

## Ligonier Links

December 2022

### From The Board

#### James Sarver, Club President

Winter is officially here and golf season is (mostly) over but the festivities are still here for everyone to enjoy! December is set to be an eventful month starting with Ladies Brunch on December 10th at 11am, followed by The Party within a Party that same night starting at 6pm with cocktails and dinner at 7pm. We will also be hosting the Kids Christmas party on December 17th followed by The Adult Mixer that evening. Please be sure to call and put in your reservations for these fun events!

December is the time for giving and there's no better way to give than to our annual Toys for Tots hosted at the club. Please see Sean's news below for those announcements.

Speaking of giving, please considering donating to our annual Holiday Staff Gift Fund. Our staff works tirelessly to provide all of us with an amazing experience every time we are at the club. Our hardworking staff deserves so much praise and thanks so please show your appreciation by donating to this great fund. It's our way to give back to the staff and do something nice for them during the holidays!

We look forward to seeing everyone at our holiday parties and if we don't see you, The Board and myself wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! Here's to 2022!

### From The Social Committee

#### Karen Hough

Thank you to everyone who attended the Turkey Trot on November 12th, and those who left donations of non-perishables for the Ligonier Food Pantry.

A nice car load of items was picked up along with a check for over \$1,500.

#### December Activities:

As we come to end of our 2022 Season, don't forget to plan to attend our December activities listed below:

As always, look for emails with more detailed information about our upcoming activities and be sure to make your reservation early!!

PS: As you plan for the Holiday Season, when possible, please consider supporting our local small businesses.

### Upcoming Events

[Ladies' Holiday Brunch](#), Dec 10

[Party within a Party](#), Dec 10th - a party for your small party!

[Kid's Christmas Party](#), Dec 17th

[Adult Holiday Mixer](#), Dec 17th

### December Buffets every Friday starting at 5 pm

Dec. 9th: Italian Buffet  
Dec. 16th: Prime Rib Buffet  
Dec. 23rd: Italian Buffet

Make your reservations today!

724-238-7620 ext 2-2

### Welcome New Members

Bruce Antkowiak ~ Philip  
Giunto and Amy Lettrich

Welcome Back

Jim Cooper

### 2023 Billing and Fees

**Guest Rounds** (must take cart)

Golfer Immediate Family: \$70

weekday, \$80 weekend

Social Immediate Family: \$75 weekday,  
\$85 weekend

All other Guests: \$80 weekday, \$90  
weekend

**Social Rounds** (must take cart): \$70  
weekday, \$80 weekend

**Non-Resident Green Fee** (\$30 cart  
optional): \$40 weekday, \$50 weekend

\*weekend pricing is Friday, Saturday,  
Sunday and Holidays

**GHIN** (handicap system) with Cap  
Patrol

\$35 for the year (prices are set by the  
services)

Billed according to 2022's list; You  
must tell the office by March 15th if  
don't plan to use the system in 2023;  
fee is non-refundable after 3/31/23

#### 2023 Unlimited Cart

**Passes** Discounted to \$800 (per  
person) until 12/31/2022

**2023 Guest Deal** expires 12/15/2022:  
\$90 for one round of golf with cart and  
\$30 food & beverage certificate,  
contact the office to purchase or for  
details

**2023 Dues:** if you didn't take  
advantage of the prepay offers, dues  
will renew on 12/31/22 unless you  
have informed the office of resignation  
by writing.

Golf and Evening Dues are billed in 4 by  
default beginning 12/31/2022

Social Dues are billed in full on  
1/31/2023



## HOLIDAY SPECIAL

\$90 wine and Salmon Pate

Collefrisio Fallanghina

Collefrisio Morrecine

Casali Maniago Chardonnay

Please call the Grill Room at ext 2-2

**24 hour notice required**

**While supplies last**



LIGONIER COUNTRY CLUB'S 3RD ANNUAL

## Toys for Tots Stuff-A-Cart

*Saturday, December 10*  
*Drop Off Time: (11 AM - 4 PM)*

- The past two years we were able to stuff (8) Golf Carts and purchase over \$800 in toys for those in need
- This year will be no different as we will once again have a toy drop off and raffle to support our local store, The Ligonier Tree House
- \*\*You can either drop toys off before, on the day or do the raffle

**Raffle Prizes**

- (1) Foursome to Diamond Run Golf Club
- (1) Foursome to Indiana Country Club
- (1) Foursome to Westmoreland Country Club
- (1) Foursome to Glengary Golf Links
- (1) Foursome to Hannastown GC
- (3) Free Guest Passes
- Bushnell Tour V5 Rangefinder
- G-Tech Hand Warming Pouch
- HyperIce 2 Massage Gun



**Raffle Square Prices**

1 Square- \$10    3 Squares-\$20    8 Squares-\$50

## Winter Events

December 10th

**Party Within a Party**

Enjoy a dinner, dessert and fun at LCC for the Party  
Within a Party starting at 6

December 17th

**Kids Party**

Get the whole family together to celebrate the Holiday  
Season with carriage rides and dining at LCC. Buffet at 12

December 17th

**Adult Mixer**

Live music, dining and dancing  
5 o'clock arrival, 6 o'clock appetizers

November		DECEMBER 01, 2022			January	
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	1 05:00pm DAR  05:00pm BPW	2	3 11:00am Gilmore Shower
4	5 Club Closed	6 Club Closed	7 11:00am YMCA Senior Swim  05:30pm Stablein Dinner	8 06:00pm LVHS Cheer	9 05:00pm Italian Buffet	10 Event Only after 3  11:00am Ladies' Brunch  06:00pm Party within a Party
11	12 Club Closed	13 Club Closed	14 05:00pm Ligonier Chamber	15	16 05:00pm Prime Rib Buffet  06:00pm Forks Ladies  06:30pm Flickinger Dinner	17 Events Only  12:00pm Kids' Christmas Party  06:00pm Adult Holiday Mixer
18	19 Club Closed	20 Club Closed	21	22	23 05:00pm Italian Buffet	24 Closed
25 Closed  Christmas	26 Closed	27 Club Closed	28	29	30	31 Close at 5 for winter
<div> <div>Events</div> <div>Holidays</div> <div>DEFAULT</div> <div>Dining Specials</div> <div>Ladies' Event</div> <div>Pavilion Event</div> <div>Club Event</div> <div>Golf Course</div> <div>Entertainment</div> <div>Groups</div> <div>Shop Event</div> <div>Juniors</div> <div>All Categories ...</div> </div>						

**Dining Hours: 724-238-7620 press 2, ext. 2** (last reservations half hour before close)

*Dinner Reservations Required by 4 pm; We reserve the right to close one hour early if there are no reservations.*

Wednesdays & Thursdays 12:00 pm to 8:00 pm; Fridays & Saturdays 12:00 am to 9:00 pm

Sundays 11:00 am to 4:00 pm (Brunch Menu Only);

Closed Mondays and Tuesdays

Dear Members,

As the year comes to an end, we can say thank you in many ways. A big thank you goes out to all that supported the club during the 2022 Golf Season. By bringing guests, playing in events, purchasing golf products from the shop, and visiting the club on a regular basis, you have contributed to making 2022 successful at Ligonier Country Club.

Below you will see results from the entire year and a new segment of awards that showcase our members playability.

Lastly, a big thank you goes out to my staff for being a valuable part of the LCC family. Their hard work, dedication and drive make the Golf Operations very successful.

(Mike, Rick, Craig, Tim, Jeff, Colton, Parkes, Will, Ryan, Tyler, Cole, Stone, Amanda, Ade & Nico).

Don't forget, come December 1 there will only be 11 days remaining to shop and get all the great deals in the Golf Shop!

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

## **Golf Shop**

### **Golf Course (Month of December)**

**The Golf Course will be open the month of December**

**Golf Carts will be allowed when the Golf Shop is open**

**Golf Cart rulings will be determined based on the day**

### **December Guest Special**

**\$40- includes cart and green fee**

- **Golf Shop Credit will end on Saturday, December 17**
- **If you have yet to pick up your clubs or cart, please do so by December 17**

## **FLASH SALE!!**

- If you spend \$20 in Food and Beverage at the club- today (12/1), tomorrow or Saturday, you will get \$5 in Golf Shop Cash (aka "Sean Bucks") to use as you please.
- All that use their "Sean Bucks", will get entered for a chance to win a "Booze Basket". The "Booze Basket" drawing will be picked on Saturday, December 10 during our Toys for Tots raffle.

***Sean bucks must be used by Saturday, December 10***

## **TOYS FOR TOTS**

Ligonier and Ligonier Country Club is all about family, coming together, now is the time where we can give back this holiday season with our 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Toys for Tots.

This year we will once again have a toy drop off and raffle benefitting our local Toy Store. On Saturday,

### **Golf Shop Hours (December):**

*weather dependent*

**Wednesday through Saturday- 10:00 AM to 5:30 PM**

**Monday, Tuesday & Sunday- CLOSED**

December 10 we will have golf carts lined up in front of the shop where you can drop your toys off. If you cannot make the drop-off, we do have a box next to our Christmas Tree you can drop-off anytime or do the raffle instead.

We already have \$460 in donations, thank you to all who have donated to date!

## **GOLF SHOP HOLIDAY SALES**

**The Golf Shop will be having holiday sales through December 17<sup>th</sup>. Everything is on sale, including accessories. A few sales include:**

**-Buy 1 piece of apparel @ 30% OFF Retail**

**-Buy 2 pieces of apparel at 20% OFF Retail, Get 1 piece FREE (equal or lesser value)**

**-All Hats (\$15)**

**-Callaway Chrome Soft Dozens (\$40)**

### **LCC's 12 Days of Christmas Sale**

***This year, we're doing our 12 Days of Christmas sale a little different. Each Day, we will be sending out a special sale on top of our already great deals. Be sure to check your emails, you will not want to miss these!***



*On the first, second, third and fourth day of Christmas,  
the Golf Shop gave to me.....*

**1<sup>st</sup>- \$50 OFF ALL IN-STOCK GOLF BAGS**

**2<sup>nd</sup>- ProV1 Dozens- \$44, ChromeSoft- \$38;  
TaylorMade Tp5- \$40**

**3<sup>rd</sup>- \$50 OFF Bushnell Tour V5 Rangefinders**

**4<sup>th</sup>- Sean's Birthday Lesson Deal Adult- Buy 2  
Lessons, Get 1 Free (\$140) Junior- Buy 2 Lessons, Get  
1 Free (\$100)**

### **2022 Special Award Winners**

In the Spring, I wanted to start something different and tried to do the "Hassenplug Cup", that would benefit Golfer's who played in our events but did not get enough participation to do so. The Hassenplug Cup's name derives from Xen Hassenplug, our course designer.

What the event would have been, was a point system given to the winners of Major and Minor events. About 95 different Golfer's played in more than (3) events this year so the pot would have been the following if the yearlong points race to place:

1<sup>st</sup> Place- Dylan Marshall (40 points)  
\$212.50 in Cash, \$212.50 in Golf Shop Credit

2<sup>nd</sup> Place- Joe Corsi (38 points)  
\$106.25 in Cash, \$106.25 in Golf Shop Credit

3<sup>rd</sup> Place- Carolyn Morford (35 points)  
\$63.75 in Cash, \$63.75 in Golf Shop Credit

T-4<sup>th</sup> Place- Joe Griffith & Dave Smail  
\$21.25 in Cash, \$21.25 in Golf Shop Credit

**\*LET'S TRY AGAIN IN 2023!**

Also, to add some fun- here are Special Event Winners given by the Golf Shop

**Player of the Year**- Dylan Marshall

**Most Improved Golfer(s)**- Steph Trozzo & Chris Mendillo

\*Steph started the year at 19.4 and finished with a 12.5 index

\*\*Chris worked hard and got his handicap to a single digit

**Most Rounds Played**- Rick McLeary (193 rounds)

**Low Handicap of the Year**- Hunter Jurica (+2.2)

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### **2022 Event Winners**

#### **Master's Par-3**

Low Gross- Tom Zoppetti  
Low Net- Rick McLeary

#### **Opening Day**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Hunter Jurica-Dan DiCola-Donnie Fehl-Keith Miller

#### **Men's Invitational**

Overall Winners: Allen Jurica-Corey Riddell  
St. Andrews Flight: Joe Corsi-Nick Turowski  
Pebble Beach Flight: Allen Jurica-Corey Riddell  
Augusta Flight: Mike Zacur-Gary Palombo  
Pinehurst Flight: Kevin Metsger-Ryan Cunningham  
Seminole Flight: Chris Antonikas-Mike Backus  
Pine Valley Flight: Fred Planinsek-Paul Zantotto

#### **Parent-Child**

T-1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross: Allen Jurica-Hunter Jurica & Ann Queale-Ryan Queale  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Net: Chris Mendillo-Jim Mendillo

#### **Member-Member** **Danny Noonan Flight**

NET : Ryan Matsko & Dylan Marshall  
GROSS: Jimmy Sarver & Steve Clemens

#### **Ty Webb Flight**

NET: Ben Biss-Tom Vince  
GROSS: Greg Zoppetti-Chase Zoppetti

#### **Al Czervik Flight**

NET: Joe Griffith-Dan DiCola  
GROSS: Peg Meyers-Steve Meyers

#### **Judge Smails Flight**

NET: Ray Zelenak-Paul Ives  
GROSS: Chuck Vecchiola-Mike Goodwin

#### **Lacey Underall Flight**

NET: Carolyn Morford-Karen Hough

#### **Member-Guest**

1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross: Marc Grant-John Matlock  
Ladies NET: Chelsy Coil-Jessi Jewell

#### **Senior Club Championship** Senior Champion: Dave Smail

Super Senior Champion(s): Ed Knaus & Joe Corsi  
Grandfather's Champion: Ed Knaus  
Flights (50-59): Greg Zoppetti  
Flights (60-69): Dave Krivus  
Flights (70-79): Ken Macha & Dave Kemp  
Flights (80-89): Joe Griffith

### **Men's & Women's Club Championship**

Men's Overall: Hunter Jurica  
Women's Overall: Sally Sheerer  
Men's 1<sup>st</sup> Flight: Kevin Metsger  
Men's 2<sup>nd</sup> Flight: Mike Goerlich  
Women's Net: Jan Litrun

### **5-Person Scramble**

1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross: Joe Corsi-Nick Turowski-Ken Hue-Paul  
Dominic-Ed Elliott  
1<sup>st</sup> Place NET: Chris Mendillo-Jim Mendillo-Ron  
Stenger-Rhett Leech-Jon Petruska  
Ladies NET: Karen Thompson-Robin Giunta-MaryAnn  
Sanna-Carol Onufro-Karen Hough

## **OTHER INFORMATION**

### **GHIN Score Posting**

**Score posting for the year has ended. If you golf at a course/state in its "Active Season" you may post a score.  
Posting for our area will start back on April 1<sup>st</sup>. GHIN will be \$35 for 2023.**

### **Driving Range:**

**The Driving Range is CLOSED. The range will re-open in April 2022.**

If you have any questions about what is listed above, questions about product, holiday gifts or ideas; we are always here to help. This has been an amazing year; we look forward to an amazing holiday season and planning for 2023!

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year,

Sean Knaus, PGA

Head Golf Professional  
sean@ligoniercuntryclub.com

### **Pumpkin Par-3**

1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross: Tom Dickson-Tom Newell-Cliff Levin  
1<sup>st</sup> Place NET: Matt Iezzi-Miyah Iezzi-Scott Smith-  
Cindy Smith

### **Ray's Revenge**

T-1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross: Sam Nicklow-Zach Donato-Dom  
Francia

Jim Biss-Tom Vince-Dave Meholic  
T-1<sup>st</sup> Place NET: Jimmy Sarver-Haley Brothers-Brian  
Pesavento

Steve Clemens-Mike Clemens-A.Pikul  
Ladies NET: Denise Smail-Darlene Elliott-Janet Barker

### **Match Play Events**

Men's Individual: Mark Elliott  
Men's Scratch Individual: Joe Corsi  
Mixed Team: Kevin Metsger & Chris Antonikas  
Ladies Individual: Carol Onufro