summer Fun Invitational consisted of 36 couples from around the state. Riverhill had two teams place, Clay and Janet Malson and Steve Ables and Lynn Perilloux.

We will have a busy fall hosting the following local charitable events: Round to Remember (Sept. 14th), The Habitat for Humanity (Sept. 23rd), Boys and Girls Clubs (Oct. 14th), United Methodist Children's Ark (Oct. 21st) and Our Lady of the Hills (Oct. 28th). Applications will be available in the golf shop.

As we look towards the fall and cool weather I wanted to remind everyone about the upcoming events:

- Ladies Club Championship September 6th & 7th
- Titleist Demo Day September 17th 10-2
- Taylor Made, Callaway, Cobra and Cleveland Demo Day Sept 24th 10-2
- Men's Club Championship September 27th 29th (stroke play)
- Interclub with San Angelo CC October 5th & 6th
- Fall Member Member Match Play October 18th 20th (four ball match play)
- Night Golf October 2nd
- The Collins Cup November 8th & 9th

We all know we are currently experiencing the summer dry spell, please limit the number of carts in the groups, use the 90 degree rule and park your carts on the cart paths around greens and tees. Also, until the heat breaks maintenance will be watering greens during the day. Please let them finish watering before playing to the green. It is mandatory that the water go down and delays slow the staff down getting to the other greens during hot times.

See you on the course, Matt Trevino, PGA

Fairway Feats:

- July 9 Bedford Mitchell beat his age with a 79
- July 14 Philip Apffel eagled #13
- July 24 Jim Dickson broke his age with a 66

Men's Golf Association (MGA)

A lot of folks have been away this summer and have therefore missed out on some good competition. For all of you that were traveling and everyone else that's interested, here are the results of the events we've held since last month's reporter.

On June 29th, we held an Individual Gross/Net. The overall winner was Leonard Scott with a gross score of 83. 1st Net went to Brick Gibson with a 69. Dick Owen had 2 nd Net with a 70 and Bedford Mitchell took 3rd Net with a 71.

We took a break on July the 6 th in favor of participating in the Hill Country Firecracker tournament, but were back in business on the 13 th for a 2 Man Shamble - Pick Your Partner. 1 st Place went to the team of Jeff Harris and Chuck Swallow with a 63. With a score of 64 Dan Ehrenreich and Gordon Honganen took 2nd. 3rd place honors were taken by the team of Marty Rachford and Brick Gibson, also with a 64. Mr. Ford Smith was closes to the pin on #11.

An Individual Stableford was held July 18 th . So far, this was my favorite match of the year. That's because I won overall with 39 points. David Burch also had 39 points, but due to losing the scorecard playoff had to settle for 1st Place. 2nd Place was awarded to Bob Merrigan who accumulated 38 points. Closest to the pin went to Gordon Honganen.

Well, that's it. Nothing else to report. Until next month.

Jay Dunn

Riverhill Women's Golf Association

August is often the quiet month; heat, vacations and more heat. There will not be a RWGA meeting this month, but we will play a scramble on the 7th. My favorites are the par three days but 9:00 a.m. tee times make most days fun! Heads up to enter for the Women's Championship on September 6th and 7th. Entry fees and food on Saturday are already paid through your member dues, so sign up at the Pro Shop and let's enjoy the friendly competition and lunch with friends!

Patty Armstrong is local chairman of the Senior Women's West Texas Golf Association (go ahead, say it out loud) tournament to be held at Riverhill October 6th through 10th. Registration chairman is Diana Howard and Becky White is chair of table decorations. All three of these women are looking for helping hands and sponsorships to help defray costs to make this a truly memorable tournament. Please call if you can help in any way!

June 30th marked the end of the first half Ringer Board. Winners are: Low Gross- Diane Henry (67), 2nd Low Gross- Becky Silva (72), 3rd Low Gross- Carol Swanson (76), Low NetMarlene Grothues (43), 2nd Low Net- Nancy Wilson (48), 3rd Low Gross- a tie (49) between Rhonda Taylor and Barbara Holloway. If you want to get in on the second half Ringer Board, call Carol Powers, cost is \$5.

July Play Day Results:

- July 3rd Scramble Winning team Carol Powers, Patty Armstrong, Marlene Grothues, Deb Beasley
- July 10th, all Par Threes, 1st Place (Gross) 64 Carol Swanson, 1st Place (Net) 52 Nancy Wilson
- July 17th Green Tees Low Gross- Patty Armstrong, Low Net- Marlene Grothues, 2nd Low Net- Glenda Bumpas
- July 24th Ace of the Month, ACE- Diana Howard, Low Net- Nancy Wilson, 2nd Low Net- Becky Silva,
 3rd Low Net- Ginger DeLaune, Low Putts (tie)-Glenda Bumpas and Rhonda Taylor



Tennis

The children's summer tennis has been awesome. This summer we started a new class Tennis 4 Tots and have had a great time, just look at the pictures.

We will begin this program again once school starts at the beginning of September This is for kids ages 3 and up to introduce them to tennis and work on all sports motor skills and basic tennis strokes.

The last session of summer for intermediate advanced kids clinic session 3 starts on Monday July 29th and runs for 4 weeks on Monday and Wednesday 9am to 11am ending August 21st. The summer turn out has been great in this class also so we will be adding more class times in the Fall.

The Fall Tennis Programs will begin the Week of September 2nd. We have groups for all levels and ages starting with the tennis 4 Tots program. Then the beginner, middle school, intermediate level, junior varsity and advanced tournament and varsity players levels.

Call Garry now for more information and to get signed up as space is limited in all of these classes.

Session 1 September 2nd to September 25th

Session 2 September 30th to October 30th

Session 3 October 28th to November 20th

Session 4 November 25th to December 18th







Weekly Clinics

Tuesday Adult Clinic 6pm Thursday Ladies Clinic 9am Saturday Adult Clinic 9am Monday Tuesday Wednesday Saturday. Junior Clinics

Tournament News

Congratulations to Rick and Holly Perry for winning the mixed 60's doubles in at the Meadow Club, Colorado and also 2nd place in the 50's Mixed Doubles. Rick also won the Men's 60's doubles and Holly won the Ladies 60's doubles title also.

Congratulations to Mark Benak for 2nd place in Fort Worth Major Zone 4.0 mixed doubles.



Dining Schedule & Menu's

Friday, Aug. 2 - Mansion Dining

Sunday, Aug. 4 - Breakfast & Sunday Brunch

Wednesday, Aug. 7 - Mansion Dining

Friday, Aug. 9 - Mansion Dining

Saturday, Aug. 10 - Family Fun Day at the Pool 11-3

Sunday, Aug. 11 - Breakfast & Sunday Brunch

Wednesday, Aug. 14 - Mansion Dining

Friday, Aug 16 - Mansion Dining

Friday, Aug. 16 - Mexican Fiesta at Turning Point

Sunday, Aug. 18 - Breakfast & Sunday Brunch

Wednesday, Aug. 21 - August Birthday & Anniversary

Friday, Aug. 23 - Mansion Dining

Sunday, Aug. 25 - Breakfast & Sunday Brunch

Tuesday, Aug. 27 - Wine Club Members Night

Wednesday, Aug. 28 - Pasta Night

Friday, Aug. 30 - Mansion Dining

^{*}Mansion Dining will be open every Wednesday and Friday during the month of August. Chef Blas will be offering a new Mansion Menu at each dining night. Call the office to make your reservation.



Social

August Social Events

"Breath the sweetness that hovers in August" -Denise Levertov

<u>Saturday the 10th: Family Fun Day at the Pool!</u> Swimming, Subs and Sun from 1pm-6pm Create your Own Sub Sandwich Buffet: Hoagie rolls, turkey, ham, roast beef and salami, assorted sliced cheeses, lettuce, tomato, onions, pickles, mayo, mustard, ranch, honey mustard, assorted chips, cookie and choice of lemonade, sweet or unsweet tea \$12.00++ for adults \$7.00++ for kids ages 3-10

Thursday the 15th: Adult Swim Night with Hill Country Distillery Spirits and Tasting from 6-9pm

Friday the 16th: Mexican Fiesta in the Turning Point from 5-9pm

<u>Wednesday the 21st: Birthday and Anniversary Night.</u> Come and celebrate your August Birthday or Anniversary with us! Chef Blas will be offering a wonderful menu and everyone receives a slice of birthday cake.

<u>Saturday the 24th: Texas Hold'em in the 19th Hole</u>. Game starts at 6pm. Call the office to reserve your spot at the table!

<u>Tuesday the 27th: Wine Club Dinner.</u> Wine Club starts at 6:30pm in the Grill and dinner is service starts around 7:00pm. Curious about what wine club is all about? Call the office and ask for Jennifer Gibson. She will be happy to tell you more about it.

<u>Wednesday the 28th: Pasta Night.</u> A casual and relaxed dining night in the Mansion. Chef Blas is putting together a wonderful menu for you to enjoy. (look for the menu soon)

<u>August Wine by the Bottle Specials during Wednesday and Friday Night Dining in the Mansion.</u> Select bottles of wine 50% off! Quantities are limited. Wine Special Menu will be published August 1st!

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Every Thursday Adult Swim 6-9 Pool

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Heart & Hands 9 Mahjong 1-4	2 TGA Course opens 12:30	3 TGA Course open 12:30
				Ladies Clinic 9	Mansion Dining 6-8	Adult Clinic 9
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18	19 Club Closed	20 Adult Clinic 6-7	21 RWGA Kids Tennis 9-11	22	23	24 MGA 9:30
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Brunch 11-2			August Birthday& Anniversary Night			Texas Hold'em Turning Point
25	26 Club Closed	27 Adult Clinic 6-7	28 RWGA Kids Tennis 9-11	29 Staff Scramble 5	30 Mansion Dining 6-8	31 Adult Clinic 9
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