

Gift Certificates

Not sure what to get that one person for the holidays? Gift Certificates in any quantity for the club, course, and pro shop are always on sale. You can designate them for food & beverage, green & cart fees, for shop merchandise, or leave it open ended and up to your future guest to use. Contact the office or golf shop.

Winter Facility Closures

The Pro Shop, Cart Barn, and Locker Rooms close December 1st. See the Pro's News for dates for their holiday sales.

The Club is Closed for Christmas December 24th through 26th.

The Club closes for winter at 5 pm on New Year's Eve. We'll reopen in March.

Upcoming Dining Closures

Sat. Dec. 3rd: Party within a Party; Grillroom Only for Regular Dining

Sat. Dec. 10th: Grillroom Only

Sat. Dec. 17th: Adult Holiday Mixer; Regular Dining Ends at 2 pm

Sun. Dec. 18th: Kids' Christmas Party; No Regular Dining until after 4 pm



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FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE CLUB ~ DAN HORNER

Another year at LCC is coming to a close. If we don't see you for the Kids' Christmas Party or Adult Holiday Mixer, hopefully we'll see you and your family enjoying dinner by the fire or with your friends at the bar celebrating the holidays.

Please remember that money towards the Staff Gift Fund is still being collected. We have a great staff of non-management employees who work hard all season long to provide you with the best course, service, and food. Money raised is divided among the hourly staff members in the form of gift cards, just in time for the busy holiday season.

Also be sure to thank the management staff when you see them for their hard work and continuing effort to improve our club every year: Bill Elliott, General Manager; John Klinchock, Golf Pro; John Hugo, Superintendent; Bobbie Jo Farrell,

Front of House Manager; Rich Hammond, Exec Chef; Jessica Cameron, Sous Chef; Marcia Macey, Membership and Banquet Director; and Beth Porter, Controller.

Next year will be an exciting one here at LCC. As long as the weather cooperates over the winter, the front of the clubhouse will be transformed upon when you make your first visit of 2017. Land should be moved and leveled for the pavilion construction, and once the weather breaks for spring it just a matter of time until the structure is up, furnishing go in, and the woodfired pizza oven starts burning. We can't wait to see what all this new outdoor area adds to everyone's experience here at the club. We will continue to accept donations through the winter and the length of the project. Just contact the office if you need a new donation form.

From our Golf Pro ~ John

Happy Holiday season from the Golf Shop, we hope that you and your Family are blessed with good health and prosperity throughout 2017.

The Annual Golf Shop Holiday Sale, come and shop for some great deals, we will gift wrap your purchase, and you can always enjoy a snack or adult beverage. We have new arrivals for Cutter & Buck, save \$50 on Mizuno Wedges, and save up to \$50-\$100 on putters.

The days that still remain are as follows:
Saturday, Dec. 3rd from 11-3,

Saturday, Dec. 17th from 5-7 for the Adult Holiday Mixer,

Sunday, Dec. 18th from 11am-2 for the Kids Christmas Party.

As always, Free Gift Wrapping, Holiday Adult Cheer, Holiday Munchies, Free Raffle. See you here!

The Hole In One Club pot has currently been suspended as of Saturday

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...more from our golf pro:

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October 29th, the money will roll into the 2017 season. Congratulations to Carol Clawson who scored a Hole-In-One on Friday Nov. 18th on #4.

Free Imprinting on Titleist Golf Balls- sales have been brisk this year, please get your order to us by Monday December 5 in order to guarantee arrival for Holiday gift giving. The personalization is free on all Titleist products. If you have ordered any items from the shop we will contact you whenever they arrive so that you make arrangements to pick up your product, please call the Golf Shop at 724-238-7620 ext #3. We can absolutely have every product drop shipped in time for the Holidays. Feel free to email me at jklinchock@yahoo.com.

We have been very lucky as a club to have a strong leadership team which is easy to work with and always keeps the member as their number one priority. The team is led by Bill Elliott, John Hugo, Bobbi Jo Farrell, Beth Porter, Marcia Macey, Rich Hammond, and Ray Marsh .

On behalf of the Golf Shop and all of our employees we wish to Thank You for a wonderful season. While you are clanking your champagne glasses together on New Year's Eve, make a pledge to yourself that "I will get out and

play more GOLF in 2017!"

The 2nd Annual Pumpkin Par 3 winners were as follows:

1st place team: Marge Burns, Ron Burns, Patricia Warren, Terry Warren

Tie-2nd place team: Holly Hall, Greg Caruso, Bill Hough, Karen Hough

T-2nd Gerry Quinn, Brian Quinn, BJ Torau, Jay Vreeland

T-2nd Walt Shutter, Rick Stephenson, David Nelson, Barry Novotny

Low Gross

Ladies: Sheila Kassel

Men: BJ Torau

Low Net

Ladies: Patricia Warren

Men: Rick Stephenson

Proximity Winners

#1 Tony Moroca

#2 David Nelson

#6 Art Hawk

#7 Ron Lattanzio

#10 Ron Lattanzio

#12 Pat Warren

#15 Jay Vreeland

#16 Tom Gessner

**Congratulations to all our winners
and Thank you to all who played!**

Welcome New Members

Edward Elliott

sponsored by Karen Murphy

Glenna Kane

Donald Kirkland

sponsored by Joe Panigall

Alan Miller

Troy Miller

Thomas Pifferretti

sponsored by Gary Rigoni

Kelly McCoy

Clubhouse Corner

*Monday Closed; Tues-Thurs 11:30 a - 8 p;
Fri-Sat 11:30 - 9 pm; Sun 11:30 a - 8 p*



LAST CHANCE

December 1st marks the beginning of last chances for a number of our dishes every year. Some items may not be available the later into the month we get.



TURKEY TROT

Thank you to everyone who attending the Turkey Trot! We raised over \$2,000 for local food banks.



HOLIDAY PLATTERS

Let us help you out with your family gatherings. Give us at least two hours notice and we can have a variety of items ready for you. Call for more information.

Calendar of EVENTS

December

3rd Party within a Party Night 6 pm

Reservation Only; Regular dining will be available in the Grillroom ALL DAY.

10th Ladies Holiday Charity Brunch 9:15 am

17th Adult Holiday Mixer 6 pm

Fills up fast! Clubhouse closes for regular dining at 2 pm. \$38 inc. includes buffet and entertainment. Call 724-238-7620 ext 2.

18th Kids' Christmas Party 12 pm

Sold out at time of printing. Call to be added to the waiting list. Regular dining will resume after 3 pm.

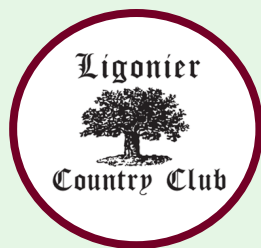
24-26th Christmas Holiday Club Closed

We'll be spending the time with our families and hope you and your family enjoy the holidays as well.

31st New Year's Eve Open 11 am to 5 pm

We'll close at 5 pm on Saturday, Dec. 31st and reopen in March.

30th All-You-Can-Eat Scampi/Pasta Bar 5 pm



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2017 Season Billing Schedule

Please remember that all membership changes including category changes and resignations must be received in writing by the office. Please notify the office of any changes before the first dues billing.

Membership renews automatically unless the office is notified. Send letters to PO Box 597, Ligonier, PA 15658 or emails to contact@ligoniercountryclub.com.

December 31, 2016

- First Installment* of Golf Dues (for those who didn't pre-pay early) charged
- Corporate dues charged in full

January 31, 2017

- Second Installment of Golf Dues
- Social and Non-resident dues charged in full

February 28th

- Third Installment of Golf Dues

March 31st

- Last installment of Golf Dues
- Lockers— \$70/year— charged to all golfers
- Handicap System charged \$25 year, based on 2016 list**

* 8 Month installments are from December 31st to July 31st—contact office to arrange

**Notify the office if you don't plan to use the handicap system (GHIN) in 2017

Reminder: Minimums run from March to December
The clubhouse opens the first Friday of March. See the club policies for information about the Minimum Rollover Policy or contact the office. Rollover requests for March and/or April must be received by March 15th.

Annual Holiday Charity Brunch Saturday, December 10th

Make your plans to attend the annual Holiday Charity Brunch on December 10th! Breakfast "cheer" begins at 9:15 followed by brunch at 10:00.

ALL female club members are encouraged to bring a friend and attend this fun social event. Each attendee is asked to make a donation of \$10.00. A drawing will take place after brunch and the winner will determine the charity that benefits from the amassed donations.

Melane Baraniak, event hostess, promises an enjoyable morning, delicious meal and great company!

Please contact Marcia by December 3rd to make your reservations.
724-238-7620 ext 6 or marcia@ligoniercountryclub.com



ANNUAL HOLIDAY STAFF GIFT FUND

We know you're asked to donate a lot at this time of year, but this cause is important to us as it allows us to properly thank our wonderful Wait Staff, Kitchen Staff, Grounds Crew, & Pro Shop team for all their hard work throughout the year

We are currently accepting monetary gifts from members that would like to give a special thanks to our non-management employees. The money collected will be divided among our 31 hourly, full- and part-time staff members.

Please note that all gift checks must be written separately from payments for monthly dues/bills and must be received by December 12th. Furthermore, please indicate on that separate check that you wish it to go to our Staff Gift Fund so it is allocated correctly. (Checks are not deposited until December.)

*THANK YOU FROM THE STAFF OF LCC
FOR ANOTHER GREAT YEAR!*

*HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM OUR FAMILY
TO YOURS!*