



# WILDWOOD GREEN GOLF CLUB

## March 2016

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### Roger Watson – Owner

We are excited about 2016 and our current membership drive. You have many events to participate in and receive points that will qualify you for drawings at the members Christmas party. Desk top computer, house wares, luggage, tablet and over \$5,000 for members only gifts. Enter as many events and bring in new members to increase your chances to win. As you may already see we are changing Bogey's back to a more simple menu in order to improve the quality. Rick Durham has already begun the annual golf course and grounds preparations for the course and landscaping. New this year will be a commercial cleaning of the clubhouse six times per year. Why not come to the club and enjoy the social and golf events? Thank you for being a member!



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### Rick Durham – Superintendent

Spring is right around the corner so that means it's time to talk about aerification. The first aerification scheduled is March 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> and we will be using a 5/8 inch solid tine. This simply means that a hole 5/8 inch in diameter will be punched into greens with no removal of soil. This will allow air and water to penetrate and help with some minor relief of compaction. Recovery time will be quick with little disruption. A larger aerification will be completed in April and I will cover it in next month's newsletter. Rains in late February have caused some delays in projects. March is off to a great start and we will be back on track shortly. I would like to thank everyone for the positive comments and encourage everyone to fill out comment cards. Comment cards are an excellent way for us to hear your comments and continue to improve important areas. As always I can be reached via e-mail at [rdurham@wildwoodgreen.com](mailto:rdurham@wildwoodgreen.com)



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### Jeff Engelhaupt – General Manager

Dear Members,

The time change is upon us and the 2016 season is here! Mindy Glatfelter has laid out a great tournament package this year and we will add in fun events as we can. On March 29<sup>th</sup> we will be hosting a **"Sip and Paint"** night in Bogey's Grill. Be sure to sign up with the Golf Shop ASAP...we need a minimum of 10 people to host this event!

Along with the time changes comes more happenings, leagues, events and players. I want to stress the importance of booking your tee time early and making sure you **review the weekly update and the monthly calendar** on the golf shop counter. Both of these will give you a clear picture of what we have already pre-scheduled for the upcoming month.

Walking for members will **be restricted to after 11:00 AM** beginning March 19<sup>th</sup> (after 2:00 PM for the general public).

We have begun a **weekly topic to focus on** that the golf shop staff will mention to you when checking in. The first week of the month we have been focusing on filling your divots in the fairway with sand. This will cover the exposed roots and allow them to grow (as soon as the ground temperature warms up a bit) and not be exposed to the hot summer sun. Please be on the lookout for our weekly focus next time you are in the shop! We always appreciate your help in taking care of the course!

There are still a few holes open in our **adopt a hole program**. We need at least two people per hole to successfully take care of the course but we can allow more than 2 if you would like. We will be having drawings throughout the year for the people who have kept their hole in the best shape!

Lastly, I want to touch on our new membership drive and give always that we will have later in the year. If you have been the golf shop recently you may have noticed a large thermometer and some items like a camera, computer, luggage and pots/pans. Each new member who joins along with their sponsoring member will be entered to win these items. **Our grand prize is a year's free membership dues!** We will have different ways that you can be entered to win throughout the year and during March, if you sponsor a new member to join you will be given two entries into the drawings!

### Upcoming Events:

Tuesday, March 8<sup>th</sup>

Texas Hold 'Em

Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup>

Package Event #1

Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup> &

Tuesday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>

Aerification

Thursday, March 24<sup>th</sup>

Masters Pool Begins

Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup>

Skins Game

Sunday, March 27<sup>th</sup>

Golf Easter Egg Hunt

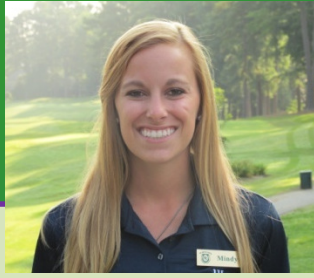
Tuesday, March 29<sup>th</sup>

Paint & Sip Night





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### Mindy Glatfelter – Golf Shop Manager

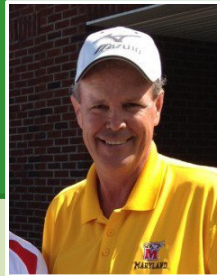
It has been a rough winter with all the rain and ice but hopefully March brings us warmer weather. Our member golf events are quickly approaching. Make sure you pick up our monthly events schedule as well as our 2016 member event schedule found at our golf shop counter. Use these to mark down our upcoming major events on your personal calendars so you don't miss your favorite events. Our goal this golf season is to promote the events with enough time for members to plan and sign up.

We are welcoming a new event to Wildwood Green in March. Some of you may have heard of the popular wine and design parties and classes. We have scheduled a paint and sip night here at Wildwood Green. For those of you who are not familiar with these classes, we will have an instructor who will go step by step on how to create a work of art while sipping on your favorite drinks. Please do not be afraid if you don't believe in your artistic talent. These instructors have a way of making it fun and easy. Everyone's painting will turn out a little different but I bet you'll all be surprised with your artistic ability at the end of the class. Sign up in the golf shop today for a fun and relaxing night. Check out the paradise painting we have chosen on page 15 of the Newsletter. Feel free to email me at [mindy@wildwoodgreen.com](mailto:mindy@wildwoodgreen.com) with questions about this class or any future scheduled events. I look forward to seeing you at the golf course soon.



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### Jimmy Hamilton – Director of Instruction

The Golf Academy at Wildwood Green is ready to help you have an enjoyable golf game this year. We have programs lined up for adults and juniors. The Operation 36 Junior Development Program will have a spring semester from April-June with classes for 7-10 year olds on Tuesdays from 5:30-6:30 and 11-14 year olds on Thursdays from 5:30-6:30. There will be organized practices available on Saturday mornings and the Operation 36 matches will be on Sunday afternoons 5/1,15,22 and 6/5,12,26. There will be different tuition levels available for this Academy and complete information and registration will occur on March 20 at 3pm in the clubhouse.

Pamela Rogers has one day golf schools available on March 5,19,20 from 1-4pm and on April 3, 23, 24, 30 from 3-6pm. Each three hour class will cover various topics which can be viewed on [raleighgolfflessons.com](http://raleighgolfflessons.com) and go to the adult class section. Each class is \$90.00 per person. Sign up with Pam at [prlpga@aol.com](mailto:prlpga@aol.com) or 919-426-9553.

Jimmy will conduct an adult golf school beginning Thursday April 28 and running for 5 sessions through Thursday May 26 from 7-8pm. This class will focus on fundamental basics beginning with the short game and going through full swing. The final session will include on the course play. The class will have a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 5 students and will cost \$129.00/person and include refreshments during and after class. Sign up with Jimmy at [hamgolf4u@aol.com](mailto:hamgolf4u@aol.com) or 919-906-1290.

PGA Junior League will be happening again this year. We are getting the registration information now from national headquarters as all registration will take place through the national PGA. We will provide a link and a password to register with so let Jimmy know if your player age 7-13 is interested in playing this year.

We will be announcing more adult programming shortly including a one day Aim Point Express class and other clinic and school options.



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These are the sign ups to date for the Adopt-A-Hole Program!

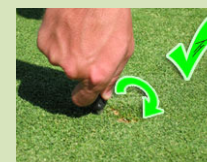
Hole 1 – Sue Edwards & Dean Edwards	Hole 11 – Joel Silverman
Hole 2 – Don Allen & Tom Stocum	Hole 12 – Don Allen & Kim Waterhouse
Hole 3 – Marshall Family & Andrew Reynolds	Hole 13 –
Hole 4 – Joe Brennan	Hole 14 – Roger Watson
Hole 5 – Pratto League	Hole 15 – Mindy Glatfelter & Joey Davisson
Hole 6 – John & Timmy McDonald	Hole 16 – Tom Stocum & Nate Stocum
Hole 7 – Bob Hounsell & Ann Ryan	Hole 17 – Gary Strawbridge
Hole 8 – Denise Kane & Kelley Taylor	Hole 18 – Mike Stanley & Dennis Duprey
Hole 9 – Denice Short, Sherry Davis & Charlene Harry	Driving Range – Ranger Rick Hofshier
Hole 10 – Jake Perry & Mike Hinton	Putting & Chipping Area – Maryse Koster & Linda Hanks

## A few spots are left!

## Adopt-A-Hole

There are still plenty of spots open! The purpose of the Adopt-A-Hole program is to help keep each hole and the practice areas in good condition and then reward the teams that maintain them the best. We need 20 two person teams in order to have an outstanding program. The most important areas to concentrate on are ball mark repair, sanding divots, raking bunkers, trash, etc.

Thank you to all who have signed up to help keep Wildwood Green looking better than ever!





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### Upcoming Tee Time Changes:

- March 1<sup>st</sup> – March 13<sup>th</sup>  
First Tee Time is 9:00 AM
- March 14<sup>th</sup> – April 4<sup>th</sup>  
First Tee Time is 8:30 AM
- Last bucket of range balls is sold at 5:00 PM
- Members may not walk until after 11:00 AM on Saturday and Sunday
- Public may not walk until after 2:00 PM on Saturday and Sunday

### Member Monthly Specials

1. Purchase a large bucket range pass for only \$50 (Savings of \$46)
2. Bring a junior out to play anytime for only \$20 which includes the cart rental
3. Bogey's Grill Wine Special: \$10 per bottle of wine on our in-stock selection (Special runs out when selection is sold)
4. Bogey's Grill Beer Special: \$1.75 on select variety of beer







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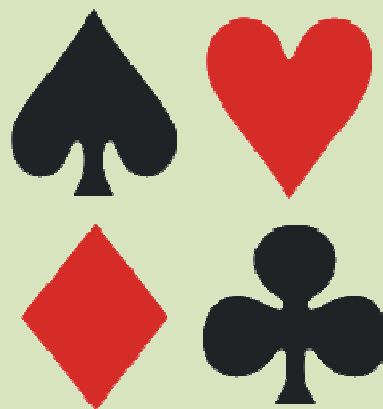
### Texas Hold'Em



Tuesday, March 8<sup>th</sup> - 6:00 PM

Join us for another exciting night of Texas Hold 'Em! Food and drinks will not be provided but will be available to purchase. Check out our new food items in Bogey's Grill.

**Call the golf  
shop to sign  
up today!**



**Last Poker Night  
Until November!**

*\$6 per member or accompanied guest*

*Participants will be the dealers for the games!*



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*Prepay for the 2016 Package Events*

**7 Events scheduled over 7 months for only \$105**

Entry Fee includes range balls prior to each event, lunch after play, proximity games and gift certificates to the winners! Event winners are invited to enter the Tournament of Champions.

**Prepay &  
Save 50% off  
your event  
entry fees!**

**Package Event Dates:**

- **March 19<sup>th</sup>**
- **April 23<sup>rd</sup>**
- **June 18<sup>th</sup>**
- **July 23<sup>rd</sup>**
- **August 6<sup>th</sup>**
- **September 3<sup>rd</sup>**
- **October 8<sup>th</sup>**





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**PLAY LIKE  
A CHAMPION  
TODAY**

### 2016 Match Play Championship

Registration Deadline: April 14<sup>th</sup>

**Cost per person is \$10**

The 2016 Match Play Championship is open to the first 32 registered golfers. An Established USGA handicap is required to compete. All matches should be completed in the following time frames:



- Match 1 – Before May 31<sup>st</sup>
- Match 2 – Before June 30<sup>th</sup>
- Match 3 – Before July 31<sup>st</sup>
- Match 4 – Before August 31<sup>st</sup>
- Match 5 – Before September 30<sup>th</sup>
- Match 6 – Before October 31<sup>st</sup>



Register in the golf shop today or call us at (919) 846-8376 ext. 2



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### Package Event #1

Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> – 9:00 AM Shotgun

Sign up as a twosome or an individual and the golf shop will create the foursomes. Don't miss the opportunity to prepay for all your entry fees into the 2016 Package Events!



**Format:** Captain's Choice

**Entry Fee:** \$30 per Member, plus cart fees

\$55 per Accompanied Guest, includes cart fee

**Entry Fee Includes:** Range balls before play, lunch afterwards, proximity games and gift certificates to the winners.



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### Masters Pool

Thursday, March 24<sup>th</sup> – Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at noon

**\$5 per Entry, No Limit on Number of Entries**



All members must have an established handicap to sign up. Members must also sign up before they start their round. Each member's net score will be paired with a professional's Saturday and Sunday score from the Masters.

Winners will be paid out in gift certificates!

### Skins Game

Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> – All Day

*Members must sign up for Skins before they play their round and they must also have an established handicap.*



Entry Fee: **\$10 per Member**  
(**\$5 Gross/ \$5 Net**)





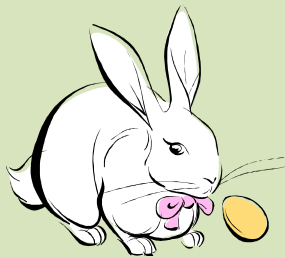
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### Easter Egg Golf Hunt

Sunday, March 27<sup>th</sup> – Book your Tee Time

Join Wildwood Green for our golfing Easter Egg Hunt. Play a round of golf with your friends and family while looking for Easter Eggs! In each Easter Egg there will be specific promotions relating to the golf shop, driving range and Bogey's Grill. If you are lucky, you will find a sweet treat inside!



### Possible Promotions found in the Easter Eggs:

50% off a Regular Priced Item, Free Sleeve of Golf Balls, Free Range Bucket,  
Buy One Combo Get One Free, Free Golf Cart Fee, Free Hot Dog  
Much More ....

### Don't Miss Out On Some Free Stuff!



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### Sip & Paint Night

Tuesday, March 29<sup>th</sup> – 7:00 PM

#### Two Hour Sip & Paint Class at Wildwood Green Golf Club

Looking for a relaxing ,fun evening with your friends and your favorite bottle of wine? Now add to that the joy of learning to paint! Let artist Emily Page walk you through creating your own painting, start to finish, in a two hour period. This isn't just an art class, it is an art party. Uncork the artist inside while sipping on your drink.

Price Includes: 1 glass of wine, painting instruction by Artistic Abandon, canvas, paint and unlimited fun!



Learn to paint this art piece!





Cost: \$39 per Member or Accompanied Guest  
(Includes 1 glass of wine for each participant)

Call the golf shop at (919) 846-8376 ext. 2 to sign up.

All participants must sign up by March 22<sup>nd</sup>!



## March 2016 Events Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>First Tee Time is at 9:00 AM until March 13<sup>th</sup> March 14<sup>th</sup> it changes to 8:30 AM tee times Last Bucket of range balls is sold at 5:00 PM Starting March 19<sup>th</sup>, Members may not walk until after 11:00 AM and public may not walk until after 2:00 PM</p>		<p>1 Wildflowers and WildOats -10:00 AM SG <b>Bingo Night</b> 6:00 PM</p>	<p>2 Gaggle – 10:00AM TT WOWs – 1:30 PM TT</p>	<p>3 WildOats – 10:00 AM SG</p>	<p>4 Gaggle – 10:00AM TT</p>	<p>5</p>
<p>6</p>	<p>7 WildOats – 10:00 AM TT</p>	<p>8 Wildflowers and WildOats -10:00 AM SG <b>Poker Night</b> 6:00 PM</p>	<p>9 Gaggle – 10:00AM TT WOWs – 1:30 PM TT</p>	<p>10 WildOats – 10:00 AM SG</p>	<p>11 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT</p>	<p>12</p>
<p>13 <b>Daylight Savings Time</b> </p>	<p>14 WildOats – 9:30 AM TT 8:30 AM Tee Times Begin <b>Montessori Match</b> Tee Time Restrictions 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM</p>	<p>15 Wildflowers and WildOats -9:30 AM SG</p>	<p>16 Gaggle – 10:00AM TT WOWs – 1:36 PM TT</p>	<p>17 WildOats – 9:30 AM SG </p>	<p>18 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT</p>	<p>19 <b>Package Event #1</b> 9:00 AM SG <b>Tee Time Restrictions</b> 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM Members may not walk until after 11:00 AM</p>
<p>20</p>	<p>21 WildOats – 9:30 AM TT <b>Aerification-9 Holes Open</b> Tee Time Restrictions: 10:15 AM – 12:00 PM 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM</p>	<p>22 Wildflowers and WildOats -9:30 AM SG <b>Aerification-9 Holes Open</b> Tee Time Restrictions: 10:15 AM – 12:00 PM 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM</p>	<p>23 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT WOWs – 1:36 PM TT</p>	<p>24 WildOats – 9:30 AM SG <b>Masters Pool Begins</b></p>	<p>25 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT</p>	<p>26 <b>Skins Game</b></p>
<p>27 <b>Easter Egg Golf Hunt</b> All Day Tee Times  Happy Easter!</p>	<p>28 WildOats – 9:30 AM TT</p>	<p>29 Wildflowers and WildOats -9:30 AM SG Paint &amp; Sip Night 7:00 PM</p>	<p>30 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT WOWs – 1:36 PM TT</p>	<p>31 WildOats – 9:30 AM SG <b>St. Timothy Match</b> Tee Time Restrictions: 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM</p>	<p>hello spring!</p>	



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## Member Accomplishments & Holes in One

Congratulations to the following members! ...

Joe Hesselblad for winning a free month of dues for joining our member's text club. We will pull a winner once per year for joining the text club. Sign up by texting the keyword WWMEMBER to the number 51660.



You could be  
the next winner!





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### Rule of Month

#### **Rule: 15-3 Wrong Ball**

**Relief:** If a player makes a stroke or strokes at a wrong ball, he incurs a penalty of two strokes.

The player must correct his mistake by playing the correct ball. If he fails to correct his mistake before making a stroke on the next teeing ground or, in the case of the last hole of the round, fails to declare his intention to correct his mistake before leaving the putting green, he is disqualified.

The owner of the wrong ball must place his ball on the spot from where his opponent played the wrong ball.

**Scenario on Hole #1 at Wildwood Green:** You tee off of Hole #1 but lose the exact sight of your ball. You find a ball in the fairway and hit it but realize it was actually a range ball when you get up to the green. You now must incur a penalty of two strokes. You are not allowed to continue to play that range ball from where it lies. You must return to where your original ball is and play it from there with the two stroke penalty.







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### Why Pro Golfers Want to Stop Wearing Pants

**Costa, Brian. Wall Street Journal Eastern edition [New York, N.Y] 11 Feb 2016: D.6.**

Since the early days of professional golf, players have lived by some common tenets of acceptable behavior. They don't heckle one another during shots. They don't leap into the gallery after birdie putts. And they don't allow the general public even a glimpse at the skin on their legs. But in recent weeks, some players have been talking about something that would upend that last part entirely, something almost heretical in their world. They are talking about wearing shorts. "You look at every other sport and people are allowed to expose their legs," world No. 2 Rory McIlroy said at a tournament in Abu Dhabi last month, "so I don't see why we're not allowed to do that."

The rebellion took root at last month's EurAsia Cup, where a handful of European players pressed for and eventually received permission to practice in shorts, given the sweltering conditions in Kuala Lumpur. The following week, in Abu Dhabi, the European Tour changed its rule to allow players to bare their legs during practice rounds and pro-ams. That concession not only was met by praise from several top players, including world No. 1 Jordan Spieth. It also prompted some to ask a larger question: Why not let players wear shorts during competition? The PGA Tour says it has no plans to change its longstanding policy requiring players to wear pants on the course at all times. But at least some of its members no longer see the need to ban shorts. "They say it's not professional," veteran Tour pro Pat Perez said. "But the sport has changed, whether people like it or not. It's not your old, stiff country club anymore."

On the surface, this is a matter of comfort. Professional golf is mostly played in warm places. Once the heat and humidity reach a certain level, even the lightest pants can only be so comfortable to wear while walking 18 holes. But the shorts debate has as much to do with the game's image as anything else.

Even the most conservatively dressed players today are a far cry from the golfers of the early 20th century, who often played in ties and tweed jackets. The question is just how far the sport should stray from its genteel roots in trying to appeal to a younger, broader audience. "Maybe 20 years ago, you didn't want to see guys in shorts out here," said two-time Tour winner Matt Every. "But I think as far as aesthetics, to the eye, I don't think it's that big a deal."



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That is especially true, he said, considering some of the other ways players are allowed to eschew conventional notions of what a pro golfer should look like. Rickie Fowler, whose wardrobe attracted attention long before he became the world No. 4, has played this year in jogging pants and high-top shoes. Other players routinely play in outfits that are either snazzy or garish, depending on your point of view.

"Some of the s--- guys wear anyways, it's ridiculous," Every said, "so why can't we wear shorts?"

Not all golfers are eager to shed their trousers. Hunter Mahan called the European Tour's decision "forward thinking" but said golfers look better on television in pants. "There is something neat about it," he said. "Other sports have uniforms. That's like our uniform out there."

And while shorts might accentuate the physiques of players who are more attentive to fitness than ever, some sun-deprived calves may not be ready for a close-up. "You'd see some ugly legs, I could promise you that," said golfer Jason Bohn, a member of the policy board that oversees the PGA Tour. Female pro golfers are permitted to wear shorts on the LPGA Tour. And the PGA Tour has allowed caddies to wear shorts since 1999, when one collapsed on the course on a steamy day. But few male pros have ever dared to bare their legs.

Before the 1983 U.S. Open in Oakmont, Pa., Forrest Fezler asked tournament officials if he could play in shorts, given the stifling heat that week. When he was told no, he dressed in pants. But during his final round, he ducked into a port-a-potty after the 17th hole, changed clothes and played the 18th hole in shorts.

Now 66 years old and a course design consultant in Tallahassee, Fla., Fezler said he is still reminded often of his act of protest. When he was introduced recently to world No. 19 Brooks Koepka, it was the first thing that came up. "He said, 'Oh, I know about you. You're the guy who wore the shorts,'" Fezler said. "Brooks was saying it's about getting the young kids into the game of golf, and if you can create an image that brings the younger crowd in, what could be wrong with it?"

The European Tour isn't the only golf entity that appears open to relaxing its dress code. The R&A, which governs the sport everywhere but the U.S. and Mexico, said it will consider allowing shorts to be worn during practice rounds at the British Open after this year. But virtually no one in golf expects the PGA Tour to follow Europe's lead anytime soon.



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