

JUNE 2022

OFFICIAL MEMBER NEWSLETTER

ATHENS COUNTRY CLUB

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FATHERS DAY

MIXED

GRILL



JUNE 19TH
11-1:30

STEAK
SAUSAGE
&
SHRIMP

\$24 SUNDAY BRUNCH
ITEMS INCLUDED

Regular Sunday Brunch also available

Notes from the Staff

From the Pro Shop

Summer has arrived!

It's time for you to take some precautions as you play in the heat. Protect yourself from the Sun, wear a Boonie hat or a wide brim hat to shield you from the Sun. Also stay hydrated, you can't drink too much water while on the course. Wear a soaker towel around your neck, it will lower your body temperature to keep you cool. Park in the shade when you get a chance to. If you take these precautions, you can survive this summer.



*Gaylord Walden
Golf Pro*

Golf Course Condition

It looked like we were off to a sluggish start as the temperatures fluctuated from 54 degrees in the morning to low 80's during the day. Nice temperatures but not the best for our grasses to flourish. Memorial Day weekend was the beginning of the temperatures we need. In just 2 days, the greens are filling in nicely as well as the fairways.

We still ask that you cart drivers help out by keeping you carts out of the fairways. Drive 90 degrees to your ball, sand your divots and repair you ball marks on the greens. With your help the course will be in great condition through the Summer.

Hello ladies

Congratulations to Lori

Daniel and Deborah Rounsavall. They won first place in their flights at the Texas Women's Senior match play at San Antonio. Cindy Spier also participated she made it to the semifinals.

The Mary Grant tournament winners:

Lori Daniel 1st low net winning the silver goblet

Debbie Godwin low gross

Closest to hole Shannon Passmore and Lori Daniel Longest drive Vicki Hall and Debbie Godwin. We want to thank the Grant Family for always providing good food and beautiful flowers to honor Mary Grant. She was such a sweet lady and good golfer!

Ladies our next tournament is The Lady Picker June 10-12. Get you a partner and play.

Thanks Debbie



5/5/2022 - Alan Shelton eagled #4 - He holed a Sand Wedge from 95 yards for his eagle 2. Witnessed by: John Hall and Terry Fleming

If you have a Great Shot or a first on the course, be sure and let us know so we can put it in the Newsletter.

Tournament Schedule

June 10th - 12th - W.G.A. Lady Peapicker
June 18th - 19th - Men's Club Championship
June 25th - 26th - Pinnacle Matches
July 4th - Firecracker Scramble
July 9th - 10th - Shamble / Scramble
July 19th - ETWGA Playday

Course Maintenance Schedule

July 11th - 12th - Course Aerification

Notes from the Staff

From the Golf Course

It is hard to believe we are moving into the halfway mark of the new year. The weather has been cooler for an extended part of this year. Fortunately, we are now receiving warmer temps for the Bermuda grass.

The grounds crew has completed the first round of aerification on the greens and some on the golf course. We have also applied a granular fertilizer to the course, we will continue to slowly fertilize the course throughout the growing season with our fertigation unit (liquid fertilizer injected into the irrigation system).

We will soon begin our annual spraying battle with the weeds on the course. This is a yearly ongoing competition; the fight is a struggle at times with the elements. But we will continue our quest for dominance the remainder of the season!

Swing hard in case you hit it!!

John Tarpley

Golf Course Superintendent



*John Tarpley
Golf Course Consultant*

From the Tennis Courts

I hope everyone of you had a wonderful Memorial Day Holiday and of course most of our High School kids are out for summer break and ready to participate in the sport of their choice. Which, I hope would be tennis and Pickleball!!

Please mark your calendars because we are changing our group and private tennis and Pickleball lessons to 8:30 and 9:30am on Monday thru Thursday and if you cannot make it at that time, we also are going to work out in the evening at 6:30pm.

If you have any questions or suggestions, please call me, or come by the courts.

See ya on the courts,

Fernando

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*Fernando Navarro
Tennis Pro*

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Notes from the Staff

From the Club Manager

As I sit here on Monday afternoon, I'm reflecting on the Memorial Day weekend that is winding down here at the club. The swimming pool opened for the summer, had a fantastic turnout of almost 100 golfers for the annual Memorial Day golf tournament who just finished up a great post round lunch of BBQ ribs, chicken and sausage. Thank you to everyone that came out this weekend. It was fantastic seeing all the activity going on around the club.

The pool opening gives our members another opportunity for them and their families to come out and enjoy everything that the club has to offer. At the pool throughout the summer, we will be having family nights, dive-in movie nights and a few adults only sip and swim nights. 0510 Look for more information on these events in our monthly newsletters and our private members only Athens Country Club Facebook page.

I need to remind everyone of the staffing struggles that we continue to have. While our membership, is at an all-time high, we continue to be severely understaffed throughout the club, including kitchen, clubhouse, *Jeff Jenkins* course maintenance, pool area and service staff. I again ask for your understanding and patience as we maneuver through this challenging time. I can assure you we are trying our hardest to provide you with that exceptional service that you deserve.

Now for our new menu update. It is complete and will be released in the next couple of weeks. It will replace our existing dinner menu. Due to the staffing issues in the kitchen, I am only releasing a small portion of the larger menu that we have been working on for the past few months. As soon as we get up to full staff, we will release the rest of the menu. Be sure to keep an eye on our Facebook page for some pictures of the new items coming out.

Here are just a few things happening this month at the club. Father's Day Mixed Grill Brunch on the 19th, Dive-In Movie at the pool on the 17th, Ladies Pea Picker 10th-12th, Catfish and Shrimp Boil at the pool on the 24th, Men's Club Championship 18th & 19th and an Asian Dinner Buffet on the 30th.

Let's have a great June and thanks again for supporting your club.



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Monthly Statements

Dues and charges to a member account, for goods and services, will be billed monthly, on or around the 25th of the month, coinciding with the date the Club's books are closed for the month. **All charges to a member's account are due on or before the 10th day of the month following the month during which the charges were incurred. In the event that any monthly dues and payments for charges for goods and services is not received in the Club Business Office on or before the 15th day, then the member's account shall be deemed late and the member shall be fined the sum of \$100.**

Smoking Policy

Smoking at ACC is limited to the 19th Hole Patio only.

Kitchen Hours

Our kitchen is open for menu orders:
11 AM - 9 PM Tuesday through Saturday
11 AM - 3 PM Sunday

Main Dining Room

Lunch 11 AM - 1:30 PM
Tuesday through Friday

Dinner 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Tuesday through Saturday

Sunday Brunch 11 AM - 1:30 PM

We offer a home-style lunch buffet in the dining room each week day at \$10.50, ++.* Our Sunday Brunch Buffet includes all your ACC favorites, ACC fried chicken and catfish, fresh seasonal vegetables and a display of homemade desserts for \$16.99, ++.*

Please Note: No hats or ball caps allowed during evening dinner service or Sunday. Church attire and collared shirt preferred on Sunday in Dining Room.

Main Bar and 19th Hole

Menu Dining 11 AM - 9 PM
Tuesday through Saturday,
11 AM - 3 PM Sunday

Bar Service

11 AM - 9 PM
Tuesday through Thursday
11 AM - 10 PM Friday and Saturday
11 AM - 8 PM Sunday

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ATHENS COUNTRY CLUB'S POOL HOURS

TUESDAY - THURSDAY 11AM TO 8PM
FRIDAY & SATURDAY 11AM TO 9PM
SUNDAY 12AM TO 7PM

AT THE TOP OF EACH HOUR, THE LIFEGUARD WILL WHISTLE AND ANNOUNCE, "ADULT SWIM." AT THAT TIME, ALL CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 18 MUST EXIT THE POOL FOR 10 MINUTES. DURING THIS 10-MINUTE WINDOW, THERE WILL BE NO LIFEGUARD ON DUTY AND ONLY ADULTS 18+ WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE POOL. AFTER THE 10-MINUTE WINDOW, THE LIFEGUARD WILL RETURN TO DUTY, WHISTLE, AND ANNOUNCE "FREE SWIM" MAKING THE POOL OPEN FOR EVERYONE.

THANK YOU AND ENJOY YOUR SUMMER HERE AT ATHENS COUNTRY CLUB
JEFF

Cajun Shrimp Boil

Friday, June 24th
6-9 pm at the pool
Shrimp, Sausage, Corn,
Taters, Fried Catfish, and
Hushpuppies

*Nuthin but a
good time here!*

**Free
Beer!**

Adults \$21
Kids 6-12 \$8

Reservations Required and
made by calling the office

MAKING ITS LONG AWAITED RETURN
TO OUR SUNDAY BUFFET

EGGS, BACON, SAUSAGE, PANCKAES BISCUITS AND GRAVY

If you haven't been to our Sunday Brunch
in awhile, now is the perfect time to come
on out and enjoy.

FRIDAY JUNE 17TH

FAMILY FRIENDLY MOVIE STARTS
ABOUT 8:30

Dive in

MOVIE

Night

BRING A SMALL
FLOAT

POPCORN SNACKS AND DRINKS
AVAILABLE

June 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Hamburger Night	2	3 Fresh Fish Specials	4
5 Sunday Brunch	6	7 Taco Tuesday	8 Hamburger Night	9	10 Fresh Fish Specials Ladies Pea Picker	11 Ladies Pea Picker
12 Sunday Brunch Ladies Pea Picker	13	14 Taco Tuesday	15 Hamburger Night	16	17 Dive-In Movie @ the pool Fresh Fish Specials	18 Mens Club Championship
19 FATHER'S DAY Mens Club Championship	20	21 Taco Tuesday	22 Hamburger Night	23	24 Cajun Shrimp Boil @ the pool	25
26 Sunday Brunch	27	28 Taco Tuesday	29 Hamburger Night	30 Asian Buffet		