

#### From the Desk of Franck Mannechez

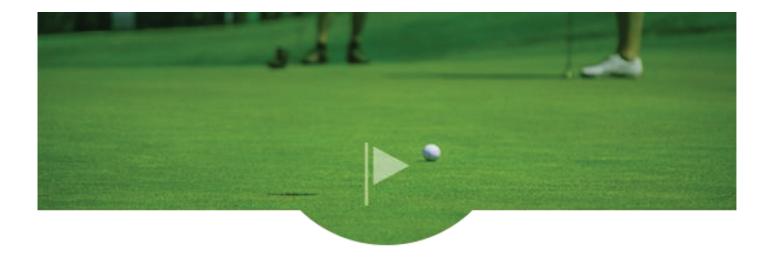
General Manager

With the hot summer days here, we are heating up around the Club with some fantastic events and activities for everyone to enjoy. I want to thank Trevor and his crew who have been working continuously to be able to provide you with a great golf course despite the lack of rain and Matt and his crew for taking care of all the golfers and spending their day mostly outside in the heat. As we are talking about staff, I wanted all of you to know that we are doing a training meeting in August with our Food & Beverage Team members to enforce what we started over the last few months and to bring it up to the next level.

August will have plenty of changes for our dining nights and events. Wednesday a la carte dining will become lotto night (August 3<sup>rd</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup>, check the Newsletter for details), Bingo night will not be a buffet anymore but appetizers (\$15, August 26<sup>th</sup>), our free events, Trivia night will be at the Turning Point (August 9<sup>th</sup>) just come, play, and win and our movie night will be inside the Mansion showing "Casablanca" (August 12<sup>th</sup>). 2 new events for this month, Tacos and Tequila (August 10<sup>th</sup>) and Burgers and Brew (August 24<sup>th</sup>).

As you can see, there are plenty of options to choose and attend your favorite event. If there is anything you are interested in as far as events or activities, please email me at <u>fmannechez@riverhillcc.com</u>. In the meantime, stay cool, drink plenty of water and be safe out there.

Thank you, Franck Mannechez General Manager



Golf

September will start a busy fall golf season that we hope will be cool and wet. The Men's Club Championships will be played September 16<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>. 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 \$80 including lunch on Saturday and appetizers on Sunday.

Our fall Jr. Golf season will run September 7<sup>th</sup> - November 16<sup>th</sup> . The program will include a weekly practice and a monthly on course practice. 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.

We wish Tim well with his new Head Golf Professional position at Selma CC in Selma Alabama. Steve Marasco and Matt Hobberlin have both been promoted from our outside service staff and started their training in mid-July. Please help us by checking in your group prior to play and by noting your tees on the scorecard for handicap. Doing both will help them learn names and faces faster as well as help with handicap and billing accuracy.

August guest special \$60 after 1:00 any day of the week.

Our next Member-Staff Scramble will be on Thursday, Aug. 18<sup>th</sup> at 5:30. \$30 entry fee includes an after-round meal and credit book prizes. Please sign up in the golf shop.

A new event on the schedule for the fall will be a weekly 3-person scramble Tuesdays at 5:30. Entry will be \$30 and includes a dinner buffet in the Turning Point, daily team prize money and a super skin pot. All members are invited to play and make their own team. The team scramble and super skin scoring will be net. To make it more social groups will go out in groups in 6. Call the golf shop to sign up, entry deadline will be Tuesdays at noon.

As we look towards the fall and cool weather, I wanted to remind everyone about the upcoming events: Fall Member - Member Match Play: October 14<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> The Collins Cup: November 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>

The drought is hitting us hard, and we need your help limiting cart traffic. Please keep your cart in the roughs as much as possible, pair up in carts and park your carts on the cart paths around greens and tees. Maintenance is running fairway water all day and we need you to play thru it but wait as they water the greens.

Fairway Feats: Rhonda Taylor shot a career best at Riverhill, 91 Steve Hoech shot 70 Peter Johnston shot 73

Sincerely, Matt Trevino, PGA

#### **August Golf Course Updates**

For the month of August the cart path only holes will be #9 and #18.

The drought continues, fairway water will continue to run during the day, we need you to play thru it. The crew will continue to water the greens during play, please wait for the crew to finish as getting the water out in this heat is time sensitive.

The drought has really stressed the fairways, please limit the amount that you drive in the fairways and use paths and roughs as much as possible. Please pair up in carts all 4 tires on the path around the greens and tees, it really does make a difference.

The greens are soft and remain soft till the heat breaks, all shots are making ball marks including pitches please repair your ball mark and others. Please continue to sand divots even if in a dry area.

Please rain soon, Trevor Corbet and Bogey

#### Men's Golf Association (MGA)

#### MGA Conducts The Open Championship Major in July

The Men's Golf Association played the fourth of its' 2022 Major Tournaments on July 9<sup>th</sup>. This tournament had a field 40 players participating in this, the final MGA Major event for 2022. The MGA Open Championship Major format was a 4 Man ABCD/123 Shamble Partnership event. Each team consisted of an ABCD Foursome as determined by the Professional Staff. The teams hit their first shot on each hole and would then select the best of the four shots. Each player would then hit their 2nd shots from that position and all players would play their own ball until it was holed for a score. Teams recorded the best score from the 4 players for their score on the Par 5's. Teams recorded the best two scores from the 4 players for their score on the Par 4's. Teams recorded the best three players' scores from the 4 players for their score on the Par 3's. Teams would then total all of the holes scores for the Team Score. Play began with a Shotgun Start at 9:00 AM.

Breakfast was served before play on Saturday and included Bacon, Sausage & Cheese Croissants.

Following play, a Lunch was served to all participants that included a House Salad Bar, Pork Tenderloin with a Raspberry Chipotle Barbeque Glaze, Bombay Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, and Chocolate Chip Cookies.

Participants in this event received participation points toward qualifying for the Collins' Cup and the MGA Match Play Team Championship this fall. Both events will be held later this fall and are two of the more popular events conducted annually. The Collins' Cup will be held at Riverhill in early November and the MGA Match Play Team Championship will be played the week before Thanksgiving at Horseshoe Bay Resort. The winning team and others who placed were as follows:

Champions: Donnie O'Bannon, Lewis Carpenter, Carlton Jones, and Bob Fairchild 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Jeff Harris, Steven Hudsonpillar, Kendall Kinchen, and Cecil Fellows 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Bo Bigelow, Paul Mitchell, Michael Wood, and Dan Ehrenreich

Closest to the Pin Winners Hole # 8 : Paul Mitchell Hole #16: Kendall Kinchen

#### **MGA Upcoming Schedule**

August 13: Big Break Event - Skills Competition 4:00 PM August 20: Big Cup Invitational - Individual Play to Oversized Cups 9:00 AM September 15: Social - Short Game Skills 4:00 PM

#### **Riverhill Women's Golf Association**

June 22 Blind Holes was played with: Becky Silva and Barbara Holloway – 1st Marlene Grothues – 2nd Carol Swanson and Glenda Bumpus tied- 4th

June 29 was Ace of the Month Gill Davidson earned ACE OF THE MONTH Nancy Wilson 1<sup>st</sup> Low Net Rhonda Taylor 2<sup>nd</sup> Low Net Diane Henry Low Gross Maureen Muncie Low Putts

July we moved our scramble and quarterly meeting to July 13 to allow several of the RWGA Ladies to play in the Red Bird Tournament in Fredericksburg, July 6<sup>th</sup>. Patty Armstrong, Becky Silva, Terry Terrell, Gill Davidson, Lynn Perilloux, Judy Fellows and Rhonda Taylor all participated. Gill Davidson, Patty Armstrong, Becky Silva and Terry Terrell all placed in the tournament! Congratulations!!!

July 13 we had our quarterly meeting. Included at our meeting were two new members! Rise' Martin and Rebecca Biggs have joined. It is with much excitement that RWGA seems to be growing; Everyone please welcome and be welcoming to the new members!!!

For the Scramble that followed the meeting: Becky Silva-Valerie Mitchell-Rebecca Biggs – Tied 1st with Patty Armstrong-Rise' Martin and Marlene Grothues also 1st





The Riverhill Team Championship has been heating up! The First Flight winning team is

Diane Henry and Cheryl Smith

The Second Flight winning team is

Michelle Manziel and Maureen Muncie

The Show Down Match between these two teams has yet to be announced but it is sure to a great Match! Good Luck to all of you!!!!!!!!!

#### NOTES:

The August Saturday Play Days will begin at 8:30 to try to side step the heat along with playing some games that should be shorter play!



Also, the Nine and Wine cancelled during the month of August. Hopefully we will see some rain and cooler temperatures going into September.

The Ladies Club Championship will be September 23-24 so please watch for emails so to sign up!



#### Tennis

The July Tennis Mixer was great with 15 players for clinic and doubles along and great burgers after tennis at the tennis shop. Put the next date on your calendars as Saturday August 20th is the next tennis mixer. We will have doubles and mixed doubles matches at 9am to noon and then the great hamburgers cooked to perfection by Chef Tennis Director Garry on the tennis shop grill! . This event is for all levels of players and a great way to meet players and socialize at the tennis courts. Cost is \$35 for a member and \$40 for a guest. Calll Garry to sign up now.

#### **Tournament News**

Congratulations to Rick and Holly Perry fior winning the USTA Indoor mixed doubles event held in Kansas City. Rick and Holly won the husband wife combined age 60,s and then also won the combined age 50,s event also. way to go guys. keep it up.

#### **Summer Tennis Camps**

The kids' summer tennis and swim camps are coming to an end with the last few held in August. The kids are having lots of fun with younger kids 4 to 10 and other weeks we have camps with older high school players. Check with Garry and see which week works for your children.

They are Tuesday to Friday with tennis from 9am to 11:30 Lunch then swimming until 1:30pm. Come by and get a flyer to sign up now to save your spot.

Session 10 August 2nd to 5th Session 11 August 9th to 12th Session 12 August 16th to 19th

#### **Weekly Clinics**

Tuesday Adult Clinic 6 pm Thursday Ladies Clinic 9 am Saturday Adult Clinic 9 am Monday Wednesday 5 pm Intermediate Advanced Kids Mondayand Wednesday Tennis T4 Tots Tuesday 6pm Saturday.9am Advanced Junior Clinics

For Better Tennis in Christ, Garry Nadebaum Director Of Tennis





## TENNIS Clinic & Mixer

9:00 am - Clinic 10:30 am - Doubles Mixer After - Great American Burgers Cooked By Tennis Chef Garry For All Levels of Players - Meet Other Players & Socialize

On The Courts!

\$35 - Members \$40 - Non-Members

> For More Information or To Sign Up Call Garry at 830-896-1400 (x2350)



#### Social

#### August Social Events

#### Reservations are required for all Mansion Dining Events Please call the office at 830-896-1400

#### August 3rd: Mansion A la Carte Dining, Lotto Night 5pm-8pm

Here is your chance to win \$100 credit on your account. The only thing you must do is come to dinner (you don't have to stay until the name is drawn). Drawing will be after the last reservation is in. If we do not have a winner, the Jackpot will increase by another \$100 on the next Wednesday A la Carte Dining only. Rules: Member must be in good standing. Minimum spending per person is \$15 on food. Reservations only and to be

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#### August 5th: Mansion A la Carte Dining, 5pm-8pm

August 7th: Brunch 11am-2pm

#### August 9th Family Trivia Game Night at the Turning Point - Free Event

Come around 6pm and order some snacks to feed your brain and get ready from 7pm-8pm to play the game. The winning team will get a "complimentary Sunday Brunch for 4 people at the mansion (drinks not included)

#### August 10th: Tacos and Tequila at the Mansion. 6pm-8pm \$19.95 (includes a Margarita).

Come and enjoy our Trio of Mariachis and this delicious menu, Taco salad bar with fresh Tortilla Bowls and all the fixings, Beef, Pork Belly, Al Pastor Street Tacos served with Diced White Onions, Cilantro, Guacamole, and Freshly Made Green and red salsa finished with poblano cilantro crema.

#### August 12th: Movie Night Inside the Mansion. Free Event.

6pm get your seats and order your popcorn, Pretzels and candies and get ready to see "Casablanca" starring Humphrey Bogart, Ingrid Bergman, and Paul Henreid. Movie starts at 7pm.

#### August 14th: Brunch 11am-2pm

#### August 17th: Birthday Anniversary Celebration Dinner

New England Clam Chowder served with Fried Onion Strings Shrimp Avocado Salad with Micro Greens and Boston Bib Lettuce Herb Crusted Flounder topped with Brown Butter Sauce served with Parmesan Risotto and Riverhill Vegetable Mélange \$25.95 4oz Petite Filet served with a Half Lobster Tail served with Parmesan Risotto Brown Butter and Riverhill Vegetable Mélange \$31.95 - Upgrade to a Full Lobster Tail for \$39.95 Herb Grilled Chicken Kabob Salad served on a Bed of Baby Mixed Greens finished with a Tangy Teriyaki Tinaigrette \$19.95 Katelyn Birthday Cake All Entrees served with a choice of Soup or Salad

August 19th: Mansion A la Carte Dining, 5pm-8pm

August 21st: Brunch 11am-2pm

#### August 24th: Burgers and Brews at the Mansion. 5pm-8pm - \$10 (includes a beer)

It is Hot so come for a quick Burger and a cold Beer! Smoked Cheddar Burger topped with Horseradish Aioli, Fried Onion Strings served with Seasoned Potato Wedges.

All American Smash Patty Burger Double Meat Double American Cheese topped with Tomato, Red Onion, Shredded Lettuce, and thinly sliced Dill Pickles finished traditionally with Mustard, Mayo, and Ketchup, served with Seasoned Potato Wedges.

#### August 26th: Bingo Night 6pm Cocktail and Snacks 6:45pm Bingo \$15

We are modifying our event; it is more about fun and social so here is the new menu: Small Charcuterie Plate, Pork, Chicken, and Beef Stuffed Mushrooms nestled in a Lemon Dill Hollandaise, Mini Shrimp and Smoked Cheddar Grits

August 27th: End of the Summer Party at the Pool 11am-2pm. Food, Slide and Party 11am to 4pm Let's say goodbye to summer and bring your kids so they can be entertained with the "Big" slide again, fun and games. Chef Chase will be grilling by the pool - Hotdogs \$5 Sausage Wraps \$10 and Sliders \$5, House Made Chips

#### August 28th Brunch 11am-2pm

#### August 30th: Wine Club

It is still hot so come and enjoy some great rosés to cool you down. Toasted Aroma Tomato Bruschetta, Pomelo Rosé Marinated Mushroom Salad with Fennel, Excellence Brut Rosé Seared Salmon glazed with a Passion Fruit reduction on a bed of Coconut Rice and Bacon Wrapped Asparagus, Rosé Regale Sparkling Rec Chocolate Beet Cake with Candied Walnuts, Red Berry Beet Compote with Ruby Red Chocolate garnish, Unshackled Rosé.

#### August 31st Mansion A la Carte Dining, Lotto Night 5pm-8pm

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### Dining Events Golf Events Tennis Events

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	21 Sunday Brunch 11-2	22 Club Closed Fall Tennis	23 Adult clinic-6 Tuesday Scramble 5:30	24 RWGA 8:30 Burgers & Brew In the Mansion Fall Tennis	25 Adult Swim Ladies Clinic –9 Fall Tennis	26 Bingo & Snacks	27 End of Summer Bash at the Pool Adult clinic-9
	28 Sunday Brunch 11-2	29 Club Closed Fall Tennis	30 Wine Club Dinner & Tasting Adult clinic-8 Tues scramble 5:30	31 RWGA 8:30 Mansion Dining Lotto Night Fall Tennis			