

Riverhill Reporter

September 2022

From the Desk of Franck Mannechez

General Manager

I think everyone enjoyed seeing a little bit of rain, and hopefully we will get some more. As we get into September, the temperatures should go down a little and help.

Some exciting news as we go into a new season, we are starting new casual dining at the Mansion. Look for our new menu and new wine list to dine at "The Black Buck" in The Mansion Grill on special evenings. The Turning Point will get an updated menu in October for the fall.

We have fun and exciting activities planned in September, starting with our Labor Day Party at the pool on Monday, September 5th, with a Scavenger Hunt, Cardboard Boat Race, and more. (The Club will be Closed on Tuesday, the 6th.) Trivia Night on September 8th (Applause for last month's winner, "The Dream Team"). Don't miss Jazz Night on September 14th with William Galvez and, of course, our indoor Movie Night on September 16th, featuring Jurassic World Dominion, Bingo Night on September 23, and make sure to keep an eye on the growing Jackpot for Dining Lotto Nights on September 7th and 28th.

I am really looking forward to a great fall here at Riverhill Country Club and would love to see you all at some of our events.

Riverhill Proud! Franck Mannechez General Manager



Golf

We finally received some rain but so much more is needed. Its amazing how fast the grass greens up but please continue to pair up and use the cart paths and roughs as much as possible.

Tuesday Night Scramble, new weekly event. We hosted our 1st one on the 23rd, had 18 players, the winning team won by a shot and there was a 4 way tie for 2nd. The skin pot was not won so \$135 carries over to the next week. The format is a 3-person scramble, make your own team. Scoring for day money and skin is net. Players under 40 and indexed less than 5.0 will play the blue tees and each player needs to contribute 2 drives. Entry is \$30 and includes dinner afterwards in the TP, sign-ups are weekly, and teams can change week to week. We pair in 6somes so it's a great way to meet more members.

Updated hole handicaps have added to the new scorecard. There are some drastic changes as the USGA calculates the hole handicaps differently now than last time we did scorecards. The hole handicaps are now calculated strictly by the hole difficulty, that was figured by the course rating team when the course was rated. The biggest changes will be #3 going from 1 to 17 and #4 going from 15 to 1.

Score entry procedures for handicaps: 1. Players can enter on the GHIN app, but we still need the scorecard for our records, 2. Entry computer in the Men's 19th hole or 3. the golf shop staff can enter by either dropping in the box or at the counter. Reminder that all rounds that you play with someone need to be entered 9 or 18 holes.

Our **Jr. Golf clinics** will start back Wednesday Sept. 7^{th,} and classes will be at 4:00 (9 and under) and 5:00 (10 and over) and continue till Nov. 16th. If you know of any juniors that would like to learn how to play or ones that already play and want to continue to improve their games, have them contact the golf shop to sign up.

Fall fitting day: Taylor Made Friday Sept. 9th 11:00-3:00. Appointments available and will be fit with the current Stealth product using the trackman. Also Cleveland will be here the same day for wedge fitting.

Collins Cup Update: The Coll. Cup teams will be picked after the Fall Member Member. The Club Championship, Fall Member Member and Sept. Staff Scramble are the last qualifying events of the year. The top 38 on the points list earn the automatic spots, updated points for the Top 50 on the bulletin board outside the golf shop.

The fall will be busy with the following activities:

A Round to Remember Sept 10th – Applications in the golf shop

Men's Club Championship Sept 16th – 18th

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Ladies Club Championship} & \mbox{Sept } 23^{rd} - 24^{th} \\ \mbox{James Avery Invitational} & \mbox{Sept. } 30^{th} - \mbox{Oct } 2^{nd} \\ \mbox{Fall Member} - \mbox{Member} & \mbox{Oct } 14^{th} - 16^{th} \\ \mbox{Habitat for Humanity} & \mbox{Oct. } 24^{th} \\ \end{array}$

Habitat for Humanity Oct. 24^{th} Collins Cup Nov 4^{th} & 5^{th} Texas Golf Association Nov. $11^{th} - 13^{th}$ Greens Aerification Nov. 14^{th} & 15^{th}

Golf Shop Christmas Sale Dec. 2nd

Winter Scramble Dec. 3rd – 18 hole 2-person Scramble

Congratulations to our August tournament winners:

Charlie DeLeon and Tom Hendrix – Riverhill Team Championship Men's Division
Diane Henry and Cheryl Smith – Riverhill Team Championship Women's Division
Staff Scramble – Lewis Carpenter, Steven Hudsonpillar, Cecil Fellows, Bob Fairchild, Kendall Kinchen and Matt Trevino
Tuesday Night Scramble – Randy Evans, Garrett Kaiser and Steven Hudsonpillar

Fairway Feats:

Lewis Carpenter shot 79, career low at Riverhill Spencer Thomas shot 78, career low at Riverhill Bill Arnold shot 79, career low at Riverhill Glenda Bumpus shot 90

Sincerely, Matt Trevino, PGA

September Golf Course Updates

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

Recently we have had some rain in the area but have only received 1" on property. It certainly helped soften the turf up and even saw some hints of green. Until we get out of this drought we need to continue to pair up in carts and use the cart paths and roughs as much as possible. This really makes a difference, and we appreciate your cooperation.

Some summer weeds such as crab and goose grass as gotten into a few greens on the front 9. The crab grass will go away once the temps cool down and not as much water is needed. The goose grass has to be pulled by hand and the staff is hitting the healthy turf areas first. If the surface is broken in weak areas, it can lead to more weeds in the area.

Fairway water will continue to run during the day and as temps cool down water will be cut back on the greens.

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

See you on the course,

Trevor Corbet and Bogey

Men's Golf Association (MGA)

RHMGA Closes Out the Summer with Two Events in August

The Men's Golf Association completed its' summer schedule during August. On August 13th, the MGA held its' annual "Big Break" Skills Competition and Summer Social. A week later, the MGA held the first ever "Big Cup" Invitational.

The "Big Break" Skills Competition is modeled after the made for TV event that was popularized on the Golf Channel during the early 2000's. The MGA version features 9 stations in which individuals receive points for various skill demonstrations. The putting portion includes a short putt station, a long putt station, and a challenging putt from just off the green to a tricky downhill pin. The short game challenge includes two chipping events and one bunker play position. The final 3 stations are set up on the Driving Range where players are challenged to hit shots into a chipping net from 20 yards and then two stations are set up to allow golfer to demonstrate their ball flight skills.

The winner of the First Flight was Bo Bigelow. Stevie Jones finished 2nd in the First Flight. Finishing in a tie for 3rd in the First Flight were Paul Mitchell and Matt Robinson.

Lewis Carpenter was the winner of the 2nd Flight. Randy Crook finished in 2nd Place. Finishing in a tie for 3rd in the 2nd Flight were Cecil Fellows and Clay Steadman.

On August 20th, the MGA held its' first ever "Big Cup" Invitational. This event featured individual play by the competitors to oversized cups on the greens. Results for this event were as follows:

In the Championship Flight, Stevie Jones won Low Gross with a score of 69. The Low Net Winner was Chuck Hempstead with a score of 64. Zac Hoerster finished in 2nd Place in the Net Competition with a 69 and Harold Danford finished in 3rd Place with a net score of 70.

In the First Flight, all scoring was completed on a net basis. Winning 1^{st} with a net score of 63 was Randy Evans. 2^{nd} Place went to Adam Harris with a score of 66. Cecil Fellows was 3^{rd} Place with a score of 67. A. J. Lovitt shot 68 to finish in 4^{th} Place. Finishing in 5^{th} Place was Michael Wood with a 68.

Closest to the Pin went to A. J. Lovitt.

MGA Upcoming Schedule

September 15 - Social Short Game Challenge on the Front Nine 4:00 PM

September 2 - Individual Stroke Play Individual Play 1:00 PM Shotgun

Riverhill Women's Golf Association

RWGA finished up July with a little Stableford play. Diane Henry, First Place, Rhonda Taylor Second Place, and Becky Silva Third Place! (below left)



We followed up with ACE on July 27 naming Patty Armstrong as ACE OF THE MONTH!

Nancy Wilson was 1st Low Net and Lynn Perilloux was 2nd Low Net and Rhonda Taylor winning the Low Putts. (top right photo)

We had our Scramble of the month on August 3rd with a great turnout! We had 4 teams and Team Henry, Armstrong and Bowen prevailed the winners! Pictured are Diane Henry, Patty Armstrong and Janice Bowen! Good Job Ladies! (center right photo)



August 10 we all played from the green tees! I might add that it was not as easy as many of us thought! Marlene Grothues came in First, Patty Armstrong, Second and Gill Davidson Third. (Patty is missing from the photo). (bottom right photo)

As Fall approaches, hopefully so will some rain and cooler temperatures! Please sign up for the Wednesday Play Days and the Saturday Play is scheduled for September 10th this month.

We will also have the Club Championship Tournament on September 23-24. Lynn Perilloux heads up that Tournament so be on the lookout for information as that time approaches!

Also, our **Nine and Wine is BACK!** Our next gathering will be September 29th. Please call the Pro Shop to sign up prior to that date!

Lastly, we are excited that RWGA is hitting a growth spurt but we are still needing all our playing members to participate! No names will be mentioned in print, BUT several of us may be tapping you on the shoulder about getting back in the groove! Now that the weather should be cooling down we are hoping to see you back on the course. All of you are missed!!!!!!!!







Tennis

The last two Saturday mixers were great with 20 players attending and having a great clinic and doubles play afterwards. Look for the next one to be in October. Summer tennis is over and it was a great summer. Take a look at some of the photos and now we look forward to the fall weather and tennis programs.



Fall Junior Tennis Clinics

We have groups for all levels and ages starting with the Tennis 4 Tots program Wednesday at 4 and another class at 5 since this is a popular class . We have added a new class on Wednesday at 5 for beginner ages 7 to 11 also. Then the intermediate level, junior varsity and advanced tournament and varsity players levels are on Mondays and Thursdays at 4:30pm . 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 1 August 22nd to September 17thSession 2 September 19th to October 15thSession 3 October 17th to November 12thSession 4 November 14th to December 10th

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

Tournament News

Congratulations to Trei Gohlke for winning the Kerrville level 6 tournament. Trei has won 3 of the last 4 tournaments here and placed 2nd at the other. Keep up the hard work Trei. Riverhill Tennis Proud.

Weekly Clinics

Tuesday Adult Clinic - 6 pm Thursday Ladies Clinic - 9 am Saturday Adult Clinic - 9 am Monday, Thursday Intermediate Advanced Kids - 4:30 pm Wednesday Tennis 4 Tots - 4 pm and 5 pm Wednesday Tennis 7 to 11yrs - 5pm Tuesday 6 pm, Saturday 9 am Advanced Junior Clinics

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For Better Tennis in Christ, Garry Nadebaum Director Of Tennis



Social

September Social Events

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

September 4th: Brunch 11 am - 2 pm

September 5th: Labor Day Pool Party & 1st Annual Cardboard Boat Regatta! Buffet 12 - 2 pm Party 12 pm - 4 pm Come and play games, Scavenger Hunt, Cardboard Boat race, Water Balloon battle. Enjoy the Hamburger and Hotdog Buffet with all the fixings served with house chips \$12

We are officially closing the pool (but it will remain open during September without service and if we are able to maintain it with our system)

September 6th: Club Closed

September 7th: Mansion A la Carte Dining, Lotto Night 5 pm - 8 pm (New Menu)

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 eligible it has to be done prior to 12 pm the day off (no walk-in)

September 8th: Trivia Night at the Turning Point - Free Event - 6 pm

Come around 6pm, get your seat and order some snacks get ready to play the game from 6:50 til 7:50 pm Game!

September 9th: Mansion A la Carte Dining, 5 pm - 8 pm

September 11th: Brunch 11 am - 2 pm Come and enjoy relaxing music by Ted Conerly

September 14th: Jazz Night 6 pm - 8 pm

Come enjoy the music of William Galvez (Leader of our Mariachi Band from the Tacos & Tequila event). We'll be serving Fried Crawfish, and Shrimp Po'Boys with all the fixings, served with Cajun Fries, Remoulade, Cocktail Sauce & Chef Kately's jazz-inspired desserts. \$16

September 16th: Movie Night In The Mansion - Free Event - 6 pm

Doors open at 6 pm, the movie starts at 7 pm. This month our featured movie is "Jurrasic World Dominion" starring Chris Pratt, Laura Dern, Sam Neill, Bryce Dallas Howard, & Jeff Goldblum. Popcorn, pretzels, candy & pickles will be available for purchase.

September 18th: Brunch 11 am - 2 pm

September 21st: Birthday & Anniversary Celebration Dinner 5 pm - 8 pm

Tortilla Crusted Tilapia served with Spanish Rice and Creamed Spinach topped with an Avocado Cream Sauce \$24.95 Pork Osso Bucco slow cooked to perfection, served with Rustic Red Skin Mashed Potatoes and Creamed Spinach \$22.95 and Chef Katelyn's Birthday Cake

September 23rd: Bingo Night 6 pm

Cocktails at 6 pm, Bingo Game at 7 pm. Includes 1 Complimentary Bingo Card. Charcuterie Board, Spinach Artichoke Dip, Swedish Meatballs & Stuffed Mushrooms \$15

September 25th: Brunch 11am-2pm

September 27th: Wine Club

This month we will be featuring Ports.

Bruchetta with Cured Prosciutto and White Balsamic Glaze, with Quinta Do Noval Port Nicoise Salad with Pickled green Beans and Port Wine Dressing, with Llano Cellar Select Port Pork Osso Bucco served with Rustic Red Skin Potatoes and Root Vegetables with Miles 10 Dolce Madeira Brie en Croute with Becker Vintage Port

September 28th: Mansion A la Carte Dining, Lotto Night 5 pm- 8 pm

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Riverhill Women's Association

September Luncheon

Thursday, September 8

Social hour at 11:30 am

Luncheon at Noon

Program:

Will be announced later

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

Reservations Must be made by Tuesday, September 6

FALL FITNESS @ RIVERHILL

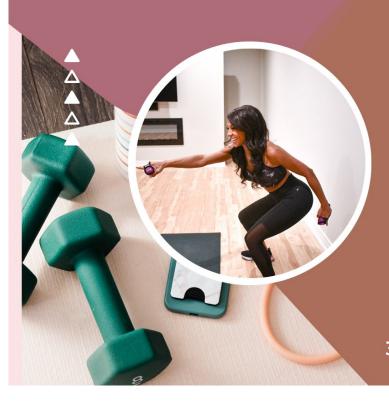
Train with Fitness Instructor, Wynita Yancy for continued support in your fitness journey and strength training.

BE STRONG, BE FIT, AND BE HEALTHY WITH US

Monday & Thursday Morning classes starting 9/19 at 7:15am | RSVP Only

Member price: 2 for \$30

Non-members: \$20 per class





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Email Wynita at wynitayancy@gmail.com to save your spot or call 312.617.4398 with any questions.

Dining Events Golf Events Tennis Events

September

Sun	Mon	lue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
For Dining				1 Ladies Clinio-9	2 No Mansion Dining	3 Adult Clinic-9
please Call 896-1400				Mahjong 1-4	Wei last	Ciliado
4	5 Labor Day	8	7 RWGA-9	8 RWA Luncheon	9	10
Brunch 11-2	Club & Course	Club Closed	Mansion Dining	Int/Adv 4:30	Taylor Made Fitting	8:45 Member shot
	Open Close the Pool	Advance-6	Lotto Night T4T 4-5	Trivia Night at TP	Day 11-3	1:30 Round to Remember
	Party 12-4		7-11 5-8	Ladies Clinic-9	Mansion Dining	Adult Clinic-9
11	12	13	14 RWGA-9	15	16	17
		Scramble 5:30	Q	Int/Adv 4:30	Championship	Championship
	Int/Adv 4:30-6		T4T 4-5			
		Advance-6	7-11 5-8	Mahjong 1-4	Movie Night	Adult Clinic-9
18	19	20	21 RWGA-9	22	23	24
Brunch 11-2	Club Closed	Tuesday Night	Birthday &	Staff Scramble-5	Ladies Club	Ladies Club
Men's Club		Scramble 5:30	Anniversary		Championship-1	Championship-1
Championship-1	Int/Adv 4:30-6	Advance-6	T4T 4-5	Int/Adv 4:30	Bingo & Cocktail	Adult Clinic-9
		O STANSFORM	7-11 5-8	HILDRY T.OC	on go or coordinate	
25	26	27 Advance-6	28 RWGA-9	29	30	
Brunch 11-2	Club Closed	Tuesday Night	Mansion Dining		No Dining	
		Scramble 5:30	Lotto Night	Ladies Clinic-9	James Avery Golf	
Couples Golf-4	Int/Adv 4:30-8	Wine Club & Tasting	T4T 4-5	Int/Adv 4:30	Course opens 1:30	