

# The Country Club News

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## 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 10-14  
#2 - June 14-28  
#3 - July 8-12  
#4 - July 22-26

### TENNIS

#1 - June 17-21  
#2 - July 15-19  
#3 - July 29-2

## The MGA Cup

PGA – North Florida Glass – May 18  
US Open – Sandy Kishton – June 15  
Open – InsuredbyMAC.com – July 20  
Points will be awarded for each event. The number of spots paid will be 20% of the average players that played per event. Must be paid Member of MGA.

**Please Keep Carts Off  
Fairways & Slopes**

## The PGA Blitz

The PGA Blitz presented by North Florida Glass is scheduled for Saturday, May 18. The entry fee is \$30 plus your cart fee. You must tee off before 9:00 and with someone else that is playing. You pick your pro before you tee off. The format is your blitz points added to your pro. There will be 2 Closest to the Pins - 2 Drawings. Mark your calendars and don't miss out on this wonderful event!

## 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!

## THANK YOU

**Call for a Tee Time**

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# On the Course with Doyle

So far this year the spring transition has been almost perfect. Just enough rain and warm enough temperatures have really got the course off to a great start. Once the morning temperatures rise a little more transition will be just a memory.

There is plenty on the agenda for this month. The mole cricket hatch is anticipated early this month which means our main treatment will be made around the second week of the month. Next it will be time for our second pre-emergent application. This application will be sprayed instead of being applied on herbicide coated fertilizer. This will be more cost effective and will also allow us to increase fertility on areas that need it the most. For example the lake holes require very little fertilizer annually versus other holes such as 2 or 9 which require much higher fertility to maintain adequate turf health.

Finally, to answer the question regarding aerification. Our plan is to do this next month however we may spot aerate to alleviate issues such as dry spots on greens or tees. This will be done with a solid aeration tine which will have very little effect on playability.

Doyle Worthington Jr.

**May 4 - NERA**

**May 9 - Busy Bee**

**May 18 - The PGA Blitz - North Florida Glass**

**May 27 - Memorial Day Blitz**

**June 15 - US Open Blitz - Sandy Kishton, Remax**

# **Straight from Carl's Desk**

We have two outings that will affect tee times this month. We have the NERA on Saturday, May 4th that will close the course until 12:30 and the Busy Bee on Thursday, May 9th that will close the course from 8:00 until 5:00. We apologize in advance for any inconvenience this might cause you.

We are planning on opening the pool before Memorial Day weekend. A lot has to take place for this to happen. Please be patient with us as we go through this process. Please check with the pro shop for pool updates. And please remember that the pool is for members only. You will be asked to show a photo ID, this is to assure that only members are using the pool. Pool memberships are available for non-members.

If you plan on playing golf, please call ahead for a tee time. Just because you play every Thursday at 10:00 does not mean that you will be able to play at that time.

Thank you for helping Doyle out by **KEEPING THE CARTS OFF THE FAIRWAYS & GREEN SLOPES** as much as possible! Please keep up the good work. Golf cart traffic causes more damage than anything else on a golf course. Please fix the ball marks on the greens, yours and others, and please fill in all the divots with sand. 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

**Please Call Ahead for Tee Times**

**Thank You for Your Continued Support**

# May 2019

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

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AT LAKE CITY

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**presented by NF Glass**  
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