



Lakewood Links April 2023

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Words from our President - Tommy Dennis

It has been another great month at Lakewood. We want to thank everyone for supporting our social events, Bingo, Trivia, Saint Patrick's day and the green beer at the 19th green.



Spring is here! Brackets are busted!

But, don't put away those winter jackets as we get ready for 5 more winters in Tennessee.

Redbud Winter: early April

Dogwood Winter: late April

Locust Winter: early May

Blackberry Winter: mid May

Britches Winter: late May

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the Bunny brunch, Easter lunch and come out and enjoy a cold Azalea at the 19th green for Masters week.

Tommy

Office Manager - Penny Panter

Penny is always eager to help you with any questions you have. She can be reached at 931-455-8770 X 2 or by email at office@lakewoodgcc.com



Office Hours

8:00 am - 2:00 pm Tuesday - Friday

Membership - Josh Clarey



Welcome New Members

Clara Margaret & Charles Ross Capps

George "Ed" May

Blake & Baylee Johnson

Michael & Rebecca Bean (James)



Greens & Grounds - Betty Hand

Greens and Grounds are focused on three main objectives, having the golf course prepared for play on a daily basis, finding the right Superintendent for Lakewood, and completing projects, especially those that are supporting our greens transition. We are actively negotiating with a candidate at this time so more to come soon on that front. Some of the G & G projects completed in March include repairing low waterlogged spots on the maintenance access road, continuing to make repairs to the maintenance buildings, trimming low hanging limbs, removing an ill-placed pine tree by the 12th green, shoring up a couple of ground erosion issues, and having Diver Kyle give us a “good to go” on the irrigation pump in-take located in Lake Tullahoma. A few active spring projects that are underway include repairing the practice putting green, leveling and seeding the low spots on the greens around the course, and starting up the irrigation system. And kudos to all the folks, Noah, the Grounds staff, the Workhorses and the G & G Committee, for making this happen!



As you may have seen around the course we have received the newly leased John Deere equipment which is here just in time for the spring turf growing season! And while this agreement includes equipment maintenance repair through a John Deere technician, we do still use some aged equipment that needs repairs from time to time. For that reason we are looking at the possibility of hiring either a part-time or on-call mechanic. If you know someone that you believe might be a good candidate please forward that information to myself or the Business Office.



Diver Kyle



Lake Tullahoma

Our New John Deere Golf Course Equipment



Member Menu

MEMBER HOME
MEMBER STATEMENTS
UPDATE ACCOUNT INFO
MEMBER ROSTER
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
CONSTITUTION, BY-LAWS,
RULES

Check out our “Rules” section on the website and refresh yourself with Lakewood General Rules (on and off the golf course). Here are a few to get you started:

Section 7. Golf Course Rules

1. General Golf Course Rules

I. Players having one or more holes open in front of them must defer to faster players.

J. Members and their guest must wear proper golfing attire. Halter tops, tank tops, tee shirts, sports jerseys, blue jeans* and “cut-offs” are not considered proper attire. Men’s shirts must have a collar. *Blue jeans (without rips, holes, tears) may be worn seasonally outside of Daylight Savings Time.

K. Groups of more than four players will be permitted only at the discretion of the Pro or after 5:00pm on weekends.

Lakewood Golf Shop/Golf Committee

Kenny Saunders & Bryan Hall

Welcome in, Spring! This Spring brings lots of recurring and some NEW events. Be sure to check out the columns in this newsletter for information and the calendar at the end. Also, our tournament schedule is listed on our website.

Our St. Paddy's Day Tournament was a little chilly, but we still had 36 players. We paid 4 places and awarded Closest to the Pin honors as well. Congrats to all! Winners were:

Jerry Whitehurst, Tyler Sehorn & DJ Boggs

Mike Tierney, Chris Bond & Nick Judkins

Kathy Tierney, Willis McKee & Danny Boggs

Tommy Clem, JR Farrar & Steve Hall

Closest to the Pins went to David Dunlap & Steve Graham

Congrats to Pat Welsh on his Hole In One on March 11 on Hole #3

Witnessed by Alan Jones, RD Perry, and Tim Finch

And also

Wayland Long on his Hole In One on March 29 on Hole #18

Witnessed by Bob Sacheck and Steve Graham

GET YOUR HOLE IN ONE INSURANCE - YOU NEVER KNOW WHEN LIGHTNING WILL STRIKE!!

We have many new arrivals in the pro shop - stop by and check it out!



PROV1 WITH TN LOGO



FJ WOMENS SHOES



FJ MENS SHOES



Congrats to Pat Welsh
Hole In One
March 11 #3



Congrats to Wayland Long
Hole In One
March 29 #18



LAKEWOOD UPCOMING GOLF EVENTS

Get Golf Ready “Fore” Women

Brush up on your golf skills, or let Kenny teach you everything you need to know to play golf in a few short sessions!

5 - 90 minute sessions 4-5:30

April 2, 16, 23, May 21 & June 4

Sign up in the Pro Shop

Master’s Match-Up

This month begins many “Match-Ups” we offer in the pro shop. Players will pay \$10 and be matched with a PGA Pro during major tournaments. It is handicapped and you are “matched” with a pro randomly and have a chance to win back your money and more!

Lakewood Ladies and Lads & Lassies also start their season this month.

Read details below!

Fitting Days – sign up in the Pro Shop

Titleist – April 13

Cobra – April 20

Cleveland – April 22

Mizuno – April 26

TaylorMade – April 27

Callaway – May 6

Ping – May 11

Callaway – May 17

Member–Guest Sign up

There are 72 spots available for the 2023 Member–Guest (Sept 22–24)

We have 52 teams and 7 teams on the waitlist currently. If you played last year and want in again this year you have until March 1st and then we open up the waitlist.

Hole In One Insurance

is growing and we are almost to our goal of \$1000 if you make a Hole in One. Ask our pro shop employees how this works if you are feeling lucky in 2023.

Tuesday Night Men’s League

The 2nd season will kick off at Lakewood Golf and Country Club on April 4th at 5:00 pm. The league will consist of weekly, 9 hole, “par quota” rounds so all skill levels have equal opportunity to win some CASH! The cost to enter the league is \$20 and there will be a \$20 buy in for each weekly game you enter. Prize money will be awarded each week and a grand prize awarded at the end of the season. To sign up, please call the pro shop by 11:00 am each Tuesday.

Range will close at 4:00 every Sunday

Cart Path

Please obey cart path rules. Our maintenance staff will make the call as to whether carts are on or off path for the day. This is noted on a sign on the first tee. Peer pressure works best to monitor this situation. Thank you for taking care of our golf course.

We are still **CART PATH ONLY UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE:**

#1, #10 #11

Between the ditches on #2

Bottom section of #6

Lakewood Country Club

GOLF

SUMMER CAMP

JUNIORS AGES 5-12

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS | JUNE 6 - JULY 20

10:30 am - Check in
11:00 am - Golf activities begin
1:00 pm - Lunch (included)
Pool time until pickup at 3:00 pm

\$400/ 7 weeks - FREE CAMP TSHIRT!
\$70/ week
\$40/ day
1/2 price for additional siblings

Contact Golf Pro, Kenny Saunders to register 931-800-9377, kennysaunders@pga.com

Clubhouse - Sam Minkowitz



External Facilities - Jeff Biniek



Social - Trent McNabb
(and Katie)

A few spots left!
Call NOW!



Finance - Mike Melton



In February we had a profit of \$29,930 which exceeded the budget number of \$21,161 by \$8,769.

The profit from the restaurant and bar exceeded the budget by \$13,279. Great job by Cindy and her staff.

Expenses for the month of February came in over budget by \$11,749.

Great recovery from the loss of \$1092 in January. YTD we now show a profit of \$28,838.

Thanks Mike Melton

Lakewood Golf and Country Club 2023 Budget

	Feb Budget 2023	Feb Actual 2022	Feb Actual 2023	Feb Bud vs Act 2023
Revenue 2023				
Recurring Monthly Inc	\$58,790	\$63,883	\$64,668	\$5,878
Total Variable Income	\$16,364	\$16,364	\$17,725	\$1,361
Total Revenue	\$75,154	\$80,247	\$82,393	\$7,239
Expenses 2023				
Total Admin Expense	\$22,700	\$20,988	\$22,166	-\$534
Total Club House Expense	\$5,928	\$5,848	\$7,793	\$1,865
Total Green & Grounds Exp	\$29,902	\$21,902	\$29,126	-\$776
Total Golf Shop Exp	\$7,027	\$7,027	\$8,287	\$1,260
Total Restaurant Bar Exp	\$16,658	\$16,658	\$26,592	\$9,934
Total Expenses	\$82,215	\$72,423	\$93,964	\$11,749
Profit/Loss From Gen Ops	-\$7,061	\$7,824	-\$11,571	-\$4,510
Total Restaurant Bar Rev	\$39,615	\$40,365	\$55,626	\$16,011
Total COGS	\$11,393	\$11,393	\$14,125	\$2,732
Gross Profit Restaurant	\$28,222	\$28,972	\$41,501	\$13,279
Total Profit Before Depr.	\$21,161	\$36,796	\$29,930	\$8,769

Lakewood Ladies Golf Association
Martha Merz/Betty Hand,
Co-Chairs



Martha Merz, Co-Chair (931-581-3576/marthamerz12@gmail.com)

Betty Hand, Co-Chair (bjhand58@hotmail.com)

Kathy Tierney, Secretary (mimitee@att.net)

Deby Barnett, Treasurer (debyann22@gmail.com)

SPRING FLING

Tuesday, April 4 8:30 Registration 9:00 Brunch
10:00 scramble if the weather cooperates!

BRING A FELLA

Tuesday, April 18, 9:00 Tee Time / Lunch to Follow
Sign up in the ladies locker room by April 11.

Our annual Lakewood Ladies Diamond Invitational is set for Thursday, May 4. This event is our big fundraiser for the year and is open to outside female golfers in addition to members. If you or someone you know of is interested, please reach out to one of our LLGA board members above, or Lakewood Pro Shop.

Playdays will begin on Friday, April 7

Be IN the locker room no later than 8:45

Our chairperson will draw for groups and we will head out!

Lads & Lassies
Dan & Martha Merz



LADS & LASSIES

OPEN TO ALL ABILITY LEVELS!

IT'S HERE!

TIME FOR OUR SEASON TO BEGIN

JOIN DAN AND I ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5 FOR
OUR KICKOFF EVENT INCLUDING:

4:30 - 6:00 DAN'S DIABOLICAL PUTT-PUTT

5:00 - 6:00 SOCIAL

6:00 DINNER / OPENING MEETING

(SIGN UP BY 2:00 WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5 BY
CONTACTING MARTHA OR THE PRO SHOP)

Official play will begin each Wednesday at 5:00
(sign up by contacting Martha or the Pro Shop no later
than 2:00 each Wednesday)



Restaurant & Bar
Cynthia Ramsey
& Laura Passarello



We are always available to you for anything you might need!
Don't forget to call Lakewood first for your event.
Contact Cynthia Ramsey at 931-455-8770 X1

Thank you for a great Fall and Winter season! We are now gearing up for Spring and Summer. Join us on the 2nd of April for our Bunny Brunch with lots of fun activities for the children, including an Easter Egg Hunt. On the 9th we will host our annual Easter Lunch Buffet. Bring the whole family for a full buffet of delicious foods, plus a tasty dessert bar. We will have a new Spring and Summer menu coming soon, with some delicious new items.

George Dickel Retirement Luncheon



New Summer Kitchen & Bar Hours

(starting April 3)

Monday Closed

Tuesday 11 - 8

Wednesday 11 - 8

Thursday 11 - 8

Friday 11 - 9

Saturday 10 - 8

Sunday 10 - 7



Steak Night
Every Friday

Check Facebook or Instagram for our
"Cut of the Week" and sides



Fresh - Never Frozen
Oysters on the Half Shell

We will have 10 dozen available every weekend,
So reserve yours before they're gone!

(If you would like more for a party, we need 1 week advance notice)

Trivia with Mel - 4th Tuesday - Every Month





New Wine Menu Coming Soon



Monthly Wine Pairing Dinner
Reservation Only
Limited to 32 people
(Details to follow)



April 25
7:00 PM



April 2023

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

2 11-2 Bunny Brunch	3 Club Closed TGA Pro-Am	4 9:00 LLGA Spring Fling 5:00 Kids eat free 6:00 Family Bingo 7:00 Big Bucks	5 4:30 Lads & Lassies Kickoff Putting 6:00 L&L Dinner/Meeting Burger Night	6	7 NO Rotary 7:00 Big Bucks	8 Master's Match-Up
9 Master's Match-Up 11:30-2 Easter Lunch 4:00 BINGO	10 Club Closed	11 5:00 Kids eat free 6:00 Family Bingo 7:00 Big Bucks	12 5:00 Lads & Lassies Burger Night	13	14 1:00 Tullahoma Chamber Scramble 7:00 Big Bucks	15 6-9:30 Private Party
16 4:00 BINGO	17 Club Closed	18 9:00 LLGA Bring A Fellow 5:00 Kids eat free 7:00 Big Bucks	19 5:00 Lads & Lassies Burger Night	20 5:00 Private Retirement Party	21 6:00 Private Wedding Rehearsal Dinner 7:00 Big Bucks	22 Private Wedding Reception
23 2:00 Private Party 4:00 BINGO	24 Club Closed 5:00 LGCC Board Meeting	25 5:00 Kids eat free 7:00 Big Bucks & Trivia	26 5:00 Lads & Lassies Burger Night	27 11:00 Private Luncheon	28 7:00 Big Bucks	29 Spring Ramble (open to public)
30 Spring Ramble (open to public) 4:00 BINGO	May 1 Club Closed	May 2 5:00 Kids eat free 7:00 Big Bucks	May 3 5:00 Lads & Lassies Burger Night	May 4 9:00 LLGA Invitational	May 5 5:00 School Reunion	May 6 Men's Club Championship

Outside Parties

Outside Golf Events

LGCC Board of Directors Meeting 4th Monday of every Month at 5:00

Lions Club - meets Wednesday at 12:30

Kiwanis Club - meets Thursday at 12:30

DAR - meets 2nd Thursday of each month at 12:00

Zach Shelton Dental group - meets 3rd Tuesday of each month

Red Hat Society - meets 2nd Tuesday of each month at 11:30

Rotary - meets Friday at 12:00



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