

# August 2015 Newsletter



## Pro's Corner

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## Greetings to Membership,

Congratulations: Special congratulations to Mr. Sherwood. Sherwood had a hole in one July 22nd on number 8. The hole played 167 yards, and the shot was witnessed by J.B. Hollowell and Denny Caksackkar.

## Men's Member Guest

The Men's Member Guest is nearing a full field. Please don't hesitate if interested in signing up. Please complete application and pay all fees. Entry fee is \$240.00. Date for this event is September 12-13. I will be ordering shirts soon. Anyone who has signed up by August 5th will have their shirt sizes guaranteed. Anyone who drops after shirts have been ordered will have their entry fee refunded minus shirt cost. For those who have filled out application and not paid fees, please do so as soon as possible.

## Member Member

Inaugural Member Member will be August 7th and 8th. Currently we have 4 flights in this event. If you are interested, please contact the Golf Shop to be placed on waiting list. **Tee times are available on Saturday, August 8th, starting at 11:00 AM. The course will be closed Saturday morning until 11:00 AM.** Deadline is Monday, August 3rd at 5:00 PM.

## Ladies' Golf Clinic

Ladies' Golf clinics will continue in August. The scheduled time is 5:30 pm on Wednesday August 12th and 26th. Fee for the clinic is \$10 per student. Please contact the Golf Shop before 3 pm each Wednesday to sign up.

## RHCC Club Championship

The Club Championship is set for August 22nd & 23rd. Entry fee of \$20.00 is due when signing up. You may sign up in the Golf Shop, or you may sign up over the telephone with a credit card. The tournament will be broken into men's flights, ladies' flights, senior men's flights, and super senior men's flights. If we have enough participation, we will have both senior and super seniors divisions. Super seniors begin at age 65.

## Ladies' Member Guest

The Day League Member Guest is August 18th. The tournament will begin at 9 AM. Registration will begin at 8:15 am the day of tournament. Deadline is August 15.

The Night League Member Guest is August 29th. The tournament will begin at 8:30 AM. Registration will begin at 7:30 the day of the tournament. There will be a luau and dance Saturday evening.

## August Golf Schedule

August 4, 11, 25	Ladies' Day	9:00 AM & 5:30 PM
August 7 & 8	Member Member Tournament	7:30 AM
August 12, 26	Ladies' Golf Clinic	5:30 PM
August 13, 27	Men's Scramble	5:30 PM
August 14, 28	Couples Golf	5:30 PM
August 18	Ladies' Day Member Guest	9:00 AM
August 22 & 23	Club Championship	8:00 AM
August 29	Ladies' Night Member Guest	8:30 AM

In closing, the Golf Staff is here to serve you. Please do not hesitate to contact us.

*All the best in golf, Kevin Rhinehart*

## News from the Golf Course

This has been a summer to remember. The heat and humidity has been oppressive over the last few weeks. This, combined with some record rainfall, has made our job very interesting and busy on the golf course.

**Greens:** The hot topic, and I mean hot! The extreme heat and rainfall has left our greens putting surfaces struggling to make it through these last few weeks. Whenever you combine the hot temperatures, rain, and humidity, it is a lethal mix for growing bentgrass greens in areas with little to no air movement. This is what has happened here on our greens. Our staff is making every effort to keep any and all grass alive that we can. We need some help from Mother Nature in the form of cooler nighttime temperatures. This relief should come soon. We will then begin the recovery process.

**Fairways, Tees, Roughs:** The not-so-hot topic. The weather that makes it hard to grow good bentgrass is ideal for growing Bermuda and Zoysia in our fairways, tees, and roughs. Sometimes if we miss a day mowing for any reason, it is hard to get back on top of cutting these grasses. This is a good thing to have but sometimes makes it hard to find balls in the roughs. We are mowing every day if possible.

That is about all to report from the golf course now. We will keep you updated with any further news in future emails. Thanks.

*David Farris, Golf Course Superintendent and Staff*

# Board of Directors' Meeting

The August meeting of the RHCC Board of Directors will be Monday, August 10th, at 6:00 PM at the Rolling Hills Clubhouse. All members are invited to attend.



**Saturday, August 1st**

RHCC members playing their musical instruments with their friends on the back porch at the Clubhouse. Sound like fun??? This Saturday night, everyone is invited to join in. Bring your instrument and play -- or come and listen to the music. Bring your lawn chairs!! If you will be playing, please sign up on the Bulletin Board at the Clubhouse.

## 2015 Member/Member Golf Tournament

**August 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> -- (Friday & Saturday)**

Sign up now for the inaugural Rolling Hills Country Club Member/Member Golf Tournament that will be held on **August 7th and 8th**, 2015 (Friday/Saturday). This tournament will include a men and women's division (participation based). Each flight will consist of 6 teams. The number of flights/tournament will depend upon participation and will be finalized as a derivative of 6. This event will be based on a first-come, first-in, basis. Example: If there are 21 teams that complete an application and pay their entry fee, on the entry deadline date only the first 18 paid teams will be allowed entry into the tournament. Format does not allow for a partial flight. Entry fee will be \$80.00. Applications are available in the Golf Shop.

**Entry deadline date is Monday, August 3rd at 5:00 PM.**

Shotgun start on Friday and Saturday at 7:30 AM. Course on Friday will re-open at 4:30 PM. Course on Saturday will re-open at 11:00 AM. Tee times for Saturday are available beginning at 11:00 AM.

Each team will play in 5 separate 9 hole matches. The match will be four-ball match play (Best Ball Partners). A team will receive a point for each hole they win, ½ point for a hole halved. An extra point will be awarded for the winner of each match. Cumulative score will determine each flight winner. In each match the low handicap player

will play scratch. The other players' handicaps will first be reduced by the low handicap players and then by 50%. Since the match is only 9 holes, there may be a case of odd strokes, and the player will receive a ½ stroke. All players must have an active/current handicap through the G.H.I.N. system prior to August 1, 2015, for flight/scorecard calculations.

There will be an opportunity for each team to participate in 3 different activities/games within the tournament.

**30 Point Club** – Entry Fee: \$40.00 total for the Weekend (Optional) (Per Team paid before first match on Friday) - After both days of competition, any team with a point total of 30 points or higher will be in the “30 Point Club”. These teams will split the entire pot evenly.

**The Slaughter Tournament** - \$20.00 Per Day (Optional) (Per team paid before the first match each day) – Awarded to the Team with the highest point total within each flight each day.

**The Rally Tournament** – Entry Fee: \$20.00 paid on Saturday Only (Optional) (Per Team paid before first match on Saturday) – Only the last two teams in each flight qualify to participate in this activity/game. The winner will be determined by the Team that accumulates the most points on Day 2.



## Ladies Golf Association Day League Member Guest Tournament

**DATE: TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2015**

**REGISTRATION: 8:15 AM – 8:45 AM (CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST SERVED.)**

**TEE TIME: 9:00 AM**

**COST: \$40.00 FOR ALL LEAGUE MEMBERS**

**\$50.00 FOR NON-LEAGUE MEMBERS**

**CHECKS ONLY PLEASE**

**DEADLINE TO SIGN UP: SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 2015**

**WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO A FUN-FILLED DAY OF GOLF FOLLOWED BY LUNCH AND THE PRESENTATION OF AWARDS. YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS OUT.**

**SIGN UP IN THE PRO SHOP OR THE LADIES' ROOM.**



## Ladies' Golf Association Night League Celebrates 50th Member

The RHCC Night Ladies Golf League celebrated its 50<sup>th</sup> member on July 21! Even though the temperatures have gotten a little warm, the Night Ladies continue to have a great turnout each Tuesday night. Please come out and play golf with us! There is plenty of golf left to play this season and lots of socializing, so if you have not joined the Ladies' Golf League, please do so. Please call the Pro Shop (270-554-3025) by 4:30 on Tuesday if you wish to play. Dinner follows play on most Tuesday nights.



## Ladies' Night League Member Guest Tournament, Luau and Dance

Save the Date—August 29!

Ladies—dust off your hula skirts and join us for a great tournament and party! The Night Ladies League will be hosting their annual Member/Guest golf tournament on Saturday, August 29. Format for the tournament is a two-lady scramble. Registration forms for the tournament are available in the Ladies Lounge and are also included at the end of this newsletter. The Registration Fee for this years' tournament is \$75 - \$85 for non-LGA members which includes breakfast, lunch, the luau, dance, and a gift for each tournament participant. For the first time in many years, the tournament will be held before the pool is closed, so in addition to the golf tournament, the ladies will host a Luau and Dance poolside (weather permitting!) for their guests and club members. Please note: the Luau and Dance is an adult party (21 and over) that will be held after the pool's regular hours, so please no children.

# Men's Night Scramble & Steak Night

Men's Night Golf League continues on Thursday nights at RHCC. Sign up for Men's Scramble each Thursday night by 4:30 PM. To compete in the season-end Finale, you must play in at least 8 Thursday night scrambles. Contact the Golf Shop for more information.

Grill your own delicious ribeye, enjoy a tossed salad, baked potato and garlic bread -- only \$12.

Or choose baked potato and salad only -- \$5.

# Directors' Cup

There are plenty of spots available for the 2015 Director's Cup. The two-day event held on September 19th and 20th is a fantastic club event and has proven to be a great event on its own as well as a great warm-up for the annual Paxton Cup matches. If you have not signed up for this event, please do so in the Pro Shop as soon as possible. If you have any questions or need more information, contact Kevin Rhinehart at 270-554-3205.



Welcome to the newest members of our RHCC family. We are excited you have joined our Club!

Brett & Kiki Miller	Kevin & Liz Latta
Matt & Miranda Scott	Barry & Debbie Wallace

# "Meet the Members"

Each month in the newsletter, we have a brief write-up about a selected member or members here at Rolling Hills. This will help to introduce our members to the entire club as well as share interesting memories and information about our club in general and members in particular. Featured in the August newsletter is the Cash family. Please read about them as they share their RHCC experience with us.



**Sue and Jim Cash**

Sue and Jim Cash have been members of RHCC since February, 1965. We moved to Paducah in August, 1964, and joined RHCC which became a place to meet friends, play golf and have fun. We remember all the dances and New Year's Eve dance with bands from Nashville with formal dress.

We played in the first DUKE & DUCHESS -- and are still playing. Sue has played in EVERY one.

We are the only family where both of us served as Presidents of RHCC, Jim, October, 1974 to March, 1990. These were growing years with dues at 12.50 per month with 300 plus members growing to 400 and then to 500 with a waiting list of 100 plus.

Jim met with the owners of the club and started talks for the membership to buy the club. The Board of Directors authorized Jim to see if we could purchase the Club. The club was purchased and developed.

Jim served on the Board as a director November, 1974; Treasurer December, 1974 to October, 1977; and President November, 1977 to March, 1990. In 1979. Jim started the Club's first Pro Shop.

Sue was President from October, 2007 to October, 2009 and served on the Board until October, 2010.

During our membership, there has been many change --, the Bar in the area in front of Men's rest room to our club house improvements. Our golf course has grass, not rocks and weeds, for green. We have great greens that are playable the year round.

Rolling Hills has always been a club that has done great things with little finances, and I hope that I see the day we burn our MORTGAGE.

Over the years, our membership has been a big part of our life; and we have had many wonderful friendships made, many that have moved out of town and some that have passed.

**OUR CLUB IS A PLACE TO CREATE MANY FRIENDS.**

# Swimming Pool News

School will be back in session starting in early August. During this time, we will continue to have lifeguards on duty at the pool each school day starting at 3:30 PM until close. Lifeguards will also be on duty on the weekends. RHCC members may swim at their own risk during regular pool hours when lifeguards are not on duty, but an adult must be present.

## Swimming Pool Reminder:

1. Children under 12 MUST have an adult with them.
  - a. Adult should accompany children under 12 to the bar area to get drink/popcorn. This is a liability issue.
2. No outside food is allowed at the pool when the snack shack is open Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. This is part of our agreement with those providing food for us at these times.
3. Membership cards are required and checked. If you don't want to carry your card—take a picture front & back. You always have your phone with you!
4. Please DO NOT visit with the lifeguards. They are there to watch the pool. Distractions can lead to trouble.



# RHCC NIGHT LADIES MEMBER GUEST TOURNAMENT &



Join the Night Ladies for a Saturday of great golf and fun.  
Registration fee \$75 for LGA Member and \$85 for non league members.  
Registration includes the tournament, lunch, luau, dance and a gift for each player.

(Must be 21 or older to play)

RHCC Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest: \_\_\_\_\_

Pairing Request: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Information (please check one)

Day League Member     Night League Member     Non-LGA Member

Please make checks payable to RHCC LGA.

Return forms and fees to the RHCC ProShop or insert into an envelope on the Pro Shop Bulletin Board.