

The Ligonier Links

LIGONIER COUNTRY CLUB 90TH SEASON

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FROM THE BOARD

The aerification process will begin on September 8th. It is a necessary evil for all golf courses and we thank you for your patience. We also thank John Hugo and his grounds crew for their handling a tough year of extremes (extremely wet to extremely dry) and still providing a course in top condition. If you see them, be sure to thank them for their hard work.

Don't put those golf clubs away just because it's September! Fall is the best time to golf at LCC and we still have some great

events coming up: Men's Stag, 5-Man Scramble, and the Chili Classic.

The 3rd Annual Fall Festival is fast approaching. Tickets are still available. Bring your friends and family for a great day on September 12th.

Lastly, LCC is a great place to hold showers, retirement parties, birthday parties, rehearsals, and holiday get-togethers. Call Allison at ext 6 to plan your next event. No party is too small.

*-Dan Horner
Club President*

LADIES' GOLF ASSOCIATION

Although summer is winding down, there are still many golf results to report. The Ladies Golf Association held several events this month. The King and Queens Tournament was won by the team of Gerry Quinn, Karen Hough, Sheryl Hershock and Karen Quinn. Proximity winners were: Dan McDonald, longest drive on 9 and closest to the pin on 17 and Gerry Quinn ,

longest drive on 14. We would like to thank the gentlemen who participated in the event: Ron Burns, Bob Giunta, Joe Griffith, Dan McDonald, Gerry Quinn and Ray Valosik.

The Ladies Classic, a net competition, was also played this month. First Place was won by Marge Burns, Second Place Dorothy Stein, Third Place Enis Cassill and Fourth Place Betty Rosa. Betty Rosa did a wonderful job planning a great day for us.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

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| September 2 | Men's Stag 1:00 pm Shotgun |
| September 4 | YMCA Pre-Polo Party Clubhouse Closes at 3p |
| September 6 | 5-Man Scramble 9:15 am Shotgun |
| September 8 | Aerification Begins See below for closures |
| September 12 | Fall Fest 2 pm to 7 pm No Regular Dining after 1 pm |
| September 19 | Obush/Sheerer Wedding Clubhouse Closes at 2p |
| September 29 | Ladies' Closing Day |
| October 2 | Pitt-Greensburg Outing Clubhouse Opens at 4p |
| October 3 | Chili Classic 12:00 pm Shotgun |

**All LCC Facilities will be Closed
Tuesday, September 8th**

**The Pro Shop will also be Closed
Wednesday, September 9th**

**The Clubhouse will be
closed for Lunch:**

Wednesday, September 9th

Thursday, September 10th

We will open for Dinner at 5 pm

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Thanks to Holly Hall Caruso for hosting a terrific Friends Day this year.

Congratulations to Sheila Kassel, 2015's Women's Club Champion and Karen Hough who won lowest net.

Our closing day golf and dinner event will be held September 29th. Details and a sign-up sheet will be available in the locker room.

The Ladies Golf Association would like to extend an invitation to all female golfing members of Ligonier Country Club to join our organization. For more information about membership, please contact one of our officers.

-Tish McKeown,
Secretary

MINIMUM ROLLOVER POLICY

Just a reminder to those planning on heading south or other locations in the next few months: Our minimum rollover policy is mainly in place to accommodate those who spend the winter months out of the area.

Please remember:

- minimums cannot be rolled into next year
- one whole month is rolled into one other month
- requests must be received in writing 15 days prior to the first month affected.

So, if you plan on being gone December your request to roll back into November needs to

be in by Oct 15th, and if you're going to be gone in Nov and Dec, your request to roll back into Sept and Oct must be received in the next two weeks.

For more on this policy, or to submit your request, see the policies online or contact the office at 724-238-7620 ext 5 or contact@ligoniercountryclub.com.

LADIES' CLOSING DAY

Tuesday, September 29th

Noon Shotgun

*Proximity Prizes, Cocktails,
and Dinner to Follow*

Sign Up in the Locker room

September Nightly Specials (Eat In Only)

Tuesdays: \$6.99 Spaghetti & Meatballs Dinner

Wednesdays: \$8.99 Hobo Platter

(Kielbasa, Sauerkraut,
& Mashed Potatoes or Pierogies)

ALSO:

.50 Cent Steamed Shrimp
(in orders of 5, with drink purchase)

Throwback Thursday:

\$10 Tie-Breaker

(6 oz bacon-wrapped tenderloin placed on toast points—an old member favorite!)

Saturday Scampi/Pasta Bar:
September 26th



AUGUST 2015 RECAP

Over 230 members, guests, children and grandchildren attended our 12th Annual Family Fun Day on Sunday, August 2nd.

We had great weather and hope everyone had a great time!

Take a look at some pictures from the day on the website Members' Area photo gallery via Flickr or on our Facebook page.

Mark your 2016 calendar for the first Sunday in August for the 13th Annual Family Fun Day!

FROM THE PRO

It is hard to imagine that the same keyboard/computer that wrote in June that “the rain will not stop” is now writing “we haven’t had rain in several weeks.” The really big difference is that no one has come in to say “I am getting too much roll.”

The Golf Shop wishes to thank all those that have participated in the events, purchased items through the shop, and used the facility throughout the year. We truly appreciate your continued support!!!

You will find in this edition all of the results from the Club Championship, as well as all upcoming events.

Club Championship Results---

Please join me in Congratulating all of our winners from this years Club Championship. Special Thanks goes out to all that participated! The Winners were:

Championship Flight-Ist Ray Nelson (Playoff Winner)

2nd David Strauser

1st Flight- Ist Bill Hough T2nd Walter Shutter-Joe Pianko

2nd Flight- Ist Jim Mendillo 2nd Rich Stephenson

3rd Flight- Ist Joe Griffith T2nd

Bob Jacobs-David Purnell

4th Flight- Ist Terry Warren 2nd

Matt Terchick

5th Flight- Ist Gerry Quinn Sr.

2nd Harry Harbaugh

Ladies Championship-Shiela

Kassel

1st Net-Karen Hough

The upcoming Golf Events are:

Sunday September 6th-5 Person

Scramble--9:15 Shotgun start-

The Scramble will be well attended this year once again, we will have one twist to the game this year. Six greens will have 2 pins on them, if you wish to put to that pin you will be able to deduct one shot off your score, the only problem will be that those pins will probably be really hard, front of #9, top of #12, etc. We will have the rules and regulations clearly marked on the carts, as well as a full explanation prior to play. You will have fun with a twist!!!

Airify Greens Sept 8th-9th the Golf Shop will be closed, bag room, and cart barn. In case of rain the Golf Shop will be open, please watch your e-Mail.

The Golf Shop will be closed both Tuesday and Wednesday the 8th and 9th of

SEPTEMBER. If you need your clubs please make sure that

you get them prior to leaving property on Labor Day.

Ligonier—Elks Challenge

Matches September 19th-20th Ligonier will host on Saturday, just as in prior years Dan Horner is in charge of the teams and priority will be given to players that can participate both days. Please phone Dan 724-537-7000 to sign up.

Ladies Closing Day-Tuesday Sept 29th Noon Shotgun

Chili Classic-(hard to believe) Saturday October 3rd with a Noon Shotgun. Open to all members and their guests, you may sign up as a team of 4 or sign up as a single and we will pair you. Remember, it is not called the Chili Classic for nothing-we play rain, sleet, snow, or shine (as evidenced last year). Guests are welcome.

Mystery Bus Trip-details are still being discussed.

The Practice Range- will close in early October.

The Golf Shop continues to receive inventory now thru the Holiday season. Please stop by to see whats new and trending.

Golf Shop Credit the remainder of your Golf Shop Credit must be used by Oct 24th, credit does not run from year to year. Thank you for

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participating throughout the entire year.

Tee Times for the future are as follows

Weekday the Golf Shop will open at 7:30 with the 1st time to begin at 8am, and the weekend will start with the shop opening at 7:00, and the 1st time starting at 7:30 throughout the rest of September. (After Labor Day Weekend)

The Golf Shop-we will not be open any Monday in September or October, except Labor Day.

Thank You

*John Klinchok,
PGA Golf Professional*

5-MAN SCRAMBLE

Sunday, September 6th

9:15 Shotgun

Continental Breakfast before and Lunch Following

\$65 per person

Golf Members Only

2016 Twist!

**Six greens will have a second, harder pin placement
Chose to sink your putt in the higher difficulty hole and
deduct a stroke from your score!**

**Does your team play it safe? Or do you go for the
challenge? Or is it a great way to catch up to those ringers
somewhere else on the course?**

No matter what: it will be a fun twist!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Glenn Garrison

Sponsored by Gary Garrison

Ryan Matsko

Keith & Lisa Forsythe

Sponsored by Robert & Cynthia
Jackson

September Guest Golf Special Sept 11th thru Sept 18th

One Member and Three Guests for just \$100

Includes Green Fee and Cart (50% savings)

Tee Times Required 724-238-7620 ext 3

**Socials Included and Does Not Count Towards Your 2 Rounds and No Time
Restrictions; Closed Monday, Sept 14th**

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FALL HOURS

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| Sunday | 11:30 pm to 8 pm |
| Monday | Closed |
| Tues- Sat | 11:30 am to 9 pm |

Open Labor Day,
11 am to 4 pm
with a lunch buffet

Mark Your Calendars for these Great Fall Events

CHILI CLASSIC

Saturday, October 3rd

Awards Night and End of Year Celebration

*Golf AND Social Members!
Don't miss the final golf event of the season!*

*11:00 am
Noon
5:00
6:00*

*Chili before Golf
Shotgun
Cocktails
Harvest Dinner Buffet:
Four carved meats, harvest vegetables, mashed
potatoes, salad bar, pumpkin and apple desserts*



*Event cost: \$65 (includes cart, prizes, chili, dinner and entertainment)
Everyone is welcome to attend the dinner! (\$30 just dinner)
Call to Sign Up by Sept. 30th*

Turkey Trot Night

Food Bank Fundraiser

Saturday, November 7th

Drink Specials, Basket Raffles,

Turkey Giveaways (just in time for Thanksgiving)

Entertainment by Hamilton Avenue Band

