

September 2023 Newsletter

Wildwood Green Golf Club

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Director of Golf — Carter Gerwitz

Dear Members,

August brought with it a turned page at Wildwood Green. Over the coming weeks/months, you will begin to see some new faces around the property including golf shop staff, cart staff, starters/rangers, food & beverage help, an administrative assistant, and more. Please be patient with myself and the new employees as we aim to assemble a staff dedicating to improving and providing world class service at Wildwood Green. Your comments do not go unheard and are always welcome if not encouraged. Understand Rome was not built in a day and change cannot happen overnight. Stay tuned...

The 10% Discount for prepaying 2024 ended on 9/1/2023. For the month of September, we offer a 7% discount for those who missed the original deadline. October-December, we will offer a 5% discount for those looking to prepay.

We are beginning to move towards cooler weather and shorter hours. Beginning September 5th we will be beginning with a 7:30am start for tee times, Tuesday-Sunday. Last bucket will be sold at 6:30pm with a hard shutdown at 7:00pm. As always, we will close two hours earlier on Sundays.

The annual Red vs. Blue WWG Ryder Cup will take place on September 9th & 10th. Signup before this Thursday at 12:00pm. The Fall Member-Member will be held on October 21st and 22nd. Signups will open one month ahead of time and we are limited to 120 participants.

Those of you who have played in our of our many events this Summer, I encourage you to follow this link and fill out a comment card. These comments help us revise and improve tournaments and events in the future and see what the good and the bad is.

[Online Comment Card—Click Here](#)





Superintendent — Rick Durham

Record heat has been the headline for 2023 summer. Our irrigation system has been pushed over the last two months and has performed well. Hot dry weather can expose weaknesses in irrigation coverage, and we have a few areas that we will be addressing. Overall, I am pleased with the improvements that have been made in this area and we will continue to make more progress. As the summer begins to come to an end, we have several agronomic applications planned for the month of September. First will be a fertilizer application that will cover the entire golf course. Second, we will apply a pre-emergent for winter weeds. This application will help prevent weeds from germinating and growing during the Fall, Winter and Spring months. Last all tees will be overseeded with perennial rye grass. Tees were overseeded last year and turned out to be beneficial for traffic over the Winter and Spring months. Projects will start ramping up again as we begin to slow down on daily maintenance. There are plans to renovate more bunkers and expand the size of smaller tees. I would like to thank you for all your comments and suggestions and as always, I can be reached at rdurham@wildwoodgreen.com

Golf Shop Updates

**Summer apparel is
leaving soon! Come
Shop and see what you
can save!**

The Golf Academy at Wildwood Green

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Everyone is looking forward to some cooler weather and perhaps some FOOTBALL!! The juniors are back in school and this is a great time to reflect on your golf game. What can I do better and how can I improve the parts of my game that keep me from scoring better. Maybe evaluate where your equipment needs are. Our Academy of highly experienced PGA Professionals can help you evaluate your game and develop a plan to improve. Companies are bringing out some new equipment and we will be looking to help improve the fitting club selection in the golf shop to help fit all levels of skill, age and strength with variations of shafts in different weights and flex patterns to fit all club speeds of our customers. We will keep you up to date on our progress with this as we look to become the one stop shop for the improvement of your golf game. In the mean time, focus on your short game chipping and putting and we will see you at the club.

Our fall semester of Operation 36 is completely full. There is still time to be on a waiting list if an opening occurs. Our webpage is raleighgolflessons.com and the Operation 36 information is on the Adult and Junior Operation 36 page. This will be the place to watch towards the end of the year for information on our 2024 schedule for Spring, Summer and Fall semesters and how and when to register



Grille Manager — Sunshine Stogner



Happy September!!

Hope everyone had a great summer!! This month we have the Ryder Cup on the 9th and 10th. Boxed lunches will be served both days! We have couples golf on the 17th followed by dinner. On the 19th the ladies of the wildflowers will enjoy lunch after play on the patio. Parents and children play golf on the 24th, and then will have a cookout!

Friday Night Dinners are back!! We start on September 22nd, stay tuned for the menu!

Y'all have been asking about the pavilion and it looks like the projected date that we will be able to move back in, is November 1st. Fingers crossed

So until that time comes, we are limited to the clubhouse, the patio and the lawn. But saying that.. I have booked our last Music on the Green for September 16 5:30-7:30 with a new performer named

Jake Taylor!! So mark those calendars!!

Thanks again for all your support and friendly faces!

As always, my door is open for suggestions and comments! Please see golf shop with complaints :)

SUPERINTENDENTS REVENGE TOURNAMENT

Labor Day!
Monday September 4th
9:00 AM Shotgun
4 Person Scramble – Members Only

2023 WWG Ryder Cup



September 9th & 10th

SEPTEMBER COUPLES GOLF!
3 Clubs & a Putter
Sunday, September 17th
5:00 PM Shotgun

September Parent-Child

Sunday, September 24th
5:00 PM SG



SAVE THE DATE!

Member Accomplishments



Wildwood Green Goes to Ireland!

This past month, a collection of 15+ members & spouses took a vacation to Ireland and enjoyed some Golf on the side. A special shoutout to Rick Beebe for making a birdie on the same hole Rory McIlroy did in the Irish Open!

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

Upcoming Events

[Go Here to View the September Monthly Events Calendar](#)



Hours of Operation

Effective September 5th

<u>Day of the Week</u>	<u>Golf Shop Hours</u>	<u>First Tee Time</u>	<u>Range Hours</u>
Mondays	11:30am - 7:00pm	12:00pm	11:30am – 6:30pm
Tuesday-Saturday	7:00am - 7:00pm	7:30am	7:00am - 6:30pm
Sunday	7:00am - 5:00pm	7:30am	7:00am – 4:30pm

Champions Grille
Mondays: 12:00pm – 6:00pm
Tuesday-Sunday: 9:00am-6:00pm

Upcoming Events

Skins Day!

Saturday, September 2nd



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2023 WWG Ryder Cup



September 9th & 10th

Course **CLOSED** Monday, September 11th



On Monday, September 11th we will have the course **CLOSED** as we will be completing maintenance throughout the entire property. The Practice facility and Champions Grille will be open, limited menu.

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Wildflowers

SEPTEMBER EVENTS:

- September 5: Match Play-pro shop will make pairings
September 7: **Thursday Play, first 8 to sign up**
September 12: Two Best Ball of Foursome-TEAM
September 14: **Wildflowers Thursday Play, first 8 to sign up**
September 19: Member/Member TEAM-pro shop will make
Pairings- LUNCHEON
September 21: **NO WILDFLOWERS PLAY, WW has an Event**
September 26: Trifecta-INDIVIDUAL- Record net score on all
par 4's
September 28: **Wildflowers Thursday Play, first 8 to sign up**

TEAM WINNERS of CHA, CHA, CHA: Susan Dubois, Yueh-Ju Wei, Deb Vaughn
and Mickie Kilpatrick on August 1.



These pretty ladies are happy about their wins during the TRIFECTA: NET, GROSS and PUTTs tournament on August 8. Left to right: Kathy Eaton, Mickie Kilpatrick, Yueh-Ju Wei, Deb Drury and Nancy Barba. Missing is Noreen Fitzmaurice.



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Treas: Margo Madsen

P. Pres: Susan Dubois

Ringers: Donna Selgeon

Birdies: Bonnie Lindstrom

Birthday: Deb Vaughn

Facebook: Beverly Stenzel

Newsletter: Peg Hanna

STARTING TIME:

September: 8:30 am

Don't forget Wildflowers
on Thursdays too start-
ing at 8:30 am.

**HAPPY
LABOR
DAY**

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September Birthdays

Susan Dubois 9/6

Laura Ross 9/16



Joe Mullen, WW Assistant Teaching Professional, played against nine (9) Wildflowers on August 22. He was hot even though the temperature was hotter!. Only one Wildflower, Deb Vaughn, beat Joe with her net handicap. Peg Hanna tried but only tied. We all truly enjoyed Joe's company and play.



Deb Vaughn, Joe Mullen, WW Assistant Teaching Professional, Peg Hanna, Deb Drury, and lunch at the grill with Kay Reilly, President, and Kathy Eaton.



The Birdie juice was flowing on 8-29-23, Carolyn Lyman on # 3 , Kay Reilly on # 8 and Theresa Kazaglis on #11. Many Wildflowers enjoyed their accomplishments!

Team Puts Winners: First: DA McKinley, C. Brennan, T. Kazaglis & C Ouimet (Blind Draw)

Second: S. DuBois, K Reilly , J. Williams and C. Ouimet

Don't forget to enter your scores each week, to keep handicap current.

To sign up for weekly games on Tuesday and/or Thursday, either sign up on bulletin board in Pro Shop or email:

teetimes@wildwoodgreen.com and tell them day, **Wildflowers** league and your name.

Please send your weekly fun photos to Beverly Stenzel: bevgreg@nc.rr.com

Please copy me for monthly newsletter: pahanna49@gmail.com

To have access to the Wildflowers Facebook page;

Announcements

RANGE HOURS

January: 4:30 PM	July: 7:30 PM
February: 5:00 PM	August: 7:00 PM
March: 5:30 PM / 6:00 PM	September: 6:30 PM
April: 6:30 PM	October: 6:00 PM
May: 7:00 PM	November: 5:30 PM / 4:30 PM
June: 7:30 PM	December: 4:30 PM

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.

Statements to Your Inbox



We are now able to email you your monthly statement. If you would like to receive your statement via email, reach out to jeff@wildwoodgreen.com today and let him know!

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!



Acers Club at Wildwood Green

Previous Winner: Matt Weidig (February 2023)

\$5 Entry

Get in Now!

Entire Pot to the Winner!



Monthly Events Calendar



September 2023

EVENT CALENDAR OUT NOW

click anywhere on
this image to view!

9/4

Toughie
Tournament

9/9-9/10

Ryder Cup

9/17

Couples Golf

9/24

Parent-Child
Event

