



WELCOME TO OUR CLUB!

PRESIDENTS REPORT

THAT WAS CLOSE. Dorian was a scare for the Country Club and the Community!

The club had some minor damage on the golf course. Overall we came out OK. Let's hope that's the last hurricane we have to deal with this year.

There are lots of great things happening around the club:

- The upper deck wall repairs are near completion. The new windows, replacing the wall, will make that dining experience one of the best in Beaufort County.
- Repairs to the guest house have begun. The board continues to discuss what the best use for this facility will be. Our goal is for the guest house to generate additional revenues for the club.
- Colin and the social committee are working hard on providing great social events for your whole family. Please review the calendar and watch for announcements of coming events.
- Our membership drive has 3 months left. Don't miss out on an opportunity to win free dues and earn member credits. Let's get our membership totals to 375.
- The board continues to work diligently on supporting the club with a sound financial plan. Our biggest concerns are supporting the cash flow needs of the club while maintaining a sound operational budget. Our cash needs are higher in some months than revenues received and smaller during our slower months when boating and golf activities start to slow down. This requires the board to insure there are enough short term reserves available to support this volatile situation. What elevates this problem is not being at a sustainable membership level that generates the additional cash required to generate the appropriate operational reserves. That level is north of 375. Let's get out and recruit a few more members!!

All in all the board believes we are trending in the right direction. Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to seeing all of you this Fall. – Mark Tomlinson



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Charles Holley and Terry Gardner

Current Membership as of Sept. 30, 2019: 365 Active Members
Membership at Debt Refinancing in 2016 272
Membership retention + growth = dues stability & a secure future for our club.

WY&CC Events & Reminders

- Thursdays-Happy Hour Upper Deck from 5:00-9:00
- October 10th Trivia Night
- October 10th & 24th Ladies 9 and Wine at 5:00
- October 8th & 22nd Superball at 5:30
- October 12th & 13th Club Championship
- October 30th Trunk or Treat

HONOR/MEMORY WALK

The "Brick" walkways contain two size bricks; 4 x 8 priced at \$100 and 8 x 8 for \$250. Sponsor an engraved brick in Honor or in Memory of a loved one and it will be part of the club to enjoy now and forever. Interested call Valeria at 946-1514 Ext. 3 to get a form.

THE FOLLOWING NAMES HAVE BEEN CELEBRATED THUS FAR:

IN MEMORY OF DAVID C. LEE, JR.
FINN MCCOOL GALLAGHER
IN MEMORY OF CHUCK MANNING
CHARTER MEMBER B.E. SINGLETON
ANDREW AND ALTSSA TOMLINSON
MARK & DIANE TOMLINSON
ANN HARRELL HILL
IN MEMORY OF RAY HELFRICH
KARL AND JANICE SIMONS
IN MEMORY OF WALTER YOUNG
FRANK D. JOHNSON
HONORING TOMMY AND PATTI CAMPBELL
THOMAS E. AND JOY J. WATERS
FRANK AND GRACE BONNER
SLADE LANDSCAPING
IN MEMORY OF JANE & GRAY HODGES
LGA LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION
2018 BOARD OF DIRECTORS
IN MEMORY OF FAY ODEN SNOW
IN MEMORY OF BIG MO SNYDER
SWEET BILL ROGERS
ALTON AND JUDY GRIFFIN
IN LOVING MEMORY OF:
DR. & MRS. JOHN T. CAMPBELL
IN MEMORY OF:
MARQUERITE AND TOMMY SPARROW
JOE MCCOTTER SR., JOE MCCOTTER JR.,
AND BILL MCCOTTER
LOVING MEMORY: JO ANN JENNETTE ASBY
LOVING MEMORY: JANICE SIMONS

WELDON'S MARINE REPAIR
AUBREY MOORE
RILEY AND OLIVIA ROBERSON III
JOSIE GRAHAM FARRAR
BRYCE, ROBERT, COOPER, LONDON, LEIGH
TO HONOR SERVICE OF: MICHAEL HUMPHRIES
MICHAEL HUMPHRIES
PEARL MOORE
MICHAEL & JUDY HUMPHRIES
IN HONOR OF WILTON SMITH, JR.
IN HONOR OF JOHN FRIEND
IN HONOR OF DR. CLYDE POTTER
IN HONOR OF CHIP THOMPSON
IN MEMORY OF BUSTER TAYLOR
BURRELL CROMPTON
GIL & CYNTHIA SLAGLE
PAUL AND MITZI MALLON
IN MEMORY OF DAN ADDISS
CHRIS & EMILY WHITEHEAD
IN MEMORY OF FRANCIS W. JUMP
LEONARD D. NELSON AND TRUDY NELSON
ROBERT PRESTON MACKENZIE
IN MEMORY OF:
CHARLES EDWARDS, SKIPPER
IN MEMORY OF CAROL R. KEECH
IN MEMORY OF SUSIE, MOM, MEMA
OUR BELOVED SONS - ROD & MICHAEL
CREW OF ROCKET J
IN MEMORY OF MICHAEL & CELESTE BREZA
BILL AND BECKY WALL

WOMEN'S GOLF NEWS

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| President..... | Susan Hodges..... | 252-945-7816 |
| Vice President | Katherine Mitchell | 252-623-1411 |
| Secretary | Sharon Forrest | 252-940-0440 |
| Treasurer | Dorie Richter..... | 252-944-7537 |
| Tournaments..... | Carolyn Sullivan-Strickland.... | 919-222-1743 |
| Publicity | Katherine Mitchell | 252-623-1411 |

The weather is turning a little cooler, Fall is in the air, and the LGA women are back out in force!

September 4th, found the ladies playing a game of "Fewest Putts" with Coley Hodges taking home the win.

September 11th, Ace of the Month was the game with Page Wright scoring the honors and her first win as a LGA member. Keep up the great work, Page. Those not competing for Ace of the Month played a "Blind Nine" and again, Coley Hodges was the winner. Well done Coley!

On September 18, Ace of the Month winners went head to head for "Ace of the Year". Congratulations to Lourdes White for her outstanding play and the big win. As a reminder, play begins at 10:00 AM beginning October 2nd.

October 30, presents an opportunity for LGA members to come together for golf and our Annual Awards Luncheon. The LGA is always looking for new players and we encourage and welcome all female players of varying skills to join us for fun and friendship.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, October 12-Sunday, October 13, 2019

Individual Stroke Play Both Days

9 am Shotgun Start • \$60.00 each Player

Flights: Men's, Senior, Super-Senior, Ladies

Prizes: 40% Pay Out, Gross/Net Prizes given in each Flight

Lunch will be Provided concluding Play Both Days

Sign Up in the Pro Shop Today!!!



TRUNK OR TREAT

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 from 6:00-7:30

Trunk or Treat will be held in the 19th Hole Parking Lot. Members are needed to decorate their trunks. Please call Ernie Glover at 252-402-5153 to get in on the Halloween fun!

WYCC TENNIS/PICKLE BALL COURTS

Pickleball is for everyone it is a great family sport.

Anyone can play, from eight-year olds up to 100-year olds. It's great for hand-eye coordination for younger kids. Courts may be reserved anytime between 8 am to 8 pm by calling the Pro Shop at 252-946-3245.

GOLF/PRO SHOP NEWS

WYCC Wednesday Night Clinic Introduction to the Short Game

It is hard put into words the importance of the short game. If we define the short game we might put into the definition, shots from about 80 to 90 yards and in. This would include pitch shots, chips and putts. Now back to the issue of the importance of the short game. If we look at this from a statistical point of view I think we would find that the majority of the shots played in a round of golf would be included in the short game. The ability to get the ball up and down from beside the green is what can make the difference between a good player and a great player. There is a very fine line that separates a successful mini-tour player from a PGA Tour member. In a lot of cases it would probably be the quality of their short games.

If we were take someone who is just beginning to play golf and they tell me they need to drop 10 strokes in a matter of three weeks. I would not have them beating hundreds of balls on the driving range (not that ball striking is not important, because it is) but I would have them working on their putting, their chipping and their pitching. That is the fastest way of shooting lower scores. The other positive aspect of having an accomplished short game is that it will take an incredible amount of pressure off your long game. If you are sure that you can get up and down from beside the green you will not be thinking about how you "have" to hit the green to make a good score. It will free your mind to concentrate on the shot at hand.

Chipping Tips

- Set-up with a narrower and open stance to easier sense the target.
- Place your hands further down the grip for better control.
- Place your weight forward over your left foot. (*Right-Handed Player*)
- Position your hands slightly ahead of the club head at address.
- Centered ball position for normal chip shots.
- The basic chip is a one-lever stroke with the back of your left wrist remaining solid and ahead of the ball through the shot.
- The wrists and hands remain quiet in the chip shot allowing the arms to swing from the shoulders.
- Chip the ball whenever you feel you can't putt because there is too much grass between your ball and the green; try to land the ball on the green for the greatest ball control.

2019 Member-Guest Tournament Results Below

Men's

1ST FLIGHT GROSS WINNERS
Bill Wall & Eddie Leonard

1ST FLIGHT NET WINNERS
Jack Campbell & Patrick Campbell

2ND FLIGHT GROSS WINNERS
Ron Bright & Leeroy Scott

2ND FLIGHT NET WINNERS
Robert Pfeiffer & Tyler Fowler

Women's

LADIES FLIGHT GROSS WINNERS
Betsy Strader & Vickie Kelly

LADIES FLIGHT NET WINNERS
Carolyn Sullivan-Strickland & Jo Sparrow

FROM THE DOCKS

September brought Hurricane Dorian to the Atlantic and was devastating to the Bahamas. While we were spared locally, there was tremendous damage to Ocracoke, as well as to Emerald Isle. Our thoughts and prayers remain with those folks as they continue to recover!

Several other named storms have formed in the Atlantic, which should keep us alert and prepared should another storm come our way during this hurricane season. Remember that we have had hurricanes as late as November! If you don't have plans in place, please do so asap. Though our Dockmaster, Ernie Glover, does all he can to keep the docks and our boats safe, it is really each boat owner's responsibility to take care of our own boats.

The WYC has sadly lost one of our own. On September 14, Jeremy Hood lost his fight with cancer. We send our deepest sympathy and condolences to his wife, Janet. Jeremy was the WYC bridge treasurer for a couple of years before he became ill, and was a valued and loved member of the WYC. He will be greatly missed! We also extend our condolences to our WYC secretary, Mike LaTorre, on the recent loss of his mother.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct. 05 WYC Annual Pig Picking – FREE to WYC members, \$5 for Guests – Bring a Dish (or 2) to Share
- Oct. 26 Oktoberfest
- Nov. 02 WYC Bridge Election and Gazebo Party
- Dec. 07 Washington Christmas Parade, WYC Christmas Party and Change of Watch

Be on the lookout for more details in emails from Secretary, Mike LaTorre, and in future WYCC Newsletters. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us for as many of the planned events as possible. **Great news!** Our Ship's Store is now well stocked with long and short sleeved, men's and women's styles, WYC t-shirts! We will have shirts available for purchase at all events, but Ernie Glover has access to the Store and will be happy to assist you with a purchase anytime you're at the Club. Burgees are on order and should be available to purchase at the Pig Picking. We're searching for a provider of caps and vanity plates as the previous provider has closed their location in Washington.

BOATING EDUCATION

We plan to have a short boating education presentation during the pig pickin' on October 5th. Also, the Power Squadron offers great classes throughout the year to better your boating skills and learn more about safety on the water.

As always, we encourage our members to bring along friends who haven't yet joined the WYC. **Hopefully they'll have so much fun they'll want to join up!** WYC isn't just for boaters. Any member of the WYCC can join, meet new people, and have fun. \$25 still covers a family for the year! And keep in mind that we need all the help we can get with the planning and coordination of our activities, so we hope you'll consider lending your ideas and hands! Contact any Bridge member to volunteer. For more information, to join WYC, to offer your help, or to register for an event contact Bill Taylor 252-945-2406, Ernie Glover 252-402-5153, or any bridge member.

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| Commodore - Michael Humphries..... | 252-402-6697 |
| Vice Commodore - Phil Holloman..... | 252-944-3848 |
| Rear Commodore/Treasurer - Bill Taylor..... | 252-945-2406 |
| Rear Commodore/Secretary - Mike LaTorre..... | 207-878-2951 |
| Rear Commodore Education/Social - Don Perkins..... | 203-893-0690 |

SPECIAL NOTES

Come On Out and Kayak or Paddleboard Broad Creek

RATES

- One Person Kayak
4 hours \$30 • 8 hours \$45
- Two Person Kayak
4 hours \$45 • 8 hours \$60
- Paddleboards
4 hours \$30 • 8 hours \$45

Reserve today by calling
Earnie Glover at 252-402-5153
or the Dock Attendant at 252-402-1313

*(This benefit is in Partnership
with Innerbanks Outfitters)*

Happy Hour and Trivia Nights Appetizers & Drinks 5-9

The Upper Deck has really become the place to be on Thursday Evenings.

Appetizer and drink specials are offered and you can always order from the dining menu or the Pub menu.

Watch your favorite sport or try out the game room.

Whether you come by boat or are still wearing your golf shoes, you'll find a FUN, CASUAL environment with a WORLD-CLASS view.

• **MEMBERSHIP STATUS CHANGE:** Please remember to contact the office with any changes that may reflect your membership status. Example: Marriage, Divorce, Spouse's Death, Change of Address or have reached the age of 72 and been a continuous member for 10 years. We will be happy to assist you, so please call us if anything changes. **Remember: If you are over the age of 80 and have been a continuous member for 25 years, you are eligible for the Super Senior Membership.**

• **HAVEN'T RECEIVED YOUR STATEMENT?:** If it is past the 6th of the month and you have not received your statement, please give the office a call at 946-1514 extension 3 so that I can resend it to you. In order to see what is happening at the club, please go to our website wyccnc.com to download the Newsletter and Calendar. **Again, if you do not have a computer or have explicitly directed the office to not send statements by email, your statements will come in the mail as normal along with your newsletter.**

• **HOURS/CLOSINGS:** The WYCC Golf Course will open on Mondays at 12:00 for Walkers Only!

The Golf Shop Hours:

(Closed Monday) Open Tuesday - Sunday ... 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The Marina/Gas Hours:

Monday - Tuesday By Appointment Only
Open Wed - Thurs..... 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Open Friday - Sunday..... 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

For Appointments or General Information Call: 252-402-1313

• **LADIES CARD DAY:** Anyone interested in playing cards on the 4th Tuesday of each month, please contact Dot Jump at 946-6968. They usually meet around 11:00 for lunch and then the afternoon is dedicated to card playing until 4:00.

• **AUTO DRAFT PAYMENT OPTIONS:** You never have to worry about a late payment again.

• **BANK DRAFTS:** WY&CC is now accepting Bank Drafts for automated payments **without fees**. If you are interested in using this method of payment, please send me your deposit slip and I will set your account up.

• **CREDIT CARDS:** The WYCC accepts VISA or Master Card for an automated draft payment. There is a **\$5.00 fee** per month for the processing cost.



W.Y.C.C. EVENTS CALENDAR

HELP US BETTER SERVE YOU – FOR EARLY RESERVATIONS CALL (252) 946-1514

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday


Thursday

Friday

Saturday

OCTOBER 2019



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| <i>19th Hole Serving Noon-4:00 p.m.</i> | <i>OFFICE CLOSED 19th Hole CLOSED</i> | <i>Senior Golf 8:30 am Dinner Service Closed 19th Hole 11-4</i> | <i>LGA 9 am UPPER DECK ONLY A la Carte 5:30-9:00 "Steak Night"</i> | <i>Senior Golf 8:30 am 19th Hole Open 11-4 A la Carte 5:30-9:00</i> | <i>19th Hole Open 11:00-4:00 A la Carte 5:30-9:00</i> | <i>19th Hole Open 11:00-4:00 A la Carte 5:30-9:00 WHS Reunion</i> |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
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| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| <i>19th Hole Open 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.</i> | <i>OFFICE CLOSED 19th Hole CLOSED</i> | <i>Senior Golf 8:30 am Dinner Service Closed 19th Hole 11-4</i> | <i>LGA 9 am UPPER DECK ONLY A la Carte 5:30-9:00 "Steak Night"</i> | <i>Senior Golf 8:30 am 19th Hole Open 11-4 A la Carte 5:30-9:00 Members Dining 19th Hole</i> | <i>19th Hole Open 11:00-4:00 A la Carte 5:30-9:00</i> | <i>19th Hole Open 11:00-4:00 A la Carte 5:30-9:00 Members Dining Upper Deck</i> |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| <i>19th Hole Serving Noon-4:00 p.m.</i> | <i>OFFICE CLOSED 19th Hole CLOSED</i> | <i>Senior Golf 8:30 am Dinner Service Closed 19th Hole 11-4</i> | <i>LGA 9 am UPPER DECK ONLY A la Carte 5:30-9:00</i> | <i>Senior Golf 8:30 am 19th Hole Open 11-4 A la Carte 5:30-9:00 9 & Wine at 5:00</i> | <i>Members Dining Upper Deck 19th Hole Open 11-4 A la Carte 5:30-9:00 Rehearsal MDR</i> | <i>19th Hole Open 11:00-4:00 A la Carte 5:30-9:00</i> |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |  31 | NOVEMBER 1 | 2 |
| <i>19th Hole Serving Noon-4 pm Sunday Brunch 11:00-2:00</i> | <i>OFFICE CLOSED 19th Hole CLOSED</i> | <i>Senior Golf 8:30 am Dinner Service Closed 19th Hole 11-4</i> | <i>LGA 9 am UPPER DECK ONLY A la Carte 5:30-9:00 "Steak Night"</i> | <i>Senior Golf 8:30 am 19th Hole Open 11-4 A la Carte 5:30-9:00 Literacy Lunch</i> | <i>19th Hole Open 11:00-4:00 A la Carte 5:30-9:00</i> | <i>Members Dining Upper Deck 19th Hole Open 11-4 A la Carte 5:30-9:00 Wedding MDR</i> |

Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday • 19th Hole Hours: Open 6 Days a Week from 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (CLOSED ON MONDAYS)

Dining Hours: Wednesday - Saturday from 5:30 - 9:00 p.m. *Reservations Recommended* • 4th Sundays: Brunch from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. *Reservations Recommended*