



Wildwood Green;

Where Champions Play!

A wide-angle photograph of a golf course. In the foreground, a lush green fairway slopes gently upwards. A path of tall, slender pine trees runs along the left side. In the middle ground, a large, well-maintained green is visible, with a small sand trap to its right. In the background, a large, multi-story clubhouse with a light-colored facade and a dark roof is nestled among a dense forest of tall pine trees. The sky is a clear, pale blue.

**January 2022
Newsletter**

Upcoming Events:

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Poker Night

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Skins Day

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One Day
Member
Member

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Poker Night

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2021
December
Member-Member
RESULTS

Thank you for playing!!

**Your gross December Member-Member Champions
Matthew Deckert & Paul Puglia! (67)**



Flight Winners

Flight A Winner – First Net:
Lennie Barton & David Butler (63)



Flight A — Second Net: Dee Blankenhorn &
Erikka Buracchio (64)



Flight Winners

Flight B Winner — First Net:
Jim Creagh & Mark Nordin (63)



Flight Winners

Flight B Second Net: Rick Gentry & Bill Nolan (64)



Flight B Third Net: Rick Beebe & Barry Johnson (66)



Flight Winners

Flight C Winner — First Net: Sonny Miller & Marvyn Rieger (64)



Flight C Tied for Second Net:
Larry Essary & Chris Stanley (68)



Flight Winners

Flight C Tied for Second Net:
Ray Griffin & Greg Kusibab (68)



Flight C Tied for Second Net:
Jack & Denice Short (68)



Flight Winners

Flight D Winner — First Net:
Frank Hone & Jim Volpe (61)



Flight Winners

Flight D Second Net: Jim Martin & Chip Hopkins (62)



Flight D Third Net: Daniel Allen & Michael Coats (65)

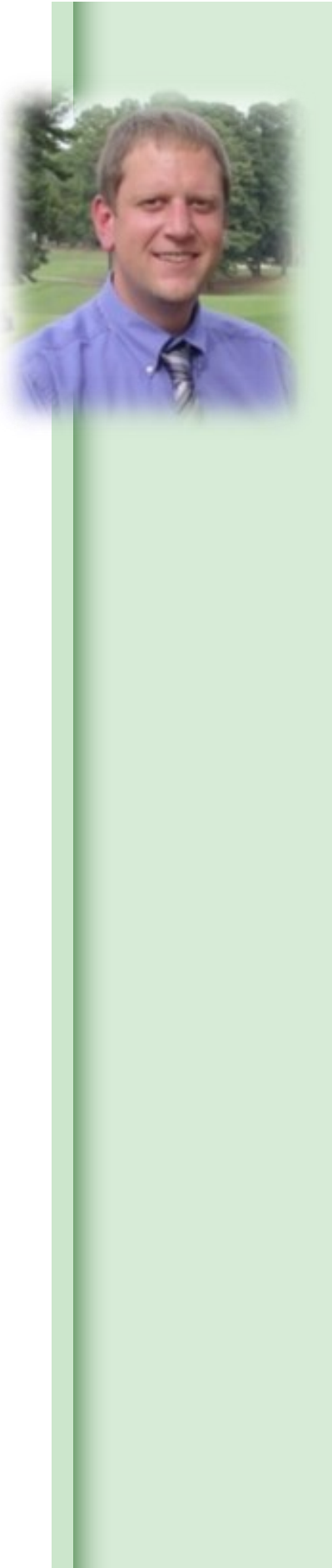


General Manager — Jeff Engelhaupt, PGA

Members,

Thank you to everyone
who contributed to the
Employee Holiday Fund
this season!

The generosity we saw
from everyone helped to
make a very enjoyable
holiday for all of our
employees.





Superintendent — Rick Durham

Covering our greens because of cold weather has not been a problem this month. There have been a hand full of nights where temperatures dipped into the mid twenty's. Moisture levels and day time highs have helped in regards to not having to pull covers. With January and February approaching I don't see this trend continuing. When there is a forecast of low twenty's we go on alert. There are many factors that determine if greens need to be covered. Moisture levels, how long will temps stay below freezing and what will be the day time highs all determine if covers will be pulled. When a covering event occurs members will be notified in advance.

Irrigation has been an area where we continue to improve. Over a three-year period, we have been able to automate tees and fourteen fairways. We have four fairways to complete and will complete this project over the next couple of months. This will be a major improvement to our facility. The ability to water more frequently will maximize fertilizer/chemical applications. Other areas of improvement that will continue for 2022 include tree removal, sand traps, landscaping and drainage. One unforeseen project is the overflow on the pond at number ten. The current system has failed which has compromised the water level. The new overflow system will be installed in January. Once completed the water levels will return to normal.

Thank all of you for your comments and suggestions and as always, I can be reached at rdurham@wildwoodgreen.com



1st Assistant — Nathan Feibes

Hello everyone, and a very happy New Years to all! I hope you had a fantastic holiday season. We are already into 2022, and have plenty of exciting events planned for the upcoming year. Our full 2022 Member Events schedule should be released in the very near future, so keep an eye open for it!

We have been lucky enough to have near-perfect weather thus far this season. Keep in mind that as we approach colder weather, hours may be adjusted in the mornings due to frost. Please check your email and/or Clubster in the mornings, especially when overnight temperatures have been low! You are welcome to call the golf shop at (919) 846-8376 ext. 0 for updated course conditions as well.

I can be reached at Nathan@wildwoodgreen.com with any questions or comments.



Head Teaching Professional — Dan Alton



^Click Video to Watch^

Quick Pro tip—DON'T pull the handle to hit down on the ball. Click the video to watch.

"By making a few simple changes we can hit the ball higher, straighter, & further than before. Speed alone won't work unless you hit the correct angle into the ball. It's a lot easier than you think!"

- Dan Alton Head Teaching Professional Wildwood Green Golf Club

Book Your Lesson Today! See the schedule, pick your time, and book your lesson - Right at your finger tips!

www.danaltongolf.com

Golf Shop Manager — Tommy Himebaugh



Hello all! We have recently brought in more winter weather & cold gear apparel just in time for the season! We still have some merchandise such as Greg Norman & Bobby Jones shirts, Scottish Winds sweaters and more on sale.

If you ever have any questions about placing a special order with us, please reach out to me directly at Tommy@wildwoodgreen.com



Operations Manager — Carter Gerwitz



As our club continues to grow, so does the use of the course. With the volume of play we have been experiencing, we need your help maintaining the course! Please remember to fill your divots at all times.

There has also been an increase in use of the golf carts. As a reminder we are back to 2 carts per playing group. Help us maintain the lifespan of the cart batteries!

As always, I can be reached for any questions at carter@wildwoodgreen.com



Grille Manager — Sunshine Stogner

Happy New Year!!

This month we will do Friday night dinner on January 14th!!! The menu will be as follows:

- Petite Garden Salad
- Herb Baked Chicken Quarters
- Mac N Cheese
- Roasted Broccoli
- Fresh Baked Rolls
- Chocolate Cake

\$11.45 per person

January brings a new grille menu and a new catering menu!! Check out the website, and if you have suggestions of what you would like to see, please let me know!

Sunshine@wildwoodgreen.com



The Golf Academy at Wildwood Green

January 2022 Newsletter

Jimmy Hamilton, a 39 year member of the PGA of America, is honored to be selected as the Carolinas PGA Section Palmer Maples Teacher of the Year for 2021. Jimmy was nominated and selected by a committee of fellow PGA Professionals. "This is a humbling award considering this covers all of North and South Carolina and the number of widely recognized teachers and coaches in the Carolinas Section. I am honored and thankful to be able to teach and coach at Wildwood Green where there is a tremendous passion and desire to improve and have the most fun possible playing golf". Jimmy will receive the award at the Carolinas PGA Special Awards dinner in Greensboro on February 20th prior to the Carolinas PGA Annual meeting and educational seminars. The Golf Academy at Wildwood Green now has two TOTY winners as Ronnie Reitz was the 1985 Carolinas PGA Palmer Maples Teacher of the Year.

The Golf Academy at Wildwood Green welcomes Jeff Robinson, PGA to the teaching and coaching staff in January 2022. Jeff was the long time operator of Capital Golf Center on Capital Boulevard and most recently teaching and coaching at WilMar Golf Club. Jeff brings over 50 years of golf experience to Wildwood Green having played at NCSU and on professional mini tours and was on Golf Digest Magazine's Best Teachers in the State listing in 2003-04. His teaching experience includes all ages and abilities and is also a certified fitting and club repair specialist. All of Jeff's contact information will be on our Instructors Page on the website, raleighgolflessons.com, and can be reached at 919-946-6885.

The 2022 Instructional calendar kicks off with our Winter Skills Series beginning the week of January 24 through February 24. This program for juniors ages 7-18 is a skill building program of once a week classes for the 5 weeks to build skills of those just beginning their journey or those looking to compete for their school teams this spring. Classes will be divided by skill rather than just age to promote the appropriate level of instruction. Registration begins January 3 and more information is on our Academy webpage, raleighgolflessons.com and go to the Programs/ Junior Programs page and scroll past the Operation 36 information. The Operation 36 information will be updated shortly for the new year with returning families having the option to register in mid January before the main registration opens Feb 1, 2022. The PGA Junior League 2022 information will also be available in January on the webpage.

There will be more of our adult clinics, women's clinics, family clinics and other junior programs coming in 2022 along with our private lesson options for all ages and abilities. We look forward to helping you enjoy your game this year!



Employee Spotlight — Jim Fletcher



Q: When were you hired at Wildwood?

A: February of 2019

Q: What do you do here at Wildwood?

A: Whatever I am told to do (starter, ranger, golf shop staff etc.)

Q: Where were you born?

A: Durham, NC

Q: How do you spend your spare time?

A: Love to cycle

Q: What is your favorite food?

A: Meat & potatoes

Q: Where is your favorite place in the world?

A: Razeni, Maldova

Q: What is your favorite sport?

A: Golf

If you have an accomplishment you'd like to share,
please send it to carter@wildwoodgreen.com!

Member Accomplishments



CONGRATULATIONS

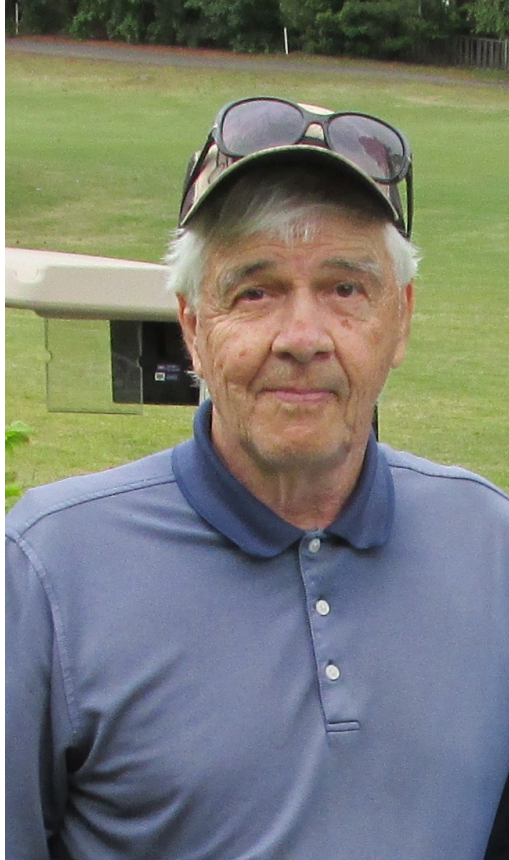
To Carter Jenkins! On December 17th, Carter made a hole in one on #12 from 137 yards with a 7 iron. Not only that... he did it one handed!

Carter, who has been recovering from a wrist injury also made a one-handed hole in one from 74 yards with a Gap Wedge on the second hole at Pinehurst's Par Three course "The Cradle" back in early October.

Best of luck in your recovery, and great shots!

If you have an accomplishment you'd like to share,
please send it to carter@wildwoodgreen.com!

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CONGRATULATIONS

To Rich Bradley! On December 30th, Rich made a hole in one on #12 from 105 yards with a 8 iron.

It was Rich's NINTH overall hole in one, and his FIFTH hole in one on #12 at Wildwood. Just one more until double digits; great going!

If you have an accomplishment you'd like to share,
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Upcoming Events

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**Time:**

10:00 AM Shotgun

Format:

2 person teams, 1 net (net & gross in Flight A, net payout in all other flights)

Cost:

\$15 for Regular/PM/Executive/Jr. Executive members

\$15 + \$20 Green Fee for Weekday members = \$35

\$10.25 for Optional Lunch

\$21.85 for cart fees

Cost Includes:

Range Balls

On course contests

Gift certificates to winners

Menu:

Turkey Sandwich with Avocado & Sprouts

Pasta Salad

Assorted Chips

*Food available by 10:30 AM

Upcoming Events

January Poker Night



Monday, January 24th
6:00 PM

No Smoking Under The Patio!



Smokers - we are asking that you DO NOT smoke underneath the back patio awning. Please step off of the patio and be sure to place your butts in the provided "Site Saver" located near the steps. **We have found too many cigarette butts thrown over the railing and do not want to see this going forward!**

Acer's Club

Acers Club at Wildwood Green



On September 18th, Rick Beebe made a Hole-In-One on #4 and won the Acer's pot!

With the pot now cleared, everyone must re-enter for their chance to win. For only \$5 you can join the Acers club and if you are the first one to make a hole in one during the season you will win the pot in the form of a gift certificate to the club....which may help cover all of the drinks you will have to buy! Once the pot is cleared you will need to repay your \$5 to be eligible for the next round of winnings.

To enter the Acers Pool just call or stop by the golf shop and let us know you want to get in, pay your \$5, and go play golf.

The only catch is that your hole in one will have to be attested by your playing partner.

Call the golf shop at (919) 846-8376 ext 2 with any questions!

Golf Course Hours

Hours of Operation

Effective December 6th!

<u>Day of the Week</u>	<u>Golf Shop Hours</u>	<u>First Tee Time</u>	<u>Range Hours</u>
Monday-Thursday	8:30am - 5:00pm	9:00am	8:30am - 4:30pm
Friday-Saturday	9:00am - 5:00pm	10:00am	9:00am - 4:30pm
Sunday	9:00am - 5:00pm	10:00am	9:00am - 2:30pm *RANGE CLOSES AT 3:00pm*

Champions Grille Hours: Monday - Sunday: 9:00am - 4:30pm

Monthly Events Calendar



[Or, click here to follow link](#)

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