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High Meadows "Hummer"

Roaring Gap, NC

July 2016

A Word From The President

June has been a very busy month. We have held several tournaments that have had great participation; the LGA Invitational, Alleghany J.A.M. Tournament and the Men's Member Guest. They were all quite successful and Mark and the staff have worked very hard to put them together. These tournaments were a great way to showcase our club to potential members. Many of the golfers raved about the course, meals and organization. Thanks to all who participated in the events. I want to share with you what Deborah Sherrill, Advisory Board Chair of Alleghany J.A.M. had to say about our club:

"I wanted to thank Mark, Todd and the rest of the staff at High Meadows for hosting the Alleghany J.A.M. Golf Tournament. Your professional and friendly service made everything run smoothly and helped us to have one of our most successful events ever."

We are very fortunate to have Mark Updike as our General Manager. Although there is no question that we have the most outstanding staff in any golfing community, it takes a very special person to have the staff working as a team for the benefit of all our members. Mark continues to strengthen our departments and teams as the opportunities are presented to him.

Mark and our staff work extremely hard on all of these events and spend many extra hours to plan and facilitate their success. We should be proud of our club and our staff. Please let them know you appreciate their service when you see them.

As always it is critical for us to continue to establish new memberships. Please take every opportunity to help our club in that regard by showcasing it to your friends.

At the rate things are going this should be a very successful year for our club. Make sure you come out and join in the activities!

All the best,
Brad

Welcome New Members

Frank & Tammy LaPrade - Golf Members
From Washington, DC

David & Tammy Caldwell - Social Members
From Roaring Gap, NC

General Managers Message

This summer at HMG&CC, July is cool! If you have dunked your toes in the pool you know that this year the pool is the cool place to be even with the water temp around 80.

July is Hot for fun! Have you signed up for all the stuff going on the rest of this summer? Ladies Member-Guest, The 47th Annual Hummingbird Classic Member-Guest event with Social Only tickets available for Saturday night's dinner and dance, Pro Am and the Club Championship. Please check out the calendar in your directory for all of our club events!

Our singer-songwriter series, **FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE**, continues on the 2nd Friday of each month, on July 8 we welcome David Parsons back! Thirsty Thursday has started with a bang so come join us every Thursday from 5:00 till 8:00 in the main bar for some great food, fun and discounted drinks with your friends! On Wednesday, July 13, dinner service will be in the Grille to allow our Ladies to have the main dining room & bar for Ladies' Member-Guest event "Ladies' Night Out". Nicole will have a special menu just for the guys and other members. Saturday July 23, after the membership meeting, join us for New Members Mingle; there will be free hors d' oeuvres from 5:00 till 6:30 to welcome everyone new or returning in 2015 & 2016. Thanks to Tim, along with support from Todd & Sam for putting together Kids Week, July 18 through 22. We know they have planned another great event this summer! We have so much going on please check out the calendar on the back of this Hummer to see all that your club is doing! It is time to party!

We moved the Membership Meeting to Saturday July 23, 2016 at 3:00 in the Great Room. We need your help to move the club forward and appreciate your opinions. The more you know about your club and its operation the better we can present our club to the world. It's through years of dedicated members leading and directing the club that the club is in a positive position; now is the time to get more involved. Come and ask the questions you have been thinking about for years or just thank the current Board of Directors, committee members and staff that have been working so hard for you again this year!

See you around the club
Mark

Pros Corner

We are now in the peak season and the golf course is in excellent condition! We have had some great events this year and some more exciting tournaments approaching. Ladies Member-Guest, Ryder Cup, Member-Guest and our Club Championships are fast approaching and hope you mark your calendars to join us! Help support your club by being an active member. Please let the golf shop know if we can assist with your experience at the club in anyway!

TIP OF THE MONTH! SHORT GAME

If you were to watch a professional golfer during a practice session, it would look much different than that of most amateurs. They spend 75% of their time practicing shots 120 yards or less! Why? Because in an average round 65% of their shots are taken within that yardage range and they understand that tournaments are won and lost with the short game. **Hint: Stop pounding drivers on the range and focus on your short game, it will yield results.**

Just get the ball on the green (preferably in the middle). Don't worry about the position of the pin. The probability of an amateur two-putting is much, much higher than getting up and down from off the green. More so, the likelihood of one-putting is even higher than chipping in! This strategy is a shot to the ego, but it will turn three or four bogeys into pars, or double bogeys into bogeys. Now that is some savings!

GOLF COURSE REMINDER:

- A. **Driving Range** - Closes each Monday and Thursday at 4:30 for clean pick. (Maintenance to mow)
- B. **Cart Policies** - The maintenance staff works extremely hard to keep the golf course in excellent shape and we need to do our part to help! Please keep carts 30 feet from all tees and greens as well as being observant of wet or damp areas.
- C. **Inclement Weather** - On occasion we have to restrict carts to the paths. These policies are in effect for all, including users of our handicap flag policy. Please check in the golf shop for daily policies.

Thank you,
The Golf Shop Staff!



SAVE THE DATES!!

September 26—27, 2016

2016 Roaring Gap Mountain Golf Classic

Sponsored by: Cherry Lane Volunteer Fire Department & Medical Responder, Inc. (CLVFD) & Auxiliary

We have confirmed the 2016 tournament dates and hope you will plan to join us for two days in the mountains this fall.

Format will be 4-person teams (mixed men and women teams welcome) Texas Scramble format. Texas Scramble uses the best drive of the foursome, after which each player plays his/her own ball through the hole.

Date & Sites:

- ◆ Monday, Sept. 26, 2016 at Roaring Gap Club
8:30am & 1:00pm Shotguns,
- ◆ Monday, Sept. 26, 2016 at Olde Beau Country Club
7:00 pm Dinner,
- ◆ Tuesday, Sept 27, 2016 at High Meadows Country Club
8:30 am and 1:00 pm Shotguns

Rain Dates:

- ◆ Monday, October 3, 2016 & Tuesday, October 4, 2016
Same times & sites.

Format:

- ◆ Four Person Teams, Texas Scramble, No Handicap
- ◆ Men, Women, Mixed Teams all permissible
- ◆ Teams flighted after first day of play
- ◆ Cash prizes awarded by flights

Entry Fees: \$200 Per Player includes:

- ◆ 2 Rounds of Golf with Cart
- ◆ Lunch each day,
- ◆ Dinner on Monday
- ◆ Additional Dinner Guests welcome at \$30 per ticket.



Sponsorships Available

Sponsor signage displayed prominently each day

Registration forms will be available in August.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: September 18, 2016

Member Mingle

July 23, 2016 from 5:00 - 6:30

Come by, nibble on passed
Hors d'oeuvres, buy yourself a drink,
& mingle with fellow members
old & new!

"Make New Friends but Keep the Old"

Make reservations to stay for dinner,
maybe invite a new friend to
join you and some old friends!

Ladies News & Notes

We hope that your summer and your golf are going well. We have had some exciting events thus far and our signature Ladies Member Guest event is coming up on Thursday, July 14. We hope that by now you have signed up, but if not we would love to have you. If you are interested in playing but do not have a guest, there are several members who know gals who would love to play and pay their own way. Let Teresa Braswell, Cathy Williams, Cindy Lee Middleton, or myself know and we will put you in touch.

We promise an exciting event as the Olympics Comes to High Meadows! Please consider joining in.

Coming up in August:

1. Thur., Aug.11 Presidents Cup
2. Thur., Aug.11 – Sat, Aug. 13 Artisan's Day

Watch for upcoming flyers on Artisan's Day!

We welcome anyone who would still like to join the LGA either as a golfing member or social. Contact Donna in the office or Janet Knott.

Janet Knott, Dian Ramey, Peggy Cooper, Cindy Lee Middleton

LIVE from

**High Meadows Golf & Country Club
It's FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE!**

**Featuring: David Parsons on
Friday, July 8th from 6:00 to 9:00**

**Stay tuned for names of artists for
The 2nd Friday of each month
through the month of September!**

2016

HIGH MEADOWS COUNTRY CLUB PRO AM

Benefitting:

The Alleghany County Community Foundation

It is the time of year when we start the "Hole Sponsorship" drive for our annual HMCC Pro Am. The tournament itself is scheduled for Friday, August 26th. The High Meadows membership has made this tournament a tremendous success over the past three years through its generosity as hole sponsors for this tournament.

In just three years, through this initiative, High Meadows has become the single largest financial contributor to the Alleghany County Community Foundation. We have a wonderful tournament scheduled again this year and hope to keep the momentum going for such a wonderful cause. As in the past, all the net proceeds from this tournament STAYS in Alleghany County through our contributions to the Foundation. Some of the areas that the money is being used are: Foster Grandparents and senior companion programs, in-school tutoring, rural delivery of the Solid Rock Food Pantry, star pupils, Blue Ridge Read, emergency assistance programs, and many more worthy causes.

You should have received a call from a member of the tournament committee soliciting your help, please consider sponsoring a hole during the Pro Am to support the Foundation.

Thank you so much for what you have done during the last three years, and let's make 2016 the best and most successful year yet!

Thank you,
2016 Pro Am Committee

House Committee Update

The season is in full swing and the dining numbers confirm! Come join us in the dining room for a lovely meal while enjoying the spectacular evening sky. The addition of draperies has enhanced and framed our windows while helping to buffer the sounds of friendship and laughter. Please keep in mind that in order to maximize the view and sense of openness, the draperies in the Dogwood room (primary dining room) are designed as stationary panels and only the window shades should be used to control the sunlight. The wait staff will be happy to handle that for you. The Redbud room is dressed with full blackout lined draperies that can be drawn to accommodate slide show or power point presentations.

Come join your friends and make some new ones, the time is now!

May Dining Numbers				June Dining Numbers				
Sun	Wed	Fri	Sat	Sun	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
X	22	48	56	X	41	X	62	90
81	41	95	39	X	48	X	59	54
X	21	96	21	X	61	20	76	48
X	70	88	45	6	44	60	77	46
723				X	43	73		
				908				

Sally Earnhardt
House Committee

Angela's Libations

Thirsty Thursday's is a good time to enjoy a cocktail or two and some quality time with friends.

So Get Up!

Get off that couch!

Let's make this summer one that counts!

FEATURES

Mojitos

Strawberry Margaritas

Hummingbird Martinis

Assana Chardonnay

Pony Coronas

Pony Bud Light

**Your Bar Manager,
Angela**

*Have you mailed in your
Tournament Reservation Card?*

Join The Fun!



*47th Annual
Hummingbird Classic
Member-Guest*

We are planning a fabulous event
for you and your guests!

Get your reservations in early.
Field is limited to 144

August 4th - Practice Round & Sliders & Dogs
August 5th - Round One & Cocktail Party
August 6th - Round Two & Dinner Dance

Music by: Continental Divide

August 7th - Rain Date

Out & About - Local Happenings

ALLEGHANY COUNTY

Music on Main - Friday - Aug. 5, Sept. 2, Oct. 7. 5pm until.
Open to the public. Merchants will be open late. Special sales. A variety of music from Jazz to Classic Rock, from Mountain Music to 60s oldies in several downtown locations .

Art in the Barn - July 1, 3 & 4 - 10:00am to 4:00pm -
Open to the public. Paintings, metal, clay and wool. Sculpture, jewelry, pottery, mixed media, clothing and more. www.artinthebarn.us
Motsinger Farm; 147 Camp Butler Road; Roaring Gap

Crouse House Pickers - Mondays, 6pm - Open to the public
Local musicians perform live bluegrass and old time mountain music in an informal setting.
Crouse Park; 60 Cherry Street; Sparta; 372-5473

Mountain Soul Concert featuring Carrie Newcomer
Friday - July 8 - 6:30 - Open to the public. Donations accepted.
Christ Episcopal Church; 2543 US Hwy 21S; Sparta - 336-372-5473

Classic Car Cruise-In
2nd Saturdays - July 9, Aug 13, Sept 10, Oct 8. 2 pm.
Free to the public.
From vintage model T's to classic 60s muscle cars, automobile enthusiasts display their vehicles on Main Street in downtown Sparta

Alleghany Jubilee; 25 N. Main Street; Sparta; 336-657-1441
Every Monday, Tuesday - \$5, & Saturday - \$6
Doors open at 6pm. Music begins at 7pm.
Mondays - Line Dancing classes. 6-8pm.

Alleghany Farmers Market - Saturday's thru October - 9am - Noon
Fresh vegetables, pastured meats, cheeses, gourmet baked goods, artisan crafts and more.
E. Whitehead St; Sparta; next to Crouse Park - 372-5473

VFW Chicken BBQ
Saturday, July 9 & every 2nd Saturday thru Sept. 8:30 till
Come Early! Half Chicken \$5; Whole Chicken \$9
VFW Post 7034; 1193 Hwy 21S.; Sparta; 200-0083

Amethyst Kiah and Her Chest of Glass - Benefit Concert
Saturdays, July 9 - \$40 per person. Tickets at Chamber Office
Amythst Kiah brings her soulful interpretations of classic roots and American music. Benefits Music on Main and Alleghany J.A.M.
Brush Creek Farm; 939 Big Oak Road; Ennice, NC 336-372-5473

Alleghany County Fiddlers Convention
July 15 & 16; Admission: Fri. - \$6; Sat. - \$7; Both Days - \$10
Local and regional artists and artisans offer handcrafted items for home and gifts. Local entertainment and food by a variety of vendors.
Crouse Park; 60 Cherry St; Sparta

Blue Ridge Mountain Arts & Crafts Fair
Friday, July 22 through Saturday, July 23 - Open to Public
String musicians from around the region play and compete in a variety of categories. Dance Competitions for seniors, juniors and children.
Alleghany Fairgrounds; Sparta, NC - 336-469-3534

Lawnmower Racing
Saturday, July 23 - 5:30pm - 9:00pm
String musicians from around the region play and compete in a variety of categories. Dance Competitions for seniors, juniors and children.
Alleghany Fairgrounds; Sparta, NC - 336-469-3534

New River Conservancy Boat & Float, 2016 - Riverside Canoe
Saturday, July 23 - 10:00am - 7:00pm
Raise money for river clean-up with a trip down the New River.
Costume contest, after party.
2966 Garvey Bridge Rd; Crumpler, NC - 336-846-6267

Annual Quilters Guild Show
Saturday & Sunday, July 29 & 30 - 10:00am - 4:00pm
From simple to stunning, these works of fabric art are on display and some even for sale.
Emerson Black Building; Alleghany Fairgrounds; Sparta

Historic Highway 21 Road Market
Friday, July 29 through Sunday, July 31
100 miles of treasures extending from Harmony, NC to Wytheville, VA.
336-372-5646

Studio Redwood

- ◆ **Chair Caning - July 2 - 9:30am - 3:30pm - \$60/Student**
Double post basket weave with instructor Mike Dees. Bring a chair.
- ◆ **Tangles - July 162 - 10am - Noon - \$00/Student**
Learn the art of cutting tangles, webs and vines.
- ◆ **Plein Air Workshop - July 22 - 10am - 1pm - \$25/Student**
Outdoor class. Paint a scene from Alleghany County. Please call for details.
- ◆ **Mixed Media Magic - July 23 - 9am - Noon - \$40/Student**
Canvas, acrylics, oil, pastels and more.

Studio Redwood; 16 S. Main (lower level); Sparta 336-372-7111

Save the Date - Western Piedmont Chamber Symphony
September 8, 2016 - 7:00pm - Presenting Rolling Down the Tracks; A celebration of railroads, featuring Big Band and Classical Selections.
Alleghany Community Auditorium; 450 N. Main St; Sparta

YADKIN VALLEY

September 24th: Yadkin Valley Pumpkin Festival Historic Downtown Elkin; 9:00am to 4:00pm.

September 24th: Big Elkin Brew Fest - Elkin Municipal Park from 3:00pm to 9:00pm.

WILKES COUNTY

Friday, Sept. 16, 2016 - Kellie Pickler
Fri, Oct. 28, 2016 - Ernie Haas & Signature Sound w/J. Mark McVey
Friday, Dec. 2, 2016 - Christmas with The Celts
Friday, March 10, 2017 - The Bellamy Brothers
Thursday, April, 6, 2017 - Taylor Hicks
Friday, May 19, 2017 - Annie Moses Band

Walker Center on campus of Wilkes Community College
336-838-6260

Thirsty Thursday

BUILD A BURGER 8.75

See your server for details

STEAK QUESADILLA 8.75

Beef strips, sautéed peppers, onions, diced tomatoes
cheddar jack cheese, jalapenos and black olives.

POOR BOY SLIDER TRIO 9.75

Fried oyster, tempura shrimp and fried
chicken topped with spicy aioli and coleslaw.

JUMBO WINGS

6 wings 6.75 12 Wings 12.75

Tossed in your choice of hot, mild, honey
BBQ or Thai peanut sauce, served with celery sticks,
carrot sticks and bleu cheese dressing.

FINGER BONES 10.75

Marinated sliced pork ribs fried and tossed
with zesty house made BBQ sauce, garnished
with slaw and matchstick potatoes.

BASKET - O - FRIES 4.75

BASKET - O - PRETZELS 4.75

Soft pretzels sprinkled with salt, served
with cheddar dip, salsa and mustard aioli.

BASKET - O - BEER BATTERED ONION RINGS 5.75

BASKET - O - PORK SKINS 6.75

House fried pork skins dusted with house made blackening spice.

BASKET - O - BEER BATTERED CHEESE CURDS 8.75

Fresh Wisconsin Cheddar cheese curds, hand-battered
& served with a side of red pepper jalapeño jam for dipping.

5:00 - 8:00

Every Thursday!



Ask about our
Discount Drink
Specials on
Beer & Wine.

Check out our
featured
Martinis &
Margaritas!

*We Heard it's your Birthday!
Come... Let Us Celebrate with you!*

**High Meadows Golf & Country Club
Birthday Recognition Bash!**

Everyone Welcome!

**If you are celebrating your birthday
in July or August, come to the club
and celebrate with us!**

**Wednesday, August 17, 2016
During Dinner Service.**

FREE Birthday Cake for All!

**FREE Dinner for the oldest member
that shows his or her ID**



July 2016

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
					1 Super Senior Play Day 11:00	2 9:00 Ladies Day/Men's Point Chase 1:00 Nines
3 Chapel 9:00am 4th of July Cook-out; Cart Parade & Fireworks!	4 Super Senior Play Day 11:00	5	6 Wed. 11:00 Men's Group	7 9:00 Ladies Day 10:00 Nines	8 Super Senior Play Day 11:00 FRIDAY NIGHT LIVE! w/David Parsons	9 9:00 Ladies Day/Men's Point Chase 1:00 Nines
10 Chapel 9:00am Open Tee X's.....8-10 Couples.....10-11 Mixed Couples..11-12	11 Super Senior Play Day 11:00	12	13 Wed. 11:00 Men's Group Ladies Night Out	14 9:00 Ladies Day Member Guest w/Social	15 Super Senior Play Day 11:00	16 9:00 Ladies Day/Mens Point Chase 1:00 Nines Board Meeting
17 Chapel 9:00am Open Tee X's.....8-10 Couples.....10-11 Mixed Couples..11-12	18 Super Senior Play Day 11:00 Williams Group Kidsweek	19 Kidsweek	20 Wed. 11:00 Men's Group Kidsweek	21 9:00 Ladies Day 10:00 Nines Kidsweek	22 Super Senior Play Day 11:00 Kidsweek	23 9:00 Ladies Day Men's Point Chase 1:00 Nines Membership Meeting 3:00 Member Mingle 5:00 - 6:30
24 Chapel 9:00am Open Tee X's.....8-10 Couples.....10-11 Mixed Couples..11-12	25 Super Senior Play Day 11:00	26	27 Wed. 11:00 Men's Group	28 9:00 Ladies Day 10:00 Nines	29 Super Senior Play Day 11:00	30 9:00 Ladies Day/Men's Point Chase 1:00 Nines
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Coming Events

August 2016

Aug 4 - 6	Member Guest
Aug 7	Member Guest Rain Date
Aug 11 - 13	LGA Presidents Cup & Artisan Exhibit
Aug 12	Friday Night Live!
Aug 16	Yadkin Srs - Course avail after 2:00
Aug 25	Pro Am Cocktail Party
Aug 26	Pro-Am
Aug 27 - 28	Club Championship w/Social
Aug 27	Wine & Tapas

F & B Hours of Operation

July Dining Hours

Wed, Fri & Sat	6:00 - 9:00
Thursday	5:00 - 8:00

Side Door Lounge Hours

Sunday	12:00 - 6:00
Bar opens at 12:00; Food Service at 3:00	

July Grille Hours

Monday - Saturday	8:00 - 4:00
Sunday	8:00 - 3:00