

Columbia Country Club

October 2017 Edition

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Columbia Country Club Presents The 7th Annual

Halloween Carnival

Date: Friday, October 27th

Time: 5pm-8pm Place: CCC Ballroom

Admission: \$3.00/ Person

As part of the carnival theme, tickets will need to be purchased for all fair games, food and activities.

Member Charge Available

Come And Enjoy For A Fun Filled Evening Of.....

Indoor Bounce House, 61ft Outdoor Obstacle Course, Cookie Design, Coloring Contest, Outdoor Hay Rides, Carnival Games Galore Complete With Spooky Prizes!

Make Reservations or Else!

October 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Golfers Buffet 11am-3pm	2 SC Bankers Association 10am Shotgun	3 Ladies Night 6pm-9pm	4 No Dinner Service	5 Blythewood Rotary Outing 12:30pm Shotgun	6 A La Carte Dinner Service 5:30pm-8:30pm	7
8 A La Carte Lunch Service 11am-3pm	9 National Guard Outing 10am Shotgun	10	11 Wing Night 5:30pm-8:30pm	12	13 Whit Suber Outing 12pm Shotgun A La Carte Dinner Service 5:30pm-8:30pm	14
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29 Couples Invitational 1pm Shotgun Grand Buffet 11:30am-2:30pm	30 Children's Chance 10am Shotgun	31 Happy Halloween				

CCC Welcomes New September Members

Michael Taillon ~ Associate Lee Postal ~ Associate Tom Summerford ~ Associate
George Lusk ~ Jr. Associate Andrew Palmer ~ Social John Smith ~ Social
Michael Murphy ~ Social

A Word From The Board Of Directors

Dear Members,

On my desk at work, I keep a quote attributed to Helen Keller. Rendered deaf and blind by illness as an infant in rural Alabama, she was a remarkable woman by any measure. Reflecting on her limitations, she said, "I am only one, but still I am one. I cannot do everything, but still I can do something; and because I cannot do everything, I will not refuse to do something that I can do."

In some ways, I think our club is the very embodiment of that quote. We cannot do everything we'd like, but still, we can do something. Just because we cannot do everything, we shouldn't refuse to do the some things we can do.

The recent announcement of the assessment unanimously approved by the board was the culmination of a great deal of deliberation and hard work by the board and the club's management. No one, including the board, likes an assessment. However, we firmly believe it is the right thing to do now, and for the future of our club. I believe the board was elected to make decisions that are in the best interests of the entire club, even though those decisions may not be popular. The vast majority of those who have contacted me or the club agree with the assessment, even though they may not like it.

As a club owned by and governed by the membership, we share a unique responsibility to ensure our club is healthy and viable now, and for the future. I appreciate the fact that so many members contacted me to discuss our situation, and I appreciate their dedication and devotion to our club. No one can accuse our members of being apathetic, which I think is a great thing.

The board and I appreciate your support, and your enthusiasm for making our club the best it can be. You may be only one, but you are one – get involved, sign up for a committee, volunteer for a project you're passionate about. We can't do everything, but together we can do an incredible lot.

Barry Reynolds

Board President, CCC

A Word From The Tee.....

Fall Member / Member

Saturday, October 21st & Sunday, October 22nd

No charge for tournament club members

Entry Fee: \$75 per player

10:00am shotgun start

This unique event features four different formats played over 36 holes. We will play Captain's Choice, Modified Alternate Shot, Best Ball and Aggregate Total. The entry fee is \$75 per player and this includes breakfast both days. Make plans to play in the final "Major" of the year.

Couples Invitational

Sunday, October 29th

Entry Fee: \$75 per couple

1:00pm shotgun start

The much-anticipated CCC Couples Invitational is here. The format will be Captain's Choice. The entry fee includes carts, tee gifts, prizes, and dinner. I encourage everyone to invite a couple and enjoy this wonderful event. Sign up in the pro shop.

YEAR END SWEEPS BALANCES

In an effort to clean up the books and provide accurate accounting information all sweeps balances will be brought to zero December 31, 2017. Please spend your sweeps prior to December 31, 2017 to avoid losing them altogether.

October Golf Shop Hours Of Operation

Monday: Closed

(Please Check Calendar For Monday Outings)

Tuesday – Sunday: 8:00 AM - 6:30 PM

All golf carts need to be returned to the
Golf Shop by 6:30 PM

DRIVING RANGE:

Monday: Closed

Tuesday – Sunday: 7:30 AM - 6:30 PM

(Please Be Through Hitting By 6:30 PM)

Please Note:

Due to the end of Daylight Saving Time All Golf Shop
Hours of Operation will change accordingly effective
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5th

October & November Upcoming Events

Monday, October 2nd

SC Bankers Association 10am shotgun

Thursday, October 5th

Blythewood Rotary 12:30pm shotgun

Monday, October 9th

National Guard Outing 10am shotgun

Friday, October 13th

Whit Suber Outing 12pm shotgun

Monday, October 16th

SCGA Trescott 12:30pm shotgun

Saturday, October 21st - Sunday, October 22nd

Men's Fall Member/ Member 10am shotgun

Monday, October 23rd ~ Parks Hutto Outing 1pm shotgun

Tuesday, October 24th - Wednesday, October 25th

Ladies Senior Club Championship

Thursday, October 26th

Shandon Baptist Church 12:00pm shotgun

Saturday, October 28th

WSCGA 4-Ball Qualifier Noon tee times

Sunday, October 29th ~ Couples Invitational 1pm shotgun

Monday, October 30th

Children's Chance 10:00am shotgun

Sunday, November 5th ~ Couples Turkey Scramble

Saturday, November 11th ~ Golf Channel Am Tour

Monday, November 13th - Tuesday, November 14th
Senior Golfers of SC

Friday, November 17th ~ One Day Fall Member / Guest

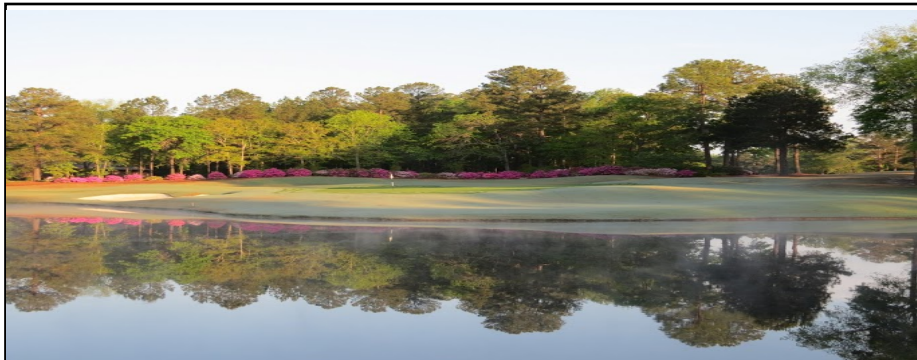
Wednesday, November 22nd ~ SCJGA One Day Event

Thursday, November 23rd

Thanksgiving Day (Club Closed)

Friday, November 24th - Sunday, November 26th

Golf Shop Open House Holiday Sale



A Word From Our Golf Course Superintendent

The recent cool weather has begun to slow turf growth and golfing conditions could not be better at CCC. Between mowing, spraying weeds and installing the new 'Forward Tees', the staff and I stayed busy throughout the month of September.

In October, we will be adjusting our mowing schedule as the weather allows and only mowing on an as needed basis through the fall. This will allow us to begin working on some of the projects and repairs that have been overlooked during the summer months. Also, we will be overseeding the Driving Range tee and the area around the Chipping green with Perennial Ryegrass. After seeding, our watering and mowing practices will be altered until the Ryegrass is sufficiently established.

I would like to remind everyone to be courteous to your fellow golfer and remember to rake out bunkers and fill your divots. The golf course maintenance staff and I look forward to seeing everyone on the golf course enjoying the wonderful fall weather!

Jim Young
Golf Course Superintendent

A Word From Our General Manager / Golf Professional

As I write this Fall weather has finally arrived!!! Come out and enjoy the club!!! Whether it is playing golf, eating dinner or sipping on a nice beverage outside fall is the perfect season to spend time with family and friends at your club.

The fall season is a busy time at the club with Monday outings and other outside events in addition to member activity. Keep in mind these outside events bring in significant revenue to the club and are necessary in helping to sustain the club. The golf staff will attempt to minimize member inconvenience but please pay attention to the schedule so you are informed as to the activities at your club.

Chris Sparrow
PGA Golf Professional / General Manager



A Word From Our LGA

We're still having summer temperatures but hopefully some relief is on the way! This month will be busy for the LGA. On Wednesday, October 4th we have a League match at Lexington Country Club. We also have a make-up League match at Golden Hills on Monday, October 30th. On Tuesday, October 31st we have our final Handicap League match at Ponderosa Country Club. Everyone who has played in a Handicap League match is invited to play and then stay for lunch. Please let Judy McPherson or me know if you would like to play and if you can stay for lunch, which will be \$10.00.

One of our most important events of the year is the Senior Women's Championship, which will be held October 24th and 25th. Please sign up with the pro shop as soon as you can. We will all be playing from the new forward tees. We will have lunch after golf on both days (on your own) and on Wednesday, the 25th we will have an LGA meeting and a celebration of the installation of the new tees. We have many special surprises planned for the tournament, so please plan on playing.

That's all for now.

Laura Best

LGA President



Date: Tuesday, October 3rd Time: 6pm-9pm Price: \$20/Per Person

6:00pm: Cocktails w/ Happy Hour Pricing 6:30pm: Dinner Served

Join us this evening for a night out with the ladies while enjoying drinks, dinner, and fun!

Menu: Crab Stuffed Shrimp over Saffron Rice & Grilled Asparagus (Salad & Dessert Included)

Call for reservations. 803.754.8100



LuLaRoe Mimi and Me

Please join us Saturday, November 11th, 2017, from 10am-2pm at the clubhouse to see all the fun fashions from LuLaRoe. You can see the different fabrics and colors and try on to find your perfect fit. We will have dresses, tops, sweaters, kimonos, and leggings in all sizes. For more information or if you have any questions please call Marianne Carter at 803-225-4322.

COLUMBIA COUNTRY CLUB TAILGATE PACKAGES

Let us take care of your game day feast!

CHICKEN WING PLATTERS

20 Wings (2 Flavors) - \$20 50 Wings (3 Flavors) - \$45

100 Wings (Up To 5 Flavors) - \$85

All wing platters served with celery & carrots and your choice of ranch or bleu cheese dressing.

FRIED CHICKEN TRAYS

10 PC Mixed Tray - \$15 20 PC Mixed Tray - \$25

COLD SALAD SIDES

SOLD BY THE QUART

Chicken Salad - \$22 Tuna Salad - \$24 Broccoli Salad - \$15

Potato Salad - \$19 Pasta Salad - \$15 Cole Slaw - \$20

ALL ORDERS MUST BE PLACED BY 3PM ON WEDNESDAYS AND PICKED UP BY 3PM ON SATURDAYS.