March 2023 Newsletter

Wildwood Green Golf Club

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February Member-Member RESULTS

Thank you for playing!!



Flight 1 Winners

T-1st Net



Steve Champion & JR Holmes

T-1st Net



Michael Hughey & John Petercuskie

1st Gross



John Thomas & Curt Miller

Flight 2 Winners

1st Gross

1st Net



Rick Beebe &

Trent Rhyne

T-2nd Net



Allan Gustafson &

Ed Perry

T-2nd Net



Chris Atkins & Michael Bell



Matt Inman & Christian Rogers

Flight 3 Winners

T-1st Net



John McDonald &

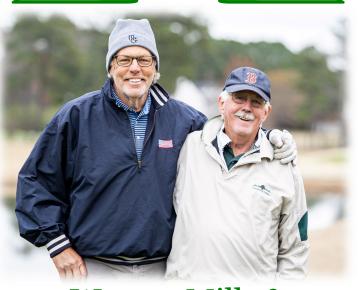
Herman Miller

T-1st Net



Vinny Pisculli & Charles Shorb

1st Gross



Warren Mills & Rob Skaltsas

Flight 4 Winners

1st Net



Kathy Cazenave &

Susan Smith

2nd Net



John Cook & Marty Rising

1st Gross



Otto Mucklo & Scott Taillon



General Manager — Jeff Engelhaupt, PGA

Members,

Welcome to spring in North Carolina! Get your pollen dusters ready because it has arrived. A light dusting of the dreaded stuff was found on my car February 28th. Seems like the warmer than normal weather has brought it out a bit earlier than we are used to! Thanks for bearing with us as we try to keep the carts, patio, and bag holders clean.

Our shop is now fully stocked with the newest woods, irons, and putters from all of the major brands. Can't find what you are looking for? Special order what you need to-day! Still in winter form? Set up a fitting with a golf instructor to get your game tuned in for the season!

Tournament season is officially in full swing. We thank those of you who came out on the coldest day of the week in late February for the one day member event—a sell out. Two events will be held in March and April will really kick things off with the Masters Par 3 event. Carter is doing such a great job with events that the March 18th event is already full and on a waiting list. Be sure to sign up early for his events— you will surely not want to miss out on the fun!



Over the next few months it will seem like the hours will shift almost weekly. Stay in tune with our weekly update and Clubster on notifications about the change in hours and if you ever have any questions, reach out to us at teetimes@wildwoodgreen.com with questions.

See you at the club soon, Jeff Engelhaupt, PGA



Superintendent — Rick Durham

After a record breaking warm February, it appears March has a forecast of above average temperatures. With the warmer temperatures we have had to move several agronomic applications to earlier dates than planned. The golf course has been pre emerged for summer annual weeds. This application will prevent weeds such as crabgrass and goosegrass from germinating. Once germinated these weeds can be difficult to control and its always better to prevent them from showing up. We may need to do a follow up application later in the spring to help aide control through the long hot summer. Greens have woken up a little and mowing has become more consistent. We will however leave the greens covers out through March just in case there is a significant dip in temperatures. We currently have several projects that will be completed soon. Cart path paving on the remainder holes 8,11 and 12 will be scheduled anywhere from mid-March into April. I am currently coordinating this with our paving contractor, and we should have dates locked in soon. Weather has played a large part in this project delay. There will be several large pieces of equipment on the course to complete paving and wet conditions has postponed this from moving forward. We were able to start bunker renovation on hole 15. This has taken a little longer than expected due to the amount of extra prep that needed to be completed. We had not planned on the extra shaping and having to re do all drainage. Once these have been completed there will be sod added to repair areas that were disrupted during construction. Capillary concrete has been chosen to line the base of bunkers. This product is a permeable concrete that will help hold sand in place and prevent washouts from accruing during heavy rain. One last improvement that I will mention is the 2,3,4,5 area that has been cleared. Our goal here will be to keep these areas cleared, playable and improve views. Creeks will be stabilized to prevent erosion with rip rap. The two creeks on number 2 will be redone first and move down stream form there. I would like to thank you for all your comand suggestions and always can be reached as rdurham@wildwoodgreen.com



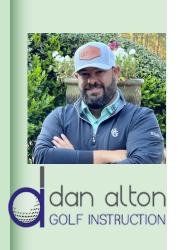
1st Assistant — Carter Gerwitz

Hello all! Our full 2023 Member Events schedule & 2023 Member Events booklet have both been published on our website, so go check it out or click **HERE** to view!

With warm weather approaching, we will be adjusting our hours in March to align better with Daylight Savings Time. Please view Page 15 to view March's Monthly Events Calendar and Wildwood Green's March Hours.

We have two tournament's coming up this month. The March Member-Member is on the 18th and we are currently on an Alternate List. Followed by the 2023 Tournament of Champions on March 25th, available to all members in good standing who have won their flight in an 18 hole member event within the past fiscal year. Please call or email the golf shop to get your name added to the list.

As always, I can be reached at carter@wildwoodgreen.com with any questions or comments.



Head Teaching Professional — Dan Alton



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- Dan Alton Head Teaching Professional Wildwood Green Golf Club

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Golf Shop Updates

Apparel Sale at Wildwood Green—Save Big!

60% off items below

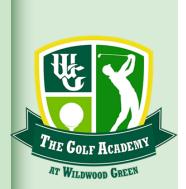
40% off items below

- GRE WG POLO
- ♦ MAC \$57.00
- MAC Apparel \$67.50
- MAC Bobby Jones SS
- MAC Byron Nelson LS
- MAC CB Jacket

- MAC CB Pullover
- ♦ MAC Golden Bear Sweater
- MAC Greg Norman Pullover
- MAG G M GG
- MAC Greg Norman SS
- MAC Mock Shirt
- ♦ MAC Scottish Winds Sweater

- ♦ ANT Pullover \$61.50 ◆
- ♦ ANT Pullover \$66.50 ◆
- Third and the footing
- ANT Pullover \$73.50 ◆
- BYR SS Shirt
- BYR Windbreakers
- DS Apparel \$45

- ◆ FOO Knit Skort
- FOO Performance Shirt
- MAC Apparel \$60.00
- TAI \$79/\$89/\$99
- Tail LS Tops
- All USAP Fleece's



The Golf Academy at Wildwood Green

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Spring is upon us with more events, better weather and more anticipation for a great golf season. Get your golf game ready with some spring training from our Academy of highly experienced instructors. Each Professional on our staff has over 20 years and as much as 43 years experience helping people enjoy their golf game. We can help a golfer develop from the very beginning or fine tune the game of an experienced player looking to be highly competitive. In each case we will be sure you get better without danger of injury and loss of playing time. Contact one of our Instructors from the Instructor page on our website, raleighgolf-lessons.com.

Our spring semester of Adult and Junior Operation 36 begins the week of March 20. All information is on our webpage, raleighgolflessons.com, go to the Adult and Junior Operation 36 page and drop down box and scroll into the semester information. Only a few openings remain in our range of classes so don't miss out on this very popular program.



We continue to finalize information for the PGA Junior League teams that will represent Wildwood Green in area competition. Information and registration will appear at pgajrleague.com before March 15th with competition being between mid May and late June for ages 10-13 and possibly a U17 team.

Get out of the house and off the bench and get your golf game in shape for the season!









March Poker Night! Monday, March 6th-6:00 PM







Grille Manager — Sunshine Stogner

Hello and Happy March!! What's happening at the grille this month?!

We have our last Poker night on the 6th. Please sign up and come enjoy 1/2 off appetizers and \$3.00 Imports.

Our Friday Night Dinners are on the 10th and the 24th.

To celebrate Saint Patty's Day on the 10th the meals will be: Corned Beef with cabbage, potatoes, carrots, a dinner roll and green velvet cake

Or

Shepherd's Pie with candied carrots, roasted cabbage, a dinner roll and green velvet cake.

24th pick up dinner will be:

Merry me chicken breast with a garlic, sun dried tomato and cream sauce, a side salad, creamy mashed potatoes, herb haricot verts, a roll and dessert.

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Sausage stuffed zucchini boats over rice pilaf with herb haricot verts, a side salad, roll and dessert.

All plates are take and heat plates and are \$17.00 inclusive.

They can be picked up from 12pm-5pm.

Please call the grille or

e-mail sunshine@wildwoodgreen.com to make your dinner pick up reservations. We will stop taking orders the Wednesday before at 2pm.

BINGO this month falls ON Saint Patty's Day!!! We will have a very GREEN party with lots of food and prizes and hopefully some luck of the Irish!

Don't forget to wear your green!

The weather is getting nicer, if anyone has any party ideas let me know and we can make it happen!!



Member Accomplishments

Justin Collins Hole In One

On February 5th, playing the Blue Tees, Justin Collins recorded a 1 on hole #12 here at Wildwood Green. He hit a firm 8 iron from 170 yards that was trickled into the bottom of the cup. Be sure to congratulate him next time you see him out and about.

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

Member Accomplishments





Gerard and Jenkins Continued Success

Wildwood Green Members, Ryan Gerard and Carter Jenkins have had an incredibly successful start to their Korn Ferry Tour Seasons. Carter is currently projected to earn his PGA Tour card at the quarter-way mark, and Ryan is not far behind. Additionally, Ryan Monday Q'd into the Honda Classic this week and placed 4th! With his top 10 finish, Ryan is exempt into the Puerto Rico Open being held March 2nd-5th. Ryan and Carter will look to get into the Valspar Championship via Monday Qualifying coming up shortly in Florida so be sure to wish them good luck. The Korn Ferry Tour starts back up in mid-March!

A fun fact to note—With Ryan's solo 4th place finish at the Honda he became the first Open Qualifier to finish in the top five of a PGA Tour event since Doc Redman (2nd) at the 2019 Rocket Mortgage Classic. Both Ryan and Doc are Wildwood alumni's! Check out their picture and playing bio in Champions Grille next time you are at the club.

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



Member Accomplishments

Matt Weidig Hole In One

On February 27th, playing the Gold Tees, Matt Weidig recorded an Ace on hole #17 here at Wildwood Green. He hit a perfect 8 iron from 110 yards and the ball couldn't go anywhere but home. With his great shot, Matt cleared the Acer's pool and took home a \$165 gift certificate to help buy those drinks after the round. Be sure to congratulate him next time you see him out and about and be sure to get into the Acer's pool!

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

Go Here to View the March Monthly Events Calendar



Hours of Operation

Effective March 13th

Day of the Week	Golf Shop Hours	First Tee Time	Range Hours
Monday-Thursday	8:00am - 6:00pm	8:30am	8:00am - 6:00pm
Friday-Saturday	7:30am - 6:00pm	8:00am	7:30am - 6:00pm
Sunday	7:30am - 5:00pm	8:00am	7:30am – 4:00pm *RANGE CLOSES AT 4:30pm*

Champions Grille hours are going to fluctuate so be sure to call ahead.





Currently Full—Click **HERE** to get on the Waitlist



Next Bingo Night on March 17th!

Dinner TO-Go

Friday, March 10th 2023

Provided by Champion's Grille

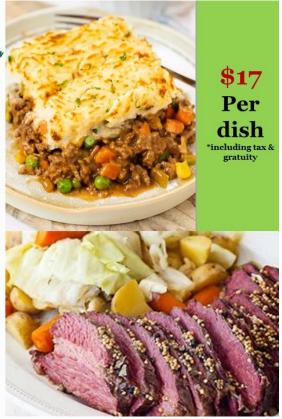
Option 1

- X Main: Shepherd's Pie
- X Side: Candied Carrots, Roasted Cabbage, and a Dinner Roll
- X Dessert: Green Velvet Cake

Option 2

- X Main: Corned Beef
- X Side: Cabbage, Potatoes, Carrots and a Dinner Roll
- X Dessert: Green Velvet Cake

These are heat n' eat meals



Click HERE to Order

Dinner TO-Go



Provided by Champion's Grille

Option 1

- X Main: Merry Me Garlic Chicken Breast
- X Side: Sun Dried Tomatoes, Cream Sauce, Side Salad, Creamy Mashed Potatoes, Herb Haricot Verts, a Roll, & Dessert

Option 2

- X Main: Sausage Stuffed Zucchini Boats
- X Side: Rice Pilaf, Herb Haricot Verts, Side Salad, a Roll & Dessert

These are heat n' eat meals





Currently Full—Taking Alternates



Invite Only—Check Clubster to see if you were invited!



Call or email the golf-shop to get signed up!



For Boys and Girls ages 6-18, all skill levels

2023 Dates are as Follows;

Week 1: June 12th-June 15th at Wildwood Green Golf Club

Week 2: June 19th-June 22nd at Wildwood Green Golf Club

Week 3: June 26th-June 29th at Wildwood Green Golf Club

Click **Here** to Register & Find Out More

Featuring North Carolina State University coaches and players (current and former), the Wolfpack Golf School is entering its 35th year with the continuing purpose of promoting Junior golf and helping develop the talent of young golfers. An outstanding curriculum of practice, play and fun is planned.

Students will participate in different kinds of competition according to skill level and age with each student completing rotations which cover every phase of the game. The full week of golf will include individual and group instruction, video analysis, course strategy and management, rules, psychology, club fitting and tournament preparation.

An outstanding staff of PGA professionals, college coaches, and college golfers has been assembled. Their expert instruction is matched only by their dedication to junior golf.

Skill Level and Accommodations

All skill levels (beginner, intermediate, and advanced) are welcome at any golf school week. The student's skill level and age are taken into consideration when making groups. The teacher - student ratio is 5:1 which enables the staff to assist students of all skill levels improve their golf fame. We also understand that siblings and friends are in golf school weeks together and every effort is made to accommodate group requests during group instruction time. We expect every student to improve and to have a fun time doing it!

For questions or any other information contact Chip Watson, Director of School Services, at chip@lonniepoolegolfcourse.com

Announcements

No More P.O. Box Address



Starting 1/1/2023 Wildwood Green will no longer be using our P.O. Box. Moving forward, please direct all mail, including dues payments to:

Wildwood Green Golf Club 3000 Ballybunion Way Raleigh, NC 27613

Statements to Your Inbo







Announcements



The last driving range bucket will be sold at the times below and the driving range will open 30 minutes prior to the first tee time. The driving range will have a hard closing 30 minutes after the last bucket is sold. We will follow a rotation between mats and grass, weather, and maintenance dependent. In March and November, there is a time noted before and after the time changes.

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-POT CLEARED, RE-ENTER NOW!



Monthly Events Calendar



