

MAY 2019 NEWSLETTER FOR WINDYKE COUNTRY CLUB



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It sure has been nice to have an early Spring! Andrew and his crew have the course rounding into excellent conditions for a great golfing season. We have lots of great opportunities to get involved with the club. We have educational and social play programming for ladies, couples, men and juniors in the golf and tennis areas. These programs are from the novice right up to the professional! Contact the respective pro shops for complete details and to get involved.

Windyke De Mayo is on Friday, May 3! This has become one of the most popular events at the club. There is a putting contest from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. We will also offer trivia starting at 7:30 p.m. Check out the flyer for complete details.

Mother's Day brunch is filling up quickly; contact us immediately to sign up for one of the remaining times. Due to the large Mother's Day brunch we will have no additional seating in the Bar and Grille. We will be offering our snack bar lunch menu only during the hours of 10:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Our last Sunday brunch for May will be on Sunday, May 26.

Finally, remember to fix your ball mark and at least one other. Keep seeds and cigar ashes off the greens and rake those bunkers!

See you at the club!



(EMORIALDAY MONDAY, MAY 27 IS MEMORIAL DAY. IT IS CONSIDERED A WINDYKE HOLIDAY As stated in our digest. This will affect our weekday and executive MEMBERS BY MAKING THIS DAY HAVE THE SAME FEES THAT A WEEKEND DAY NOULD HAVE. WE WILL TAKE TEE TIMES FOR THIS DAY THURSDAY, MAY 23 T 9:00AM FOR THE RIDING SIDE AND FRIDAY THE 24 AT 9:00AM FOR THE OPTIONAL SIDE.

#### HOURS FOR MAY

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	FIRST	SHOP	SHOP
	TEE TIME	OPENS	CLOSES
WEEKDAYS	7:30 a.m.	7:00 a.m.	8:00 p.m.
WEEKENDS	6:30 a.m.	6:00 a.m.	8:00 p.m.
RANGE	Monday: Tuesday - Fri.: Weekends:	7:00 a.m 6:00 p.m. 7:00 a.m Dark Daylight - Dark	

WINDYKE BAR & GRILLE

Drinks served in the Bar and Grille: Everyday 11:00 a.m. - Dark Full Menu Service in Bar and Grille: Tuesdays 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. Every other day 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Come in and try our "After 4 Munchie Menu!" Snack Bar Hours:

Monday – Friday: 7:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. Weekends: 6:00 a.m. –6:00 p.m

**DERRICK & MELANIE MUNGO JOSHUA & ASHLEY WALKER CLAYTON & LORI WILLIAMS DAVID & LINDSEY OZIER LEVI & KATHERINE CLARKSON** PAUL & AIMEE DUBRIEL **ANDREW ESALA RYAN & VICTORIA OSTRANDER LEE & SUSAN HULETT LARKIN & CATHERINE GRISANTI ERIN & CLAIRE MCDONALD JUSTIN & CHRISTI FENLON JOEY TUFTS FRANK & ELLEN GRISANTI RICHARD & EMILY SCHEMBECHLER II HUNTER & MADISON BYER DAVID BARON CONNER FORRESTER CLAY & KIM CLARKSON** 

#### WINDYKE WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT OUR WEBSITE WWW.WINDYKE.COM

**ELIZABETH ENGLAND JACK & JULIE HORN JOHN HORN JOHN & MICHELLE CORDERA NICK & CAROL ZOUBOUKOS KEVIN & JOAN MURPHY** WEBB & KELSEY EMERSON WILLIAM & LINDA TODD **RANDY & LINDA BING DAVID & JOELLE GOAN TIM & KIMBERLY BURLESON BARRETT & KATIE JONES DANIEL & JENNY ZAMPINI MICHAEL & ERIKA HOPPING LEE & MARILYN CHADWICK DAN & CARLA ROBBINS CRAIG & JULIE EDWARDS SHAYNE & LIZ CASTELLAW BILLY & MECHELE RODGERS BOBBY & ALLISON O'BRIEN RON & MELISSA SELLS STEPHEN & LATINA BOWIE RORY & LAUREN PETERSON** TIM & KIM MCDANIEL **NIC & NEELEY ANDERSON CHRIS & HEATHER STOREY RYAN KELLERHOUSE** JEREMY CHRISTOFFERSEN **CHRISTOPHER & CARLY PRATT WES & SUZANNE JACKSON ANDREW & HAILEY NEWMAN JOHN & SANDRA SUMMERS GEORGE & CAROLYN LOTTERHOS DENNIS BRUMETT JOHN & KAREN NELLIS CRIS & KIMBERLY HAWKINS RYAN & SARAH TRIMM NICK & JENNIFER HEINZ JEFFREY & MARIELLA AUKER DENNIS & JANNA HACKER BRIAN & VIA NELSON SCOTT & TRACI MCSWAIN SEAN & BETHANY KELLEY THOMAS & DONNA BIGGAM THOMAS & KRISTEN BIGGAM STEVE & MEREDITH WHITE CHARLES & MAUREEN ANDREWS** WILLIAM & KAREN CASEY **ZACHARY STAVROPOULOS PARKER FOSSETT BYRON & KRISTEN FISHER RUSH & TRACEY SMITH CHRISTOPHER LOMAS** WILLIAM & SUSAN KUNKLE CHRIS & SUZANNE ACUFF **MICHAEL HOLLAND & KARRIE THRALL** 

## CLUB FITTING: IS IT NECESSARY?

In the golfing world of today, we have the ability to try out and hit the latest and greatest from major club manufacturers. Trying these clubs on the range is a great way to get a good feel for the look of the club and the sound and feel of the shots, but is that enough to information to make a purchase? As many of you know, myself and the other professionals on staff will fit people for their clubs. Much like getting fit for a new suit or bike, the club fitting process allows us to make the necessary alterations to the club to ensure that it performs to the highest possible standards for your game! We ensure we have built the proper clubs for you by using the Flight Scope X2 Doppler Radar. The Flight Scope allows us to access the information that we cannot obtain from the naked eye. These variables include club head and ball speed, launch angle, back and side spin, smash factor, club face angle, and club path. That may seem like a lot of information, but we use all of it to help us determine what club head and shaft combination promotes the most distance, accuracy, and consistent ball flight.



**LUKE REILLY** 

**ASSISTANT GOLF PROFESSIONAL** 

Even if you are not in the market to purchase new clubs, the Flight Scope can be used to help you dial in your distances with all of your clubs. Most people don't actually know how far they carry their 7-iron or any iron for that matter. Knowing your distances is extremely helpful when facing a shot over water or greenside bunker and makes it much easier for you to think your way around the golf course. Come into the golf shop to learn more about how the professional staff can use the Flight Scope to help you improve your golf game!

### WINDYKE JUNIOR GOLF LEAGUE ANDREW ARGOTSINGER

Good weather is HERE and with it will be a fun filled spring and summer of activities for your children. What are you going to do to get them **golf ready**? Our Windyke Junior Golf League is the perfect introduction into actually playing golf competitively regardless of their current skill. Our league is scaled to their age and ability because it is solely at the Executive Par 3 course and is set up in team format where they can learn as a group about how to play our great game. Within this league, our juniors will be divided amongst teams coached individually by our professional staff (Brock Shafer, Andrew Argotsinger, Luke Reilly, and James Rainwater) where they will compete against each other teams in a 6-hole matchplay format on Saturdays throughout the summer. Prior to these matches each coach will prepare his team through group clinics with application towards real playing. New this year, we will be allowing already participating members to sponsor non-members to compete as well. So if your child has a friend that would like to play as well they are invited too. Detailed information of our league is as follows, call the pro shop to sign up 901-755-3160.

**WHO:** Any child or grandchild of a member. Ages 6-12. NEW - Non-members may participate if sponsored by a participating member.

**WHAT:** Combination of clinics and matches. Total of 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> hours of professional instruction; coupled with 6 6-hole team matches.

**WHEN:** Sign up by calling the golf shop, (901)**755-3160**, anytime throughout April. Opening Day: June 1 (90 Min. Clinic and Team arrangement exercise) Team Practices TBD (60 min each) Will be during the weeks of June 10 and July 1 Team Matches: June 8, June 22, June 29; July 13, July 20, July 27

#### AWARDS POOL PARTY: AUGUST 2 Practice and match times will be TBA at a later date.

**WHERE:** This is the best part! Each practice/match will be held at Windyke. –No traveling!

**HOW MUCH:** \$175 per member \$225 per non-member -includes team shirt, all practices, all matches and the Flick'n'Float Awards Pool Party.



#### **MEMBER – MEMBER 2-MAN BEST BALL AND SCRAMBLE**

THE WARM SEASON IS UPON US CREATING INSPIRATION TO GET OUT AND PLAY GOLF. THE MEMBER-MEMBER 2-MAN IS A PERFECT OPPORTUNITY TO HOOK UP WITH A PAL AND PLAY IN A FRIENDLY GOLF COMPETITION. THE BEST BALL FORMAT ALLOWS YOU TO TEST YOUR SKILLS WHILE PLAYING YOUR OWN BALL. THE SCRAMBLE FORMAT PROVIDES THE PERFECT OPPORTUNITY TO SHOW YOUR STUFF WITHOUT THE PRESSURE OF INDIVIDUAL COMPETI-TION.

**THE MEMBER-MEMBER WILL BE HELD ON MAY 18 AND 19.** Saturday (West Course) format is best ball. Sunday (East Course) format is scramble. Seniors, 60 and over, play white tees. Seniors, 75 and over, play red tees. The championship flight will play the blue tees except those 60 and over which will play gold tees and those 75 and over will play white tees. All other players play gold tees. Ladies will play the red tees except those who have an index of 7.5 and below and they will play the white tees.

8:00 SHOTGUN START SATURDAY / 8:00 SHOTGUN START SUNDAY. BREAKFAST SATURDAY AT 7:00 A.M. ELIGIBILITY: EVENT OPEN TO FULL, INTERMEDIATE, JUNIOR, AND WEEKDAY MEMBERSHIP CLASSIFICATIONS. ALL OTHER MEMBERSHIPS MAY SIGN UP TWO WEEKS PRIOR PENDING AVAILABILITY.

HANDICAPS: PLAYERS MUST COMPLY WITH WINDYKE HANDICAP COMMITTEE REQUIREMENTS. ENTRY FEE IS \$125 PER PLAYER AND INCLUDES CART. \*\*WEEKDAY AND EXECUTIVE MEMBERS PAY AN ADDITIONAL \$52 FEE FOR THE WEEKEND\*\*

TEAMS WILL BE PRE-FLIGHTED BASED ON THEIR COURSE HANDICAP FROM THE MAY 15 REVISION. WE HANDICAP USING THE FOLLOWING FORMAT BECAUSE THIS Format negates any lopsided advantage of a very low handicapper playing with a very high handicapper. If you think there is a special combination that provides an advantage then use it! Our goal in flighting is to bring parity. We want to try to offer every team an even chance of Winning. Most flights will consist of 10-12 teams, depending on the range of handicaps and total signups.

TEAM HANDICAPS WILL BE THE TOTAL OF BOTH PLAYERS' HANDICAP MINUS ½ THE DIFFERENCE. \*\*\*\*HANDICAPS ARE ONLY USED FOR FLIGHTING\*\*\*

ANY PLAYER CANCELING MUST DO SO BY 9A.M. ON THURSDAY, MAY 16TH IN ORDER NOT TO BE CHARGED.

CALL THE GOLF SHOP AT 755-3160 TO SIGN UP TODAY!!!



MARGARITAVILLE

Ladies Member/Guest Best Ball/Triple Format Presented Proudly by the WLGA June 10-11, 2019

(To All WLGA Members and Windyke Club Ladies - No dependents allowed)

Monday, June 11: Optional Par 3 Best Ball (Executive Course) Registration: 3:30 pm Shotgun: 5:00 pm Pizza Party/Drinks immediately after play Free golf club storage on Monday evening

Tuesday, June 11: Triple Format/West Course Chip and Putt Contest: 11:00 am– 12:00 pm (Lunch for purchase) Shotgun Start: 1:00 pm Dinner/Awards immediately after play



#### Cost per team: \$185

Includes: Two rounds of golf and dinners, practice balls, chip and putt contest, mulligans, closest to the pin and long/accurate drive prizes, tee gift, awards, and a free guest golf pass for future use. Number of flights determined by entries (minimum two flights)

**Entry Deadline:** June 4, 2019. No refunds after this date. (Member Charge Allowed or Check Payable to Windyke Country Club)





### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2019**

John Romeo, BOARD PRESIDENT

Spring is here and the golf courses are looking great! It's going to be a fantastic year at Windyke. Now is the perfect time to show off Windyke to friends and business associates who are not current members. Bring them out and show them a great time, and maybe soon they'll be joining you as a Windyke member. One of the absolute best ways to show off Windyke is to participate in the Member-Guest tournament in June. The Member-Guest is organized by the Board and is the premier event of the year at the Club. As a past participant, I can assure you that your guest will have a great time enjoying the golf, fun, food, competition, and prizes. The value provided by the Windyke Member-Guest for the fee is the best in the city. But don't wait! We only have room for 60 teams, and with the growth in our membership this year, spots are filling up very fast. Contact the golf shop to hear more about this great event and to learn how to sign up. I hope to see you at the Member-Guest on June 13-15!

### "THE EASIEST JOB ON THE PLANET"

JIMMY RAINWATER, PGA Assistant Golf Professional

As we all know, the weather does not always allow us to enjoy the game of golf, but all too often we allow poorly predicted weather to shut down our desire to play the game. So, we should understand how those predictions are made, how to read them, how accurate they are, and what it means to us. When weather forecasters make their predictions, they are using a collection of past experiences and data to create a list of possible outcomes for the upcoming days. They overlay these outcomes with a weather model and make a prediction based on the outcome of the model. At that point they release a forecast. Unfortunately, this forecast is often misunderstood.

When we hear the phrase"30% chance of rain", many of us assume that whatever outdoor activity we happen to be doing will be rained out and ruined, but that's simply not the case. That is just a measure of the amount of time during a given day that some amount of rain more than .01 inches will fall. It could rain in the early hours of the morning or the very late hours of the night, and when it rains you may not even notice. Meaning, the timing of the rain or the amount of rain itself could be of absolutely no concern to you, even though the weatherman is calling for it.

Also, when viewing a forecast, we have to consider the reliability of these predictions. Most weather forecasts two to three days in advance are considered reliable. When searching weather forecasts more than five to seven days ahead of time, those predictions are often unreliable because there are many variables to consider and they are not always apparent or predictable. When planning a tee time, a week from now, remember that the forecast is likely going to change, and it could very well change for the better. Now, what does this mean to you? It means that planning ahead and checking the weather is a good thing, and we should all make it a common practice, but we should not allow chance of rain several days from now put a damper on our attitude or our performance on the golf course. Stay positive and make a tee time, because you would much rather have a time and get rained out than cancel your time and spend a sunny day on the couch.



# HULE-IN-ONES LANNY TROTTMAN 3/26 WEST #3 155 YARDS 7 IRON RUSSELL DAWS 4/5 WEST #3 142 YARDS 9 IRON Victoria England 4/9 West #17 142 Yards 8 Iron

POOL DPENS SATURDAY, MAY 25. DARBY LASCHDBER IS RETURNING TO BE OUR MANAGER. SHE IS BOOKING MEMBER PRIVATE POOL EVENTS, POOL OF WINDYKE COM. LAST SEASON WE HAD GOOD ATTENDANG TO BE OUR BURKS ON FRIDAY NIGHT HOURS. SO, THIS YEAR WE WILL OFFER THE EXTENDED

FULL MUMB, MONDAY: CLOSED, EXCEPT MEMORIAL DAY, MAY 27: 10:30AM TO S:00PM FRIDAY: 10:30AM TO 8:00PM SUMMAY: 10:30AM TO 8:00PM

POOL NEWS.

POOL HOURS:

SUNDAY: 12:00PM TO 6:00PM

MARK YOUR CALENDAR MJ's Fun in the Sun camp dates. June: 3-6,10-13,17-20,24-27 July: 1-4,8-11,15-18,22-25



## WINDYKE DE MAYO

Putting Contest: 5:30-7pm - Trivia: 7:30-9pm Buffet: 5:30-8:00pm \$24.95 per person

### ANTEJITES (APPETIZERS)

**CHIPS & SALSA** 

QUESO FUNDITO White Cheese Dip wtih Chorizo Sausage NACHO BAR

Seasoned Ground Beef, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Black Olives, Sour Cream & Guacamole

### PLATOS (MAIN COURSE)

**FAJITA BAR** 

Grilled Chicken, Carne Asada, Pork Al Pastor, Shrimp, Lettuce, Tomato, Grilled Pepper & Onions, Shredded Cheese, Sour Cream, Pico de Gallo

> TAMALES Shredded Pork with Red Chili Shredded Chicken with Green Chili

**ENCHILADAS VERDE** Green Chili Chicken Enchiladas with Tomatillo Sauce

> SIDES BORRACHO BEANS SPANISH RICE MEXICAN STREET CORN

> > PAPAS FRITAS Fried Mexican Potatoes REFRIED BEANS



### **PØSTRES (DESSERTS)**

#### TRES LECHES CAKE

Sponge Cake Soaked with Three Types of Milk Topped with House Made Whipped Cream and Fresh Fruit CHURROS Fried Pastry Straws with Cinnamon Sugar

#### SOPAPILLAS

Fried Mexican Flatbread tossed with Cinnamon Sugar & Honey

SUBJECT TO 15% SERVICE FEE & SALES TAX

## Tip from the Pro

Coach Brock 901-755-3160 (Pro Shop booking) 901-238-7974 (cell) brock@windyke.com

I was encouraged by my college golf coach to read a book by Ben Hogan: Five Lessons: *The Modern Fundamentals of Golf.* I trained under several coaches who used the principles in this book. One of these principles deals with the use of weight shift in the golf swing. Today we even have 'force plate monitors' to tell us how much weight/pressure is exerted on the ground throughout the swing. In the pictures below, you can see that Ben Hogan shifts an enormous amount of weight at the top of his back-swing whereas the player beside him has too much weight on his back foot at the top. Even though too much weight can be exerted too early, I have found that most of my students over the years don't have enough lower body shift starting at the end portion of the backswing. (see Hogan vs. amateur on the right) If you were at the gym holding the handle of a side pulley while in your golf stance, and had to move a heavy weight, I guarantee you would lean your lead hip away from the weight to begin moving the weight. This power move in also needed in golf. Unfortunately, with a 1 lb. golf club in your hand, you don't feel the need to leverage power this way, and so, most don't! This also contributes to most players swinging too 'outside-in'.

If you believe this is your problem, try this drill. Stand with the outside part of your lead foot against a wall. Clasp your hands in a grip without a club. Practice hitting your lead hip against the wall around the top of the backswing. This will force you to lead the downswing with your hip lean. Make sure your lead shoulder does not hit the wall. But, if you are low index player with a tendency to push and hook balls, you will need to work on more gradual shift of weight where you hit the wall later to-ward impact. This will allow your body to swing the club on a more direct path. Each student is unique. Come on in and allow me to tailor your lesson to your swing habits.



## **MEMBER-GUEST** Two-Man Match Play

## \$695 PER 2-MAN TEAM

\$150 NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT

Windyke Shopping Spree ProShop Specials: Including 10% off ALL IN STOCK APPAREL

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 13

Par 3 Challenge: East Course \$30 per playerWelcome Reception: On the East Patio (cash bar & appetizers)Selling Team Shares: For all flights at dinner

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 14

7:30 am: Breakfast at the Grill

9:30 am: Start of the 5 Nine-Hole Match Play • 3 matches, 27 holes • incl. lunch at 11:30
Format: Two-man best ball net match play
6:30 pm: Dinner (cash bar) • additional guests \$45

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 15

8:30 am: Shotgun Tee Times start 2 matches, 18 holes
1:30 pm: Lunch on the East Patio (cash bar) • additional guests \$20
2:15 pm: Awards & Prizes
2:30 pm: Shootout

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FILLING UP FAST! SIGN UP TODAY!

## SPECIAL EVENTS May 2 6:30-8:00 pm. Mixed doubles with Eric Limit: 8 Couples

# WINDYKE TENNIS

MAY 3 5:00-7:00 PM WINDYKE DE MAYO TEAM TENNIS TOURNAMENT This will be a fun, fast format led by our staff. Afterwards, join us for the annual trivia contest and dinner on the clubhouse patio.

MAY 4-5 TENNESSEE JUNIOR OPEN - LIMITED COURT AVAILABILITY, FREE TO SPECTATORS

MAY 9. 10:00-11:30 AM. LADIES DOUBLES WITH MJ. LIMIT:15

MAY 16, 6:30-8:00 PM. MIXED DOUBLES WITH ERIC. LIMIT: 8 COUPLES

MAY 17. 5:00-7:30 PM. OUTDOOR PICKLEBALL TEAM TOURNAMENT THIS WILL BE OUR FIRST OUTDOOR PICKLEBALL EVENT AT WINDYKE! We will use a social but competitive format followed by opportunities for open play. Afterwards, Join us for patio dining at the clubhouse.

MAY 20. 6:00-9:00 PM MEN'S DOUBLES ONE NIGHT RINGER TOURNAMENT LIMIT:16 TEAMS (\$40 PER TEAM INCLUDES FOOD, DRINK AND PRIZES)

MAY 23. 10:00-11:30 AM. LADIES DOUBLES WITH MJ. LIMIT: 15

MAY 27. 9:00-11:30 AM MEMORIAL DAY ONE POINT TOURNAMENT AND ROUND ROBIN EACH OF THE ABOVE EVENTS WILL COST \$10 PER PERSON, EXCEPT WHERE NOTED

#### **PICKLEBALL SCHEDULE:**

MAY 10 5:30-7:30 PM OPEN PLAY May 17 5:00-7:30 PM Outdoor team tournament (see above) MAY 24 5:30-7:30 PM OPEN PLAY May 25 10:00AM- 12:00 PM FAMILY PICKLEBALL

COMING IN JUNE.

- ★ FUN IN THE SUN CAMPS ★ JUNIOR TENNIS LEAGUE(INCLUDING A LEARN AND PLAY DIVISION) ★ REVISED ADULT ACTIVITY SCHEDULE
- WINDYKE CUP
- ★ PICKLEBALL LESSONS







#### LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE: CALL NOW!

other's Day Menu

Sunday, May 12 Adults: \$36.50 Ages 6-12:\$18 5 & Under: FREE

Calad Bar

Build Your Own Salad Deviled Eggs

Fresh Fruit Salad Chicken Salad

Panzanilla Salad

Roasted Potato & Green Bean Salad

Breakfast

Hashbrown Casserole

Blueberry Bread Pudding Casserole

Bacon & Sausage

Spinach & Mushroom Frittata

Biscuits & Gravy

Action Stations

Made to Order Omelets

Garlic Crusted Strip Loin with Horseradish Cream

Pecan & Mustard Crusted Pork Loin with Peach Marmalade

Gunch

Shrimp & Cheese Grits Blackened Chicken & Mushroom Penne Alfredo

Roasted Asparagus with Balsamic Citrus Butter

Corn Pudding

Dessert

Apple Cobbler with Vanilla Ice Cream

Banana Pudding

Caramel Brownie Cheesecake

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