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From the Desk of Franck Mannechez

General Manager

Well, time at Riverhill Country Club is flying by. It has been 2 months already since I joined the club. I have been proud of our team and the way they have responded to the changes and the future improvements. One thing I have learned during that time is that we have been lucky to add some great people to our workforce. After talking to a lot of business owners around town, and no matter what industry you are in, the staffing challenge remains an obstacle to our future progress. Other courses are hiring servers with big sign-on bonuses that I have never seen before. Word of mouth is always the best advertising., so if you go to some restaurant and find people that would be a great addition to the club, let them know, and please do not hesitate to send them my way and join a great team.

On a positive note, during April, many of you have enjoyed our different specialty dining nights and events, especially our Easter weekend. Of course, May is another exciting month with our Cinco de Mayo Celebration, Mother's Day, May 8th, our Crawfish Boil on May 14th, and our official open the pool party on Memorial Day, May 30th (great food, fun, music, and games). For the members that missed bingo last month, don't forget to put on your calendar May 27th.

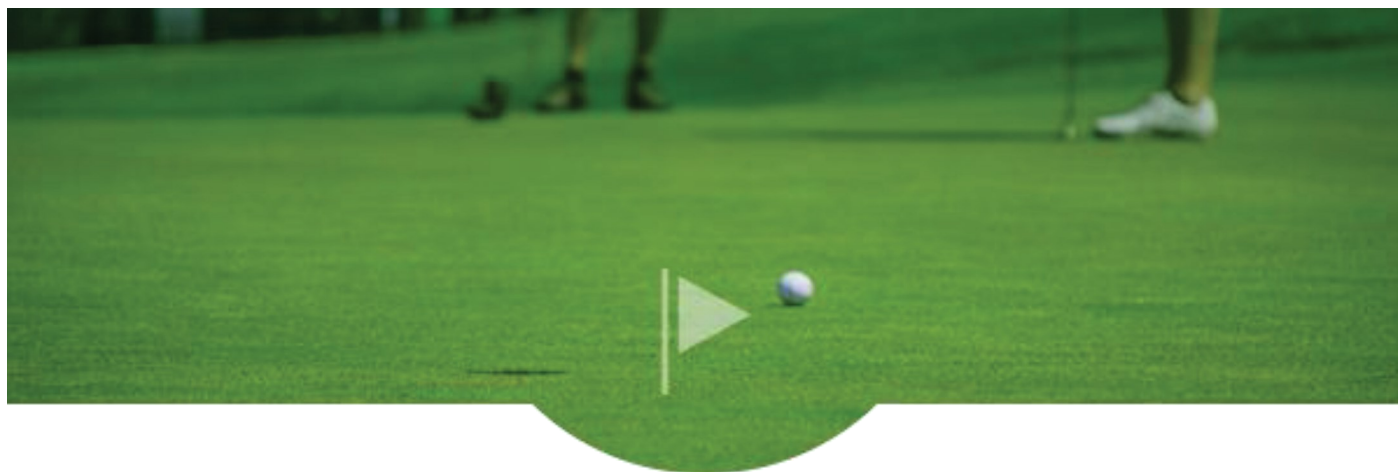
Here are the new features coming up; if you are interested in Fitness, do not miss the presentation on May 10th of Wynita's fitness program that she will be starting here at the club. Also, Cigars will be available for sale in the Golf Shop.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the club.

Franck Mannechez
General Manager

Welcome New Members Who Joined In April

Brion & Monica O'Donnell
Dale & Susan Benditz
Dr. Phil & Lisa Miller
Russell & Lauren Risinger
Bradley Harvey



Golf

Don't forget Mother's Day on May 8th. The golf shop has stock ladies clubs, shoes, bags and hats from Taylor Made, Callaway, Foot Joy, Sun Mountain and Pukka.

Our next club event is the Byron Nelson Invitational May 19th – 21st. This year we have a record 54 teams signed up. Chef Chase will have some great food for all the players to enjoy and Trevor and his crew have been working hard to have the course in top shape for the event.

With increased traffic we will now have a starter on #1 tee Tuesday's, Friday's and Sunday's. Please continue to check in the golf shop at times when a starter is not on #1 tee.

Big thank you to Trevor and his crew for having the golf course in tremendous condition especially with how dry it has been. We can really use your help with cart traffic and pairing up into the minimum numbers of carts. Doing this will help keep the fairways and roughs in the best overall condition for the membership to enjoy. If there is an extra cart in the group, please keep it on the cart path.

Refresher on cart rules:

- Use the 90 degree rule which means driver down the cart path till you reach your ball then drive across the fairway then return to the path when heading to your next shot.
- Cart path only on Par 3's
- Keep carts parked on paths around greens and tees (all 4 tires)
- Keep carts 40 yards away from greens
- Keep cart out of the native areas
- Use your sand to repair fairway divots.

We have added 1 couples 9 hole scramble each Sunday to give all the new couples an opportunity to meet, this month's will be May 15th at 4:00.

Thank you to the Men's and Women's Schreiner University golf teams for coming in and sanding all the divots in our fairways after a busy tournament week and preparing for the Sr. Club Championship.

In April we hosted the Women's Western Athletic Conference Championship. Teams were in from Chicago, Seattle, California, etc. They loved the course and really appreciated all the volunteer support and all the members coming out to watch and make their week extra special.

Junior Golf - This summer we will offer two programs:

- 1.) A 6 week program with Boot Ranch and Lady Bird with weekly practices and interclub matches. Details are still being worked out.
- 2.) Junior Golf Camps - June 1st - 3rd, June 15th - 17th, June 21st - 23rd, June 28th - 30th and July 12th - 14th. The cost is \$150 per each 3 day session and applications will be in the golf shop and on the website at riverhillcc.com. Camps run 9:00 am - 12:45 pm. Camps will follow the US Kids Player Pathways program and cover putting, short game, long game, rules and etiquette. Lunch is included and the kids can go home cool and refreshed with pool time each day after camp.

The Course will be open Monday, May 30th for Memorial Day and closed on Tuesday May 31st. Beginning Friday May 27th through Labor Day, the course will open at 7:30 am to enable more players to get out earlier and beat the heat.

Upcoming Events:

June 7th - 9th - Course Closed for Greens and Fairway Aerification.

Fairway Feats:

Raleygh Simpson qualified for the State Golf Championship

2 aces during the Women's WAC Championship

2 aces during the STPGA Prestige Tour Shootout in the Hills

Charlie DeLeon eagled #18

Jay Dunn shot a career low 73

Niel Powers shot a career low 78

Elyse and Evan Houdeshell qualified for the State Championship

Sincerely,

Matt Trevino, PGA

May Golf Course Updates

For the month of May the cart path only holes will be #1 and #10.

We missed the rain again only receiving less than 1/2 inch in the last storm. With the extremely dry conditions we will need to be running water during the day and need you to play through it.

You will be seeing more rope and stakes around the golf course. You can play from those areas we just need to keep carts out of those areas as well as not driving carts thru bare areas.

We are now getting enough growth on tees and fairways that we will be mowing each twice a week and are starting to see some nice definition lines. We will be spraying around greens and tees for weed control and will be putting out our summer fertilizer on May 23rd.

Please help by repairing your ball marks, sanding divots in the fairways (only to soil level) and most of all by pairing up into the minimum number of carts and keeping your carts on the paths as much as possible. Using the 90 degree rule by driving down the path to your ball and back to the path to drive to your next shot makes a big difference, as does keeping extra carts on the path.

See you on the course,
Trevor Corbet and Bogey

Riverhill Women's Golf Association

And the golf season has begun! We finished up March with a Blind Hole Play on March 23rd. Marlene Grothues came in First, Nancy Wilson and Patty Armstrong tied for Second, and Carol Powers Fourth.

March 26th was the Club's Member Member Tournament and several of our ladies teamed up and competed! Congratulations to Becky Silva and Patty Armstrong for placing Second in their Flight and Rhonda Taylor and Judy Fellows placing 3rd in their Flight!

March 30th was Ace of the Month and the winner of the March Ace of the Month was Becky Silva! First Low Net was Marlene Grothues and 2nd Low Net was Nancy Wilson. Diane Henry won the Low Putts!

Another activity the women of RWGA are involved in is the Stableford events. March 31st there were 4 ladies that placed playing at Tapatio Springs! Diane Henry, Patty Armstrong, Judy Fellows and Lynn Perilloux! Great representation of Riverhill! Congratulations!

Competition for Stableford was again held at Sonterra Country Club on April 5th with Patty Armstrong, Lynn Perilloux and Becky Silva placing! Congratulations!

On April 6th we had our quarterly meeting with 17 in attendance! The meeting was followed with our first of the month Scramble with the team of Carol Swanson, Carol Powers, and Marlene Grothues placing 1st and Patty Armstrong, Glenda Bumpus, Judy Fellows and Susie Lovett placing 2nd!!



THE PRESIDENT'S CUP TOURNAMENT! Great fun was had by all the participants in the Present's Cup!

Overall winner was Nancy Wilson

Champion Flight: 1st Becky Silva; 2nd Diane Henry; 3rd Patty Armstrong

First Flight: 1st Lynn Perilloux; Tied for 2nd Vickie Cochrane and Glenda Bumpus

Second Flight: 1st Marlene Grothues; tied for Second Barbara Holloway and Judy Fellows

Most Improved was Gil Davidson

A Special Thank You to the Tournament Chair, Sharon Smith!

Here are a few photos from this great event!



April 13 the game was Two Free Pars and the Carol Swanson placed 1st, Marlene Grothues 2nd and Becky Westover and Becky Silva tied for 3rd! Congratulations Ladies!

Please review your Directory for upcoming events. Some of the events for May are:

May 7th Saturday Play with tee times 10:06 and 10:15

May 15th Couples Golf

May 25th Ace of the Month+

See you on the Course.....





Tennis

We have a special tennis event coming up on June 4th, The Member Appreciation Clinic and Doubles Mixer. We will have a clinic at 9 am and a doubles mixer following at 10:30 am, then lunch provided by Riverhill. This event is for all levels of players and a great way to meet players and socialize at the tennis courts. Call Garry to sign up now. .

The Tennis Pro Shop has some of the latest Solinco Tennis Rackets to try as well as the New Babolat Pure Aero. These new rackets are \$20 off and also include free stringing. We also have several new tennis racket bags available.

Summer is fast approaching and we have the Tennis Summer Swim Camps flyer out and the weekly kids clinics also for the more advanced players. Several sessions are filling up already so come by the Tennis Shop to get one and sign up now.

Tournament News

Congratulations to Tennis Director Garry Nadebaum won the ITF Men's 55's singles title in Guadalajara Mexico last week and his ITF World Ranking has improved to #31

Congratulations to Mark Benak for placing second at The Fiesta San Antonio Mens 4.0 over 55's singles.

Spring Junior Tennis Clinics

Session 3 - May 2nd to May 26th

Tennis 4 Tots is Wednesday at 4pm and followed by a 7 to 11 year old Beginner Class. Intermediate Level, Junior Varsity and Advanced Tournament and Varsity Players levels are on Mondays and Thursdays at 4:30 pm to 6 pm. The Advanced Levels are Tuesday at 6 pm to 7:30 pm and Saturday at 9 am to 10:30 am. Call Garry to sign up or for more information on the classes that will best fit your child.

Weekly Clinics

Tuesday Adult Clinic 6 pm

Thursday Ladies Clinic 9 am

Saturday Adult Clinic 9 am

Monday Thursday 5 pm Intermediate Advanced Kids

Wednesday Tennis T4 Tots 4pm Beginner 7 -11yrs 5pm

Tuesday 6pm Saturday.9am Advanced Junior Clinics

For Better Tennis in Christ,
Garry Nadebaum
Director Of Tennis



Social

May Social Events

May 5th - Cinco de Mayo Celebration - It's Margarita Time! 6 pm to 8 pm. Calling all Bandidos and Bandidas to come and enjoy our delicious food and margaritas. Shrimp and Catfish Ceviche, Taco Salad Bar with Chicken, Beef, Al Pastor, Barbacoa, and Beef Street Tacos, Chicken and Cream Cheese Enchiladas, Borracha Beans, Spanish rice and Tres Leche & Mexican Wedding Cookies. \$30 Margarita's included. Reservations required. Please call the office at 830-896-1400.

May 7th - Kentucky Derby Specials in the Turning Point - Pick your favorite and root them on in the "run for the roses" with great specials served in the Turning Point.

May 8th - Mother's Day Brunch - It is time to treat Mom for her special day! No cooking, no dishes, let us do the work for her. Buffet includes: Omelete Station, Bacon & Sausage, Mini French Toast Bites, French Onion Soup, Fresh Melon Soup, Anti-Pasta Salad, Fruit Platter, Smoked Salmon, Summer Salad w/ Variety of Dressings, Fresh Mint Crusted Rack of Lamb with a Fig Demi-glace, Chocolate Bean & Espresso Crusted Tenderloin with a Blackberry Demi-glace, Chicken Cordon Bleu w/ Whiskey Cream Sauce, Redfish w/ Lemon Brown Butter Sauce, Honey Butter Taragon Carrots, Mashed Potato Bar w/ Bacon, Chives, Sour Cream & Cheese, Kids Station w/ Mac n' Cheese & Chicken Tenders, Black Forest Shooters, Rosé Bundt Cakes, Chocolate Mousse Tulips w/ Berries & Assorted Desserts. Adults - \$39.95 ++, Ages 3-11 - \$19.95, Under 3 Eat Free. Seatings from 11 am until 3 pm. Reservations required. Please call the office at 830-896-1400.

May 10th - Fitness Program Presentation - 5 pm to 7 pm. Come and meet Wynita Yancy, Life Coach & Fitness Trainer. She will be presenting her programs that we will be introducing to guide you to a new Journey of fitness. Complementary event with Hors D'Oeuvres, Beer and Wine.

May 11th - Italian Night, Endless Pastabilities! - 6 pm to 8 pm. All you can eat pasta buffet. Choose from a variety of fresh cooked pasta with homemade sauces in addition to old world Italian dishes. Italian Pasta Station, Caesar Salad Bar, Lasagna, Bread Sticks, Tiramisu Sponge Cake. \$25.95 ++ pp. Reservations required. Please call the office for reservations at 830-896-1400.

May 14th - Crawfish Boil, Cajun Style Buffet - 6 pm to 9 pm. Grab your bibs again with the all you can eat Crawfish! Buffet includes: Corn on the Cob, Red Potatoes, Crawfish, Sausage, Shrimp, Grits, Crawfish Étouffée and Apple Brown Betty with Ice Cream. \$30.00 ++ pp. Reservations required. Please call the office at 830-896-1400.

May 18th - Birthday & Anniversary Celebration! - We are doing something different this month with this special limited menu.

Option 1: 6oz Petite Filet wrapped in bacon, grilled to perfection, topped with crab meat and finished with hollandaise sauce and served with baked potato and grilled asparagus. \$62.95 ++.

Option 2: Texas Shrimp Scampi, the shrimp scampi you love with a twist! Made with Shiner Bock beer and chiffonade basil. \$22.95 ++.

Option 3: Scottish Salmon - 8oz salmon filet pan seared with shallots and garlic, finished with butter & topped with a mango chutney, served with grilled asparagus and risotto. \$26.95 ++.

All entrées are served with a wedge or house salad and Birthday Cake for dessert! Reservations are required. Please call the office at 830-896-1400.

May 24th - Wine Club Dinner & Wine Tasting! - If you haven't experienced the Riverhill Wine Club, please call Annette Nava at 830-896-1400 (x2240). She will be happy to share the wonderful benefits wine club members receive. Wine Club Menu this month: First Course - Botromango infused pesto topped with two fresh sea scallops and finished with balsamic soaked mustard seeds, served in a scallop shell. Wine Pairing: Botromagno Gravigiana. Second Course - Zenato Antipasto Salad - Kalamata olives tossed with cured meat and aged cheese finished with a basil infused olive oil. Wine Pairing: Zenato Alana Rosso Veronese. Third Course - Petite filet medallions served with truffled risotto and ratatouille. Wine Pairing: Castello Di Rossi Chianti Classico. Fourth Course - Raspberry & Pistachio Tart. Wine Pairing: La Doria Moscato D'Asti.

May 25th - Prime Rib Night - Enjoy a delicious Prime Rib Buffet with a variety of entrées and sides. Our buffet menu this month includes: Carved prime rib, au gratin potatoes, barramundi and saffron rice topped with Veracruz sauce, green bean almondine, Santa Fe salad station and hot fudge sundaes. 39.95 ++ pp. Reservations required. Please call the office at 830-896-1400.

May 27th - Bingo Night! - Come out for a winning night and delicious dining in the Mansion. Dinner Service at 6:00 – 7:30 pm - Bingo Starts at 7:15 pm – 7:30 pm – 2 Bingo Cards Included. Buffet dinner includes: Chicken Fried Chicken, Mashed Potato Bar, Broccoli & Cauliflower, Nicoise Salad Bar & Triple Chocolate Cake. \$25.95 ++ pp. Reservations are required. Please call the office at 830-896-1400.

May 30th - Memorial Day BBQ & Pool Party! - 12 pm - 4 pm. Kick off the summer the right way with live music with DJ Masquerade, Pool Games and Prizes and a delicious BBQ with BBQ Chicken Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Mac n' Cheese, Potato Salad, Corn on the Cob, Cooks & Great Drinks. Adults \$22 ++, Kids \$11 ++.

Sunday Brunch In The Mansion : May 1st, 15th, 22nd & 29th. Please look for our Sunday Brunch menu in our weekly email newsletters. Brunch is served from 11 am until 2 pm. Reservations are required. Please call the office at 830-896-1400.

Now Available - Specialty Cakes By Request. Cakes must be ordered 48 hours in advance. Please call 830-896-1400 to place your order. **Mother's Day Special-** Carla Cakes with Vanilla Cake, Buttercream, Fresh Berry Filling. \$30 for a 3 layer 10" cake.

Riverhill Women's Association

Thursday, May 12

Social Hour at 11:30 am

Luncheon at Noon

Program:

To be determined

For Reservations, please call 830-896-1400 Ext. 2220

Please make reservations by May 6

Photos From The RWA





May



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Brunch 11-2	2 Club Closed	3 Adult clinic -6	4 RWGA-9 Jr. Golf 4-8 Tennis4Tots-4 Beginners-5	5 Cinco de Mayo on The lawn Ladies Clinics9	6 Mansion Dining 8-8	7 Kentucky Derby Specials at TP Adult clinic-9 Advanced-9
8 Mother's Day Brunch Reservations Required	9 Club Closed	10 Calloway Fitting Day 10-2 Adult clinic -6	11 RWGA-9 Jr. Golf 4-8 Italian Dinner Tennis4Tots-4 Beginners-5	12 Riverhill Women's Association Mtg MGA Scramble 4 Ladies Clinics9	13 Mansion Dining 8-8	14 VGA 1:30 Member shotgun 9 Crawfish & Shrimp Boil on the Lawn Adult clinic-9 Advanced-9
15 Brunch 11-2 9 Holes Couples 4	16 Club Closed	17 Adult clinic -6	18 RWGA 9 Birthday & Anniversary Night Tennis4Tots-4 Beginners-5	19 BNI Course closes at 1 Ladies Clinics9	20 No Mansion Dining BNI Course opens At 1:30	21 BNI Course opens at 1:30 Adult clinic-9 Advanced-9
22 Brunch 11-2	23 Club Closed	24 Wine Club Dinner & Tasting Adult clinic -6	25 RWGA 9 Prime Rib Night Tennis4Tots-4 Beginners-5	26 9 & Wine-5 Ladies Clinics9	27 Dinner & Bingo Night	28 Adult clinic-9 Advanced-9
29 Brunch 11-2	30 Memorial Day BBQ by the Pool 12-4	31 Club, Course & Pool closed	June 1 Jr. Golf Camp	June 2 Jr. Golf Camp	June 3 Jr. Golf Camp	June 4