

From The GM

Bill Elliott

I would personally like to take a moment to thank the membership for dealing with all the constraints of the last two seasons as we dealt and continue to deal with staffing shortages, Covid related issues, and restricted hours resulting from both.

I'd also like to thank our new(er) staff who arrived at the club just as the pandemic began or even during, having to adjust to not only a new job, but a new world: Jim

Born, Superintendent; Sean Knaus, Golf Pro; Leah Kappel, Banquet and Asst. Manager; and Jess Cantley, Asst. Golf Pro.

And behind the scenes our established staff members worked hard to keep things together: Jessica Cameron, Head Chef; Massimo Fasano, Sous Chef; Ray Marsh, Asst. Superintendent; and Beth Porter, Controller. Thank you to them and all our hardworking staff members!

I realize it's been a trying year to get here when we are open, but we've tried our best

to continue to provide the best services possible. Thank you for your patience and especially to the Tuesday Ladies for putting up with my cooking from such a limited menu all summer.

We have three months left and we plan to make them great. We're moving indoors October 2nd and pledge to keep the spaces as safe as possible. With continued small kitchen staff (3 cooks), we must keep hours efficient. But your family or group get-togethers are welcome. Please contact Leah to arrange an event.

Ladies Golf News

Barbara Sloan

August closed out with a Member-Member tournament. Two-person teams were chosen by the Pro Shop. Play was a modified Solheim Cup with one best ball on holes 1-6, alternate shot on holes 7-12, and a scramble on holes 13-18. Barbara Sloan and Pat Warren won, with Linda Boyle and JoAn Treskovich placing second.

There was no golf on September 7 due to

course aeration. No gadget was scheduled for September 14, but the 18-holers agreed that they would like to have one. Playing in threesomes, the game was best two balls of the three.

Three clubs and one putter was the game on September 21. Becky DeMuth won with a net of 72. Enis Cassil placed second with a net 75. The 9-holers played, with the rare opportunity to play the back nine, chose to throw out the two worst scores. Dottie Lynch and Ann Aungier tied with a net 23.

A modified Ryder Cup was played on September 28 between the Pink and White teams. Nine holes were one best ball, nine holes were alternate shot, and nine holes a scramble. The White team, consisting of Darlene Elliott, Karen Thompson, Becky DeMuth, Jan Litrun, Betty Rosa, and Pat Warren defeated the Pink Team 2 ½ points to ½ point. Closing day is October 5. The scramble will start at 10:00 a.m., followed by lunch, awards, and election of officers. Please sign up in the Pro Shop by Saturday, October 2, so Sean Knaus can make up the teams.

Symphony Under the Stars Recap

by Karen Hough, Social Chair
Saturday, September 18, 2021

If you were one of the 200 plus guests who attended the Symphony Under the Stars, I'm happy to say that the Symphony and the weather did not disappoint. We were treated to music from the Pink Panther, Moon River, Wicked, West Side Story, Bohemian Rhapsody and Pirates of the Caribbean to mention a few.

I'd like to personally extend a huge thank you to our Ligonier Country Club volunteers:

Tim & Diana Rennie
Terry and Sherrie O'Halloran

Kristin Obush
Jim Sarver & Haley Brothers
Yvonne Stack
Nancy Hagland
Chelsea Coil
Karen Rihn
Ed & Darlene Elliott
Barb Sloan
Bill Hough

I'd like to also extend our thanks to the SAMA volunteers:

Sandra Hampton
Chris Stouffer
Clare Kaczmarek
Morgan Young
Luisa Young
Erica Kilbride
Lee Rummel

I'd also like to thank our Sponsors who were instrumental in making this evening a huge success.

Somerset Trust Bank
Smail Automotive Group
Scott Gongaware
Benzel's Pretzels
Westmoreland Symphony Orchestra (and Executive Director Endicott Reindl)
Scott Smith
Latrobe Dairy Queen
Gerry & Jane Mattern
Ligonier Giant Eagle

And of course, the evening would not have been possible without the Leadership of Bill Elliott, our dedicated Staff (house, golf shop, golf course crew) and our Board of Directors.



From the Pro

Dear Members,

Fall has arrived and soon we will start to see foliage all throughout the Laurel Highlands. In my opinion, this is one of the best times to Golf. The weather is cool, the scenery is spectacular, and the Golf Course is in outstanding shape. We hope to see you out on the course and enjoy these last few weeks before snow arrives!

Though Fall has arrived, we keep the tournament season going, with three more fun events for you to participate in. We still have our Bucks & Does Mystery Night, Fall Member-Guest and our Pumpkin Par-3 event. See below to read all the details, ways to sign-up for these great events and information regarding the Driving Range and GHIN Score Posting.

Even though Fall has arrived, I am already counting down the days to the shopping season. Unfortunately getting product, availability and special orders may be hard to get these days. So, this may be the year to shop early and any special orders you may want, please reach out and we will do our best to fulfill your requests. Also, check below in the Golf Shop section to see special order gifts that may fit your perfect someone.

Course Information

Please be aware of our golf cart rules for each day's play. These are posted in the top plaque of the cart as well as the sign by #1 tee. Yellow lines have been painted on the cart path of each hole. When you see these lines, please return your cart to the path. All carts are to remain on the path on all par 3's.

The following days the Golf Course will be closed and/or tee times will be blocked until later in the day for events/outings.

Friday, October 1- Action for Animals
(Tee times open around 5:30 pm)

Monday, October 4- Lig Camp & Conference (Course open around 3:00 pm for walking)

Friday, October 8- Scott Electric (Tee Times open around 4:00 pm)

Monday, October 11 & Tuesday October 12 (Fairway Aeration)

Tuesday, October 12- WPGA Play Day

(Tee Times open after 1:00 pm)

Thursday, October 14- Bucks & Does
(Front 9 closes at 3:30 pm)

Friday, October 15- Thank You Outing
(Course closed until 4:00 pm)

Saturday, October 16- Member-Guest
(Course closed until 4:00 pm)

Saturday, October 23- Pumpkin Par-3
(Course closed until 4:00 pm)

Golf Shop Information

My favorite countdown, only 85 days until Christmas. It's always fun to shop around and find the perfect gift for that special someone. Here are a few sales and ideas that may be the perfect fit!

LCC GOLF SHOP SPECIAL PRICE

Therabody Wave Series and Theragun Mini - \$174 from \$199

Prime - \$249 from \$299

Elite - \$299 from \$399

Pro - \$399 from \$599

Wave Roller - \$99 from \$149

Orders placed by October 7 will be delivered by November 10

Garb Baby Onesies

w/logo

Retail Price: \$45

LCC Special: \$36



Tech Heated Pouches

(As seen from this year's Ryder Cup)

Retail Price: \$150 w/ logo

LCC Shop Special: \$125

Red, White, Blue & Camo Available

LCC Course Map Prints

11 x 14 Course Map print: \$65

11 X 14 Standard Mat w/ frame: \$159

Must have (5) orders to place standard Maps

Must have (3) orders to place framed pieces

8 x 10 & 16 by 20 also available

Espresso, Black & Mahoney available for frame colors



UPCOMING EVENTS

Bucks & Does

Thursday, October 14

5:45 PM Shotgun

Come on out for our last Bucks & Does event of 2021. This one is set to spook all players and give you that thrill feeling.

We all know the daylight is beginning to fade, but don't worry we will have Glow-In-The-Dark Golf Balls for all players if they need to use them on the last couple of holes

Format: Scramble (make your own pairing)

-Mystery Tees, clues & more!!

\$30 per person (includes Buffett after Golf)

Open to Golf, Social & Guests

Fall- Member Guest

Saturday, October 16

11:00 AM Shotgun

Bring 1, 2 or 3 Guests

\$120 Per Person (Price includes continental breakfast, hot dog at the turn, steak dinner, \$20 Gift, Skins, Team & Skill

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Prizes and Cart Fee.)
Format: 18-Hole (1 Best Ball of 2 NET)
85% Handicap as of October 12 revision
Teams will be flighted based on total team handicap index
If bringing multiple guests; members are partners with each guest
All teams eligible for Gross, but if they win Gross, they will not win their flight

Sign-Up Deadline: October 10 @ NOON

Pumpkin Par-3

Saturday, October 23

11:00 AM Shotgun

Format: Best 2 of 4
\$35 Per Player (includes lunch buffet, team prizes & skill prizes)
OPEN TO ALL MEMBERSHIP TYPES
& GUESTS

Sign-Up as a single, twosome, threesome of foursome!

Sign-Up Deadline: October 21 @ NOON

Hole-In-One Club

The hole-in one club will end on October 31. All money in the pot will be carried over to 2022, where the club will start again on April 1.

Hole-In-One Club Pot: \$800+

ENTRY: \$10 per person, per hole-in-one (opt-out anytime)

2021 Hole-In-Ones (IN THE CLUB)

Fred Planinsek- Hole #4

Corey Riddell- Hole #7

Bob Jackson- Hole #17

Driving Range

The Driving Range will close after days play on October 31. The Range will re-open in April of 2022.

GHIN (Scoring Posting)

Score posting will continue again until November 14 of 2022. After this day, posting of all kinds for our area is not allowed. If you play in a state (ex. Florida) that, is its active season, you may post those scores.

Warm Regards,

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Ligonier Country Club's

12th Annual Turkey Trot

A Ligonier Food Pantry Fundraiser
November 6, 2021 | 6PM
Buffet, Basket Raffles, 50/50, Food Drive, and Entertainment by Katelyn Rose
Reservation Only: 724-238-7620 ext 2-8

All Monies and Food Collected will go to the local Food Banks; we'll be collecting non-perishable food throughout the months of October and November. Bring in at least one bag of food and get \$5 of your dining bill that night.



Turkey Trot Basket Fund

For 11 years, our local stores have graciously donated items and gift certificates to make it possible for us to raise money for the Ligonier Food Pantry through the Turkey Trot Basket Raffle. Thinking of the affects of the last two years on our neighbors, we hesitate to ask this again of them.

So, we'd like to give our members the chance to support local business and the food pantry as **we look to raise money to purchase items from Ligonier and area stores to create our baskets for raffle.**

Any amount of donation will help achieve another great basket raffle. Send in a check with a memo indicating Basket Fund, contact Beth to add an amount to your account, or drop some money in the containers in the Pro Shop or Grillroom.

We're also happy to accept baskets if you or someone you know would like to donate. **Deadline is October 30th for items and donations.**

Thank you for your help!

Upcoming Events

- October 14th: Buck & Does, Oktoberfest Buffet
- October 16th: Fall Member-Guest
- October 20th: Wine Event
- October 23rd: Pumpkin Par 3
- October 29th & 30th: Pasta Bar
- November 5th: Harvest Party
- November 6th: Turkey Trot

**2022 Dues Information,
Deadlines, and Offers will be
going out in the mail the week of
October 4th.**

September		OCTOBER, 2021			November	
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	1 No Dining	2 12:00pm Stablein Lunch
					09:00am Action for Animals	
					12:00pm Shotgun	
					07:00pm Hoopes Rehearsal	
3	4 Club Closed	5 10:00am Ladies Closing	6	7 10:30am Western Open Day	8 No Dining	9 No Dining
	07:45am Camp & Conference				08:30am Garofalo Outing	04:00pm Member Wedding
	09:30am Shotgun				10:00am Shotgun	
10	11 Club Closed	12 WPGA Playday	13 12:00pm New Neighbors	14 05:00pm Oktoberfest Buffet	15 10:00am Thank You Outing	16 10:00am Fall Member Guest
			05:00pm Yates Dinner	05:30pm Bucks and Does	10:00am Shotgun	11:00am Shotgun
17	18 Club Closed	19	20 05:00pm Wine Event	21 05:00pm Valley Sr. Center	22 12:00pm FOF	23 Pumpkin Par 3
						11:00am Shotgun
24 11:00am Peagler Shower	25 Club Closed	26	27	28	29 05:00pm Pasta Bar	30 05:00pm Pasta Bar
						05:30pm LV Girls' Golf
31 Halloween	1	2	3	4	5 04:00pm Harvest Party	6 05:00pm Turkey Trot
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Dining Hours:

Wednesdays to Saturdays: 12 pm to 8 pm with last reservation at 7:30 pm **Sundays:** 12 pm to 4 pm

We will be indoors for the remainder of the year. 724-238-7620 press 2 to dial extensions, ext 2

Closed for Regular Service Mondays and Tuesdays **Dinner Reservations are Required by 4:00 pm**

November and December Hours: Wednesday through Saturdays only (*except the last two Tuesdays of each month*)