



# Monthly News Letter

1928 Hygeia Road  
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## ~ May 2014 ~

### New Members:

Jim & Pat McKee	March 30 <sup>th</sup>
Royce Holman	March 31 <sup>st</sup>
Todd & Misty Williamson	March 31 <sup>st</sup>
Chris & Melissa Davis	April 1 <sup>st</sup>
David & Camille Graham	April 15 <sup>th</sup>

**PGA Junior League ~** PGA Junior League Golf (PGA JLG) features a team-vs-team scramble format in a structured league setting that provides for a more popular, less stressful, competition. The emphasis is on the fun, recreation, and sportsmanship of the game for players at any skill level. Every participant gets the chance to play and join our team. The cost for each child to participate is \$150 for the season. If a family has multiple children to register, the price will be reduced by \$25 per child.

### What PGA-JLG Players Receive

- Team Jerseys
- Golf Balls
- PGA-JLG communications
- 5-6 regular season league competitions
- Instructions from *PGA Professional Brent Edmister*
- Team Practices *Two days per week starting May 12th*
- Awards
- Opportunity for All-Star Advancement
- Access to the PGA-JLG Website

This is an introductory level golf league to get children ages 6-13 interested in playing golf and providing them a team atmosphere to develop a love for the game. We are attempting to make this happen at Oak Hills for the first time this year. We need a minimum of 10 players and up to 12 to field a team this season. The first 12 children signed up will have a spot.

The deadline to have all your players registered online is Friday, May 16th. Register players at: <http://www.pgajrleaguegolf.com/parents/>

Tennessee Leagues will run from approximately May 24 – July 19.

**Friday Night Couples ~** Couples Friday night golf moves the starting time to 5:30 on May

16<sup>th</sup>. You need to sign-up by noon on Thursday if you want to be part of the dinner count. Sign-up by stopping by or calling the golf shop.

**Friday Night Dinner by Reservation with New Catering Contractor ~** Lori Anne Wilson's *All About Foods* catering operation is going well! She continues to offer reservations for Friday night Dinner with the Couples Golf Group even if you are not playing with them. You need to book by noon on Thursday if you want to be added to the numbers for Friday night.

### Friday Night Menu for May:

May 2<sup>nd</sup> **Beef or Chicken Soft Tacos**, Refried Beans, Mexican Rice & Desert \$10

May 9<sup>th</sup> **Hamburger or Grilled Chicken Sandwich**, Baked Beans, Potato Salad & Desert \$10

May 16<sup>th</sup> **Chicken salad Sandwich or Club Sandwich**, Pasta Salad, Chips & Cup Cakes \$10

May 23<sup>rd</sup> **Fried Catfish**, Corn on the Cobb, White Beans, Cole Slaw, Hush Puppies & Dessert \$15

May 30<sup>th</sup> **Lasagna**, Zucchini & Summer Squash, Salad, Focaccia Bread & Dessert \$12

\* Please call by **noon on the Thursday** prior for bookings for dinner. (615) 804-9112 or Golf Shop

\* Tea and Lemonade are included with all meals.

\* 9.25% Tax is added to all totals

**Lad & Lassie Couples Tournament ~** This Annual tournament will be held 17& 18 May with 1pm Shotguns each day. The format is a two player (Man & Woman) team playing a scramble over the two days. The teams will be flighted after Saturday's Round.

The Entry Fee is \$140 / Team for non-members and \$120 / team for Members. The Entry Deadline is Wednesday May 14<sup>th</sup>. Entry Fee includes greens fee, prizes, Dinner Saturday after the first round and one mulligan per person per day plus one throw for ladies and one skirt for the men.

**Danny Ramsey Memorial Scramble –** The Annual Scramble will be held this year on Saturday, June 7<sup>th</sup>. There will be an 8:30 Shotgun for the four player teams. Entry Fee is \$200 / team for non-

members and \$160 / team for members. For non-members if you need a cart it is \$12 / player and if you bring your own cart it is \$5 / player trail fee. Members will be normal fees for carts. Registration deadline is Wednesday, June 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Ladies Red Shoe Tournament** ~ Our annual Ladies Red Shoe Tournament will be held Wednesday, June 11<sup>th</sup>. Entry Deadline is June 1<sup>st</sup>.

This has been a great fund raiser for our golf course the last few years with full support of the membership. There are several areas that we need member support, on course spotters during the event, pre-tournament setup personnel, bag loading staff the morning of the event, and other miscellaneous volunteers. Please contact Kay Jones or sign-up in the golf shop if you can help.

We also need help on the Ladies Landscaping committee. Each year prior to this tournament the ladies make a great effort to make the golf course more appealing by cleaning and planting around tee makers and the clubhouse, if you can help in this process please contact Debi Jones.

If you or your company would be interested in sponsoring a hole at \$50 a hole for this tournament please contact Kathy Crabtree. We are looking for at least 18 to 20 sponsors.

Additionally, we are looking for silent auction items for the fund raising part of this event. There is already a five golf lesson series that has been donated. If you have any items to donate please contact Terri Grubbs.

**Note from the General Manager** ~ As I reach the end of another month as your General Manager there are a few things that I need help from the memberships.

Despite my efforts to make the course look better and cleaner I am seeing an increase in trash on the ground throughout the golf course as the traffic picks up. If we could get smokers to refrain from throwing cigarette butts on the ground, *anywhere on the golf course*, and if you see trash blowing across the course you could get it to trash receptacles it would be a great help. We are making an effort to get trash cans emptied more often and everyone's help getting trash in them would be appreciated.

We have received many positive comments for the way the clubhouse has been rearranged to be more user friendly on a day to day basis. It would be very helpful if when you use any of the tables that are set up for you, could be cleaned up and put back as you find them, again this would be very helpful. As you all should be aware we are staffed at a very minimum number of personnel and it is hard to pick up trash and straighten chairs after every group that uses our large meeting room, the room upstairs or the golf shop.

I want to thank all of the members that have stepped up to volunteer with trash collection, golf cart staging every morning and with maintenance projects around the clubhouse. There is so much to be done every day, but with all of the volunteer support I have been able to hold off with adding more staff that we cannot afford at this time. But I am looking at adding a couple part time staff as we move into the month to help in the golf shop and around the clubhouse as I start teaching lessons and coaching PGA Junior League.

Dress Code is one of the things that I was asked to enforce when I accepted this position. It is difficult for me to ask our outside guest to meet our dress code for collared shirt and acceptable pants or short when our membership does not follow the same standards. So with our membership following the rules it will be easier to ask our guest to follow suit.

5-somes and 6-somes are something that the culture here does not seem to want to change. I have asked that groups that end up with 5-somes to please put them in the middle of your group so that outside play that may catch your group will not run into a larger than foursome of members playing.

*Brent D. Edmister, PGA General Manager*

### **Upcoming Calendar of Events**

<b>PGA Junior League Sign-up Deadline</b>	May 13 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Friday Night Couples Moves to 5:30</b>	May 16 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Danny Ramsey Memorial Scramble</b>	June 7 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Lad &amp; Lassie Couples Tournament</b>	May 17 <sup>th</sup> & 18 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Ladies Red Shoe Tournament</b>	June 11 <sup>th</sup>