



Lakewood Links January 2024

Board of Directors

Brian Hall, President
Trent McNabb, Vice President/Pro Shop
Mike Melton, Treasurer/Finance
Betty Hand, Secretary/Greens & Grounds
Josh Clarey - Membership
Jamie Hicks - External Facilities
Sam Minkowitz - Clubhouse
TBD - Social
Laura Passarello - Restaurant & Bar

Words from our President Brian Hall



I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I am both excited and honored to be the new president of Lakewood Golf and Country Club. As the new president, I will continue to work with our members, staff, and board to make the best decisions for the future of our club. We have a great group of board members, and we are all looking forward to this coming year. We will continue this year with the various committees, and I urge each of you to reach out to a committee chair to get involved in helping make decisions for the club.

The Annual Membership meeting was held on December 19th in which the board members reviewed the accomplishments of last year, which are too many to mention here. One of the highlights of the meeting includes Betty Hand getting the President's Award. The President's Award is not typically handed out to a board member but in this case, Betty went above and beyond with her efforts to keep everything flowing while we searched for a new Grounds Superintendent. Without Betty doing such a great job, things may have turned out much differently. Congratulations Betty!

A big thank you to Tommy Dennis and all the previous board members for a job well done. Being able to take over a club in such good standing makes this job easier but then again brings added pressure as the bar is now set. I look forward to the coming year and hope to see everyone at the club.

2024 Board of Directors and assigned responsibilities:

Bryan Hall – President
Trent McNabb – Vice President and Golf/Pro Shop Committee Chair
Mike Melton – Treasurer and Finance Committee Chair
Betty Hand – Secretary and Greens & Grounds Committee Chair
Josh Clarey – Membership Committee Chair
Laura Passarello – Restaurant & Bar Committee Chair
Sam Minkowitz – House Committee Chair
Jamie Hicks – External Facilities Committee Chair
TBD – Social Committee Chair

Thanks - Brian



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

Charles & Patricia Marmolejo



While our sights are not as lofty as the 2023 greens conversion, the Greens and Grounds will not be taking a respite when it comes to enhancing the quality and playability of our golf course. As highlighted at the Annual Membership Meeting, the Greens & Grounds Committee have the following list of improvement opportunities for 2024.

- Begin implementation of the Tree Management Plan.
- Replace and or raise irrigation heads.
- Address broken and uneven concrete on cart paths, holes #2 & #14.
- Replace irrigation valves on the ponds on holes #16 & #17.
- Resolve lack of irrigation at several tee boxes.
- Address unlevel tee boxes.
- Lay sod in locations around golf course as needed.
- Investigate viability of installing new turf collars around greens.
- Resurface the Maintenance Access Road.
- Plan and install a TifEagle greens' nursey.
- Replace bunker rakes, partly funded by Lakewood Ladies Golf Association!

Thanks,
Betty

Greens & Grounds - Trevor Vestal & Betty Hand



External Facilities Jamie Hicks



Nothing to report this month.
Happy New Year.

Clubhouse Sam Minkowitz



Finance - Mike Melton



As shared in the Annual Membership Meeting, based on the Finance Committee recommendations, the Board of Directors has approved the following dues increases beginning January 1, 2024.

- Capital dues will go to \$10.00 for all members.
- Dues and Debt Retirement will increase a little over 3%.
- The members currently on the Cart Lease plan will see an increase from \$60 to \$75.

Please visit the LGCC website for November's Financial report.

Note: The report will be available Friday January 5th 2024.

Thanks, Mike

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Hi to all and we hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year spent with family and friends. 2023 was an exciting year for Lakewood Golf & Country Club. There were some major changes and all for the good. We have our new greens up and running and I have heard nothing but good things about the condition of the greens and the entire golf course for that matter. We are blessed to have made a wonderful hire in our superintendent position when bringing on Trevor. Trevor and his staff have done wonders with the golf course and it has never looked better. Cyndi and the restaurant staff have been very busy doing a wonderful job with all the parties and events throughout the year. Another great addition has been Penny in the business office. She has been instrumental in getting all of our new members squared away and feeling totally welcomed at Lakewood.

Audrey, Nate, Libbie, Brody and I want to personally thank everyone for supporting the pro shop. It means a lot when we are totally aware that you can buy most everything on the internet these days but you still choose to support us. Thank you for that. We are excited moving into 2024 with a large inventory for you all to choose from with some of the best products in the golf business.

We have a new P.O.S. System in place to separate the Lakewood business from the Kenny Saunders Golf business. I am not sure if everyone is aware but the pro shop merchandise business is owned by me and the board of directors thought it was a good time to separate the two instead of running everything through the Lakewood account and then reimbursing Kenny Saunders Golf every month. We wanted it to be as seamless as possible without taking away from the convenience of being able to just say put this item on my account. We have done that as each of you has an account set up in our new system but you will receive two separate invoices if you have purchased an item from the proshop. The billing from Lakewood will remain the same but you will also receive an invoice that you can pay by check or credit card to Kenny Saunders Golf. We can even set you up on an ACH payment if you would prefer.

We also still take cash occasionally. LOL

We have a full slate of tournaments scheduled for you this year with a couple new events that we think will be awesome.

1) Parent/Child Tournament

2) Lakewood Ryder Cup

The Get Golf Ready Fore Women Clinic will crank up on April 7th for all the new or wanna be new lady golfers out there. This is a five week series of lessons that gets you ready to be a full fledged golfer and we have fun doing it.

Thank you again for a wonderful 2023 and we are so looking forward to what the future will bring to Lakewood Golf & Country Club in 2024

Lakewood Golf Shop/Golf Committee
Kenny Saunders & Trent McNabb

Golf Course Hours
7:30 am-dark :30
Tuesday-Sunday
Closed on Monday
Driving Range closes at 4:00
every Sunday



Social
Look for our 2024 Social Calendar to be posted in January

New Year's Soiree was fantastic - Happy New Year



Lakewood Ladies Golf Association

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

Jennie Duncan, Co-Chair (jennieduncan1960@gmail.com)

Kathy Tierney, Secretary (mimitee@att.net)

Deby Barnett, Treasurer (debyann22@gmail.com)

Congrats to our 2023 Smiling Lady
Betty Hand



Happy New Year

Watch for more information
about
Our Spring Fling event in April

We would love for you to join us!

LLGA

Restaurant & Bar
Cynthia Ramsey
& Laura Passarello



Lakewood is always happy to host any event you could imagine! A birthday, wedding, shower, retirement party, and of course every holiday! Call and let us help you plan the perfect event!

**Thank you so much for allowing us to host you, your friends and family
During the holiday season!**

**First Choice
The Marvel Clinic
Sonoco
Stan McNabb Family Automotive
L&H Distributing
Glick & Woods Dentistry
Weichert Realty: Joe Orr & Associates
Lakewood Ladies Golf Association
George Dickel
The Hill Family "One Lucky Duck" birthday party
SEYI - Stephen Walls**

Kitchen & Bar Hours
Monday Closed
Tuesday 11 - 8
Wednesday 11 - 8
Thursday 11 - 8
Friday 11 - 9
Saturday 10 - 8
Sunday 10 - 7

**Be sure to print the last page (calendar) so you can keep up with
all the great things happening at Lakewood!**

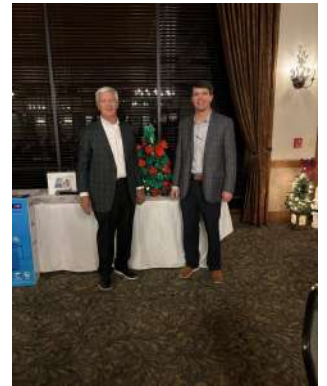
And... Don't forget:

Kids eat FREE every Tuesday night starting at 5
Burger Night is EVERY Wednesday
Big Bucks every Tuesday & Friday
Trivia with Mel - last Tuesday every month
Bingo every Sunday at 4:00

Call Lakewood to host your event.
Contact Cynthia Ramsey 931-455-8770 X1

**WE NOW HAVE A FILET ON THE MENU THROUGHOUT THE
WINTER SEASON! AVAILABLE AFTER 5 EVERY DAY!**

We certainly enjoyed hosting Christmas parties,
Christmas Trivia and birthdays in December





BREAKFAST WITH SANTA



January 2024

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

	1	2 5:00 Kids eat free 6:00 Family Bingo Night 7:00 Big Bucks	3	4	5 7:00 Big Bucks	6
7 4:00 BINGO	8 Club Closed	9 5:00 Kids eat free 7:00 Big Bucks	10 Burger Night	11	12 7:00 Big Bucks	13
14 4:00 BINGO 4:00 Private Party	15 Club Closed	16 5:00 Kids eat free 7:00 Big Bucks	17 12:00 Private Luncheon Burger Night	18	19 7:00 Big Bucks	20
21 4:00 BINGO	22 Club Closed 6:00 LGCC Board of Directors Meeting	23 5:00 Kids eat free 7:00 Big Bucks	24 Burger Night	25	26 7:00 Big Bucks	27 6:00 Private Party
28 4:00 BINGO	29 Club Closed	30 5:00 Kids eat free 7:00 Big Bucks & Trivia	31 Burger Night			

Lakewood Events

LGCC Board of Directors Meeting 4th Monday of every Month at 6:00
Big Bucks every Tuesday & Friday at 7:00
Trivia - last Tuesday of every month 7:00
Bingo - Every Sunday at 4:00
Burger Night every Wednesday
Kids eat free every Tuesday night starting at 5:00

Recurring Events

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
Outside Parties
Outside Golf Events



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