



September 2009

MARTINIS WITH THE MANAGER

Thursday, September 24

COMPLIMENTARY...

Beer, Wine, Martinis &

Hors d'oeuvres from 6:30 ~ 8:30pm

Bring Your Friends, Family & Coworkers For a Great
Night Out At The Club!

FREE GOLF GUEST FEES

September Theme: SPIRIT WEEK!!



Welcome

ELDORADO THANKS OUR MEMBERS FOR
THEIR NOMINATIONS TO THE CLUB &
WELCOMES OUR NEW JULY MEMBERS

Jennifer & Matt Miller

Sponsored by

David & Tammie Donaldson

Marianna & Paul Ernest

Sponsored by

David & Tammie Donaldson

Robert Ottendorf

Sponsored by

John & Treva Ottendorf

Timothy & Veronica Attlee

Sponsored by

Ambassadors Club

Emilie & Troy Gelsky

Sponsored by

Joselyn & Kevin Henderson

Jana & Michael Porter

Sponsored by

Todd & Wendy Hall

Steve & Tiffany Heldenfels

Sponsored by

Ambassadors Club

Ramsey & Sheri Fanous

Sponsored by

Jeannie Pascale

Barbara & Kenneth Fletcher

Sponsored by

Glenn & Janet Crepps

Jacqueline & Salvador Anzualda

Sponsored by

Scott & Sharee Renshaw

Jim & Wendy Pollard

Sponsored by

Jeannie Pascale



More Friends, More Funds

Nominate. Let's Build Our Club & Our Wish List Fund

I imagine *What You Would Do With \$155,000...*

As our Full Privilege Membership Roster grows, the Members of Eldorado Country Club will receive **\$2,100 per New Member Gain** to spend around our Club!

Nominate a friend for Membership by contacting
Chelsea Story, our Membership Director, via phone 972.529.6779x202 or
email cstory@eldoradocc.com & join your fellow Members in building
our Wish List Fund!

...And Don't Forget to Drop Your Wish in Our Wishing Well...

Clubhouse News

Imagine This.....



Bob Philo
2009 Board President

*This month I will address four different issues. First, and most important, T*BAM – thanks for being a member. On one hand it is easy to be an ECC member because it is such a great club. The more you use it the more value it has. On the other hand, in difficult economic times it is not always easy to choose to continue to be a member. Our staff and all of our volunteer committee and club-within-a-club members are working hard to make sure that we all get a great value from our membership. We are doing everything we can to reduce our normal attrition and create additional value in our memberships.*

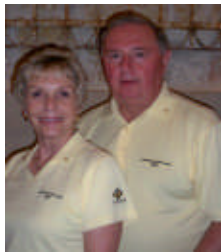
Second, wishes can come true! We can make it happen. All we need to do is to make good referrals for membership in our club. Chelsea has a very good closure rate but needs more referrals. Yes, we want more full privilege members but tennis, social and dining members are also great candidates to upgrade their memberships to full privilege. So, take a moment to consider who among your friends, neighbors, co-workers, people you see or talk to or shop from regularly, might enjoy a membership at Eldorado. Then simply call, E-mail or drop a note to Chelsea.

Third, make a wish. What would you like to see changed, improved, added to our club? We will have Wish Funds to spend on capital improvements - \$2,100 for each net gain new full privilege member. And, some ideas don't take capital funds; new clubs within a club for instance. So, write down your wish or suggestion and drop it in the Wishing Well. Or, go to the Imagine part of our web site (www.eldoraocc.com), get a login and password, and take a look at what has been suggested or submit your own comments or suggestions.

Finally, did you know? Lots of things go on behind the scenes that members don't know. For instance, Aaron Schick purchased the cut flowers that decorated the EWGA Member-Member Tournament. Or, Luis Bazan has volunteered to add concept sketches/designs to the Imagine area of our website. I have mentioned this before but that same group of volunteer ladies continues to redecorate our clubhouse. We have a great and caring staff and great and caring members.

*See you around our club.
Bob Philo*

Ambassadors News



Ron & Barbara Wagner
Ambassador Club Co-Chair

As summer moves into fall and the cooler weather arrives we hope you will use the club even more. The Ambassador Club has continued to welcome new members and our job has increased because of the many referrals that the membership has provided the club. The Wish List Fund has given us an opportunity to improve the club from the member's point of view. We now have the wish list fund and a wishing well for the members to provide input to the BOG and management on where to spend the funds.

The monthly Martini's with the Manager, an Ambassador Club sponsored the event, is a great way for us to introduce the new people to the friendly and enthusiastic members that belong to Eldorado Country Club. If you haven't attended "Martini's" yet, come out. The event is getting bigger and better every month.

This month we would like to introduce you to a new ambassador team, Keith and Bonnie Klinger. They moved to McKinney in 1998 after a couple of years in Utah, but lived in Dallas many years before that. They joined the club as soon as they moved to McKinney and are very active in tennis. Bonnie is on the BOD for the Eldorado Women's Tennis Association. They have two boys, Austin is a sophomore at the University of Texas at Austin and Brandon is a

junior at McKinney High School. Keith is in medical sales and Bonnie is a consultant for CAbi, a collection of designer women's clothing. They both enjoy meeting new people so say hi when you see them around the club.

*Thanks For Being a Member
Barbara and Ron*

Message From The Manager



Donny Darville
General Manager

Wishes Do Come True! August was an exciting time as a member of Eldorado Country Club. Your Board and Management have been able to grant three member wishes. First, the Wish List Fund was created to give the members additional funds to make improvements at your club. Your club can earn \$2,100 for each net new Full Privilege Member by simply nominating your friends to the club.

Years of struggling with #5 green are over. The entire green has been stripped and replaced with new Champion grass sod. Members are already playing on the new surface and the green should be close to the same speed as the other greens by mid September!

Approval for use of personal carts is final! Yes, you as a member of Eldorado have a wonderful opportunity to have your own personal golf cart. If you are interested in using your own private cart, please contact me ASAP as there are a limited number of licenses available.

*Thanks For Being a Member
Donny Darville*

Clubhouse News

September

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
August 30 Champagne Brunch 11am-2pm Steam Jet Car Wash 9:00am-4:30pm	August 31 Club Closed Junior Tennis Excellence Classes 5-7pm	1 SMGA Playday 8:30am Shotgun Junior Beginner Tennis 6:00-7:00pm Fitness Club 6:00pm Senior Night 6pm All Star Ankle Biters 4-5pm Junior Tennis Excellence Classes 5-7pm Rackets & Ritas 7:00-8:30pm	2 ENGA Playday 9:00am Shotgun EWTA League 9:00am 50% OFF Food After 5pm Powerball 6:00pm Junior Tennis Excellence Classes 5-7pm	3 EWGA Exchange Prestonwood Girls Giggles & Golf 6:00-8:00pm Woman Tennis League 9:00-11:00am Junior Beginner Tennis 4:00-5:00pm All Star Ankle Biters 4-5pm Junior Tennis Excellence Classes 5-7pm	4 Ladies Friday Morning Bridge 9am Beginners Tennis 9:00-10:30am Drink & Drive 5:30pm Steak Night 6:00pm	5 Club Championship TOURNAMENT 8:00 Tee Times \$1.00 Draft Beer \$2.00 House Wine After 5:00pm
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20 Couples Club Championship 1:00pm Shotgun Champagne Brunch 11am-2pm Steam Jet Car Wash 9:00am-4:30pm	21 Club Closed Junior Tennis Excellence Classes 5-7pm	22 SMGA Playday 8:30am Shotgun Junior Beginner Tennis 6:00-7:00pm Fitness Club 6:00pm Senior Night 6pm All Star Ankle Biters 4-5pm Junior Tennis Excellence Classes 5-7pm Rackets & Ritas 7:00-8:30pm	23 ENGA Playday 9:00am Shotgun EWTA League 9:00am 50% OFF Food After 5pm Powerball 6:00pm Junior Tennis Excellence Classes 5-7pm	24 EWGA Sassy/ Classy Tournament Woman Tennis League 9:00-11:00am MARTINI WITH THE MANAGER 6:30-8:30pm FREE GOLF GUEST DAY Junior Beginner Tennis 4:00-5:00pm All Star Ankle Biters 4-5pm Junior Tennis Excellence Classes 5-7pm	25 Ladies Friday Morning Bridge 9am Beginners Tennis 9:00-10:30am Steak Night 6:00pm Drink & Drive 5:30pm	26 \$1.00 Draft Beer \$2.00 House Wine After 5:00pm
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Clubhouse News

Dreams DO Come True...

New Sod On The #5 Green



Personal Carts.... Have You Got Yours Yet?



*Let Donny explain what you need to do to drive around Eldorado on your very own **PERSONAL CART!***

Donny Darville
972-529-6779 ext. 203
ddarville@eldoradocc.com

Help contribute to the **Wish List Fund** to make **YOUR** dreams come true!

Contact Chelsea Story to find out how you can contribute **TODAY!**

Tennis News

On The Courts With Grady



Grady McKee
Tennis Director

*Tennis Enthusiasts,
September...Football, Cool Air,
Kids back in school, but don't forget to enjoy
your club during this busy time of the year.
We have plenty of tennis to be played and I
look forward to a great team tennis season,
Juniors keep qualifying, and new activities for
beginners and intermediate players. Check
out our tennis events page and sign up ASAP!*

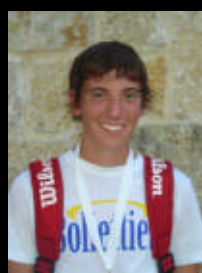
JD SCHEDULE BEGINNING AUGUST 24

All Star Ankle Biters

*Tuesday and Thursday afternoon
4-5 pm
Sign up in the tennis shop.*

Pre Tourney, Tourney, and Excellence Classes

*Monday thru Thursday
5-7pm*



Kendall Edwards

**Kendall Edwards Wins The
Bryan/ College Station ZAT!!
And Qualified for Championship Rank!**

Congratulations to Kendall for his continued effort and hard work to accomplish this goal. This rank puts Kendall at the top 50% of the tennis players in the state of Texas.

WAY TO GO!

September Drills

LADIES TUESDAY NIGHT
*(Open Drop In)
7:00-8:00pm*

**CONTINUING THIS FALL FOR THE FIRST TIME
EVER!!**

THURSDAY MORNING LEAGUE
*(TCD Off-Season)
9:00-11:00am*

FRIDAY MORNING BEGINNERS DRILL
*(Open Drop In)
9:00-10:30am*

NEW!!!!

Rackets and Ritas

**Tuesday Nights from 7-8:30
BEGINNER PLAYERS DRILL AND PLAY**

Learn how to play tennis in a short amount of time! This Drill is designed with the beginner players in mind—Sign up today! Also good in coordination with the Beginner drill on Friday Mornings from 9-10:30



www.geocities.com/ewtanews

EWTA FALL LEAGUES

**Wednesday Morning League,
9:00 a.m.**

SEPTEMBER 9 - DECEMBER 9
*Sign up as a regular, \$25
Tennis Shop will find a sub for you
Sign up a week at a time,
\$5/week*

*Contact Sandi Murray for more information
972-569-8369*

sandiasmurray@aol.com

**Thursday NIGHT League,
7:00 p.m.**

SEPTEMBER 10 - NOVEMBER 19
*Sign up as a regular \$20, or as a sub
Contact Julie Krug for more information
972-562-5098*

jakrug@campbellvillagevet.com

**EWTA Charity Event
FIGHT NIGHT MIXER
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6**

**Mixer 6:30-8:30pm
Fight Night 8:30-10:30pm**

*Mixer: \$15 per player
Includes Draft Beer
\$1.00 Draft Beer for all other Viewers
Fight Night: Tips for the Pro's Appreciated*

**Charity Gala
6:00-10:00pm**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7
All ELDORADO Associations hosting a charity auction

Golf News

Eldorado Nine Hole Golf Association

The ENGA hosted our last club exchange of the year on August 26. We had a great time with the ladies from Stonebridge Ranch and Heritage Ranch.

September 16, is the date for our annual Member/Guest Tournament. The theme this year is "Monopoly." Invite a guest and come play 9 holes with us!

As always, the ENGA invites all interested ladies to join us for nine holes of golf every Wednesday morning. We have a 9:00 AM shotgun start beginning September 2. Please call the pro shop by 1:00 PM on Tuesday to sign up to play. Please contact Cindy Sander at 972-618-2794 or cindy.sander@gmail.com with questions.

Eldorado Woman's Golf Association

When the newsletter comes out, the winner of our Annual Solheim Cup will be decided. Congratulations and thank you to all the ladies who worked so hard to represent Eldorado:

Sonnie Wright, Captain
Dianne Riddle, Co-Captain
Deborah Thompson
Joselyn Henderson
Diana Sammons
Linda Russell
Linda Moorman
Cindy Gilstrap
Lisa Baird
Laura Spearman
Jan Crawford
Jeanenne Pivin
Sharon James
Carolyn Philo
Marilyn Todd
Crickitt Gorman
Bettina Smith, Alternate
Amy Fuqua, Alternate
Marilyn Meeks, Alternate

September 24 is our annual Sassy Classy Tournament. Don't forget to sign up for this fun event!

Cooler weather is coming!

Men's Golf Association

North-South Team Competition:

After a riveting two days of competition, the teams were all tied. In an exciting playoff, the South team emerged victorious when Kevin Spann made a birdie putt on the second playoff hole. The South team thoroughly enjoyed a fine steak dinner while the North team dined on some of the best beans and celery south of the Red River.

MGA Tune Up Tournament Results

First Flight

T 1st Terry Butler
T 1st Jim Smith
3rd Kevin Somers
4th Tom Currier, Mark Womack

Third Flight

1st Kelly Towery
2nd Billy Hyle
3rd M.D. Smith
4th Dave Stoner

Second Flight

1st Tom Recker
2nd Larry Thompson
3rd Curt Reid
T 4th John Beavers, Jim Mayer, Doug Baird

Fourth Flight

1st John O'Mara
2nd Craig Davison
3rd Greg Smith
4th Jim Powell

CONGRATULATIONS

On Your Hole In One

CHARLIE FINCH

August 4, 2009
Hole # 16
179 Yards

Witnesses: Larry Schoenrock
Buck Clements

DIANNE RIDDLE

August 14, 2009
Hole #5
100 Yards

Witnesses: Marilynn Meeks
Jeanenne Pivin
Amy Fuqua

Fall Junior Golf Clinics

September 12, September 26, October 10, October 24, November 14

Clinics Times Will Be Determined By Age

6-9yrs 9:00-11:00am 10-14yrs. 11:00-1:00pm

Clinics will be based on the skill level of the child. There are three different levels to be placed into:

Beginner ~ Intermediate ~ Advanced

Clinics will consist of short game and full swing, also drills, competitions, & course management / course etiquette.
\$25 per Student each day (Includes lessons & snack)

Golf News

Strokes From the Handicap Committee

Handicap Committee Members:

Marion Dantzler * Paige LaSalle * Laura Spearman * Jim Staif * Marilyn Todd * Rich Wright * Scott McClinton, non-voting

Thought for the month... Tournament scores are "special" for handicap purposes.

In last months' "Strokes" article, we discussed how handicaps are actually calculated and mentioned an adjustment that takes place for tournament scores if they are lower than the handicap calculation otherwise. Specifically, tournament scores are marked by the Pro Shop with a "T" on the GHIN system (T-scores). They stay on GHIN in a separate file for each individual on a revolving 12 months basis. A detailed formula and method for the actual adjustment can be found in The USGA Handicap System reference book, but for our purposes we'll keep it a bit simpler. Only the *best* six (minimum of two) T-scores in the file are used to determine if an adjustment is necessary. If the second best T-score index differential is 3.0 or more compared to the regular *Handicap Index*, then an adjustment will be made. The two lowest T-score differentials are then averaged and subtracted from the *Handicap Index*. The result of this calculation is then compared to the USGA's chart for this purpose. Using this calculated number and the number of eligible tournament scores from which the best six were drawn, the chart indicates the appropriate handicap reduction which is applied to the individuals handicap index and marked with an "R". Each handicap cycle a T-score adjustment determination is made for all players on the GHIN system. **And, by the way, two of your fellow club members were subject to this adjustment this past cycle.**

And, please.. we need your help with the scorecards!!

One of the ways the Handicap Committee monitors the process of scorecard posting is to compare the Pro Shop's tee sheets with the scores posted for that day. During a recent such comparison a surprisingly large percentage of the scorecards were not posted. Although more than one factor accounted for this discrepancy, nearly all of which have been addressed, the biggest one only members can solve... the insufficient or indecipherable information on scorecards turned in. Simply, the pros need an essential minimum of accurate information in order to post a scorecard.. and too often they just don't have it. So, please help them and us by recording, at a minimum, the following on each scorecard:

A legible first initial and last name for each player.

Each players' member number in the box provided, legible, or write "guest".

Check the appropriate box for the tees you played in the spaces provided to the far right.

If you play the Players' Course tees record a maximum of the Equitable Stroke Control score for the player on each hole (the system isn't set up to record hole by hole for the Players' Course tees).

The date played.

If you post your own scores, after posting please make sure that the scorecard is placed in the box in the computer posting area. Please do not give them to a Pro... that is only for when you wish them to post the score for you.

Thanks, in advance, for your help in making our handicap process much smoother and more accurate by following these few steps.

Another reminder, at the end of this year two of our Handicap Committee members will rotate off of the committee. Preferably, we would like one new male and one new female member for next year's group. Anyone interested should contact one of the members of the Handicap Committee within the next month or two.



Aaron Schick
Golf Course Superintendent
C.G.C.S.

On The Green's With Aaron

Wow that was fun!! What was fun? The divot filling party hosted by the green committee that was held on July 23rd. For those of you that were not able to make it you missed out on a fun evening of fellowship with your friends. In about two hours and the helping hands of forty five members we were able to sand divots on all eighteen holes. We had a keg accompany us on the course and Cathy provided us with some much needed appetizers upon completion. Due to the success we have scheduled another party for the 1st of September. It is a Tuesday night and we will be sanding from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. We look forward to seeing you.

Thank You for being a member!!

Aaron Schick, CGCS

Eldorado Lake Project Update:

In mid-August, the city began taking bids for completing the lake dredging project. Work should begin fairly soon and the city expects work to be completed by the end of the year.

Golf News

The Partners Championship



Feel like this. If only for 3 days.

National Private Club Team Championship
November 15th - 18th at PGA National Resort & Spa
Home of the Honda Classic – Ernie Els '08 Champion
20 Teams – 5 members and Team
Captain Golf Professional competing for
“The Palmer Partners Cup”
Modified “Stableford” Quota
(Scramble and Individual Formats)
Ask your Membership Director how you can represent
your Club at this prestigious event!
Last Chance Qualifiers Friday, September 11
Finals Saturday, September 12

Who Will Be Eldorado's 5th Team Member?

The Member who sponsors the most FULL
PRIVILEGE MEMBERS
into Membership by
September 25, 2009
Will win a spot to play in the
Partners Championship!

Membership Referrals may be turned in to
Eldorado's Membership Director, Chelsea Story, by
phone at 972.529.6779x 202, by email at
cstory@eldoradocc.com, or you may drop your
referrals off at our Club.
All Members are eligible to win by sponsorship.

Attention Golf Members!

As a golfer and a member of the club it is your responsibility to report any broken window or damage to surrounding homes and property. Your homeowner's insurance usually covers this at 100%. If you accidentally break a window or have other damage created by an arrant golf shot, please leave a note for the homeowner and call the golf shop. Thank you!

Upcoming Golf Events

CALL THE GOLF SHOP AT
972-529-2770 TO SIGN UP

Club Championship.....8:00 Tee Times

September 5th, 6th, 7th
\$75.00 Entry Fee

Best Golfer (Gross) at Eldorado CC Event

- 36 hole Stroke Play
- Field will be divided equally into flights according to course handicap
- There will be both net and gross awards in the flights
- Play will be from players course yardage
- Woman will play from forward tees

Drink & Drive.....5:30pm Shotgun

Friday, September 4 & 25
\$10 Entry Fee

Includes Drink Tickets & Awards

MGA 2 Man Total Score.....8:30am Shotgun

Saturday, September 19
\$30 Entry Fee

- 2 Man Net Score Tournament
- Minimum team total handicap is 18
(based on handicaps posted Aug. 14)
- Teams will be flighted off the combined two person team total handicap index.
- Handicaps will be calculated at 100% per player
- Team score will be total of both players net score on each hole, with a maximum individual net score of 8 on any hole.

Couples Club Championship....1:00pm Shotgun

Sunday, September 20
\$50 Entry Fee

2 Person Better Ball

- Teams will consist of Husband & Wife or (Significant Other)
- Fields will be flighted according to combined Handicap
- There will be net & gross awards for each flight

Powerball.....5:30pm Shotgun

Every Wednesday Night
\$15 Entry Fee

SAVE THE DATE MEMBER GUEST
OCTOBER 2, 3, & 4

Entry Forms & Flyers available in the Pro Shop

Clubhouse News

Clubs Within A Club

Bridge Club

Come Polish up your Bridge Skills every Friday at 9:00am in the Ladies Locker Room. If you have any questions, Please contact Shirley Powers at 972-529-9201

Friday Morning Bridge Winners

(July 17)	(July 31)
Joan Patterson	Agatha Donatelli
Patti Duit	Pat Weinstroter
Dorothy Gosnell	Shirley Powers
(July 24)	(August 7)
Kay Lantrip	Marcia Behl
Karen Barrett	Denise Harrelson
Shirley Powers	Saunda O'Connell

Susan G. Komen Walk



JOIN OUR TEAM!

Eldorado Country Club will have a team walking in the Susan G. Komen RACE FOR THE CURE, Saturday, October 17, 2009 at North Park Center. Karna Smith and Tammi Taylor will co-chair the event. For information contact

Karna at 214-244-4803,

Tammi at 903-705-2821, or go on-line at

www.komen-dallas.org/race and join the

Eldorado Country Club Team before September 30. We will carpool and arrive at the walk as a team. Sign up early and let's all dust off our walking shoes!

Girls, Giggles, & Golf

Every Thursday in September
except Martini Thursday
6:00 - 8:00pm

\$15 per Lady Includes Lessons, Cart,
Appetizers,
& 2 Glasses of Wine
Call 972-529-2770 to Sign Up

Eldorado Community Cares Committee

Eldorado ~ Mark your Calendars ~
November 7th 2009

As most of you know, every year the tennis and golf associations have raised money for different charities. This year we have decided to come together as a club and raise money for a local charity.

With careful consideration the Eldorado Community Cares Committee has selected the Children & Community Health Center McKinney. CCHC provides free health care to uninsured families of North Collin County. With the economy the way it is and unemployment so high the clinic is crucial to our community. CCHC is a volunteer program with only two paid employees. How can you help with this event?

We need donations for the Silent Auction

If you have an item or need more information on the silent auction please contact:

Karen Williamson at 972-741-4619 or

Roberta Kayatta at 214-989-1054

For additional info about CCHC and donations go to:

www.geocities.com/ewtanews

Thank you in advance for making this a successful event!

Book Club

The Eldorado Book Club is open to everyone. No reservations are required. Our next meeting is September 8 at 7:00 PM in the Ladies locker room.

Our September book selection is "The Persian Pickle Club" by Sandra Dallas. Our October selection is "The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel Pie Society" by Mary Ann Shaffer & Annie Barrows.

If you have any questions or interest in joining Book Club, contact Charisse Truelove at 214-789-0615 or email her at Charisse.truelove@gmail.com.

Couples Bridge Club



Couples Bridge was held on Saturday night July 18. We had four tables of exciting card playing. We had one couple win most of the money. Dean Erickson won first place with Gloria Erickson following closely behind for second place. Bob Seals won third place.

Couples Bridge is played every third Saturday of the month. We meet in the Womens locker room and begin play at 7:00 PM. Anyone interested in playing is welcomed and can reserve a spot by calling Shirley Powers (972-529-9201) or Denise Harrelson (972-562-2566).

Eldorado Ladies Association

The Eldorado Ladies Association invites you to the October 6, 2009, program and luncheon. The luncheon is at 11:30 a.m. and will be followed by a fashion show with models featuring clothing and accessories from Cynthia Elliot. The Eldorado Ladies Association is open to all and is not limited to Eldorado Country Club members. The luncheon is \$15 and dues are \$20 for the year. Call your reservation in Friday prior to the meeting on Tuesday. Guests are always welcome and we look forward to your presence.

Networking Club

Tuesday, September 15
8:30am in the Sports Grill

Clubhouse News

Palmer Privileges (Callaway Gardens Testimonial)

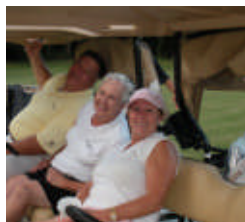
Lynda and I just returned from a few days at Callaway Gardens and I wanted to let you know how much we enjoyed it. Callaway Gardens is a beautiful place. We were very impressed with the Gardens which are a wonderful combination of natural areas, cultivated gardens, lakes and streams with many beautiful hiking and biking trails. We even tried our hand at a little fishing with their rental boats. Not much success there, but we enjoyed the boat ride on the lake anyway. We played the Lake View course 3 times while we were there. That course is a great layout with lots of trees and some elevation changes. The Lake View course is considered the lesser of the two courses, so although we didn't play the Mountain View course it must really be very good because we really enjoyed the Lake View course. We had great service from the staff in all the facilities from the inn to the restaurants to the golf course. And I really need to add a special word about the restaurants. There are multiple on the property. We ate at least one meal in nearly every one of them and the food was outstanding. Lynda really liked the organic vegetables harvested from The Victory Garden on the premises. We are already planning our return trip for next year. We'll probably do that one a little earlier in the Spring so we can catch the azaleas in full bloom. (James & Lynda Powell Members Since 2000)

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Cardio Salsa/ Core 8:30-9:45am Instructor Deann	Cardio Conditioning/Weights/Abs 8:30-9:45am Instructor Carla Evening Yoga 7:00-8:15pm Instructor Brandie	Sculpt & Tone with Weights 8:30-9:30am Instructor Deborah	Cardio Kickboxing/Core 8:30-9:45am Instructor Carla Strength/Core/ Flexibility 5:45-6:15pm Instructor Cindy K.	No Classes	Cardio Challenge/Weights/ Abs/Stretching 8:15-9:45am Instructor Carla Yoga 10:00-11:15am Instructor Tina

Clubhouse News

Gossip From The Grill



Cathy Taylor
Food & Beverage Director

This summer has been very good for Eldorado Country Club and I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of members who have supported our Club. Many other eating establishments and banquet facilities are struggling and due to our members we are doing even better than last year.

On that up beat note I would like to apprise our members of another special night we are having Drink Special Saturday starting at 5 p.m. every Saturday in September. There will be \$1.00 draft beer and \$2.00 house wine.

We will continue to have Senior Night on Tuesdays in September due to its popularity in August. We will offer a variety of dishes and hope to see many of our members enjoying friends, camaraderie, and food.

We had a tremendous turnout for Martinis with the Manager in August and are looking forward to even more members taking advantage of the free scrumptious food and endless martinis, beer and wine in September.

Thank you again for making this a wonderful place to work.

Sunday Brunch

Every Sunday from 11:00am ~ 2:00pm

Bring the Family Every Sunday For Our Fabulous Champagne Brunch

Enjoy a Complimentary Glass of Champagne!

*Omelets & Waffles Made To Order
Soup de jour & Fresh Salads
Chef Carving Station
Peel & Eat Shrimp, Smoked Salmon
Dessert Station*

*Adults: \$16.95
Seniors (55 & Up): \$12.95
Children (6-12): \$9.95
Children (5 & Under): FREE*

*Make Your Weekly Reservations
972-529-6779 or bgregory@eldoradocc.com*

Please No Denim, Casual Dress is available in the Sports Grill

Labor Day Pool Party

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2009
12:00-4:00pm

*Hamburgers and Hotdogs
Grilled and Sold to Order
Cash Bar
LIVE DJ
Pool Games*

No Charges for Pool Entrance Guest Charges Apply

Call 972-529-6779 to RSVP TODAY!



Sports Grill Friday Night Dinner Specials

Senior Night

Every Tuesday in September.....6:00-9:00 pm
Deluxe Salad Bar, Two Entrees, Vegetables,
Rolls, & Dessert
\$12.95+ Tax per Senior 50yrs+

Pasta Action Station

Friday, September 11.....6:00pm
\$9.95 per Person

Steak Night

Friday, September 4, & 256:00pm
Rib Eye, New York Strip, Filet, Salad Bar, Baked Potato,
& Dessert.
\$19.95 per Person

SATURDAY NIGHT DRINK SPECIALS



\$1.00 Draft Beer
\$2.00 House Wine

After 5:00pm in the Sports Grill



BINGO

Friday, September 11

BINGO Starts At 7pm

BINGO CARDS 50 CENTS
Prizes & Fun for the WHOLE Family!

Join Us For Dinner During BINGO From 6pm-9pm



ELDORADO
COUNTRY CLUB

2604 Country Club Drive
McKinney, TX 75070

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Troy Williamson | Lisa Baird
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Ron Wagner | Cindy Sander

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Chelsea Story.....Membership Director
Dawne Romine.....Club Controller
Brianna Gregory.....Member Relations
Cathy Taylor.....F&B Director
Sloane Schoeneberg.....F&B Manager
Tracy Richards.....Catering Director
Scott McClinton.....Head Golf Pro
Aaron Schick.....Superintendent
Grady McKee.....Head Tennis Pro
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Ambassadors Club

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Jon & Jessica Hoover
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Carol & Dennis McHale
Bob & Carolyn Philo
Jack & Jeanenne Pivin
Greg & Laura Trant
Randy & Charisse Truelove
Troy & Karen Williamson

Club Numbers

Main Line.....972-529-6779
Golf Pro Shop.....972-529-2770
Tennis Shop.....972-529-2775
Mulligan's.....972-529-1343
Course Maintenance.....972-529-2773
Sports Grill.....972-529-6779 ext. 213
Catering972-529-6779 ext. 217
Accounting.....972-529-6779 ext. 206 or 208
Membership.....972-529-6779 ext. 202

Hours Of Operation

Sports Grill
Tuesday-Saturday 7:00am-10:00pm
*Sunday 7:00am-9:00pm
Office Hours
Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm
Golf Shop
Tuesday-Sunday 7:00am-6:00pm
Tennis Shop
Tuesday-Thursday 8:30am-9:00pm
Friday-Saturday 8:30am-6:00pm
Sunday 10:00am-6:00pm
Fitness Center
Monday 8:00am-3:00pm
Tuesday-Sunday 6:00am-9:00pm

New Member

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McKinney, TX 75070



PARTY WITH THE MANAGER