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December 2022

From the Desk of Jeff Hunter

General Manager

I would like to start by saying thank you to everyone that attended our Thanksgiving dinner. Chef Chase and his staff did a remarkable job with the dinner and all the to-go orders, and of course the pies were also amazing!

Christmas and the Holidays are coming quickly and we have plenty of events to enjoy as outlined in our social section. We hope to see all of you at Riverhill over the next few weeks.

I am personally looking forward to the cart parade on the 20th, I am told last year's was amazing. We plan to stay open later in the Turning Point that night to serve some Holiday cheer at the end of the parade. Deck your carts and enjoy a spiked hot chocolate or one of our special holiday drinks.

Are you looking for a great bottle of wine to celebrate with at home? We will be offering a large selection of in stock bottles to our membership. We have a variety of reds and whites, we are overstocked, and we will offer these at a discounted price beginning December 6. Please contact Donna or Caitlyn for these special offers.

Don't forget to sign up for the members Christmas Party on December 16. We are taking reservations and we will have live music and Chase is creating a great meal that includes, quail bites, salad, a carving station, chicken and flounder along with Katelyn's desserts. At only \$55 per person this is a great way to really get into the Christmas spirit with music, food, dancing and good friends.

New Year's Eve will follow closely behind, so again, call and make those reservations!

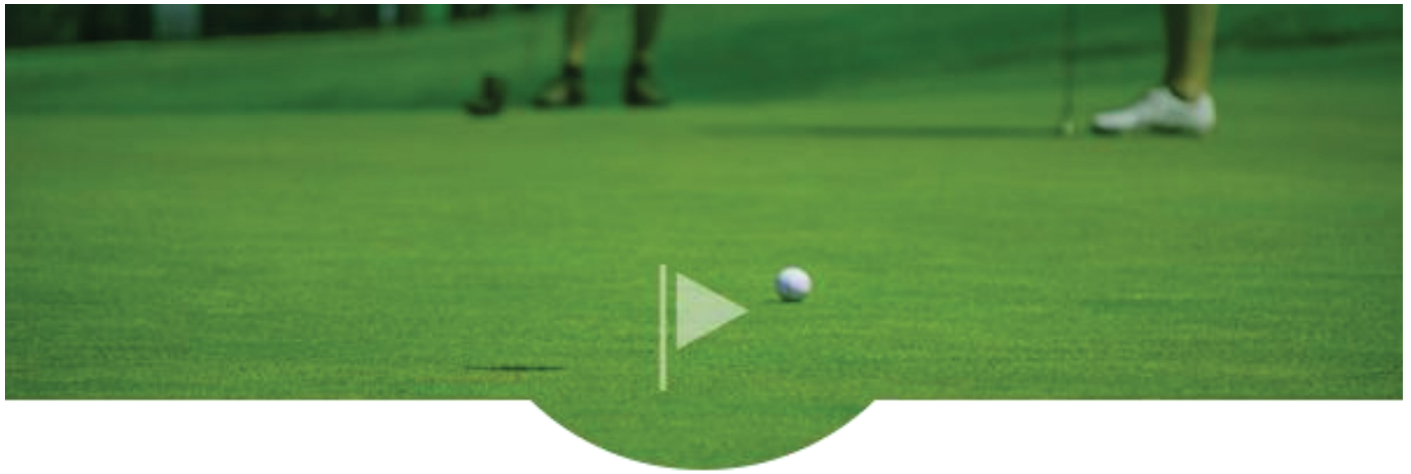
Please mark your calendar for the following holiday hours.

The Club and golf course close at 1pm Christmas Eve

The Club will be closed Christmas Day and Monday the 26th.

We would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a wonderful Holiday Season!

Jeff Hunter, PGA - General Manager



Golf

Christmas will be here before we know it. Gift ideas in the golf shop are golf lesson packages, buy 5 lessons and get 1 free, this gives more time for on course work. Also buy 5 guest rounds to use during the year for \$320 (an \$80 savings).

Our annual Golf Shop Christmas sale will be Friday December 2nd, 3:00-6:00. All in stock hard goods will be and extra 10% off and all in stock apparel will be an extra 15% off. The shop is well stocked with shoes, bags, clubs and clothes. Spin the wheel for 5%-10% off special order items.

Our final Club event of the year is the Winter Scramble on Saturday December 3rd at 9:00. It is an 18-hole 2-Person Scramble. The entry fee will be \$50 per player and will include lunch after play. Please bring an unwrapped toy that will be donated to Blue Santa and earn a mulligan.

Reminders:

- Store credit earned before November 30th must be spent before December 31st.
- Any store credit earned after December 1st may be carried over to 2023.
- Did you know 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 within 24hrs. 2) if you accept the bid that amount will be issued to your credit book to use towards golf shop purchases.

Holiday Club Schedule:

December 24th – 8:30 Shotgun, Course open till 1:00

Christmas Day – **Merry Christmas** - Club Closed

December 31st – Course open regular hours

January 1st – **New Years Day** – Course opens at 10:00 for Holiday Hangover Open

Thank you to all the players in the 2022 Collins Cup.

This year's winning team was Strokes of Brilliance captained by Tom Hendrix and won by 1 point. Thank you to Tom and Chuck Swallow for all their time and efforts Captaining their respective teams and making sure everyone enjoyed the event.

The 2023 golf calendar is ready and will be sent out via email, posted on the website and copies will be available for pickup in the golf shop.

Frost and the cold weather are here, and the grass has gone dormant. Please use the cart paths and roughs as much as possible to help keep the fluff as much as possible in the fairways and around the greens. We will not see any growth until Spring so the less carts are in the fairways the better the current turf will stay thru the winter.

Over the winter we will have a guest fee special of \$60 inclusive of cart, range and tax. Guests must be accompanied and may play a maximum of twice per month. This rate will last till February 28th.

On behalf of the Riverhill Golf Staff, we would like to wish everyone and your families a Happy Holiday season. Thank you for all your support of the golf shop throughout the year and have a safe and joyful holiday season.

Upcoming December Golf Events:

Dec. 2nd Golf Shop Christmas Sale 3:00 – 6:00

Dec. 3rd 2-Person Winter Scramble – 9:00 Shotgun – Open to all members

Dec. 15th Member-Staff Scramble – 3:15 Shotgun

Dec. 24th **Christmas Eve** – 8:30 shotgun – course closes at 1:00

Dec. 25th **Merry Christmas** – Club Closed

Dec. 31st **New Years Eve** – Course open regular hours

Jan. 1st – **Happy New Year** – Course open 10:00-5:00

Fairway Feats:

Nov. 3rd – Mark Bosma shot 72

Nov. 5th – Rich Dodds shot 37 on the front 9

Sincerely,
Matt Trevino, PGA

December Golf Course Updates

For the month of December, the cart path only holes will be #4 and #13.

The crew has been working on cleaning up bunker edges and areas around the creeks and lakes over the last month. Work will continue in those areas throughout the winter.

The greens were aerified in November and have repaired nicely. Sod and plugs on the greens are coming in nicely and more plugs will continue over the next month. Bare areas on the putting green and #14 have been reseeded and will be covered to expedite the grow in.

As the course goes dormant it is very important to continue limiting the number of carts off the paths. 1 cart for 1-2 players, 2 carts 3-4 players, this really makes a difference, and we appreciate your cooperation.

Ropes and stakes will continue to be used to give weak areas time to recover, please keep carts out of those areas. Please keep all 4 tires on the path around the greens and tees, it really does make a difference.

As always, please help us by repairing your ball marks, sanding divots in the fairways.

See you on the course,

Trevor Corbet and Bogey

Riverhill Women's Golf Association

What an amazing time we had for our Annual Great Pumpkin Tournament! Hats off to our fearless Tournament Chair, Marlene Grothues! Another successful tournament in the books. Also special thank you to Gill Davidson for the spooky putting contest setup.



November Scramble was great fun as we divided up in two person teams. Mighty rounds were played with Becky Silva and Nancy Wilson winning First Place, Carol Swanson and Linda Smith Second Place, Gill Davidson and Terry Staub Third Place and Rhonda Taylor and Susie Lovitt Fourth Place!



Ace of the Year Tournament was played on November 9 with 9 ladies competing for Ace of the Year in addition to beginning our New Ace of the Month for the 2022-2023 year. Rhonda Taylor won Ace of the Year. Carol Swanson won Ace of the Month with Nancy Wilson 1st Low Net, Patty Armstrong 2nd Low Net, and Becky Silva 3rd Low Net. Carol Harrell won Low Gross with Diane Henry winning Low Putts.



On November 16 our Wednesday Play was Tee to Green. 6 brave ladies fought the cold to participate and Nancy Wilson came in First Place with Rhonda Taylor in Second Place.

As this year is about to close, we are thankful to the officers for a great 2022, Gill Davidson, Judy Fellows, Becky Silva and Rhonda Taylor. In addition, the Tournament Chairs, Sharon Smith, Lynn Perilloux, Carol Swanson and Marlene Grothues. Mindy Wendele for organizing the Saturday Play dates. A special thank you to Julia for hosting the wonderful Julia Finger Tournament. Many thanks to the ProShop to include Matt, Les, Tim, Kirk, Matt, Steve, and Jeremy! Lastly, to the wonderful ladies that have participated, encouraged others, donated time and the many friendships that have formed.

Dates to Note:

December 2nd Golf Shop Christmas Sale

December 3rd 2 Person Team Winter Scramble

December 7th Play Day 2 person Scramble

December 10th Saturday Play

December 14th Christmas Luncheon

Merry Christmas

from the Riverhill Women's Golf Association



Tennis

Saturday December 3rd, we will have our Adult Clinic to help raise toys for the Kerrville Blue Santa. Attend the clinic and donate toys for kids or donate money to Kerrville Police Department Blue Santa . If you are unable to attend and would like to donate feel free to drop toys by the Tennis Shop the week before.

It's Christmas and we have some great deals on gifts at the Tennis Shop. The Tennis Shop has just received Selkirk pickleball paddles. Selkirk paddles are the best in the industry and we have some demos to try and prices vary from entry to professional paddles. We also have specials on tennis rackets and tennis bags in stock. Also a great gift idea is a gift certificate for tennis lessons to help improve your game in the new year.

Tournament News

Congratulations to Director of Tennis Garry Nadebaum for winning the ITF Tennis championships held in Mexico City. Garry won the Men's 55's Singles and Doubles and now has moved up to #27 in the world ITF ranking for 2022.

Garry will also represent the USA for the first time at the World Cup to be held in Acapulco Mexico December 4th competing against 12 other countries.

Fall Junior Tennis Clinics

The Fall Clinics have groups for all levels and ages starting with the Tennis 4 Tots program Wednesday at 4 and another class at 5 with the 7 years to 11 years at 5pm also. The Intermediate Level, Junior Varsity and Advanced Tournament and Varsity Players Levels are on Mondays and Thursdays at 4:30 pm. The Advanced Levels are Tuesday at 6 and Saturday at 9. Call Garry to sign up or for more information on the classes that will best fit your child.

Session 4 November 14th to December 10th

Session 5 December 12th to December 24th (2 weeks 1/2 price)

Winter Junior Tennis Clinics

January we will go to Winter Tennis Clinics and the only class that will meet is the Intermediate and Advanced clinic Monday and Thursday 4:30 to 6:00 pm we will start Monday January 9th

Session 1 January 9th to February 4th

Session 2 February 6th to March 4th



Weekly Clinics

Tuesday Adult Clinic 6 pm

Thursday Ladies Clinic 9 am

Saturday Adult Clinic 9 am

Monday and Thursday 4:30 pm Intermediate Advanced Kids

Wednesday Tennis 4 pm and 5 pm Tennis 4 Tots Wednesday 5 pm Tennis 7 to 11yrs

Tuesday 6 pm and Saturday 9 am Advanced Junior Clinics

For Better Tennis in Christ,

Garry Nadebaum

Director Of Tennis

BLUE SANTA TENNIS CLINIC

Each Year The Kerrville Police Department's Blue Santa Program Provides A Full Holiday Meal For The Family, Clothing For The Children & A Gift For Each Child Aged 13 And Under

DEC 3
SATURDAY

9:30 am

**BRING A TOY
VALUED AT
\$25 OR MORE
Or
A DONATION OF
\$25 OR MORE**

For More Info or To Sign Up Call Garry At 830-896-1400 (x2350)



Social

December Social Events

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

Mansion Dining Nights 5 - 8 pm: 2nd, 23rd

Sunday Brunch 11 am - 2 pm: 4th, 11th, 18th

December 16th: Riverhill Member's Christmas Party! Join us for a Christmas celebration in the Riverhill Mansion. 5:30 pm - Cocktails & Bacon Wrapped Quail Bites & Orange Marmalade Shrimp Passed Appetizers - 6:00 pm - Buffet Dinner - 7:00 - 9:30 pm - Dessert & Dancing with music by Glen Martin. \$55 ++ per person.

Buffet: Winter Salad w/ Blood Orange Vinaigrette, Rolls, Coffee Crusted Tenderloin Carving Station, Seared Flounder in a Lemon Dill Cream Sauce, Chicken Piccata, Baked Potato Bar, Country Green Beans, Chef Katelyn's Desserts

December 20th: 3rd Annual Christmas Golf Cart Parade! Deck your carts in festive décor! 6:00 pm - Parade Starts (Parade Line-up area TBA) Pit Stop at the Pro Shop for Hot Chocolate & Christmas Cookies. After the parade, the Turning Point will be open later to serve up some holiday cheer with a spiked hot chocolate or specialty holiday cocktails.

December 21st: Birthday & Anniversary Celebration Dinner! 5 - 8 pm Are you celebrating a birthday or anniversary this month? Join us for a fantastic celebration in the Riverhill Mansion. Dinner Service at 6 pm. All entrées served with Warm Dinner Rolls & Greek Salad with Kalamata Olives. Entrées: Turkey Pot Pie - \$17; Beef Stroganoff with Egg Noodles & Green Beans - \$22; Salmon with Lemon Dill Caper Sauce, Risotto, & Green Beans - \$30 Birthday Cake by Chef Katelyn for everyone!

December 31st: New Year's Eve Celebration! Ring in the new year with a fabulous evening of dining & live jazz. 5:30 pm - Cocktails & Bacon Wrapped Quail Bites & Chicken & Cream Cheese Stuffed Mushrooms Passed Appetizers - Dinner Service at 6:00 pm - 6:30 - 9:30 pm - Dessert & Dancing with music by William Galvez. \$55 ++ per person. Pre-order by 12/23

Menu: Warm Dinner Rolls, Salad w/ Feta, Toasted Almonds, Candied Pecans w/ Mandarin Orange Meyer Lemon Vinaigrette Dressing, Choice of 6oz. Filet-Tarragon, Honey, Bearnaise Sauce, Bacon Wrapped Broccoli, and a Twice Baked Potato OR Crab Stuffed Flounder w/ Lemon Dill Beurre Blanc, Wild Mushroom Risotto, and Bacon Wrapped Broccoli, Chef Katelyn's Dessert.

Riverhill Women's Association

December 8, 2022

Social Hour 11:30 am

Luncheon 12:00 pm

Program

Social Graces for The Holidays

Speaker

Mindy Wendele

AND

Christmas Caroling

Reservations must be made by December 6, 2022

Call

830-896-1400 Ext 2220

You may request tables of eight.

Riverhill Women's Association members don't forget the Christmas Party on December 10 at 6:00! If you have not received your invitation, please let me know. My cell phone number is 830-377-3139. Deadline for reservations is November 28, 2022. If you are bringing a guest, make your check payable to Riverhill Women's Association.

We are looking forward to seeing you at these events!

Photos From RWA



RWA Raises \$1025 For Blue Santa



RWA Ladies Hat Shopping At Mini Market



Judy Standridge Shopping At RWA Mini Market

December

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
4 Sunday Brunch 11-2	5 Club Closed Int/Adv 4:30	6 Adult/Adv 6	7 RWGA 10 T4T 4-5 7-115-6	8 Riverhill Women's Association Ladies Clinic 9 Int/Adv 4	9 No Dining	10 Texas Legends Jr. am Member Play 1 Adult Clinic-9
11 Sunday Brunch 11-2	12 Club Closed Int/Adv 4:30	13 Adult/Adv 6	14 T4T 4-5 7-11 5-6	15 Staff Scramble 3:30 Ladies Clinic 9 Int. Adv 4	16 Member's Christmas Party	17 MGA Annual Meeting 11 am Shotgun 1 pm Adult Clinic-9
18 Sunday Brunch 11-2	19 Club Closed Int/Adv 4:30	20 Adult/Adv 6 Golf Cart Parade	21 Birthday & Anniversary Night T4T 4-5 7-11 5-6	22 Ladies Clinic 9 Int/Adv 4	23 Mansion Dining	24 Christmas Eve Club & Course Closes at 1 pm Adult Clinic-9
25 Merry Christmas Club Closed	26 Club Closed Int/Adv 4:30	27 Adult/Adv 6	28 T4T 4-5 7-11 5-6	29 Ladies Clinic 9 Int/Adv 4	30	31 New Years Eve Dinner 5-9 Adult Clinic-9