

# Under the Oak

## Greenwood Country Club

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2010

April and May

**Please Make Reservations - Reservation Line ..... 942 - 8854**

### From the GM - Eli Biggers

I feel certain that spring finds everyone in the country club anxiously waiting for great weather, after having a wet fall and a brutal winter. In fact, this was the hardest winter on record as far as golf course conditions go nationwide. We have endured this economy, along with the harsh conditions, which has driven clubs across the country out of business. Many are now semi-private instead of private. This has taken place regardless of size and exclusivity. Always pushing the top line to increase traffic at the club and membership is very important with the current conditions in the market place. We have a great year ahead of us here at Greenwood Country Club. We are staying competitive with our area clubs.

**Turnhouse hours** are increasing as the weather warms and the days grow longer. This is a touchy subject but please remember **the Cooler Policy**. Some have done their best to get around it. I have lowered beer prices and will now completely enforce this policy. It starts with the pro shop, and then winds up with me. Please let us work with each other on this.

**Saturday lunches** will slowly expand its hours. For instance, hot dogs and chicken fingers will be available until 3pm. We can adjust this if demand increases. This will also be adjusted if we have a mid-day wedding.

Beginning April 3rd, we will have **coffee and breakfast biscuits in the bar** from 7:45 am until 9am every Saturday until the last Saturday of September. The biscuits are only \$1.50 each no matter what type you ask for. A 20-ounce cup of coffee is only \$1.25. Those are the best prices in town.

The chef is **expanding the salad bar on the weekly Sunday Buffet** from here on. We want to have the best country club style salad bar for our members in the state. He and I have discussed how much it is enjoyed by everyone.

**Please welcome our new Assistant Golf Pro, Cooper Tinsley**. Cooper grew up here at this club and is respected by all. He works part time presently and will soon be joining us permanently.

All **tennis courts resurfacing** will be complete in next six weeks.

Please see Cathy about our **new membership drive**. Promote your club & sponsor a new member, it will put cash in your pocket. **Best Regards, Eli**

### Sunday Reservations

There has been an increasing number of walk-ins during Sunday Lunch-ranging from 50 to 80 people without reservations. In order to set the tables and prepare enough food, we need to know how many people will be joining us for lunch.

**Please remember to make your reservations prior to 10am on Sunday, call 942-8854.**

Without a confirmation call, no reservation is guaranteed. If you would like a side room, please call early in the week. They are booked most weeks.

### Reminder: Cancellation Policy

For Dining Events, such as themed dining nights and Sunday Lunch a **cancellation fee of 50% will be charged** (except in cases of inclement weather or unavoidable instances) **Please call 942-8854 is you need to cancel - 24 hour notice.**

*Everyone that came had a great time and good laughs during Comedy Night on March 26th.*



*GCC in a winter wonderland!*

### Membership Director . . . Cathy Stuckey

Spring is HERE and so is a **NEW MEMBERSHIP DRIVE!**

As a "Thank You" for referring new members, we will offer YOU a \$300 Dues Credit for a Full Golf Resident Member and \$150 dues credit for all other categories of membership!

Some of you have expressed an interest in downgrading to Single Golf. If you refer ANY member (not just a Full Golf or another Single Golf), you may downgrade. Do you know anyone that would like to become a Dining Only member? Call them!

**REFER "JUST ONE" NEW MEMBER = A DUES CREDIT!**

Some other good news... **THE POOL OPENS SATURDAY, MAY 29TH!** Also, Fred's swim lessons will begin in June. Stay tuned for his schedule!

SEE MONTHLY CALENDAR FOR COMPLETE LIST OF APRIL AND MAY EVENTS

### Welcome New Members

Mr. & Mrs. Len Grimes  
Mr. Michael Mallia  
Mr. & Mrs. Ellis New  
Mr. Kyle Owings  
Mr. & Mrs. Jack Schwartz  
Dr. & Mrs. Ajai Srinivasan

*Who is your Just One?*



**chefs corner**

Remember to make reservations.

Many events are by reservation only.

**Call 942-8854 to make your reservations**

### Men's 9 Hole Par 3 Tournament

**April 9, 2010 5:00 PM**

**ENTRY FEE \$25** includes round of golf and Bars Set Up on the Course

**FORMAT** - The format for this event will consist of the Cedar Nine set-up with 9 par 3 holes with distances from 120 yards to 40 yards.

**PRIZES** - The Overall Champion, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place finishers will receive pro shop credit with the dollar amount based on the size of the field

**ELIGIBILITY** Open to All Members

### One Day Member/Guest Golf Tournament

**April 24th, 2010 12:00 PM**

**ENTRY FEE \$80** per team

**FORMAT** - One-day team event "Better Ball" Competition consisting of 18 Holes

Each player will play his or her own ball throughout the hole. After completion of the hole, the lower score from the team is selected and counts as their score.

**TEES** **White** (54 & under) **Yellow** (ages 55 - 64) **Blue** (65 & over)

**FLIGHTS** - Flights will consist of approximately 16 to 20 players. The formation of flights will be based on the team handicap. Gross and Net prizes will be available in flights.

**PRIZES** - Payouts determined by the size of the Field.

Overall Gross Champion / Overall Net Champion will receive golf shop credit

First Place Gross / First Place Net will receive golf shop credit

Second place Gross / Second Place Net will receive golf shop credit

**AGENDA** - **Saturday** 18 holes of golf @ 12:00am  
Lunch served preceding golf

**ELIGIBILITY** Open to All Golf Members

### WGA Member - Member Golf Tournament

**May 18th, 2010 9:00 AM**

**ENTRY FEE \$20** per team

**FORMAT** - One-day team event "Better Ball" Competition consisting of 18 Holes

Each player will play her own ball throughout the hole. After completion of the hole, the lower score from the team is selected and counts as their score.

**TEES** Red & Orange Tees Based on age & ability

**PRIZES** - Payouts determined by the size of the Field.

Overall Gross Champion / Overall Net Champion will receive golf shop credit

First Place Gross / First Place Net will receive golf shop credit

### Congratulations to Barbara Peters

on her **HOLE IN ONE** at the 17<sup>th</sup> Hole Continental Country Club  
She has recently recovered from a hip replacement.



# News from the Golf Shop

Ed Carlisle Jr., PGA - Head Golf Professional

As many of you know, Kevin Whitehead Assistant Golf Professional has left Greenwood Country Club to take another Professional position.

**Cooper Tinsley has been hired as our new Assistant Golf Professional.**

He has worked as the Assistant Golf Coach at Lander University the past year. Cooper has grown up at Greenwood Country Club and has been on our staff for the past 3 years and we expect a smooth transition once Kevin is gone.

Stop in the pro shop and welcome Cooper to his new position at GCC.

## Tee Times

Tee-Times can be made @ 8:00 a.m. each day  
Golf Members can make Tee-Times  
13 Days in Advance.

Please check with the golf staff before going on the practice facility or golf course.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

**ALL PLAYERS MUST CHECK IN** to the golf shop **BEFORE STARTING PLAY** on the golf course.

### Please help:

the maintenance staff and your fellow members by fixing your ball marks on the greens.

### Spring hours of operation:

Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 - 6:00  
Saturday & Sunday: 7:30 - 6:00

### Senior Men Play Day

9:30am start Wednesdays

### WGA Play Day

9am start Tuesdays

Golf Clinics

**Junior** Every Saturday  
from 10:00 - 11:00  
Members: Free Guests: \$10.00

**Ladies** Every Saturday  
from 11:00 - 12:00  
Members: Free Guests: \$10.00

**Men's** Every Wednesday  
from 5:00 - 6:00  
Members: Free Guests: \$10.00

You will be notified by e-mail and signage as events are added to the schedule.

Coming Events

**April 1<sup>st</sup>** - FCA Golf Tournament 8:00 & 1:00 Start

**April 9<sup>th</sup>** - 9 Hole Par 3 5:00 Start

**April 15<sup>th</sup>** - Ladies Interclub 9:00 Start

**April 24<sup>th</sup>** - One Day Member Guest 12:00 Start

**April 29<sup>th</sup>** - Senior Golfers of South Carolina 10:00 Start

**April 30<sup>th</sup>** - Senior Golfers of South Carolina 9:30 Start

**May 6<sup>th</sup>** - Burton Center 8:00 & 1:00 Starts

**May 13<sup>th</sup>** - Elliott Davis 1:00 Start

**May 18<sup>th</sup>** - WGA Member-Member 9:00 Start

**May 22<sup>nd</sup>** - Men's Member-Member 12:00

**May 23<sup>rd</sup>** - Men's Member-Member 2:00

### Men's Two Day Member/Member Golf Tournament

**May 22nd & 23rd, 2010**

**Saturday 8:00 AM Sunday 2:00 PM**

**ENTRY FEE \$100** per team

**FORMAT** - Two-day team event "Better Ball" Competition consisting of 36 Holes

Each player will play his or her own ball throughout the hole. After completion of the hole, the lower score from the team is selected and counts as their score.

**TEES** **White** (54 & under) **Yellow** (ages 55 - 64) **Blue** (65 & over)

**FLIGHTS** - Flights will consist of approximately 16 to 20 players. The formation of flights will be based on the team handicap.

Gross and Net prizes will be available in flights.

**PRIZES** - Payouts determined by the size of the Field.

Overall Gross Champion / Overall Net Champion will receive golf shop credit

First Place Gross / First Place Net will receive golf shop credit

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**AGENDA** - **Saturday** 18 holes of golf @ 8:00 a.m. Start

**Sunday** 18 holes of golf @ 2:00 p.m. Start

**ELIGIBILITY** Open to All Golf Members

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# Dining Menus

April & May

FOR A RESERVATION  
CALL 942-8854

Steak & Martini

every Wednesday 5:30 pm - 9:00 pm  
12oz NY Strip \$13.95 and 10oz Grilled Ribeye \$13.95

## April

- 7<sup>th</sup> - Chicken Carbonara Pasta 12.95  
Fried Soft Shell Crab 15.95 Balsamic Glazed Pork 12.95
- 14<sup>th</sup> - Crab Stuffed Flounder 14.95  
Chicken Madeira 13.50 Fennel crusted Salmon 13.50
- 21<sup>st</sup> - Ahi Tuna with pineapple/coconut relish 13.95  
Chicken Mardi Sole 12.95 Tournedos of beef tenderloin 15.95
- 28<sup>th</sup> - Twin crab cakes 15.95  
Chicken Piccata 12.95 Salmon Oscar 13.95

## May

- 5<sup>th</sup> - Grilled Pork with warm fruit compote 13.95  
Teriyaki Salmon 12.95 Chicken Parmesan 12.95  
Cinco De Mayo Fajitas - Beef or Chicken 13.95
- 12<sup>th</sup> - Caramelized Grilled Chicken 13.95  
Crab stuffed Shrimp 13.95 Grilled 6oz filet 15.95
- 19<sup>th</sup> - Grilled chicken with apple cashew butter sauce 12.95  
Stuffed Shrimp 13.95 Fried Flounder Plate 13.95
- 26<sup>th</sup> - Prime Rib 13.95 (cooked based on Reservations)  
Chicken Francaise 12.95 Salmon Florentine 12.95

## Breakfast with the Easter Bunny

Saturday April 3<sup>rd</sup>

Adults: \$10.95 Children (6-12) \$7.95 5 & Under FREE

Buffet: 8:30am  
Bunny Hops in around 9:30am  
Egg Hunt at 10am

Scrambled eggs Bacon and sausage Grits Hashbrown casserole  
Biscuits and gravy Pancakes and waffles with syrup

## Mother's Day Buffet

Sunday, May 9<sup>th</sup>

Adults: \$16.95 Children (6-10): \$8.95 5 & Under FREE  
Seatings: 11am, 12:15pm, & 1:30pm

Full salad bar Fruit display Chicken salad Tuna salad  
Pasta salad Potato salad Three bean salad Waldorf salad  
Cranberry salad Cucumber salad Strawberry salad  
Rolls and sweet potato biscuits  
Green bean casserole Candied sweet potatoes  
Fried squash Stewed okra Turnip greens  
Julienne vegetables California vegetables  
Mashed potatoes and gravy Risi bisi Corn on the cob  
Fried chicken Salmon with dill cream  
Bacon wrapped cordon bleu Top round carving station  
Dessert buffet

## Easter Buffet Sunday, April 4<sup>th</sup>

Adults: \$16.95 Children (6-12): \$8.95 5 & Under FREE  
Seatings: 11am, 12:15pm, & 1:30pm

Full salad bar Chicken salad Tuna salad Ham salad  
Carrot salad Broccoli salad Cauliflower salad  
Ambrosia salad Congealed salad Fruit display Deviled Eggs  
Rolls Green Beans honey glazed carrots  
Spiced apples Fried okra Squash casserole  
Petite peas with pearl onions Roasted red bliss potatoes  
Macaroni and cheese Wild rice pilaf  
Black oak ham Citrus glazed salmon  
Fried chicken Top round and lamb carving station  
Dessert buffet

## Lobster Night Tuesday, May 11<sup>th</sup>

6:30pm - Cocktails  
7pm - Dinner

House salad with choice of dressing  
1 1/4lb Maine Lobster Drawn butter  
Boiled potatoes Corn on the cob Rolls

Reservations  
Required

Please make reservations before May 7<sup>th</sup>

ONLY ordering lobsters for reservations

Also offering a NY Strip for those who do not wish to eat lobster,  
please let us know your preference when you make your reservation.

\$70.00 per couple plus tax and service charge  
First drink is on the house as well.

## Barbershop Quartet

Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>

5:30pm - Cocktails  
6:15pm - Dinner &  
Dessert  
7:15pm - Show

Adults: \$19.95  
Children (6-10) \$15.95  
5 & Under FREE

Tidewater Chicken  
Filet Mignon  
Vegetable Medley  
Basil Dutchess Potato  
Strawberry Shortcake

Reservations Required



## Memorial Day Cookout Monday, May 31<sup>st</sup>

at the Pool

Buffet: 11am - 2pm

Baked Beans Corn on the Cob  
Potato Salad Cole Slaw Pasta Salad  
BBQ Ribs Pulled Barbeque Burgers and Hot Dogs  
All the Condiments Brownies and Assorted Cookies

Adults - \$12.95  
Kids 6-10 - \$7.95  
5 and under - Free

Reservations 942-8854

# TENNIS NEWS

Gary Agardy.  
DIRECTOR OF TENNIS

## ★ LEAGUE INFORMATION ★

Be sure to reserve your court on Sunday afternoons. The Spring League has begun and the ladies play on Sundays any where from 1:30 – 4:30.

The Men's 3.0 and 3.5 Intraclub League began on March 18, 2010. They play every other Thursday at 7:00 pm. Be sure to reserve a court for Thursdays as well as Sundays.

## ★ COURT INFORMATION ★

### Clay Court Information:

There will be a mid-day watering on the upper clay courts every week day from 12:30 – 2:00. You can still use the hydro courts at this time. Please remember to brush your court when you are finish with play if Shop Attendant has left for the evening

### General Court Information:

Hopefully, our court repairs will be completed by April, but with all the wet weather this may not be the case. It is very important for the weather to be in the right conditions to ensure good quality. Please be patient while we resurface our courts here at GCC. If you have questions as to whether or not the courts are playable please see the shop attendant. We are going through major court reconditioning for the Spring.

## Festival of Flowers Junior Tournament

Festival of Flowers Junior Tournament registration begins April 27. Go to [www.usta.com](http://www.usta.com) and use tournament ID 704113110.

**Deadline to sign up is June 22, 2010 by 11:59 pm**

## ★ UPCOMING EVENTS ★

**APRIL** ★

5 – 9: Spring Break (no clinics)  
12: Scooby Doo Clinic Begins  
17: LPD Super Saturday Shootout  
30: LPD Workout

**MAY** ★

1: Parent / Child Event  
15: LPD Super Saturday Workout

## ★ JUNIOR CORNER ★

Greenwood Country Club

## Summer Camps

June 15 – 18

Mixed Sticks

June 21 – 24

tennis & swim

June 28 – July 1

tennis & swim

July 13 – 16

Mixed Sticks

July 19 – 22

tennis & swim

July 27 – 30

Mixed Sticks / Sports Camp

Aug 2 – 5

tennis & swim

Aug 10 – 13

Mixed Sticks



Images from Tennis Boot Camp

## Head Golf Course Superintendent Tony Lambert

What crazy weather for the south. Even though it has been cold and rainy, we still completed the aeration on the greens. We are in the process of applying weed control to the course. It has been difficult to get on the course to make applications due to all the moisture in the soil. I appreciate everyone

that is following the rules for cart paths. Soon we should be returning to the 90 degree rule. Please help us with the ball marks on the greens. If they are repaired when they are made, they will heal very quickly. If they are left, they will not recover for several weeks. We have been cleaning the course of debris and are planning on moving some pine trees from the rough area by #7 coolers to the area between 16 and 17. Thankfully, we have areas like this that can be utilized for the betterment of the course. Hopefully, everything will go smooth and many of the plants will survive the transplanting. Please contact me with any comments and suggestions. I may be reached at 941-7019 or email: [tlambert@greenwoodcountryclub.com](mailto:tlambert@greenwoodcountryclub.com).

Sincerely, Tony

## ...at the Pool

**POOL OPENS  
Saturday, May 29th!**



Also, Fred's swim lessons will begin in June.

Stay tuned for his schedule!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3 <i>Breakfast with the Easter Bunny</i>
4 <b>Easter Buffet</b>	5 <b>Spring Break</b> No Tennis Clinics	6 WGA Play Day 10 AM	7 Senior Men Golfers 9:30 AM <b>Steak &amp; Martini</b> 5:30 PM - 9 PM	8	9 <b>Men's 9 Hole Par 3</b>	10
11 <i>Turkey and Dressing Meatloaf Carved Roast Beef</i>	12 <b>Scooby Doo Clinic Begins</b>	13 WGA Play Day 10 AM	14 Senior Men Golfers 9:30 AM <b>Steak &amp; Martini</b> 5:30 PM - 9 PM	15	16	17 <b>LPD Super Saturday Shootout</b>
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25 <i>BBQ Ribs Seafood Newburg Carved Roast Beef</i>	26	27 WGA Play Day 10 AM	28 Senior Men Golfers 9:30 AM <b>Steak &amp; Martini</b> 5:30 PM - 9 PM	29	30 <b>LPD Workout</b>	1
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16 <i>Openfaced Cordon Bleu Hamburger Steak Carved Roast Beef</i>	17	18 <b>WGA Member-Member</b>	19 Senior Men Golfers 9:30 AM <b>Steak &amp; Martini</b> 5:30 PM - 9 PM	20	21	22 <b>Men's Two Day Member-Member Golf Tournament</b>
23 <b>Men's Two Day Member-Member Golf Tournament</b> <i>Smoked Sausage Pulled BBQ Carved Roast Beef</i>	24	25 WGA Play Day 9 AM	26 Senior Men Golfers 9:30 AM <b>Steak &amp; Martini</b> 5:30 PM - 9 PM	27	28	29 <b>POOL OPENS</b>
30 <i>Teriyaki Salmon Grilled PorkChops Carved Roast Beef</i>	31 <b>Memorial Day Cookout</b>					

Starting April 10th, the Saturday lunch buffet will return; a la carte items will be available as well. The buffet will be located in the main dining room and seating available in the bar and grill room. Menu items and pricing will be available at the buffet.

<b>Club Staff</b>	Gary Agardy, Director of Tennis .....	942-8863	Golf Shop .....	942-8861
	Eli Biggers, General Manager .....	942-8850	Tennis Shop .....	942-8864
	Korrine Biggers, Events Coordinator .....	942-8852	Grill .....	942-8860
	Ed Carlisle, Head Golf Professional .....	942-8862	Back Bar .....	942-8858
	Lacie Lagroon, Newsletter .....	942-8855	Turnhouse .....	942-8871
	Tony Lambert, Head Golf Course Superintendent .....	942-8865	<b>Reservations .....</b>	<b>942-8854</b>
	Mary Rice, Office Manager & Accounting .....	942-8853		
	Cathy Stuckey, Membership Director .....	942-8867		