

# WILDWOOD GREEN GOLF CLUB

November 2018



## Newsletter

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*"Carolinas Golf Group Facility"*



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## Board of Advisors:

Bob Hounsell  
Dale Denny  
Lennie Barton  
Carol Smith  
Bryan Copeland  
Jim Davis  
Carolyn Lyman

## Co-Chairman:

Jeff Hall  
Denice Short

Thank you for all your  
ideas and support to  
improve the club.



## Save The Date Member Holiday Party!



*Wednesday, December 12<sup>th</sup> – 6:00 PM*

Heavy hors d'oeuvres will be provided and drink specials will be offered.  
Be sure to RSVP so that the golf shop knows how much food to order!

RSVP by Monday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 PM.

Secret Santa Gift Game – Bring a gift for \$10 or less! The gift can be silly or not. We will draw numbers to see who goes first and then from there players have the option to steal gifts or open their own. The person that goes first also gets the last choice!



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## Hours of Operation:

November 4<sup>th</sup> – December 1<sup>st</sup>

<u>Day of the Week</u>	<u>Golf Shop Hours</u>	<u>First Tee Time</u>	<u>Last Range Bucket Sold</u>
Monday - Sunday	8:00 AM – 5:30 PM	8:30 AM	5:00 PM

**Bogey's Grille Hours: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM**

*Members and their accompanied guests may walk before 11:00 AM  
on weekends and holidays beginning November 10th.*



# Wildwood Green Golf Club

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## Regular Interclub Update

Over the last month our Regular Interclub team has been hard at work! They have defeated Hasentree Club, North Ridge Country Club, and Bentwinds Country Club to reach the final four of the Carolinas Golf Association Interclub program. Wildwood Green's Regular Interclub team will be playing Maple Chase Golf & Country Club in their semi-final match for a chance to play Northstone Club #2 or Highland Creek Golf Club for the overall Interclub Championship Title. Wildwood's semi-final match will be played at Pinehurst Country Club #6 on Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. Wish the team good luck as they try to reach the championship match!







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### Jeff Engelhaupt – General Manager

Dear Members,

As the time change is just a few days away I want to remind everyone that we still have plenty going on at the club to participate in. Our after dark social events and holiday parties will take place beginning November 8<sup>th</sup> as we host our first poker night. We plan to have two poker nights each month between now and the spring. We will also host one day member golf events periodically throughout these months (weather dependent).

For those of you who remember and for our new members, I want to remind everyone that host an annual employee holiday fund. This is a great way to show your appreciation to the staff for the hard work they have done over the past year. It really is a joyous time of the season for the staff and we thank you for any donations you can make!

**I hope everyone has a happy Thanksgiving. I will see you at the club soon!**

### Upcoming Events:

**Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>**  
Skins Day

**Sunday, November 4<sup>th</sup>**  
Daylight Saving Time Ends

**Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup>**  
Texas Hold 'Em Night

**Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup>**  
Walking Allowed Anytime for  
Members & Accompanied  
Guests Begins

**Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**  
Half Price Guest Day

**November 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
Thanksgiving Day Shotgun

**November 29<sup>th</sup>**  
Texas Hold 'Em Night



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### Rick Durham – Superintendent

As we enter fall and winter, this time of year brings the potential frost delays. A frost delay will occur when frost forms on the turf canopy (putting surfaces) and temperatures are near or at freezing. Turf can sustain injury simply by walking across frosted areas. When this occurs, it can be several months before the injured area will recover or begin repair. During this time of year, no course setup will be completed until the frost has melted on the turf canopy. Once the conditions are safe for the putting surfaces and other areas of the golf course to begin maintenance the team will expedite course set up and release play.

As mentioned in the previous newsletter we are also in fallen leaf season. Fallen leaf cleanup can be a slow process. The maintenance team is working daily to complete leaf cleanup. Just as it takes several months to recover from frost injury cart traffic damage on dormant bermuda can take even longer. This winter we will be focusing on cart traffic and installing ropes and directional signage in high traffic areas. Handicap flags should use good judgment when entering certain areas.

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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I would like to shine a spotlight on one of our Golf Shop Assistants, Martin Barrier. Martin owns and operates Swing Right Club Repair. Martin has his own repair trailer or “Tour Van” that he brings with him, fully stocked with many grips, shafts, etc. If there is any type of grip or shafts you want he may have it or can get it within 24-48 hours ensuring a quick install turn around for you! Now is the time of the year to make any repairs or alterations to your clubs. Martin has become a great asset to our team and exemplifies our motto “Quality professional golf services, all the time, every time”.



### Tips from the Pro:

This time of the year the putting greens get really fast and the ball doesn't compress as much on full shots leading to shorter distances. Here are two really good tips that can save you strokes on the greens and help maintain your regular weather distances. 1. When putting, make sure to play the ball higher on its break – as the ball starts to slow down it will die toward the hole whereas a low putt will die and dive away leading to a longer come back putt & in some cases could be further away than your first. 2. Play lower compression golf balls to ensure you are making full compression in the colder weather. Callaway Superhot balls are a great choice – These balls even come in multiple colors to help you see them during the dormant weather. On the PGA Tour, players will store their golf balls on heaters in their hotels room at night and put hand warmers in their balls pockets of the staff bag so that they don't get too hard. Ball compression is affected when 65 degrees or lower.



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### The Golf Academy at Wildwood Green



As we enter the holiday season, Jimmy, Greg, Pam, Dave, and Ronnie thank everyone at Wildwood Green for a fantastic 2018. We are thankful for your patronage and we all look forward to helping you have the best golf ever in 2019. All of us that love golf know that there is a world of information and many ways for you to get your information about the game of golf. With our experience, we can help you sort through any information you may have picked up and certainly deliver the pertinent information for your game that will eliminate the clutter, simplify what you do, and enjoy playing better golf. In short, we are here to be your golf "coach"! We will know you, your golf history, your goals, and what needs to be done to help you reach those goals. 2019 will bring more adult group programming, continue our nationally acclaimed junior programming, and continue delivering one on one coaching to everyone from beginners to national champions. Now is the time to start your journey to better golf in 2019. Make the adjustments necessary now so they are in place for the spring!

Go to our Academy website, [raleighgolflessons.com](http://raleighgolflessons.com), find the lesson package of your choice on the lesson rate page, contact the Academy Professional of your choice and we will take care of payment options and delivery of the gift for your golfer.

**Happy Hanukkah, Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year from all of us at The Golf Academy at Wildwood Green!!**

### 2018 Holiday Gift Packages

Buy any package of 4 lessons and get a fifth lesson FREE!

Buy any package of 8 lessons and get an on course lesson FREE!

Buy any package of 12 lessons and get an extra lesson and on course lesson FREE!





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## Employee Holiday Fund

As we approach the holiday season, you have the opportunity through the employee holiday fund to say "thank you" to your Wildwood Green employees. The employee holiday fund is a great way for our members to show their appreciation to the staff for all their hard work over the past year. Everyone from the maintenance staff to outside services is included in the distribution and any contribution you make is greatly appreciated.



*Happy Holidays*



To donate please stop by the golf shop and place your contribution in the box on the golf shop counter! We can accept credit card transactions as well. Please see a golf shop employee if you would like to use your credit card.

*The whole staff wants to send an early thank you to those who plan to contribute!  
Our best wishes go out to you and your families for a joyous and healthy holiday season.*



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### 2018 Fall Member-Member Results



2018 Fall Member-Member Champions  
Howard Ireland and Ray Griffin

### *It was a heck of a finish to our 2018 Fall Member-Member!*

We had some sunny (although chilly) weather on Day 2 but saw a fantastic finish which made it all worth it. Each flight winner competed in a sudden death playoff that began (and ended) on hole #10. Most players found the fairway including Howard Ireland who hit a thin wood towards the green. The ball barely cleared the pond and ended up being perched in a good position to a front hole location. Howard had about 15 feet of green to work with and made it count. He holed out for a 3, net 2 as his teammate was out of the hole after his second shot. Next to go was Tom Smith who hit two fantastic shots and laid 2 about 10 feet from the hole. Faced with a downhill left to right breaking putt, Tom let it just slip by on the low side. Tom finished with a 4, net 3 which allowed Howard Ireland and Ray Griffin to claim the overall championship title.



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### 2018 Fall Member-Member Results (continued)

#### Flight #1

1st	Howard Ireland & Ray Griffin	27.5
2nd	Zachary Truesdale & Chris Move	27.5*
3rd	Steve Champion & Jeff Cashin	26.5
4th	Alex Nianouris & Michael Widman	25
5th	Taylor Britt & Nick Lagrange	22.5
6th	Ken Taylor & Tom Sullivan	21
	*Lost in sudden death playoff	

#### Flight #2

1st	Brad Adams & Andrew Nourse	30.5
2nd	Becky Hiller & Carl Hiller	27
3rd	Trent Rhyne & James Herman	24
4th	Mike Gearing & Gary Strawbridge	23.5
T-5th	Will Altman & Patrick Hanks	22.5
T-5th	Jeff Hall & Bill Richardson	22.5

#### Flight #3

1st	Jim Creagh & John Stetes	33
2nd	Patrick Hanks & Peter Rajkovich	29
3rd	Al Makila & Jerry Bitzenhofer	24.5
4th	Mark Nordin & Bud O'Connell	23.5
5th	Jack Spence & Trent Rhyne	21.5
6th	Mike Austin & Carlos Santiago	18.5

#### Flight #4

1st	Jim Davis & Dave Harry	28.5
2nd	Doug Vodicka & Logan Johnson	27.5
3rd	Bakre Abdul & Carl Pridgen	26
4th	Martin Mulholland & Rich Cohen	25.5
5th	Kelley Taylor & Denise Kane	22.5

#### Flight #5

1st	Cam Frazier & Tom Smith	33
2nd	Denise Short & Jack Short	31
3rd	John Bitzenhofer & Rick Giglio	23.5
4th	Philip Arana & Christian Long	23
5th	Ken Young & Bowen Ross	19.5

#### Closest To The Pin Winners

Day 1: Jeff Cashin, Denise Kane, Andy Nourse, Jack Spence

Day 2: Jeff Hall, Becky Hiller, Tom Smith, Michael Widman

# Thank you players!



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### Skins Day

Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>

*All Day Tee Times*

Join Wildwood Green for a competitive all day Skins Event. Win money by making birdies!

**Entry Fee:** \$20 per person  
(\$10 Gross/\$10 Net)



All members must sign up before their round and turn in their scorecard after they finish their round.

All participants must have an established USGA recognized handicap.

### Poker Night

November 8<sup>th</sup> and November 29<sup>th</sup>

6:00 PM Start

Join Wildwood Green as our after dark social events kick back up! We will play tournament style Texas Hold 'Em twice this month. Sign up with the golf shop by calling 919-846-8376 extension 2.

**Entry Fee:** \$6 per person  
(\$5 re-buys/\$5 add-ons allowed in first two levels)







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## Walking Allowed Anytime

Beginning Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> walking will be allowed for members and their accompanied guests anytime of the day. Non-accompanied guests will still have to ride until 2:00 PM.



## Thanksgiving Day Shotgun



Join us for a 9:00 AM shotgun on Thanksgiving Day. We will allow play in the morning so everyone can get home and enjoy a nice afternoon with their family.

(Holiday rates will apply for guests)



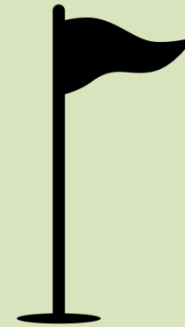
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### Half Price Guest Day

**Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup> - Book your tee time!**

All guests are welcome to play Wildwood Green for only \$25. This rate includes the green fee, cart fee and a small bucket of range balls. A name, email address and phone number will be required by all accompanied or sponsored guests upon checking in at the golf shop counter. You may bring up to 3 guests or sponsor four total guests to play if a member cannot attend.



**Guests play for only \$25.**

Why not show off the beautiful bermuda greens to your guests!?

Call the golf shop at (919) 846-8376 extension 2 to book your tee time today.



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Save The Date for December 2018

## WildOats Holiday Party

Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup> – 6:00 PM



- Pot luck style food brought by WildOat members
- Each WildOat receives 1 drink ticket to Bogey's Grille and drinks specials will be offered

## Member Holiday Party

Wednesday, December 12<sup>th</sup> – 6:00 PM



- Heavy hors d'oeuvres served by Bogey's Grille
- Drinks specials will be offered
- Secret Santa gift game (bring a gift \$10 or less)
- Discounts on in-stock apparel
- PGA raffle to benefit Jeff, Dan, and Brian





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Save The Date for December 2018

*One Day Member-Member*

*Saturday, December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 – 9:30 AM Shotgun*



*\*1 net of 2 (best ball)*

*\*Gross and net payout (depending on size of field)*

*\*\$15 per person entry + cart fee (walking allowed)*


*Sign up with the Golf Shop by Thursday, November 29th*





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## November 2018 Events Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Members and their accompanied guests are allowed to walk after 11:00 AM on the weekends and holidays through Sunday 11/04/2018. Beginning November 10th walking is allowed anytime until March.</p> <p>Non-accompanied guests may not walk until after 2:00 PM on the weekends and holidays.</p>		<p><b>Holiday Party Save The Date</b></p> <p>All Members: Wednesday, December 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM</p> <p>WildOats: Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM</p>		1 WildOats – 9:30 AM SG	2	3 <b>Skins Day</b>  Operation 36 - 4:00TT
4 8:30 AM TT Begin  Operation 36 3:00 TT	5 WildOats 10:00 AM TT	6 Wildflowers and WildOats – 10:00 AM SG	7 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT	8 WildOats 10:00 AM SG  Poker Night 6:00 PM	9 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT	10 Walking allowed anytime begins for members
11 Veteran's Day	12 WildOats 10:00 AM TT	13 Wildflowers and WildOats - 10:00 AM SG  Half Price Guest Day	14 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT	15 WildOats 10:00 AM SG	16 William Peace University Event 100 Players 9:00 AM SG. Gaggle (Off)	17
18	19 Pepsi 60 Players 12:00 PM SG WildOats (Off Due to Event)	20 Wildflowers and WildOats – 10:00 AM SG	21 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT	22 Thanksgiving All Play 9:00 AM SG	23 Gaggle 10:00 AM TT	24
25	26 WildOats 10:00 AM TT	27 Wildflowers and WildOats – 10:00 AM SG	28 Gaggle – 10:00 AM TT	29 WildOats 10:00 AM SG  Poker Night 6:00 PM	30 ASCE 60 Players 9:00 AM SG TT restricted 9:00-11:30 Gaggle (Off)	