

# The Country Club News

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## The MGA Cup 2021

The MGA Cup will continue this month with The PGA Blitz presented by Save-a-Lot. The entry fee is \$30 and you must play with someone else and tee off before 9:00. The sponsors money and \$3 from each entry fee will be added to the year ending prize pot.

Players – Furniture Showplace – March 13

Masters – GW Hunter – April 10

PGA – Save-a-Lot – May 22

US Open – Sandy Kishton, ReMax – June 19

Open – Auto Insurance Depot – July 17

Please remember that you must be a MGA (\$25.00 dues) to win any prize.

**Don't Miss Out!**

## ARC North Florida

The ARC North Florida will hold their Annual Golf Tournament on Friday, May 14th with shotgun un the morning. The \$70 entry fee includes golf, prizes and lunch after the round. This will cause the course to be closed until 2:00 PM. Please call the pro shop at 386-752-2266 to sign up your team today.

## Summer Camps

The Summer Golf and Tennis Camps schedule has been released. Each camp is \$70 for members and \$85 for non-members. Camp is Monday to Friday from 8:00 to 11:00. Please call the pro shop for more information on both camps. Don't let your kids/grandkids miss out on the fun!

### GOLF

- #1 - June 7-11
- #2 - June 21-25
- #3 - July 5-9
- #4 - July 19-23

### TENNIS

- #1 - June 14-18
- #2 - July 12-16
- #3 - July 26-30

## Golfers Please

### TAKE CARE OF YOUR COURSE

- Fix ball marks, yours and others
- Fill in your divots, yours and others
- Rake the sand bunkers
- Drive carts using the 90 degree rule
- Keep carts off tee and green slopes
- Don't drive through wet areas
- Pick up your trash
- Play only the holes you paid for!
- Only ride in cart if you paid for it!

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# On the Course with Doyle

Now that temperatures are remaining warmer on the average, we will begin to push the Bermuda grass a little harder. First, we will begin to substantially increase fertility on select fairways to promote aggressive lateral growth to achieve more adequate turf coverage. These fairways are always difficult to recover until consistent warm temperatures arrive. On holes 1, 2, 9, 11, 12, 13 and 14 please avoid driving in the fairways as much as possible to aid in turf recovery. Second, the second Pre-emergent/Fertilizer application will be made to tees, fairways, and green surrounds. Some of the weeds that we are trying to control are already present due to some plants surviving the cold temperatures and some are just problem areas that have high quantities of seed. Next, we will be treating for mole crickets when we reach peak egg hatch. We will monitor all areas and spraying will begin immediately after the hatch. Finally, we will be aerating greens on May 31<sup>st</sup> and June 1<sup>st</sup>. There is a possibility that we may aerate some greens or at least parts of greens that are having problems. Dry areas on greens become difficult to control this time of year and aerating will help alleviate these problems. The positive of waiting until this time of year is that the aeration holes will heal rather quickly. Thank you for your help and support.

Doyle Worthington Jr.

**May 14 - Arc North Florida**

**May 22 - The PGA Blitz**

**Please Call Ahead for Tee Times**

# Straight from Carl's Desk

We have the ARC North Florida Golf Tournament that will close the golf course until 2:00 PM on Friday, May 14th. We apologize in advance for any inconvenience this might cause you. As always, it is strongly recommended to make a tee time before coming out to play, just because you play every Thursday at 10:00 does not mean that you will be able to play at that time.

We need your help. We are allowed to have two players per cart once again. We know everyone has enjoyed being able to ride in a cart by yourself, but we will require everyone to ride with someone. Unfortunately, the golf course does not like it. Golf carts do more damage to the course than anything else. **If you elect to ride by yourself, you will have to pay the single rider surcharge of \$5. If we see you riding by yourself when you could have rode with someone else, we will charge you the single rider fee of \$5 on your account.** We need to reduce the amount of carts on the course, for gas usage and wear on the carts and the course as well. Thank you for your help, understanding and cooperation.

Please help Doyle out by KEEPING THE CARTS OFF THE FAIRWAYS & GREEN SLOPES as much as possible! Golf cart traffic causes more damage than anything else on a golf course. This is a very important time for the golf course and we need your help! We thank you for your cooperation.

When buying something from the pro shop on your account or Carl Bucks, please make sure the pro shop attendant records it properly. It is real hard for them to remember who it was that made the purchase and what it was they bought. Thank you in advance.

If you ever have an issue with something, please don't hesitate to come and see me. If I am not around, please call my cell phone, 623-2833. I always look forward to talking to all of you. We thank you for your cooperation and support.

General Manager  
Carl Ste-Marie

**June 19 - The US Open Blitz**

**July 17 - The Open Blitz**

**Thank You for Your Continued Support**

# May 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Sunday Blitz	3 GOB	4 Ladies Day	5 Blitz GOB Dinner	6	7 GOB	8 Blitz
9 Sunday Blitz	10 GOB	11 Ladies Day	12 Blitz GOB Dinner	13	14 ARC North Florida	15 Blitz
16 Sunday Blitz	17 GOB	18 Ladies Day	19 Blitz GOB Dinner	20	21 GOB	22 The PGA Blitz
23 Sunday Blitz	24 GOB	25 Ladies Day	26 Blitz GOB Dinner	27	28 GOB	29 Blitz
30 Sunday Blitz	31 Memorial Day Blitz GOB	1 Ladies Day	2 Blitz GOB Dinner	3	4 GOB	5 Blitz

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