

# COOSAW & COURIER

March 2024

**Sunday, March 31st**

## Easter Sunday Brunch

*Join us! We will have three seating options available.*

10:00 am / 12:00 pm / 1:00 pm

(NO Easter Bunny on last seating)

*The Easter Egg Hunt  
will take place  
promptly at 11:30am*

\$60 adults \$25 kids under 10  
Bottomless Mimosa & Bloody Mary Bar  
available \$15 per person



### THE MENU:

Assorted breakfast pastries

Fresh fruit display

Shrimp Cocktail display

### Salad bar station

Eggs Benedict with Hollandaise sauce

Pepper smoked bacon and sausage

Home fried potatoes

### Carving station to include:

Honey baked ham / Angus beef tenderloin

Cajun pecan crusted salmon  
with honey ginger sauce

Sauteed mixed vegetables

### Dessert station:

assorted cannolis, holiday cupcakes,  
cheesecake bites





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# Palmetto Grill

## Palmetto Bar and Grill Hours of Operation

### Monday

Dining Room and Bar  
CLOSED ALL DAY

### Tuesday

11:00AM-7:00PM

### Wednesday- Saturday

11:00AM- 9:00PM

### Sunday

11:00AM-7:00PM

(Kitchen Closes at 5:00PM)



**Spring Forward!**  
**Don't forget!**  
**March 10th**

### NO-SHOW/CANCELLATION POLICY

Members whose reservations are not kept and members whose cancellations are made inside the 48-hour window of the dining event will be charged full price of the dining event. Window of time may change depending on event.

### DRESS CODE

Quality denim or golf shorts are allowed in the clubhouse unless specified otherwise for special events.

For **ALL EVENING DINING EVENTS** after 5 pm, men must wear a collared shirt and **NO CAPS** are allowed in the dining room.

## Food and Beverage Minimum Reminder

**DON'T  
FORGET!**

Make sure you meet your minimum by March 31st if your account falls within this range of account numbers 75000 – 80999.





# EMPLOYEE Spotlight

## Meet Patrick Coughlin

Patrick has worked at Coosaw Creek for the past 10 years in our Golf Maintenance Department as a Full-time Senior Greens keeper and Spray Technician. Patrick has shown loyalty and dedication to Coosaw Creek over the last 10 years and has been instrumental in its success year in and year out.

Originally from Arlington Virginia but after a stint in California he decided to call the low country home and has spent the last 10 years here with his wife Kimberly and his 3 kids. He has 12-year-old twins Kelly and Kyle and a 13-year-old son Patrick Jr. who keeps him very busy outside of work.

During Patrick's free time he enjoys his Tuesday night golf league, cooking for the family and spending time with his kids participating in Boy Scout and Girl Scout activities.

We are very lucky to have Patrick on our staff here at Coosaw and hope to have him for many years to come.





## Friday, March 1st Trivia Night

Games Start at 7:00 PM

We will offer a limited a la carte menu  
**Reservations required**

## Friday, March 8th Joseph Phelps Wine Dinner

6:30 pm • \$85 per person (space is limited)

**Reservations Required**



### MENU

Mini Lobster Salad Crostini Greeting  
Domaine Chandon Blanc Sparkling Wine

### First Course:

Frisee lettuce, baby kale pancetta, mandarin oranges,  
crumbled Goat cheese,  
Chardonnay-shallot-tarragon dressing  
Newton Vineyards Chardonnay

### Second Course:

Breaded artichoke hearts braised with mirepoix,  
Meyer lemon-thyme-brown butter aioli, fresh parsley  
Joseph Phelps Pinot Noir

### Third Course:

Prime Beef filet mignon stuffed with roasted garlic,  
pancetta & Gorgonzola mousse,  
Gruyere & crème fraiche twice baked potato, lemon-garlic  
roasted Romanesco and sauce Foyot  
Joseph Phelps Cabernet Sauvignon

### Palette Cleanser:

Aged Gouda cheese & 10 year old balsamic  
Joseph Phelps "Insignia"

### Dessert:

Valrhona chocolate lava cake with hazelnut gelato,  
Luxardo cherry compote, salted caramel  
Domaine Chandon Demi-Sec Blanc



## Saturday, March 16th St. Patty's Day Nine & Dine Golf 3:00 pm

Bust out your Green and join us  
for a fun 9-hole round of golf  
and Irish Dinner Buffet after.  
\$40 entry fee plus golf cart fee,  
taxes and gratuity.

(includes prizes and dinner buffet)

**Reservations made at Pro-Shop**

## St. Patty's Day Buffet

5:00 – 8:30 pm • \$30 per person

**Reservations Required**

### MENU:

Irish Soda Bread, Whiskey Butter  
Corned Beef and Cabbage Soup  
Loaded Potato Skins  
Guinness Beef Stew  
Baked Corned Beef and Cabbage  
Cod Fish & Chips, Malt Vinegar Aioli &  
Tartar Sauce  
Irish Cole Slaw  
Colcannon Mashed Potatoes with Kale  
Irish Cheddar Mac & Cheese  
Irish Whiskey Bread Pudding  
Irish Cream Cheesecake





**Thursday, March 21st**  
**"Bucket of Chicken" Night**  
**5:00 – 8:30 pm**

*Chef Curtis is breaking out his famous  
fried chicken recipe.*

We will sling out family style to your table  
a bucket of fried chicken,

Mashed potatoes, corn on the cobb,  
Southern mac & cheese, cole slaw.

We will top it all off with an ice cream  
sundae bar with gobs of toppings.

Adults: \$25 Kids 10 and under \$15

**Reservations Required**







## March 29th Music Bingo

Dining starting at 5:00 pm

Games at 7:00 pm  
Buffet Dinner only that  
evening \$25 per person  
**Reservation Required**



## Sunday, March 31st Sunday Easter Brunch

Join us for Easter Brunch,  
we will have three  
seating options available.  
**SEE PAGE 1 FOR DETAILS**







# APRIL EVENTS



## April 5th • Trivia Night

Dining starts at 5:00 pm

Game at 7:00 pm

Buffet Dinner only that evening

\$25 per person

**Reservations Required**

**APRIL 6TH 5:00 PM**

**DINING ROOM & LOUNGE CLOSED  
FOR PRIVATE EVENT**



## April 12th • 5:30 – 8:30 pm New England Lobster Bake

\$60 per person

( One Lobster Per Person )

**Reservations required.**

**THE MENU:**

Steamed Maine Lobsters with drawn butter

New England Clam Chowdah

Garlic, herb and white wine sauteed mussels

BBQ chicken breast

Iceberg wedge salad display

House-Made cole slaw

Sweet corn on the cobb

Boston Baked Beans

Blueberry corn bread

Assorted desserts and pastries

**\* LIVE MUSIC \***

No regular dinner service that evening



## April 16th 5:00 – 7:00 pm K-9's and Cocktails

*Join us with your furry friends to sip  
on a cocktail and show off your pups!*

We will have an outside bar on the lower patio, a photographer to take some fun photos with your dogs and we will be giving away some prizes. This event is complimentary with a Member charge bar. Reservations are required to help us plan the night. Great way for your pups to meet some friends in the neighborhood.



## April 20th 6:00 – 8:00 pm Paint & Sip Night

April Rivard will be our art instructor for the evening and we will be painting some fun designs on wine glasses for you to take home and enjoy drinking your favorite wine out of.

\$18 per person.

Price includes wine glass, art class,  
charcuterie and a glass of wine.

**Reservation required and space is limited**



**April 24th 5:00 – 8:30 pm**  
**\$7.95 Chicken Parm Night**

*Back by popular demand!*

This will fill up very quickly  
so make your reservation early.

Regular dinner menu  
also available that evening.

**Reservations required**



**April 26th**  
**Bingo Night**

Dining starts at 5:00 pm

Games at 7:00 pm

Dinner buffet only that evening

\$25 per person

**Reservations Required**



**April 27th 5:30 – 8:30 pm**

**Bows & Bowties**

**Daddy Daughter Dance**

*Join us for an elegant night  
and capture some great memories!*

DJ and dancing / Photo booth /

Dinner buffet / sweet treats

\$60 per couple.

\$35 per additional adult.

\$25 per additional child

**Reservations Needed by April 5th**

**SAVE THE DATE:**  
**May 4th**  
**Kentucky Derby Party**



**START PICKING OUT A FESTIVE HAT LADIES  
AND FELLAS**

**DUST OFF THOSE WINGTIP SHOES.....  
WE'RE CELEBRATING THE DERBY IN STYLE  
WITH A SURE TO BE PARTY OF THE YEAR!**

**DETAILS TO FOLLOW  
IN THE APRIL NEWSLETTER**





## **Dress code for Coosaw Creek Country Club**

The standards of the dress code are important to the club and have been established to compliment the overall experience of the club for all members. Club management and staff reserve the right to determine when attire does not meet the dress code and may refuse entrance or services to members and their guests. Members are responsible to inform their guests of the dress code and ensuring that their guests are in compliance with all club policies.

### **Dress Code For Dining Room, lounge and special events:**

Shorts and quality denim is allowed in the clubhouse as long as there are no torn, frayed or rips.

Men are required to wear a collared shirt. No hats allowed in the dining room. Hats are allowed in the lounge area ONLY. No t-shirts, bathing suits, sweatpants, hoodies, athletic wear (including tank tops, athletic pants and athletic shorts). No household slippers.

Allowed for women are dresses, skirts, slacks, golf shorts and blouses. No t-shirts, bathing suits, fishnet tops, sweatpants, athletic wear (including tank tops, athletic pants, athletic shorts, leggings). Leggings are allowed if worn under a skirt/skort or shorts. No household slippers.

### **Dress Code For Coosaw Creek Golfers:**

Men must wear shirts with collars and sleeves. Mock turtleneck shirts are allowed. Shirts are preferred to be tucked in whenever possible.

Slacks or golf shorts only. Golf shorts up to four inches above the knee.

No denim, t-shirts, cut-offs, bathing suits, sweatpants, athletic wear (including tank tops, athletic pants and shorts).

Appropriate golf shoes with soft spikes only are required on the golf course and practice facilities.

Women must wear shirts with a collar or mock collar including sleeveless shirts. Appropriate attire includes Golf dresses, skirts/skorts, slacks or shorts. Golf Skirts/skorts and golf shorts with a minimum of a four-inch inseam. Leggings ONLY if they are under a skirt, skort or shorts. No denim, t-shirts, cut-offs, bathing suits, sweatpants, athletic wear (including tank tops, athletic pants and shorts).

Appropriate golf shoes with soft spikes only are required on the golf course and practice facilities.



## NEW PROSHOP HOURS OF OPERATION

Starting Sunday, March 10th! Tuesday through Sunday 7 am – 7 pm

The first tee time is at 7:30 am Tuesday – Friday and 7 am on the weekends and holidays.

The Practice Range closes at 5 pm on Thursday and Sunday evenings  
to allow for proper maintenance.

Starting Monday, March 11th, the golf course AND practice facilities will be closed on Mondays until 3:00 pm for the remainder of the year. We will open for Major Monday holidays such as Memorial Day and Labor Day and also for Private Monday Outings held several times throughout the year.

**Please NOTE:** The flags will be pulled on Mondays, meaning the golf course is **CLOSED**. Pins will go back in at 3:00 pm and the course is available for **WALKING ONLY**. The Pro-shop itself will be closed on Mondays with no outdoor services. The Driving range will remain closed for the entire day.

*We thank you for your understanding and cooperation during these Monday closures.*

This important closure time will allow Jamie and his team to properly perform important uninterrupted maintenance on the golf course and practice facilities. Some of these projects will include performing proper spray applications, wetland and pond bank trimming, Verti cutting on putting surfaces, proper angle cuts on fairways, performing much needed work to collars and greens edges, apply proper topdressing and brushing practices so that the sand has time to dry before brushing.

Our golf course is one of our greatest assets and this time is needed to properly maintain it and allow our team to improve on the quality of the finished product.

## Note From the Pro:

Spring is upon us and it's time to stock up on apparel and equipment. On March 1st-3rd, we will have our Spring-Cleaning Sale! We'll be selling apparel and equipment for a great price. We offer private lessons for \$50 for 45 minutes. We also offer lesson packages starting at \$125. Need new grips on your clubs? Look no further! We offer full club repair services including regripping, re-shafting, and loft/lie adjustments. Our 2024 Tournament book is now available in the pro shop. We're implementing the Championship weekend this year. This tournament includes the Club Championship, Senior Club Championship, Super Senior Championship, and Legends. Looking forward to a great 2024 season!

Play your best!

Brian Vogt, PGA

Head Golf Professional

## Club Repair

Spring Golf Club Tune Up: We offer regripping and loft and lie adjustments services on site. Drop your set of clubs off at the pro shop and let our staff evaluate your current set and suggest which services might benefit your game. The golf shop has expanded club repair services beyond regripping. We offer full club repair services to include re-shafting, loft & lie adjustments and shaft extensions and trimming.

### NORMAL PRICING

Loft and Lie Adjustment - \$5 per club

Re-gripping - as low as \$10 per club  
(depending on grip selected)

Re-shafting - as low as \$30 per club  
(depending on shaft selected)

*See the golf shop staff for additional information.*





## Don't Miss the Weekly Events

### White Tee Blitz

Every Tuesday and Thursday @ 8am  
and Saturday @ 8am

### Wednesday Night Blitz

Every Wednesday at 5:30,  
Starting March 13th

### LGA

Every Wednesday @ 9am &  
Saturday @ 9:30am

### Blue Tee Blitz

Every Friday @ 11:00am &  
every Saturday @ 10am

### Gents

Every Tuesday & Thursday @ 9am

**Space is limited for the Saturday  
Blitzes, so you MUST sign up by 5pm  
Friday to participate!**

Call the golf shop for more details  
on weekly blitzes.



## Spring Cleaning Sale!!! March 1st -3rd

Enjoy great discounts on your favorite brands. To bring in exciting new merchandise, we need to sell our existing stock. Spin the wheel for a chance of greater discounts and free merchandise!

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Spend \$100 – Get a free sleeve of  
Titleist Golf Balls (Non ProV1 / AVX)

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Spend \$150 – Get a free sleeve of  
Titleist Pro V1's or AVX

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Spend \$200 – Get two free sleeves  
of Titleist ProV1's or AVX

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Buy 1 Hat at member price,  
get a second hat 50% off retail price

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Buy any pair of shoes,  
get a 2-pack of FJ ProDry socks free

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Buy any golf bag, get any hat for free

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FJ Polos starting at \$50

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Weathersof gloves, 2 for \$20

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Buy any pants or shorts,  
get a FJ braided belt for \$20

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FJ Shoes starting at \$45

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5 Golf lessons for \$200

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***Stop by the pro shop from 7am to 5pm  
to see all clearance items!***



## UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS AND EVENTS

March 4th- Men's Interclub

March 16th- Couples 9 & Dine

March 25th- Cathedral of Praise Outing

March 27th- 1st Tee Time at 12pm

March 27th- Srixon/Cleveland Fitting Day

March 29th- Taylormade Fitting Day

## Cap Patrol

This year we will be implementing a handicap system called Cap Patrol. This is a handicap committee management and peer-review system designed to promote fair and honest play for everyone. We will host a meeting soon for those wanting more information. To help pay for this system, everyone in our handicap roster will be charged a \$5 fee. If you wish to remove your name from our roster, please contact the pro shop. Please Note: If you plan or are currently playing in our weekly blitzes and tournaments, you must keep your handicap with us.

### Hole in One Club

All members are invited to join our Hole in One club! If you hit a shot of a lifetime, you'll receive a gift card to the club and have couple drinks in the members lounge! Sign up today in the pro shop!

## Instruction Corner

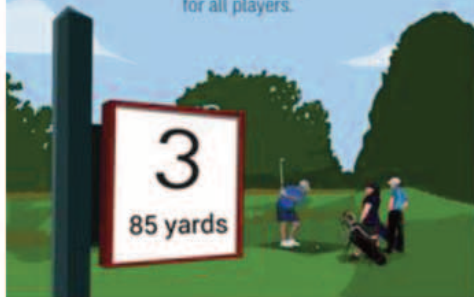
Now is the time to work on your game, as the season kicks off. We offer private instruction at a fee of \$50 per lesson. Book a series of 3 private lessons for \$125 or a series of 5 private lessons for \$200. Group lessons, clinics and playing lessons also offered.

## 2024 WORLD HANDICAP SYSTEM™

### 3 KEY CHANGES

#### COURSE RATING & SHORTER COURSES

Courses as short as 750 yards for 9 holes and 1,500 yards for 18 holes are eligible for a Course Rating™ and Slope Rating™ - enhancing the portability of a Handicap Index™ to make the system more accommodating for all players.



#### 10-17-HOLE SCORES

Use of expected Score Differential™ applies when 10-17 holes are played, introducing more flexibility to score posting. In this scenario, you're asked to post your score hole-by-hole.



#### 9-HOLE SCORES

No more waiting on 9-hole scores to combine, as they will count toward your Handicap Index the very next day. A premium is placed on the holes you played and combined with an expected Score Differential for consistency and fairness.



There are a few changes to the WHS in 2024 (above). Please remember to post your score after every round. Please contact our Professional staff if you have any questions.





## Pace of Play and Dress Code policy

All Coosaw Creek Golf Club members and guests are expected to respect and adhere to the Club's dress codes for all club venues. Appropriate golf attire is required on the golf course, driving range, and all practice areas.

### On the Golf Course and Practice Areas:

#### MEN:

- Shirts with collars and sleeves
- Mock turtleneck shirts
  - Shirts are preferred to be tucked whenever possible
- Slacks and golf shorts
  - Golf shorts up to four inches above the knee

#### WOMEN:

- Golf shirts  
(*sleeveless shirts must have a collar/mock collar*)
- Golf dresses, skirts / skorts, slacks, and golf shorts
  - Golf skirts / skorts and golf shorts with a minimum of a four-inch inseam
- Leggings ONLY if they are under a skirt, skorts, or shorts

### Attire that is NOT permitted:

#### MEN:

- Denim / Jeans
- Tank tops, T-shirts, Fishnet tops (Jerseys)
- Swim / Bathing suits
- Cut-offs
- Sweatpants, athletic workout wear  
(*including athletic pants and athletic shorts*)

#### WOMEN:

- Denim / Jeans
- Tank tops, T-shirts, Fishnet tops (Jerseys), mid-drift tops
- Swim / Bathing suits
- Cut-offs
- Sweatpants, athletic workout wear  
(*including athletic pants and athletic shorts*)
- Leggings (unless worn under a skirt, skort, or shorts)

#### SHOES:

- Soft spike golf shoes, golf sandals, or flat-soled tennis / golf shoes are required.
- Hard spike golf shoes and beach flip-flops are not permitted.

\*If the attire is not appropriate, you may purchase appropriate attire at the Pro Shop or be asked to leave the golf course property. The Pro-Shop and club management personnel are available to answer any questions.

### PACE OF PLAY

- It is the responsibility of each playing group to keep up with the group in front of them.
  - No group should fall more than one hole behind the group in front of them.
- Anticipate the club or clubs you may need to complete your shot.
- Go directly to your ball and be prepared to hit.
- The 40 second clock begins once it is the players turn to hit their shot.
- Play ready golf when appropriate.
- Limit your search for lost balls to 3 minutes.
- Begin lining up your putt while the other players are putting.
- Record your score when you arrive at the next tee box.
- If you cannot retain your pace of play during your round, allow the players behind you to play through.





## COURSE NEWS

by Jamie Newton,  
Superintendent

Our Seasonal workers have arrived as many of you have probably noticed. First order of business was to start on course bed work. This entails cleaning of the beds, trimming all plants and adding mulch and Pinestraw. This is about a 4 week process all said and done. We have also started adding sand to bunkers to help with consistency hole to hole, this is also a time consuming process so please bear with us. At the time of this publication we are about 50 % complete on the bunker sand additions.



On March 27th we will be applying a bulk application of fertilizer to the entire course, this application will help kick start the Bermuda out of dormancy which will allow for a quicker green-up once soil temperatures rise. We will be spreading a 38-0-0 analysis along with a pre emergent granular to help with spring weed germination. This will certainly help all of the high traffic thinning areas we have developed this winter from the poor weather.

Just as a quick reminder, when we are cart path only it's very important to keep all 4 tires on the path, when we have puddles on the path please do not drive around puddles into the soaked turf. This causes unsightly damage to the edges that we will have to look at until we get good growing weather. Please also remember to fix your ball marks and fill your divots, maintenance thanks you in advance for this!

## Tournament Results

### Super Bowl Shoot Out



#### 1st Place

Erica Mahoney, Lisa Batson,  
Suzie Allen, Brian Batson (65)

#### 2nd Place

John Rosol, Gray Berryhill,  
Nick Kennedy, Mike Kennedy (65)

#### 3rd Place

Jen Hostler, Joe Hostler, Dan Gaffney,  
Leyah Gaffney (65)

#### 4th Place

Wes Brandt, Stephen Crosby,  
Cheryl Boan, TJ Carr (64)







## 2024 GOLF SCHEDULE

Mar	4	Mon	Men's Interclub		10am SG
	6	Wed	LGA Kickoff Luncheon		9am
	22-24	Fri-Sun	Match Play Championship**	Ind. Match Play	3pm/9am
APR	6	Sat	Governor's Cup Match Play Seeding	2-Person Best Ball	9am SG
	8	Mon	CALGA		9:30am SG
	13-14	Sat, Sun	Green Jacket Challenge	Partner w/a Pro	Anytime
	20-21	Sat, Sun	Member/Member **	Alt. Shot/Best Ball	9am SG
MAY	6	Mon	CLOSED Aerification	Course Closed	
	17-19	Fri-Sun	Member-Member Match Play **	Best Ball Match Play	3pm/9am
	27	Mon	Memorial Day Flag Tournament	Ind. Stroke Play	Anytime
JUN	3-4	Mon-Tues	CLOSED AERIFICATION	COURSE CLOSED	
	17	Mon	Little Links Begins		
	22	Sat	Mixed Team Championship	Best Ball/Scramble	9am SG
	24	Mon	State Am Qualifier		8am TT
JUL	4	Thurs	Red, White & Blue Tournament	2-Person Best Ball	9am SG
	8	Mon	Coastal Seniors		10am
	15-8/9	M-F	KE Camps		
AUG	5	Mon	CLOSED DRY-JET AERIFICATION	COURSE CLOSED	
	17	Sun	Junior Club Championship	Ind. Stroke Play	9am TT
	19	Mon	Little Links Finale	Jr Team	5pm
	24	Sat	One-Day Member-Member	6, 6 & 6	9am SG
SEP	13-14	Sat, Sun	Championship Weekend **	Ind. Stroke Play	9am TT
OCT	11-13	Fri-Sun	Member/Guest **	Best Ball Match Play	3pm/9am
NOV	8-10	Sat, Sun	Coosaw Cup **	Team Match Play	9am TT
	17	Sun	Turkey Shoot/Superintendent's Revenge	Team Scramble	10am SG
DEC	7	Sat	End of Year Shamble	Team Shamble	10am SG



## Coosaw Creek Pace of Play and Visage GPS System

Time is one of the most valuable things in the world we live in today, with demands from work, family and extracurricular activities. For this reason, pace of play is a priority at Coosaw Creek. Our Pace of Play expectation is to complete an 18 hole round of golf within 4 hours and 12 minutes. The goal of this time expectation is to ensure an enjoyable round experience for all of our members and guests. On busy days, it can be challenging to complete all rounds within this expected time frame. And, if one group on the course is slow, every group playing behind this one group will also be delayed.

Our golf cars are equipped with Visage Touch Screen GPS systems to provide golfers with helpful course information such as location of hazards and distance to greens and obstacles, as well as monitor the pace of

play of each group. Once a group falls 1 minute behind the pace setting, a pace warning will appear on the screen in yellow and will remain visible until the group regains the proper pace. And, if a group falls more than 9 minutes behind the pace setting, a pace warning will appear on the screen in red. These warnings will also be followed by a message(s) informing the group that it is behind pace. Once a group is behind pace, our golf staff may provide special instructions for that group. These special instructions may include a request to: speed up play, allow a group(s) to play through or skip a hole(s) to regain the proper position on the course. Again, our goal is to provide an enjoyable experience for all of our members and guests. So, help us by keeping your group moving on pace!

### Below are helpful hints for pace of play from the USGA:

#### Position of Bags or Carts

When players are approaching the green, golf bags or carts should be positioned to allow for quick and efficient movement off the green towards the next tee.

#### Marking Score Cards

While it is strongly recommended that players remain at the green to watch the other players in their group hole out, the marking of score cards should not be done at the green if this may delay play of the group behind. Mark score cards on the way to or at the next tee. That said, the player who is first to play from the next tee should play first and then mark the card.

#### Playing a Provisional Ball

Ball searches and lost balls are a feature of golf, but they do cause delay. However, the delay can be significantly minimized if the player whose ball might be in danger of being lost or OB has played a provisional ball.

#### Watching the Flight of the Ball Carefully

The problem of lost balls can be significantly reduced if all players in a group make a conscious effort to watch each other's shots and their own shots as carefully and as often as possible. This will result in less searching time and fewer lost balls.

#### 'Ready Golf'

Playing "ready golf" is permissible in stroke play and can improve pace of play. "Ready Golf" means playing when you are ready to hit, regardless of who is away (just make sure that it is safe to play when hitting).

#### Choosing an appropriate time & tee to play

If golfers want to play quickly, they should attempt to get one of the first starting times of the day and set the pace or choose a quieter time of the day when the course may be under-utilized. Selecting a tee for play that is appropriate to playing ability will also help speed up play and provide a more enjoyable overall experience.





## News from William Wert

Sign Up in the Pro Shop for these Great Events!



Consistent private lesson spots are currently FULL with occasional openings that vary weekly.  
Please reach out for full availability.

### William R. Wert

Adjunct Professor, Dept. of Health and Human Performance, College of Charleston  
Director of Racquet Sports, Coosaw Creek Country Club

### PLEASE NOTE:

No other outside lessons are permitted on our Coosaw Creek courts.



Tennis and Pickleball lessons and clinics  
are available through our USPTA  
certified teaching professional, William Wert.

William offers private and group lessons for anyone ages 4 and up. He focuses on developing fundamental physical and mental skills, while never losing focus on having fun and enjoying the journey.

Email: [wrrwtennis11@gmail.com](mailto:wrrwtennis11@gmail.com)

Website: [www.stringtheorychs.com](http://www.stringtheorychs.com)



# Camp Coosaw Creek



**Weekly Sessions**  
**July 15 - August 9**

**Monday - Friday**  
**9am - 3pm**  
**Ages 5-12**

*Drop-Off: 8:30am - 9am*  
*Pick-Up: 3pm - 3:15pm*



*Weekly Tuition for*  
*Club Members: \$275*

*Beginning March 15, Guests*  
*may also enroll (\$305).*

*A one-time non-refundable \$45*  
*registration fee includes 2 camp shirts.*

*Lunch and snack included with tuition.*



**ENROLL AT: [WWW.KECAMPS.COM](http://WWW.KECAMPS.COM)**





The annual Equity Members meeting presentation is now available for viewing by all Club members on our website, [www.coosawcreek.com](http://www.coosawcreek.com) in the Members Only site under Board Communications.

Let's congratulate our new Board members



Brady Hair



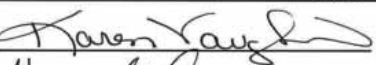

Betty Palmer



John Weiden

A Big Thank You goes to the outgoing Board members—Jay Arnold, Randy Nelson and Preethi Saint.

### Board Candidates' Vote Results

<b>February 26, 2024 Election of Club BOD</b>	
<b>CANDIDATES</b>	<b>TOTAL VOTES</b>
Bryan Gray	35
Brady Hair	96
Michael Hotaling	30
Ryne Johnson	29
Jeffrey Litz	19
Mark Mattison	67
Betty Palmer	96
Markus Peter	31
Kathy Stark	44
Antoine Thibault	54
John Weiden	90
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## UPDATE REGARDING JONAS

The new Club software from Jonas was implemented February 1st and things have been going quite well. Members have been adjusting to the options now offered for payment while we wait on our new website to be developed.

Your current methods of payment on your statement for the next two months, are still as follows.

1. Mail your check payment.
2. Stop by the Admin office to pay with check, cash or credit card.
3. Set up an online payment using "Bill Pay" through your personal Bank.

Please keep in mind this is a temporary situation as we continue to learn the "Jonas way" . The new website will offer so many new benefits once it is up and running...late April, early May.

Thank you for your continued support of the office, golf and F&B staff during this transition to a new and better way of doing things here at Coosaw Creek Country Club!

*Welcome* New Member

Bryan and Alina King  
4201 Links Court





## Women4Women

### February Chili Cook Off

**W**omen 4 Women had a nice turnout for the February Chili Cook off. This event was not only for the members but their spouses as well. There were 6 delicious chili's which made it difficult to choose just 1 winner. It was a close competition but winning by one vote for the "best tasting chili" went to Sandra Forsythe. We had some great cornbread and desserts including Elaine Moses' dessert bars which everyone wants the recipe for. Thank you everyone for contributing to this event and to Sandra and Alton for hosting this event at your lovely home. It was the perfect setting with perfect 72-degree weather.

### Upcoming March Events

W4W's upcoming March events will both be held at Sheila Dieppa's home at 8600 Wild Bird court. Please check your emails for the sign-up links. The first event will be hosted both daytime at 1-3 pm and evening time from 7-8:30 pm. On March 18th, Ashleigh McMaster will be speaking of the benefits of physical therapy as well as showing us how to heal common aches/pains/issues.

The second event in March will be on Tuesday, March 26th from 1-3 pm (please arrive on time). Author, Brian Boger will be coming to speak about his books and inspirations for writing as well as having a discussion on the two books already written; "Champagne Murder" and "Southern Fate". Drinks will be provided for both events. Nothing is needed from members except to sign up, so we know how many people to expect.

For those of you who have not joined W4W yet, it is not too late! Please contact Sheila Dieppa at 281-881-7894 to get signed up and start enjoying monthly events with other women in our community. We currently have 101 members. You can attend 1 event or all events throughout the year, it's completely up to you!

Sincerely,

W4W President Sheila Dieppa

281-881-7894







## LOOKING FOR LADIES TO JOIN THE COOSAW LADIES BRIDGE GROUP

This is a fun-loving group who meets the last Thursday of the month to play bridge. If interested, please contact Georgia Butler at [xilres28@gmail.com](mailto:xilres28@gmail.com).





## CCGHC News

At the February 20 meeting, forty-two garden club members listened attentively to Kathy Woolsey share her expertise on 'Caring for Roses'. Kathy is a former President of the Charleston Lowcountry Rose Society and has an extensive background as a horticulturist and landscaper.

Since growing roses in the south can be a challenge with high humidity and high temperatures that can last for months, Kathy began by acquainting us with some of the many types of roses that can withstand the heat and humidity. She recommends Polyanthus, Noisette, Hybrid Musk, China Rose, and Tea Roses (not to be confused with Hybrid Teas Roses).

Kathy discussed other topics such as pruning and feeding roses. Pruning is an important part of rose care as it promotes growth and prevents disease by opening up the plant to good air circulation. When and how to prune depends on the variety. See Clemson HGIC 1173.

For gardeners looking to improve their soil, adding organic matter is an essential part of the process. Kathy stated, "Organic matter will fix any soil problem". Organic matter is a general term for any material that was once alive, such as compost, manure, and mulch.



Kathy ended her presentation with a Q&A session answering many questions with helpful tips and expert advice on caring and growing beautiful roses in our own landscapes and rose gardens. Although the Charleston Lowcountry Rose Society no longer meets, see their website for an informative article on Rose Care: 'Month by Month in the Lowcountry Rose Garden'.

Kathy was an inspiration to even those of us who are not gifted gardeners!

Afterwards, members enjoyed a delicious lunch thanks to our F&B Manager, Tasha Niles, and her wait staff.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, March 19 "How to Save the Songbirds" with guest speaker Christina Fifer, owner of Wildbird Unlimited in Nexton & West Ashley.

If you are Interested in joining the Coosaw Creek Garden and Home Club, please email Diane Sloane at [diane.m.sloane@gmail.com](mailto:diane.m.sloane@gmail.com).





## FACILITY USE

The Coosaw Creek Country Club amenities include the Swimming Pool and Pavilion, Tennis Courts, Basketball Court, Golf Course and Clubhouse. We encourage all of our members to take advantage of the various fun activities and facilities available to them. To assure a safe and enjoyable experience for all it is important to note the following guidelines:

**18 HOLE PAR 71 ARTHUR HILLS CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF COURSE** - Winds through beautiful low country wooded wetlands surrounded by community homes. Golf Pro Shop hours are 7AM-7PM everyday.

**During golf play hours of 7AM to dusk only Pro Shop authorized golfers and the Club maintenance staff are allowed on the course and cart paths.**

**Personal golf carts, skate boards or other personal motorized vehicles are not permitted on the course or cart paths at anytime.**

Golfers are expected to dress appropriately. Men must wear collared shirts (sorry-no denim allowed on the Golf Course). For women shirts without collars must have sleeves, and shirts without sleeves must have collars. Soft spikes are required.

Dog walkers, permitted before or after golf hours, must carry and use pooper scoopers and keep pets off of tees, fairways, greens and bunkers.

Any unapproved play, practice or abuse observed on the course may result in suspension of Club privileges and/or fines.

**GOLF PRACTICE FACILITY** – The Practice Areas are open during normal Golf Course hours except for posted regularly scheduled maintenance times. Practice areas include the Driving Range, Chipping Green, Practice Sand Bunker, Putting Green and teaching area.

Teaching is provided exclusively by the Coosaw Creek Professional Golf Staff.

All practice must be approved by the Pro Shop staff.

Practice balls may be picked up (Members) or purchased in the Pro Shop.

Range balls and bags are the property of Coosaw Creek Country Club and shall not be removed from club property.

Proper Attire is the same as for the Golf Course.

**COOSAW CREEK COUNTRY CLUB** Clubhouse is Coosaw Creek's community center featuring full service dining, Bar, Meeting Rooms and Pro Shop. In addition to supporting the many social functions of the Members, the Clubhouse banquet facilities are available to Members or meetings, parties, weddings and other celebrations. Take-out and call ahead service is also available.

Quality denim or golf shorts are allowed in the clubhouse unless specified otherwise for special events. **For all evening dining events after 5pm, men must wear a collared shirt and caps are not allowed in the dining room.** Shoes and shirts must be worn at all times. Cover ups must be worn over Swim attire.

## TENNIS AND BASKETBALL COURTS

Two regulation Plexipave lighted tennis courts and a basketball court are available to Members only:

Tennis courts are strictly reserved for tennis.

Tennis play is on a first come, first served basis until 11:00pm

Appropriate apparel and regulation tennis shoes are required for play on the tennis courts.

Shirts must be worn at all times on the Basketball Court which is a multi function surface that can be used for any suitable purpose.

The Basketball Court is available on a first come first served basis.

## SWIMMING POOLS

Open from Memorial Day Weekend until Labor Day Weekend, the Swimming Pool is staffed with lifeguards

### ATTENTION

### ALL CREDIT CARD EZ PAYERS!

Don't forget to update your credit card information on file when you are issued a new credit card.

Contact Karen in the Admin office with any new information.







## SWIMMING POOLS

Open from Memorial Day Weekend until Labor Day Weekend, the Swimming Pool is staffed with lifeguards during published hours and is available for open swim (at your own risk) when lifeguards are not present.

Please observe and follow all rules posted in the pool area.

All instructions from pool staff and/or lifeguards must be obeyed.

All Food or Beverages must be purchased from the Club, unless prior approval has been obtained from the General Manager.

Pool closes at 9:00 PM except for special events.

## PLAYGROUND

A mulch filled area equipped with swings, slides and other playground equipment is available and located next to the Pool Pavilion –For safety any child under 9 years old must be supervised by an adult.

Playground closes at 9:00 PM



## PONDS

Coosaw Creek's beautiful ponds have been stocked with fish - but **BEWARE** of snakes, alligators and other wildlife.

The course ponds are part of a larger low country wooded wetland area. Please respect this incredible asset and avoid contaminating it with any foreign materials or liquids.

**Fishing is allowed only from the bank and only in designated areas.**

These areas have been selected to ensure that people fishing are not in the normal flight of golf balls and that ponds can be approached without crossing the course or using the cart paths. They are located:

**BEHIND THE PLAYGROUND -**

Approach from McChune Court

HOLE 15 – Approach from Arthur Hills Circle

HOLE 16 – Approach from Club Course Drive

HOLE 17 – Approach from Power Line Break

Fish in course ponds are for “catch and release” and not for consumption – a major disappointment to our chef!

**DO NOT  
FEED THE  
GEESE**

**T**hese guidelines are established to ensure a positive experience for all Members and guests who use the facilities. Enforcement is the responsibility of all members and staff of the Club. A polite reminder is usually sufficient, but should it become necessary to report any violation please call the Pro-Shop or the Club General Manager.

We hope that you enjoy these excellent facilities your Club has to offer. If you have any questions or comments regarding these guidelines or your experience, please feel free to contact us through:

[BODQuestions@coosawcreek.com](mailto:BODQuestions@coosawcreek.com)

Thank you,  
Club Board of Directors





## March 2024

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY



Trivia  
Night 7 pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Dining  
11am – 5pm

Men's  
Interclub

Dining  
11am – 7pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Joseph  
Phelps  
Wine  
Dinner  
6:30 pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Time  
Change  
Spring  
Forward!

Clubhouse  
Closed  
Dining  
Room/Bar  
CLOSED

Dining  
11am – 7pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Couples  
Nine & Dine  
Golf  
St. Patty's  
Day Buffet  
5 – 8:30 pm

Dining  
11am – 5pm

Clubhouse  
Closed  
Dining  
Room/Bar  
CLOSED

Dining  
11am – 7pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Bucket of  
Chicken  
Night

Dining  
11am – 9pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm  
Wine &  
Cheese  
Night  
6 – 7:30pm

Dining  
11am – 5pm  
Sunday  
Easter  
Brunch  
10am/12pm/1pm

Cathedral  
Outing  
Dining  
Room/Bar  
CLOSED

Dining  
11am – 7pm

Srixon/  
Cleveland  
Fitting Day  
Dining  
11am – 9pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm

TaylorMade  
Fitting Day  
Dining  
11am – 9pm  
Music  
Bingo  
7 pm

Dining  
11am – 9pm





## April 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Clubhouse Closed	Dining 11am – 7pm	Dining 11am – 9pm	Dining 11am – 9pm	 Trivia Night 7 pm	Due to Private Event, Dining Room & Lounge CLOSED at 5 pm
Dining 11am – 5pm	Clubhouse Closed	Dining 11am – 7pm	Dining 11am – 9pm	Dining 11am – 9pm	New England Lobster Bake 5:30-8:30 pm	Dining 11am – 9pm
Dining 11am – 5pm	Clubhouse Closed	K-9s and Cocktails 5 – 7 pm Dining 11am – 7pm	Dining 11am – 9pm	Dining 11am – 9pm	Dining 11am – 9pm	Paint & Sip Night 6 – 8pm
Dining 11am – 5pm	Clubhouse Closed	Dining 11am – 7pm	\$7.95 Chicken Parm Night 5:30–8:30pm	Dining 11am – 9pm	Bingo Night 7 pm	Daddy Daughter Dance 5:30–8:30pm Dining 11am – 9pm
Dining 11am – 5pm	Clubhouse Closed	Dining 11am – 7pm	