

Fort Dodge Country Club

News



SEPTEMBER 2009

POOL HOURS: MONDAY-FRIDAY 5:00 – 8:00 / SATURDAY 11:00 – 8:00 / SUNDAY 12:00 – 8:00

POOL RULES

1. The last day the pool will be open is Labor Day. The pool will open if the temperature is 65 degrees or above (according to the Weather Channel) at 10:30 a.m. If not, it will be checked again at 12:00 p.m. and if not it will be checked again at 3:30 p.m. If the temperature hasn't reached 65 degrees by 3:30 p.m. the pool will remain closed for the day. (for Saturday & Sunday)
2. Privileges to members and guests only. Members are responsible for guest conduct. **GUESTS & MEMBERS MUST SIGN IN.** Members may bring guests any day at a cost of \$3 per day.
3. No running or pushing in the pool area.
4. Water games permitted with permission from lifeguard on duty.
5. One diver on the board at a time. Diving must be straight out from the board.
6. No non-swimmers allowed in pool area unless with a parent or responsible adult. Babysitters must be 12 years of age or older and must register with the lifeguards.
7. No glass containers or food allowed in the immediate pool area.
8. Lifeguards have full authority over pool activities, including admission, warnings and expulsions.
9. Children not potty trained must wear "potty proof" swimwear. Diaper changing must be done in the Bath House.



LABOR DAY

Monday, September 7

This is the official end of the summer season. Why not come out, enjoy the pool one more time, play a round of golf and just enjoy yourselves. The Snack Shop will be open to serve you if you're hungry or thirsty.

MARION JOSELYN MEMORIAL SHOOTOUT

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

\$60.00 PER TEAM

- 2 man teams - pick your own partner. You may invite a non-member if his handicap can be verified.
- 9:00 am shotgun start. 2 man best ball format. Full handicap used & low 10 teams qualify for shootout.
- 1:00 lunch & Calcutta.
- 2:00 shootout begins on first tee. Alternate shot format. Team will receive 50% of combined handicap. One team is eliminated each hole.

Entry fee includes lunch. Remainder of proceeds go to the Bill Hird Foundation

Sign up at Pro Shop



SEPTEMBER

DINING ROOM & LOUNGE HOURS

Tuesday – Friday

11:00 am to 2:00 pm
5:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Saturday

11:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Sunday Brunch (when offered)

10:00 am to 1:00 pm

To better serve you and to be labor cost effective we are requesting you make reservations for the dining room for lunch and dinner.

SEPTEMBER FRIDAY NIGHT SPECIALS

4.....Chicken Wellington with Rice & Asparagus

11.....Shrimp Diablo

18.....Filet with Red Wine Demiglaze
Garlic Mashed & Key Largo Vegetables

25.....2 piece fried Orange Roughy
with Broccoli Salad



FDCC BIRTHDAY NIGHT SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2009

Each month we will be inviting our members to dinner on a special "Birthday Night" and treating them to a 25% discount on their dinner and a special birthday dessert. Members who have birthdays in September are: Duane Amhof, David & Diane Bradley, Sandy Bushman, Dianne Cochrane, Joe Cookman, Deann Faiferlick, Hilary Galey, Dave Hanson, Shelly Hartman, Lois Johnson, Jim Bird, Virginia Kelley, Darcy Lee, Patrick Lenane, Mike Ludwig, Jeri Maher, Rick McCarville, Scott McQueen, Dan O'Brion, Ron & Barb Pauly, Lucas Peed, Francisco Peralta, Mike Plagge, Ryan Reeder, Theresa Sell, Andy Shelly, John Taets, Bill Thatcher, Earl Underbrink, Diana Willerth, Curtis Bradshaw, James Kapustka, Michelle Woodruff. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Did we miss your birthday?
Call Sue at 955-8508

A WARM COUNTRY CLUB WELCOME

Nick Carlson, 3010 20th Av. N, Class IVA

EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 2005 THERE WILL BE A 5% LATE FEE FOR ANY AMOUNT DUE PAST 60 DAYS. THE FORT DODGE COUNTRY CLUB BOARD OF DIRECTORS THANKS YOU FOR YOUR TIMELY PAYMENTS

2009 FALL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Tell all your friends! Let the word out!

Pay \$500 and play the course for the rest of the season. Then next spring that same \$500 will be taken off of the dues for the next year. There are no restaurant or assessment responsibilities until May 1, 2010. Drive starts September 1.

<u>GOLF PLAYING TIMES</u>			
	<u>MEN</u>	<u>WOMEN</u>	<u>JUNIORS</u>
MON	ALL DAY	ALL DAY	ALL DAY
TUE	ALL DAY	ALL DAY	ALL DAY
WED	ALL DAY	BEFORE NOON	PRO'S OK
THU	AFTERNOON	ALL DAY	AFTERNOON
FRI	ALL DAY	ALL DAY	PRO'S OK
SAT	ALL DAY	ALL DAY	PRO'S OK
SUN	ALL DAY	ALL DAY	PRO'S OK

DRESS CODE

WOMEN/GIRLS

**SHORTS THAT COVER AT LEAST HALF THE THIGH
NO SPORTS BRAS ALLOWED
NO CUT-OFF SHORTS ALLOWED**

MEN/BOYS

**NO CUT-OFF SHORTS ALLOWED
SHORTS & SHIRTS WITHOUT HOLES ONLY
SHIRTS MUST HAVE SLEEVES**

EVERYONE

SWIMSUITS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON GOLF COURSE



2009 GOLF RECIPROCAL

SPENCER GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB
AMES GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB
LAKE CREEK COUNTRY CLUB/STORM LAKE
CARROLL COUNTRY CLUB
FORT DODGE COUNTRY CLUB
LAKE PANORAMA NATIONAL RESORT
INDIANOLA COUNTRY CLUB
BRIARWOOD COUNTRY CLUB/ANKENY
MASON CITY COUNTRY CLUB

-FOR \$15 A CURRENT MEMBER AT ONE OF THE EIGHT CLUBS ABOVE HAS THE OPPORTUNITY TO RECEIVE RANGE BALLS, A GOLF CART AND 18 HOLES OF GOLF AT ANY OTHER SEVEN CLUBS.

-ANY ACCOMPANYING NON-MEMBER GUEST WILL PAY FULL RATE TO THE RESPECTIVE COURSE FOR RANGE BALLS, CART AND GOLF.

-EACH GOLF SHOP IS RESPONSIBLE AND THE ONLY ONE AUTHORIZED TO TAKE REQUESTS BY THEIR MEMBERS TO MAKE A TEE TIME.

-THE GOLF SHOP IS ALSO RESPONSIBLE TO ACCEPT OR DECLINE A TEE TIME REQUEST BY ANOTHER CLUB.

-NAMES OF THE ENTIRE GROUP NEED TO BE LEFT WITH THE RESPECTIVE GOLF SHOP OF WHO WILL BE PLAYING.

SEPTEMBER GOLF EVENTS

- 1.....High School Boys Invitational/10:00 start
- 2.....Men's Day/12:00 – 7:00
- 3.....Ladies Day/8:00 – 12:00
- 4.....Iowa Air National Guard/9:00 start
- 5.....Class of '79/9:00 start – 24 ppl
- 9.....Men's Day/12:00 – 7:00
- 10.....Ladies Day/8:00 – 12:00
- 10.....Iowa-Iowa State Tourney/12:00 start
- 13...Marion Joselyn Memorial Shootout/9:00 start
- 16.....Men's Day/12:00 – 7:00
- 17.....Ladies Day/8:00 – 12:00
- 20.....ICCC Invitational/12:00 start
- 21.....ICCC Invitational/10:00 start
- 23.....Men's Day/12:00 –7:00
- 24.....Ladies Day/8:00 – 12:00
- 24.....FDSH Meet/3:30 – Front 9
- 30.....Men's Day/12:00 –7:00

This Schedule is accurate as of 9/1/09.
Please call Pro Shop for availability and details.
955-8551

PRO SHOP HOURS

Mon – Fri 8:00 – 6:00

Sat & Sun 7:30 – 6:00

RANGE HOURS

Mon – Fri 8:00 – 6:00

Sat & Sun 7:30 – 6:00

2009 WGA FINAL RESULTS

FIRST PLACE
PERFECT SWINGERS

SECOND PLACE
COSMO GIRLS

THIRD PLACE
DIVOT DIVAS

FOURTH PLACE
UGG

FIFTH PLACE
HAPPY HOOKERS

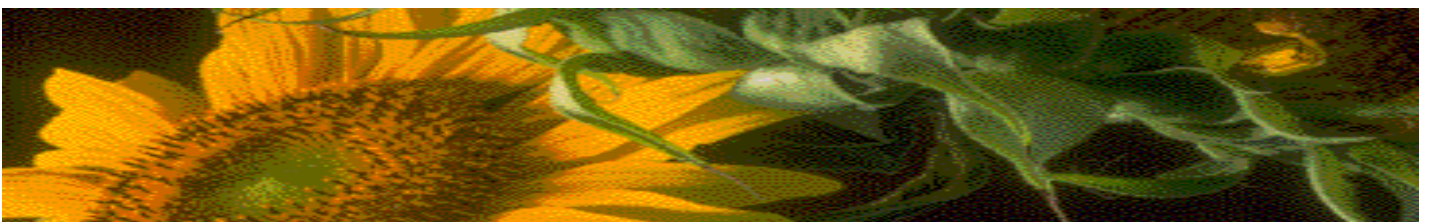
SIXTH PLACE
BACKSIDE BABES

Congratulations ladies on an-
other successful year of
league.



2009 FDCC MEMBER/GUEST WINNERS

Steve Wilkes and guest George Carlson



GOLF COURSE NEWS

The "old timers" tell me not to wish time away, but I am sure glad that this month is wrapping up. It seems like there has been one problem after another. If it wasn't mechanical it was Mother Nature. As I'm sure everybody has noticed, we have been attempting to aerify the golf course. Greens went almost perfectly and should be healed very quickly. We have made two attempts at getting fairways done and have only managed to get the front nine accomplished. I guess the next time I want it to rain I need to schedule an aerification. In the coming weeks we will be attempting to do the backside.

It is hard to believe, but the trees are starting to lose their leaves and the forecasted low in the coming days is 39 degrees. It seems impossible but it sure looks and feels like fall. Fall also signals the start of grub season. As we go through the coming weeks the damage will become more evident. The grub damage will look like areas that are under drought stress. Although the unmistakable grub damage is not even caused by the grub, but instead the raccoons, skunks and opossums that are looking for a snack. The damage that these critters cause are the areas that look like they have been tilled. Although we spend a considerable amount of time and money preventing this problem in our greens, tees and fairways, we do not have the resources to protect the entire golf course. We will clean up the damaged areas and late this fall we will reseed the areas, so the grass will be established and ready for play next spring.

Fall also marks the loss of staff, which makes prioritizing what needs to get done on a daily basis even more critical. Ensuring that all of the mowing gets done is always the highest priority, but getting to the detail work that finishes the golf course becomes a little harder to get to. It is not that we don't see the detail...it's just the simple fact that we no longer have the manpower to get it all done.

Some of the best golfing weather remains and I hope to see you out on the course.

-Mark Siems

FORT DODGE COUNTRY CLUB
BOARD OF DIRECTORS WOULD LIKE TO GIVE A VERY BIG
THANK YOU

TO MARY & DON LARSON FOR ALL THEIR HARD WORK AND DEDICATION TO THE BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS ALL SUMMER LONG



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SEPTEMBER 2009

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3 BUENA VISTA DINNER LADY'S DAY AM	4	5 ST ED CLASS OF 1979
6	7 LABOR DAY	8	9 MEN'S STAG	10 LADY'S DAY AM	11	12 FLANNERY 50TH ANN. OPEN HOUSE
13	14	15	16 MEN'S STAG	17 LADY'S DAY AM	18 NAIFA BREAKFAST MEETING	19 NEDVED/ HICKMAN RECEPTION DINING ROOM CLOSED
20	21	22 FDCC BOARD MEETING 5:30 PM	23 MEN'S STAG	24 LADY'S DAY AM	25 JACOBSON/ FLEMING REHEARSAL DINNER	26 ASSEMBLY DANCE CLUB FDCC BIRTH- DAY NIGHT
27	28	29	30 MEN'S STAG			

President.....Mike Fort
 Vice President.....Dan McGrevey
 Secretary/Treasurer.....Jim Kesterson
 Membership.....Dave Sergeant, Tom Tibbitts, Dave Jones
 Entertainment.....Mike Fort, Jim Kesterson
 Clubhouse.....Mike Willerth, Mike Fort
 Golf Activities/Member/Guest.....Roger Brown
 Restaurant.....Mike Fort, Jim Kesterson

Hird Foundation.....Dan McGrevey
 Greens & Grounds.....Mike Fort
 Pool.....Mike Johnson
 Long Range Planning.....Mike Fort
 Clubhouse.....955-8508
 Pro Shop.....955-8551
 Maintenance.....955-3547
 Pool.....955-8581