



MEMBER NEWSLETTER

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Easter at the Club

Sunday, the 21st of April was a glorious day at Lakewood Golf & Country Club. The main focus of our festivities this day was Easter, as we prepared a wonderful brunch for our membership. We had 160 members and their friends and family who enjoyed time together. It was nice to see all the families dressed in their Sunday best and all seated together. With some forethought, we had portraits taken before the kids were able to get ahold of Jen Spellman's wonderful desserts and make a mess on their Easter clothes.

At one o'clock it was time for the Easter Egg Hunt for the kids of Lakewood. They were out in full force as we lined them all up by the scoreboard. The eggs were scattered all over the practice range of the club. We organized all the kids at the starting line, said one, two, three, 'go' and all were off to the races with an array of baskets. It reminded me of the old Droopy Dog Cartoon where the line of sheep went across the field and ate everything in their way. Not an egg was left and all the baskets were full.

A big shoutout to the Lakewood Ladies Golf Association for sponsoring this event and putting in the time to individually stuff every egg with prizes.





Kenny's Korner

It seems Spring has finally arrived, and the sun is shining. We had a long, wet Winter this year and I am glad to see it go away.

The season was kicked off in April with a beautiful Easter Brunch. We had over 160 guests join us for a fabulous meal. It was so nice to see all the families together at Lakewood Golf & Country Club. The club has been very active with parties, dinners and events and I hope everyone has noticed a change in the number of members using the club over the past couple of months. The staff is upholding its promise to the members of creating more fun things to do and we hope you continue to participate in these events, and if you haven't participated, what are you waiting for?

If you are wanting to participate in our festivities and events but have small children, remember we have been offering child care services but you must give us a heads up in advance to be fair to our team of sitters.

The golf course is greening up, the pool is being pressurewashed and painted and we are off to a great start this Spring. The pool will open on May 25th at 10am.

The golf season is in full bloom (literally) and lots of events coming up.

Let's all participate in YOUR club this year.

Bring your friends and introduce them to life at Lakewood.

Kenny Saunders, PGA
General Manager



MEMBERSHIP DRIVE - LET'S GET NEW MEMBERS

Dates: January 1st- May 31st

From January 1st to May 31st, Lakewood Golf & Country Club will be holding a membership drive to increase membership at the club. Below are the benefits of joining the club at this time and the benefits of bringing new members to the club.

It is an exciting time at Lakewood as we institute new programs and fun activities for our current members, families and kids. Don't miss out on the savings and fun at the club.

New Members:

No Initiation Fee (After 5/31 the initiation fee will be \$500)
Many new events and activities for all ages
No Cart Fee through June 30th
Grandfathered into "Own Your Own Cart Program"

What do you get for sponsoring a New Member to our Club:

3 Months paid to your account after New Member has been in good standing for 6 months
NO LIMIT TO NUMBER OF NEW MEMBERS YOU CAN BRING IN

This promotion ends on May 31st, 2019



Your Golf Course Superintendent



Hello everyone,

As we move into May I wanted to give a brief recap of what's been going on around the course in the month of April. April started out with our greens aerification, which went extremely well. We were not able to remove as much organic matter as I had hoped due to labor shortages, but it worked out. We were still able to punch a nice clean hole and got almost 20 tons of sand into our greens. We adjusted our process a bit this year, and with nice, cool, dry weather it worked out great. Additional applications of a granular 0-0-22 with Magnesium and Sulfur was applied shortly after as well as an 18-9-18 granular fertilizer to replenish the soil and plant and allow for a quicker recovery. The Sulfur helps reduce our soil pH which is slightly high due to the high pH of the irrigation water here

on property. Continuing to reduced the pH allows for better nutrient uptake and a healthier overall plant which can withstand the daily stresses of mowing, rolling, heat, and foot traffic. We also started mowing tees, fairways, surrounds and some rough in April, which is a bit out of the norm. I believe this is due in large part to our fall fertilization application. As some of you may remember I harped on the benefits of a fall fertilizer app and what it would do for early spring green up and a healthier plant coming out of dormancy. Well I think we are seeing the results of this. We are a month, if not more than that, ahead of schedule as far as bermuda green up!

On April 22nd we had Tennessee Dryject come to the course and perform a dry-ject to our greens. This process took a day and we were able to inject almost 22 tons of sand into our greens profile at a depth of 6 inches. This is extremely beneficial for the long term health of our greens. When we aerify we can only go 3" deep so it is essential to try and go deeper every other year or so to give new channels for the bentgrass to push roots down into. The deeper the root growth, the more capable the plant is to withstand the stresses of the summer.

Looking towards May, we will be in full 'go' mode. Our regular mowing will increase and so will our need to control weeds, insects and other pests. The course should be rounding into great playing shape for the summer and we hope to continue to improve and provide you with a better product every season. We have some major sod projects that we will tackle around the property as well.

Thanks,

Walker Bryant
GCS





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LGCC Pool Opening

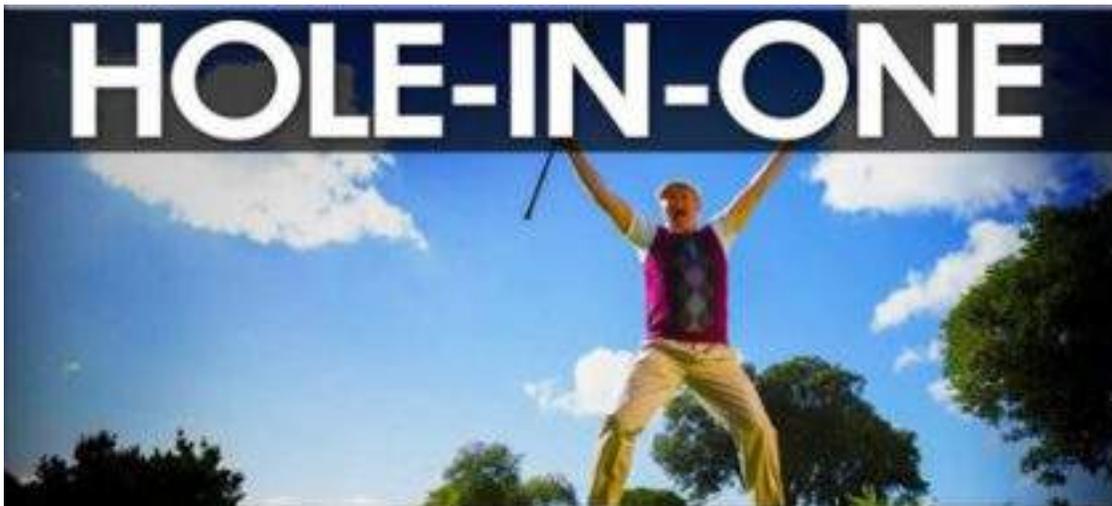
It's that time
of year again!!
That's right...
POOL TIME!

May 25th, 10
a.m.



Hole In One Insurance

**Thoma Aces #3 on
April 30th**



Hole-in-One Insurance

Mr. Brac Thoma aced hole #3 on April 30th with playing partner, Jackie Reavis. Mr. Thoma hit a beautiful 8-iron into the green and it one-hopped right into the hole. Mr. Reavis chimed in to state that he still beat Mr. Thoma. They can probably be found at the bar rehashing the event. I bet Mr. Thoma wishes he would have signed up for the Hole-in-One Insurance.

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Lakewood Junior Golf Summer Camp



**Tuesdays and Thursdays
From: 11 AM- 3PM**

-Check-in will start the day beginning at 10:30AM
-Golf activities tee off at 11AM
-Lunch will be at 1PM (cost of lunch is included in camp price)
-Pool time will start after lunch until Pick-Up at 3PM

**Open to all Juniors
ages 6-12**

Cost will be \$400 for the full 7 weeks, \$70 per week, and \$40 for one day

Date Exclusions:

-June 13th
(Sned's Tour Event)
-July 18th
(JC Uselton Invitational)

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JUNE 11-JULY 25 LAKESWOOD JUNIOR GOLF SUMMER CAMP

It's that Time of the Year Again!

Junior Golf Summer camp is quickly approaching once again here at Lakewood, and that means a chance to give the parents a little break while the kids learn about the game in a fun and exciting way!

This year we will be offering new activities and learning opportunities with everything from mini-golf and Velcro targets to speed golf, closest to the pin, and even playing holes out on the course! If you are interested in being a part of this year's summer program, you can sign your kids up by phone, email, or visiting the Proshop. Do not hesitate to let us know if you have any questions.

LLGA NEWS

Our LLGA Spring Fling was held on April 2nd with 22 ladies gathering for brunch and a short business meeting.

Fun play day games continue on Tuesdays with par quota being played on Fridays. Please meet in the Ladies Locker Room at 8:30am so teams can be drawn.

Our annual Morning Pointe Tournament is scheduled for Tuesday, May 21st hosted by Bertha Bates and Frances Jones. This is a fun day followed by a delicious lunch served at Morning Pointe.

Come and join the fun!
Wanda Cope and Abbie Slater



Swim Lessons from Becky Behrendorff are almost FULL! Please text her only (no phone calls) at 931-581-1589 to see if she still has room.

9 day Group Lessons \$115, each lesson is 55 to 60 minutes

June 4-7, 10-13

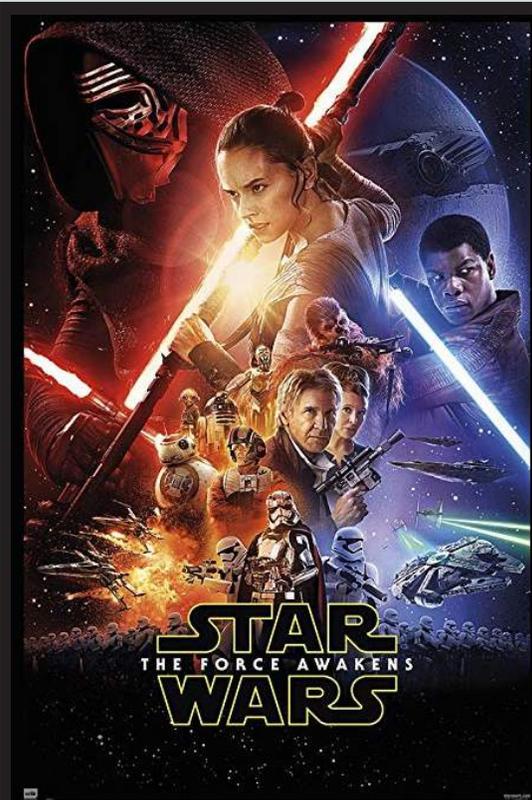
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July 8-18 th

One on One Lessons \$20 per half hour.

A \$25 non refundable deposit will be taken and deducted on the first day of lessons to the full amount. There are no make ups for sicknesses, vacations or missed days. We will make up lessons for weather and if Instructor cancel lessons. Contact details for Becky are 931-581-1589, **please no phone calls**, send text with name age of swimmer or swimmers, your name and a good number to contact on. She will return messages as she get them, it is a first

COMING SOON



FAMILY
MOVIE
NIGHT



Family Night: May 18th @ 5pm

Menu: Han-burgers, Luke I Am Your Pasta Salad and Princess Lays Potato Chips. **Padawan Popcorn Bar:** Buttered, Cheddar & Kettle with Graham Cracker Ewoks, Light and Darkside Chocolate Chips, Marshmallows and M&M's.

Movie: Star Wars, The Force Awakens

Attention All Golfers Old Guys vs Black Tee Group

At the last Greens and Grounds Committee meeting a challenge was tossed out between the "Old Guys Group" and the "Black Tee Group" to see who could raise the most money to sod the areas between hole #4 and #5.

It seems the "Old Guys" have a huge jump on the "Black Tee Guys". As of April 30th the "Old Farts" as they are most affectionately known have raised enough money to purchase about 8 pallets of sod. The "Black Tee Guys" who are actually too old to play the black tees but still hold dear to the name have raised "squat".

It seems the "Black Tee Guys" need to step up their game a bit to keep up with the "Old Guys."

Matt Layton
B.O.D.



Events

We are enjoying warmer days here at the club and our calendar is filling up! We are continuing our weekly Wednesday Burger night, but have added Lad's & Lassie's to the mix. If you are interested in learning to play, are a seasoned pro, or just want to mix it up, sign up with Kenny or Payton today. Don't forget, Tami with Every Body's Yoga is here every Thursday with the exception of May 2nd, so grab a mat and a bendy friend and feel the good vibes at Lakewood.

Our May Event Calendar will be as follows:

May 4th- Member Non-Member Fiesta

Grab a prop and say Queso! We will have a photo area set up in the lobby to welcome you and all of your guests. This is our last big push for members, so let's show off! We will have a complimentary salsa bar, fish taco dinner special and drink specials including; \$7 margaritas, \$4 shots of Jose and \$2 Coronas.

May 12th- Mother's Day Brunch

With a healthy mix of breakfast, lunch and desserts, our Mother's Day brunch is sure to please. Our Easter brunch sold out, so be sure to get your reservations in ASAP! We will not be able to accept any reservations beyond Tuesday May 7th.

May 19th- Shrimp Boil Poolside Fundraiser

The club will be hosting a Shrimp Boil fundraiser in hopes of a much needed update to our poolside furniture and décor. Music from the band Southern Moss will have you swaying to the beat as you enjoy the delicious southern fare. Volunteers are still needed, and donations are, of course, always welcome!

May 25th- Family Movie Night

Movie: Star Wars: The Force Awakens

Buffet Menu: Han-burgers, Luke I Am Your Pasta Salad, and Princess Lays Potato Chips

Padawan Popcorn Bar: Buttered, Cheddar & Kettle Corn with Graham Cracker Ewoks, Light and Darkside Chocolate Chips, Marshmallows and M&M's. Reservations can be made by phone, email or in person.

May 26th- Corks & Crafts

Each attendee will receive a set of four coasters, materials to decorate, and a glass of our house wine for inspiration for \$15. Make your reservations today!

As we come to the close of our member drive, Corks & Crafts, Family Movie Night & Club Planned Member events will be members only. You will have until June 1st to invite non-members to these events. So, bring your friends and encourage them to join and continue their experience as a member of the Lakewood Golf & Country Club!

CORKS & CRAFTS

craft • sip • laugh • repeat



This month's class on May 26th will be a fun, simple and chic diy coaster project.

Each attendee will receive a set of four coasters, materials to decorate and a glass of our house wine for \$15.

Invite all your friends both member and non-member to join the fun.

Reservations can be made via email at events@lakewoodgcc.com, by phone or in person.



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May Golf Events

- **Lads and Lassies- Every Wednesday at 5PM**

Lads and Lassies season is fully under way, but that doesn't mean you can't still join the fun! You and a partner, significant other, friend, husband or wife could play 9-holes with new games and formats every week playing along side other couples and teams. Golf starts every Wednesday at 5PM with dinner to follow. We also provide babysitting, so do not hesitate if you are interested in being a part of the group!

- **Mizuno Demo Day- May 2nd from 2PM-6PM**

Gives you the chance to try out all the new equipment that Mizuno has to offer from the new and improved ST-190 Drivers and woods to the JPX-919 irons and wedges while also presenting the opportunity to be fitted to the clubs perfect for you.

- **Blood Assurance Tournament- May 3rd at 1PM**

Blood Assurance is hosting the 5th Annual Heroes Golf Tournament. The Heroes Golf Tournament is a charity golf event that raises money for Blood Assurance's Crystal Green Memorial Scholarship Fund. Twelve students in the Blood Assurance service area are selected each year to receive a Crystal Green Memorial Scholarship and the Heroes Golf Tournament helps support area high school seniors.

- **Callaway Demo Day- May 9th from 3PM-7PM**

If Callaway is more your speed, then this demo day featuring the Epic Flash Drivers and fairway woods and the all new Apex irons and Stroke Lab Putters along with the very reliable Mack Daddy wedges.

- **Ping Demo Day- May 16th from 2PM- 6PM**

Ping will be bringing possibly the best line of products that they have ever produced in the G-410 range. Spanning from driver through irons these clubs are making a splash in the golf community. The guys at Ping also introduced their first set of forged wedges giving ultimate feel and playability.

- **May 19th PGA Championship (Major Series) May 19th**

The 101st PGA Championship is going to be bringing big storylines. Will Tiger continue his push to regain dominance? Can Jordan break out of the slump and complete the grand slam? Does Phil have another major in him at 48? With this Major Series you can also be a part of the storyline. After playing with your normal group, we pair you with a pro on the leaderboard, and your net score combined with their gross score gives you the number to beat.

- **May 25th&26th Spring Member-Member**

In this captain's choice format both players tee-off, select best tee shot, both players hit from that location & play their own ball into the hole. Lowest score is team score. Flights are determined based on day one scoring. Who will take home the victory this year?

- **May 27th Memorial Day Scramble**

This 4-person scramble format tournament gives us the opportunity to honor those that made the ultimate sacrifice of service to our country while also playing some golf and having a lot of fun in the process!





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Lad's and Lassie's News

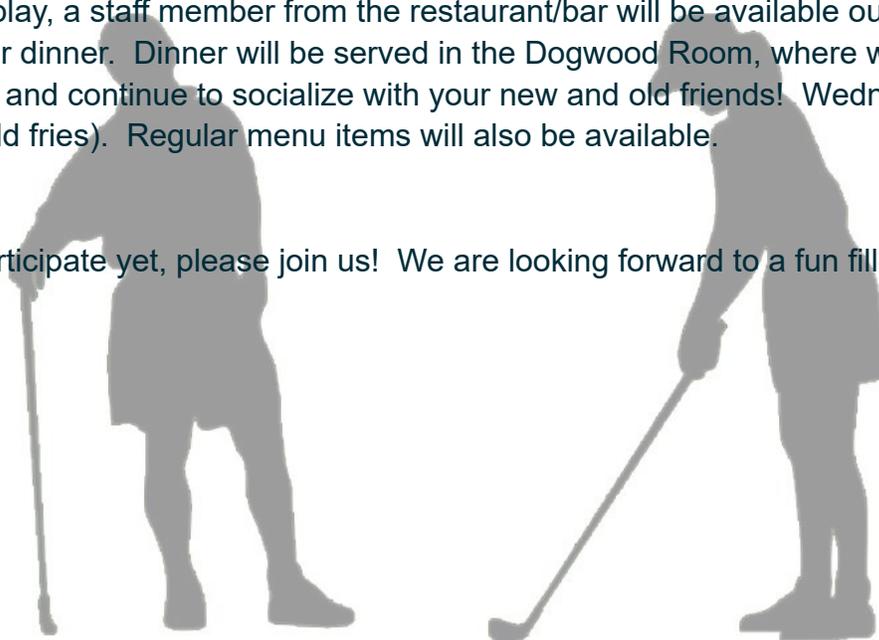
We are so excited to be the chairpersons for Lad's and Lassie's this year. We hope to bring back some old games, play some of our regular games, and introduce new ones. We have now finished our 3rd week and we've had great fun and participation.

When we had our kickoff putt-putt tournament and meeting, we explained some of this year's new and exciting things. Some of you may not have been able to join us, so we thought we'd share a little about what Lad's and Lassie's is all about.

- 1) This weekly event is held every Wednesday (weather permitting) teeing off at 5:00 p.m. Regular season games usually involve 2 or 4 person scramble formats with twists. For example, Wednesday night was "Po-ley". If your team made a putt outside the distance of the flagpole, you got to take one shot off your score. If you putt from off the green and made it, you got to take two shots off your score.
- 2) Cost to play is \$5 per person - payout will be 70% to the winners of the evening (based on number of players) and 30% will go towards the end of the season dinner (free of charge to those who have participated throughout the year). At the end of the season, we will have a Lad's and Lassie's Championship Tournament open to any Lad and Lassie that has played a minimum of 7 times throughout the season.
- 3) To participate, please call the pro shop no later than 2:00 on the Wednesday of play. Babysitting services will be an option this year, however, ONLY if you call no later than Noon on the Sunday prior to play. We will continue to offer this service as long as it is supported. Payment for babysitting is provided by members who use the service - cash only.
- 4) We want this to be a social event that will provide new members the chance to meet members they won't normally have the opportunity to socialize with. Therefore, no "requests" for pairings will be accepted. Show up, play, and meet new friends! This is a social golf event. All levels of players are welcome.
- 5) Every Wednesday before play, a staff member from the restaurant/bar will be available outside near the practice area to take orders for dinner. Dinner will be served in the Dogwood Room, where winners will be announced. Plan to stay, eat, and continue to socialize with your new and old friends! Wednesday night is Burger Night (\$5 plus \$2 to add fries). Regular menu items will also be available.

If you haven't been able to participate yet, please join us! We are looking forward to a fun filled season!

Dan and Martha Merz



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 \$5 Burgers Lions Lad's and Lassie's	2 Kiwanis City of Tull Service Awards NO Yoga	3 Rotary Big Bucks Blood Assurance Tournament Mizuno Demo Day	4 Cinco de Mayo
5 Get Golf Ready	6 All facilities closed.	7 Lakewood Match Play Big Bucks	8 Lad's and Lassie's \$5 Burgers Lions	9 Kiwanis DAR Yoga Callaway Demo Day	10 Rotary Big Bucks	11 Get Golf Ready GFWC Wine Tasting
12 Mother's Day Brunch	13 All facilities closed.	14 Lakewood Match Play Big Bucks Zach Shelton Dental	15 Lad's and Lassie's \$5 Burgers Lions	16 Kiwanis Red Hats Yoga Ping Demo Day	17 Rotary Big Bucks	18 Family Movie Night Star Wars
19 Shrimp Boil - Pool Fundraiser PGA Major Series	20 All facilities closed.	21 Lakewood Match Play Big Bucks	22 Lad's and Lassie's \$5 Burgers Lions	23 Kiwanis Yoga	24 Rotary Big Bucks	25 Spring Member-Member!
26 Corks and Crafts Spring Mbr-Mbr!	27 All facilities closed. Memorial Day Scramble	28 Lakewood Match Play Big Bucks Trivia	29 Lad's and Lassie's \$5 Burgers Lions	30 Kiwanis Yoga	31 Rotary Big Bucks	