

THE TANYARD TIMES

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EDITOR'S DESK

Sorry for jumping the gun on the Directory. It seems our phones were ringing off the hook with requests. I didn't expect this to be such a hot item. Unfortunately, the whole printing process took longer than I thought it would. Well folks, to quote the little girl in *Poltergeist*, "THEY'RE HERE". The next time you're at the Club just ask for one. If you would like one mailed to you, please e-mail tanyardcc@aol.com or cffaller@aol.com. Your account will be charged \$2 for this service. I'm sure there will be some errors. Directories are living things and as such are in a constant state of change. Please e-mail corrections to cffaller@aol.com. In a month or two your monthly statement will include a list of updated Directory entries. That's the best I can do. Again, thank you all for your cooperation.

I could also use everyone's help in choosing the Member of the Month. I don't know everything that's going on at the Club, or who's contributing quietly behind the scenes to various Club functions or events. If you know of any member you feel deserves this recognition, e-mail me at cffaller@aol.com. Please include a short summary of their contributions to the Club.

MEMBER OF THE MONTH

The Members of the Month are Tina and Clif Draper. Their enthusiasm is catching; just ask their Friday night dance group. Now they're organizing fun-n-games in the Tavern. What's next? You'll have to stop by some Friday night to see. Thanks to you both and keep that energy coming.

Team Trivia -Saturday, March 7th

Saturday night Team Trivia was so successful, we have planned an additional one on Saturday, March 7th at 6:30. We plan to start around 6:45, so you will have plenty of time to order before dinner. Our space is limited and although Jason and his crew were real miracle workers, I'm not sure that we can handle many more than the 52 who attended in January. Thank you in advance for making your reservations by Friday, March 6th. That allows the staff time to arrange and set all the tables. As always, it costs \$1/person, and the house committee will be selling fifty/fifty tickets.

THANK YOU

As Chairman of the Christmas Decorating Committee of the Tanyard Country Club I wish to thank the following for helping to take down the decorations on Jan. 5, 2009; Sharon Brown, Kathy Poole, Juanita Bell, Judith Fleming, Sally Goodwin, Janet Lundberg, Chris Shultis, Ann Burtle, Betty Phillips, George Phillips, and Nancy Kuranda. Lunch was enjoyed by all who were able to attend. Never let a reason go by for going out to eat.

The Club was beautiful during the Christmas Holidays. I really appreciate your efforts in packing up the decorations during take down.

Please mark your calendars: The Monday after Thanksgiving is Christmas Decoration Day at Tanyard. The Monday after New Years Day is the day for taking down the decorations. All persons are welcome and their efforts appreciated. Every one who enjoys the Club during the Holidays appreciates its beauty.

Thank you ever so much,

Irene Hart

Golf Newsletter
February 2009

The first scheduled tournament of the year, The Valentine Tournament, will be held on February 8 at 1:30 p.m. This 9-hole event is always a lot of fun to play in and has a top prize of "Champagne Sunday Brunch for Two". Don't forget to mark your calendars. If you would like to join us and have a great time, please call the pro shop to sign up.

I'm sure some of you, maybe all of you, have heard of the Golfer's Creed, but I would like to take the time to introduce the Golfer's Creed to you. By adopting and following the **Golfer's Creed**, your round of golf and the round of golf for those who follow will be greatly enhanced. A failure to follow the **Golfer's Creed** will diminish your golf experience and the experience of others.

Golfer's Creed

As a golfer, I will RESPECT and be good to the game of golf:

Responsibility -- *I will follow the rules of the golf course and take responsibility for all of my actions on the course, including the safe operation of a golf cart and the responsible consumption of alcoholic beverages.*

Etiquette -- *I will abide by the rules of etiquette, awaiting the proper time to hit, refraining from foul language and boisterous behavior, and generally conducting myself as a lady or gentleman on the course.*

Sensitivity -- *I will be sensitive to the environment and the course where I play and to those who maintain and manage it.*

Pace -- *I will keep up with the group ahead and maintain an appropriate pace of play.*

Educate -- *I will do my best to educate other golfers on the principles of this creed, by sharing it and living up to it at every opportunity.*

Conditions -- *I will strive to leave the course in better condition than I find it, by fixing my ball marks, (and those of others), replacing my divots, raking bunkers, and properly disposing of trash.*

Traditions -- *I will embrace the rules and traditions of this ancient and honorable game and respect my fellow golfers and the courses we are privileged to play.*

Golfers Creed by David Robertson Forgan.

"Golf is a science, the study of a lifetime, in which you may exhaust yourself but never your subject.

It is a contest, a duel or a melee, calling for courage, skill, strategy and self-control.

It is a test of temper, a trial of honor, a revealer of character.

It affords a chance to play the man, and act the gentleman.

It means going into God's out of doors, getting close to nature, a fresh air exercise, a sweeping away of the mental cobwebs, genuine recreation of the tired tissues.

It is a cure for care – an antidote to worry.

It includes companionship with friends, social intercourse, opportunity for courtesy, kindness and generosity to an opponent.

It promotes not only physical health but moral force."

David Forgan was born in St. Andrews, Scotland, in 1862

By now everyone should have received the 2009 tournament schedule by e-mail. If you don't have a copy and would like one, please stop by the pro shop to pick up your copy.

I'm looking forward to the 2009 season! I hope you are too!

Kevin-

KNITWITS WIN TRIVIA

Over 50 members took part in our latest Team Trivia Challenge. This increasingly popular event was again hosted by Quiz Masters Chris and Don Shultis. Finishing first was the Knitwits, comprised of Lois and Tom Garrett, Sarah and Don Enloe, Tina and Clif Draper and Judy and Bob Mullins. Join us Saturday, March 7th at 6:30 for our next "Brain Battle". Make reservations early, seating is limited.

MAH JONG AT TANYARD

Every second and fourth Friday morning of the month, a small group gets together at the Club to play this ancient Chinese game. Its fun, fast-paced and you could win up to a whopping fifty cents!

Do you play? Would you like to learn? Come join us. Give Janet Fullerton a call at 872-2522. We hope to have classes for beginners (and those who would like a refresher course) starting this spring.

DATE	TOURNAMENT / EVENT
8-Feb	Valentine Couples
7-Mar	Saturday Twilight (9-holes)
14-Mar	St. Patrick's Day (9-holes)
29-Mar	Member-Member Spring 2-person
30-Mar	Aerify Front 9-Holes
31-Mar	Aerify Back 9-holes
18-Apr	Hook-A-Kid on Golf
19-Apr	Twilgit Kickoff (18-holes)
24-Apr	Friday Twilight Begins
25-Apr	Lion's Club
27-Apr	Match Play Sign-Up Deadline
2-May	Match Play Begins - 1st Round
3-May	Member-Member Summer 2-person
16-May	Match Play - 2nd Round
23-May	L.C.H.S. Football
30-May	Match Play - 3rd Round
12-Jun	Rappahannock Electric
13-Jun	Match Play - 4th Round
15-19 Jun	Junior Clinics
26-Jun	Member-Guest Practice Rounds
27-Jun	Member-Guest 1st Round
28-Jun	Member-Guest 2nd Round
3-5 Jul	Flag Tournament
25-Jul	Gold Mine Hunt Club
10-Aug	K-9 Shootout
4-Sep	Chamber of Commerce
12-Sep	Club Championships - 1st Round
13-Sep	Club Championships - 2nd Round
21-Sep	Aerify Front 9-Holes
22-Sep	Aerify Back 9-holes
2-Oct	Final Friday Twilight
4-Oct	Final Twilight (18-holes)
9-Oct	Night Golf
10-Oct	Belmont Ruritan
12-Oct	Columbus Day
13-Oct	Youth Tournament
17-Oct	C.V.A.G.
18-Oct	Member-Member Fall 2-Person
19-Oct	Helping Hands
25-Oct	VA Community Bank
1-Nov	Louisa Boys Football

TANYARD BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Pat Hanley, President, Scott Dixon, Vice-President, Hank Philcox, Treasurer, Chuck Faller, Secretary, Greg Crum, Ann Burtle, John Lundberg, Don Enloe, Brad Kirley, Rick Meyer, David Kronander, Sally Goodwin, Ken Pool, Nancy Kuranda and Ray Venator.

JASON'S MENU

As I write this in the middle of January, I am pleased to say that the clubhouse is still very active. Thanks go to the Drapers for stepping up to make Friday nights something to look forward to, even in the cold months, and to our house committee for adding a Trivia Night to our calendar that was the most highly attended ever. Add in Steak & Lobster Night and the always enjoyable Wine Dinner, and it has turned out to be a pretty great month. We did a little catering for people that we haven't before and that's a welcome way to start the New Year.

And now, looking to the future, I believe that you will not let the winter doldrums hit the club with the great Event Calendar that we have planned. It begins with the Draper's hosting an evening of dance and great atmosphere on the 6th and again on the 20th - they're not willing to let the winter freeze our spirits. We will be closing the clubhouse on Feb. 7th to host a wedding - sorry for any inconvenience. But the following weekend will be a celebration of love as we serve up a Valentine's Dinner for you and your special someone on the 14th. The 21st once again will bring a buffet of those succulent Crab Legs with all the sides you've enjoyed in the past. I really am hoping that the members will come out for this dinner as it has been suffering in attendance and I really would prefer that it not disappear from our Calendar. On the 28th we will host a Mardi Gras Dinner, complete with beads, crawfish, king's cake, dirty rice and all that you could expect to enjoy for a Louisa, oops I'm sorry, a Louisiana Dinner.

Pretty wonderful things are happening in the clubhouse and they are no doubt going to continue. Mark 20 your calendars and make your reservations. Be a part of what you are a member

THANKS

Tanyard would like to thank Robin and Fred Fitzsimmons for engraving the latest Champions names on the Golf plaques that hang in the Tavern. All Tanyard golfers thank you for your generous gift.

Wines & Vines

While it is too early to say how the Wine Dinner turned out, I have no doubt that our members made it a memorable evening. Contrary to popular opinion, the food that comes from our kitchen and the wine that is served is not what makes these evenings so great. It is the atmosphere that comes from you and your fellow members. Although I stress out myself and my staff to make everything as good as it can be, somehow we take great pleasure throughout the evening, especially after the last course has been served. You make all of it worth the effort when I see all the happy faces throughout dinner and at the end when I have the pleasure of speaking to you on a more personal level. Something tells me that things are going right when the reservation book fills up so quickly, especially now that some of you actually want to sit on the second floor.

Friday Night Social:

February 6th - Chicken Wings

February 13th - Quesadillas

February 20th - Popcorn
Chicken

February 27th - Meatballs

Coming Events:

Friday, February 6th – Dancing with the Drapers

There at it again! Socializing, dancing and having an all around good time! And at the same time getting a few bucks in the coffers for the new pro shop.

Saturday, February 7th – Sorry! Clubhouse Closed to Host a Private Event

Saturday, February 14th – Valentine’s Day Celebration

The menu will feature Filets, Lobster Tails, Rack of Lamb & Roast Duck for Entrees and several appetizers, soups and desserts to round out the menu for a special evening.

Friday, February 20th – The Drapers are at it again!

More Dancing and Good times

Saturday, February 21st – “All You Care to Eat” Crab Feast

Alaskan Crab Legs, Hushpuppies, Corn on the Cob, Baked Potatoes & Cole Slaw & Plenty of it! 1 pound platters, steaks and children’s menu will also be available for those of you with lighter appetites.

Saturday, February 28th – Mardi Gras Dinner

Dinner will be Served Family Style with more than enough great New Orleans Food to go around. Featuring Crawfish, Jambalaya, Gumbo, Dirty Rice and of course a King’s Cake for dessert. Seatings will be at 5:30 and 7:30 so make reservations early and we hope to celebrate with as many of you as we can handle.

On a closing note, I once again want to thank the special members of my staff who stepped up during a trying time with my son’s surgery. These folks have proven that they are not only employees of the club, but when necessary, they are the heart of the clubhouse, they will put their personal interests aside and make sure that everything runs as it should. Danny is doing exceptionally well and has already recovered to where he is better than we could have anticipated. A big Thank You to all that have been so concerned about him.

<u>CLUB ACTIVITY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>CONTACT</u>	<u>PHONE #</u>
Duplicate Bridge	1st Thursday night each month	TOM GARRET	540-832-2872
Duplicate Bridge	4th Thursday night each month	BILL JOHNSON	540-894-5057
Party Bridge	2nd Thursday night each month	LAURA ARMAN	540-894-4119
Party Bridge	Wednesdays 9:30 - 3:30	SHARON BROWN	540-894-8236
Party Bridge	Thursdays 10:00 - 3:00	ANN BURTLE	540-894-9031
Game Night	3rd Thursday night	CHRIS SHULTIS	540-872-2496
Ladies Golf Assoc.	Tuesday mornings	JUDY SEATON	540-894-0853
Men's Golf	Tuesday walkers	JERRY AIELLO	540-672-5167
Men's Golf	Wednesday mornings	JIM BLEEKER	804-448-1930
Men's Golf	Friday mornings	PRO SHOP	540-967-1889
Tennis		HANK PHILCOX	540-854-9020
Golf Committee 2nd	Tuesday 6 PM each month	KEN POOL	540-967-2470
House Committee	1st Thursday 3PM each month	LYNNE KENDALL	540-894-0698
		CHRIS SHULTIS	540-872-2496

COMING EVENTS

February 5	House Committee 3:00 pm
February 5	Duplicate Bridge 7:00 pm
February 6	Dancing w/ Drapers 7:30 pm
February 7	Club Closed
February 8	Valentines Couples Golf Tournament
February 10	Golf Committee 6:00 pm
February 11	Board of Directors Meeting 7:00 pm
February 12	Duplicate Bridge 7:00 pm
February 14	Valentines Day Dinner
February 19	Party Bridge 7:00 pm
February 20	Dancing w/Drapers 7:30 pm
February 21	Crab Feast
February 26	Duplicate Bridge
February 28	Mardi Gras Celebration
March 3	House Committee 3:00 pm
March 5	Duplicate Bridge 7:00 pm
March 7	Team Trivia 6:45 pm
March 7	Twilight Golf 9-holes 2:00 pm
March 10	Golf Committee 6:00 pm
March 11	Board of Directors Meeting 7:00 pm
March 12	Duplicate Bridge 7:00 pm
March 14	St. Patrick's Day Dinner
March 14	St. Patty's Day Golf Tournament 9-holes 3:00 pm
March 19	Party Bridge 7:00 pm
March 21	Wine Dinner
March 26	Duplicate Bridge 7:00 pm
March 28	Crab Feast
March 29	Member/Member Golf Tournament
April 2	House Committee 3:00 pm
April 2	Duplicate Bridge 7:00 pm
April 8	Board of Directors Meeting 7:00 pm
April 9	Duplicate Bridge 7:00 pm
April 14	Golf Committee 6:00 pm
April 16	Party Bridge
April 18	Hook-A-Kid Golf Tournament
April 19	Twilight Kick-off 18-holes 1:00 pm
April 23	Duplicate Bridge 7:00 pm
April 24	Twilight Begins
April 25	Lions Golf Tournament
April 30	Duplicate Bridge

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

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SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY	
1	BRUNCH 10 AM - 2PM	2	CLUBHOUSE CLOSED	3	LUNCH ONLY 11:00 AM TO 3:00 PM	4	MEN'S GOLF 10:00 AM LADIES BRIDGE 9:30 AM LUNCH 11 AM to 3 PM DINNER 5:30 PM	5	BRIDGE 10 AM LUNCH 11 AM to 3 PM HOUSE COMMITTEE 3:00 PM DINNER 5:30 PM PRIME RIB SPCL DUPLICATE BRIDGE 7:00 PM	6	LUNCH 11 AM to 3 PM FRIDAY NIGHT SOCIAL 5:00 PM DANCING W/ THE DRAPERS DINNER 5:30 PM	7	CLUBHOUSE CLOSED
8	BRUNCH 10 AM - 2 PM VALENTINE'S DAY COUPLES GOLF TOURNAMENT	9	CLUBHOUSE CLOSED	10	LUNCH ONLY 11:00 AM TO 3:00 PM GOLF COMMITTEE 6:00 P.M.	11	MEN'S GOLF 10:00 AM LADIES BRIDGE 9:30 AM LUNCH 11AM to 3PM DINNER 5:30 PM BOD MTG 7:00 PM	12	BRIDGE 10 AM LUNCH 11 AM to 3 PM DINNER 5:30 PM PRIME RIB SPCL DUPLICATE BRIDGE 7:00 PM	13	LUNCH 11 AM to 3 PM FRIDAY NIGHT SOCIAL 5:00 PM TAVERN GAMES DINNER 5:30 PM	14	VALENTINE'S DAY DINNER 5:30 PM
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RESTAURANT

LUNCH-TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 11:00am-3:00pm
 DINNER-WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY 5:30pm-8:00pm
 FRIDAY and SATURDAY 5:30pm-8:00pm
 SUNDAY BRUNCH 10:00am-2:00pm

TAVERN

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
 5:00pm-8:00pm
 FRIDAY 5:00pm-9:00pm
 SATURDAY 5:00pm-9:00pm

GOLF COURSE and PRO-SHOP

The Course is open every day, good weather
 permitting.
 PLEASE CALL THE PRO SHOP FOR TEE TIMES
 AVAILABILITY.