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FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER...



Dear Members,
June is here and
the greens' renovation project has
begun! Even
though the golf
course is closed,
the clubhouse/pro
shop, pool, tennis

courts and range are still open, so, don't be strangers! We do have some ideas that we are toying with to keep the activity level up and member participation active, so, please stay tuned for some new events to be offered over the summer!

With regards to the pool and rules that have been set forth for this season. I have decided to amend the rule of those under 16 not being allowed at the pool. The new rule is: Ages 14 and over will be allowed at the pool without supervision with the understanding that all of the rules will be followed. If the pool attendant and/or lifeguard has to ask anyone to leave for misconduct/breaking rules/unsafe behavior, they will not be permitted entrance to the pool again without supervision. This amendment will begin on June 15, once the pool is fully staffed.

Let's have a great summer!

Thank you for being a member!

— Shannon Nunn

WELCOME NEW MAY MEMBERS!

We are very pleased to welcome the new members listed below to Taberna Country Club. Please make sure to make these new members and neighbors feel welcome when you meet them...

ROBERT AND VALERIE FRANZESE Amanda and Lauren Good LAURA HARDISTY IORDAN HILLER PAUL GUERRA ANDREW AND KELLY CORMIER IANE KIERNAN TODD AND LAUREN SEYMOUR ERIC AND MEGAN LAZUR JAMES AND TANYA OSLER SARAH NICHOLLS AND RICHARD PARKINSON LEONARD AND AMY NIEDISIK RANDY AND DEE TAYLOR EILEEN MELTON AND JULIE WATHEN DAVID AND KAREN BRUCHSTEIN THE SUTCLIFFE FAMILY THE TITUS FAMILY LORI GADDIS AND STEPHEN MCGOVERN RALPH BONADIES AND LAN PHAN





MAY 2022 IN TABERNA!

Busy times in Taberna as we prepare to close for a couple of months while we get new greens! While we'll miss playing golf more regularly, we're already looking forward to getting some things done around the house, garage, etc.







Srixon Demo Day....







Noise Abatement Panels – Time to Eat!







Flamingos and Parrots Tournament and Party







Mel's Birthday Cake

NOTES FROM MARK WILLIAMS, HEAD GOLF PROFESSIONAL

THE RENOVATION BEGINS...

The renovation is underway here at Taberna!



In the first few weeks, the crew will be grinding up the remaining Bentgrass on the greens and getting the soil ready to be put out on the greens. We will provide updates on the process throughout the summer. While the

course is closed we will still have the range and Pro Shop open.

HERE ARE THE HOURS FOR BOTH:

MONDAY - CLOSED

TUESDAY - 9AM - 3PM

WEDNESDAY - 9AM - 3PM

THURSDAY - 2PM - 7PM

FRIDAY - 2PM - 7PM

SATURDAY - 9AM - 3PM

SUNDAY - CLOSED

As a reminder, please call the Pro Shop to make your tee times for other golf courses. We will make the tee time for you and, then, call you back to let you know the time. Please be flexible with the times you give us. We are at the discretion of the other golf clubs and we appreciate and thank them for taking care of you while we are closed.

Thank you, Mark Williams, PGA

BYE TO BENT MEMBER APPRECIATION PARTY

ON TUESDAY, MAY 31ST, WE HAD OUR FINAL FAREWELL TO OUR BENTGRASS GREENS WITH A TWILIGHT TOURNAMENT AND COOKOUT AND A MAGIC SHOW! THE MAGICIAN, BRYAN SANDERS, CAME OUT TO PERFORM MAGIC FOR ALL THE MEMBERS AND HE DID A PHENOMENAL JOB!

THANK YOU ALL FOR PLAYING, WATCH-ING THE SHOW AND ENJOYING THE EVENING ON US!

WE THANK YOU FOR BEING A MEMBER – WE HAVE SOME BRIGHTER TIMES AHEAD!

Taberna's Spring Member-Member 2022





GOLF NEWS

Tom Love ...TMGA President

As we head into the summer months, the course will be closed for at least two months, though I am told the driving range will remain open. The TMGA's normal Wednesday schedule will be suspended during this time but why not use your time off the golf course on Wednesday to have lunch at the club? Also, the TMGA will be putting together an outing or two over the next few months.

One such event, thanks to our Pro Mark Williams, will take place on Thursday, June 16th, at New Bern Country Club.Space is limited to the first 32 who sign up in the Pro Shop. Afterward, we can return to Taberna for refreshments. Congratulations are in order for our Men's and Ladies' Member-Member winners: Rich Ilsley and John Wilson; Ann Litchfield and Carolyn Perrigo, as well as our Men's and Women's Match Play Champions: Larry Narolis and Jodi Scoggins.

Our editorial staff has learned that many of our members are planning to take advantage of the time away from the golf course for self-improvement and personal growth, such as:

"I am hoping to catch up on my reading, this time with books without a lot of pictures." – J. Wilson

"I intend to advance the cause of world peace, but I gotta finish watching The Andy Griffith Show reruns first. After all, priorities are priorities." – M. Taylor

"I intend to audit Larry Narolis' webinar on the USGA Rules Interpretation course. What the heck, I got nine weeks to burn." – B. Binn

"I plan to knock over a bank. Haha, just kidding. (It'll be a Piggly Wiggly.)" – M. Miler

Shave and a haircut for this guy." – N. Campi

"I'm finally going to get organized." – D. Walczak
"I'm going to sit on my boat. That's it. Just. Sit. On. My.
Boat." – M. Farley

"I have determined that I must be more decisive in my life and I intend to work on that. Or not. I can't make up my mind.: – P. Dillon

Mark Breuer must learn to stop referring to himself in the third-person subjective." – J. Breuer

"Origami, yoga and binge drinking, though not necessarily in

that precise order." - R. Kiefer

We are advised that the Manula group will enter a team in next month's Taberna's trivia contest, once they figure out who is still talking to each other.



Tom Love Présidente

Musings from Barb...



What the heck...
how did it become
June already? We
have had three
months of TWGA
Tuesday and Saturday league play
and just like that,
the extreme greens

makeover is upon us.

While we will miss the convenience and camaraderie of our regular play days, Mark is setting up play for us at reciprocal courses, so we'll be able to keep golfing together over the next 2-3 months. For the Tuesday 18-hole division, there will be no points assigned for playing at the reciprocal courses. Points will start again once we resume play on our course. For those who are curious, here are the points standing to date: Barb Herl 46, Susan Censullo 42, & Judy

Gilbert 38. How are points allocated? Points are given for playing 18 holes of league play on Tuesdays, and extra points are given for winning or placing 2nd or 3rd in the game of the week.

With that said though, there is one game we play called "Beat the Pro" where everyone who beats the pro's score wins points. This year Emily Wellspeak was our pro and she played three holes with all the foursomes. Emily shot a 71 and guess what? No one beat her score! And, get this....she had an EAGLE on hole #1 while playing with my group. Great playing Emily!

The TWGA hosted their annual Parrots and Flamingo tournament on May 24th followed by a pizza party hosted by Julie Jones. This is a fun team event where the Parrots'

team, dressed in blue plays against the Flamingo team, dressed in pink. This year's format was a two-person team scramble with the Flamingo team winning and earning bragging rights. Congratulations, Flamingos!

It is going to seem strange not having access to our course over the next few months, but Mark has promised that the inconvenience will be worth it. He has also informed (warned) us numerous times that the new greens will be lightning fast and that we will have to approach them with a different strategy. Oh great, just what I need is another golf strategy in my head!

Cheers!... Barb!

Barb Herl TWGA President

THE TENNIS CORNER

WITH BARBARA FLYNN



Now that we are thankfully getting warmer weather, the Sunday mixed group will be playing at 6:15, due to the heat. We are hoping to see some new faces joining the group.

Should you be playing during the daytime hours, it is very important that you protect yourself from the sun. Ideally, you should try to stay out of the sun between 10AM and 3PM. one also should wear light-colored clothing that will help to wick away heat. Be sure to apply sunscreen and wear a hat.

If you do get overheated, in addition to staying hydrated, you may want to use ice bags on your armpits and legs to help pull down your core temperature when the temperature gets too hot outside.

Another problem the heat can ring on is cramping. First of all, make sure your fitness level is appropriate for the level you are playing. Secondly, don't wait until you are thirsty before drinking.

Hydration really starts, not only a couple of hours before play, but maybe even the day before play. Finally, the French Open started on May 22nd – June 5th. By the time you read this, the tournament may be finished. As of this writing, Gael Monfils and Andy Murray have withdrawn. Monfils will be undergoing heel surgery, Djokovic, Medvedev, Zverev, with Nadal seeded at number five will be leading the men's field. The women's top seeds are Iga Swiatek, Barbora Krejcikova and Paula Badosa. It appears the highest seeded American is Danielle Collins at number nine. Serena Williams will not be playing for the first time since 2017. She has not played since last June when she suffered an ankle injury at Wimbledon.

For info about tennis at Taberna, please call the Pro Shop at 634-1600, ext.1.

The Neuse River Senior Games 2022



The Neuse River Senior Games (NRSG) promote fitness, friendship and well-being for all residents ages 50 years of age and older in Craven, Duplin, Greene, Jones, Lenoir and Pamlico Counties. A myriad of sports and performing arts offer countless opportunities to stay active, meet new people and enjoy life...

This year Neuse River Seniors Games tennis division was once again hosted at Taberna Country Club tennis courts on May 2nd...







SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
While awaiting the completion of the greens' renovation project, the driving range will remain open for those golf members who want to practice, and, of course, the pool, tennis courts and clubhouse will be open as well. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Shannon or Mark.			GOLF COURSE CLOSES TO PREPARE FOR NEW GREENS LUNCH SERVED Dine In or Take Out 11 AM – 8 PM BAR OPEN UNTIL 8PM Lunch Menu Available All DAY	LUNCH SERVED 2 Dine In or Take Out 11 AM – 4 PM Thirsty Thursday All-Day Drink Specials DINNER SERVED Call for Reservations	Dine In or Take Out 11 AM – 4 PM DINNER SERVED Call for Reservations	LUNCH SERVED Dine In or Take Out 11 AM - 4 PM *** PRIVATE MEMBER EVENT EVENING *** No Dinner Service
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