

A warm and inviting Christmas scene. On the left, a large, lush green Christmas tree is adorned with numerous warm white lights, red and gold ornaments, and a glowing star on top. At its base are several wrapped gifts in gold, green, and red paper, along with a small white teddy bear. To the right, a stone fireplace mantel is decorated with a garland of lights and red bows. Three red stockings with white cuffs hang from the mantel. The fireplace opening shows a fire burning brightly. The background is a textured stone wall, and the overall atmosphere is cozy and celebratory.

DECEMBER 2017

FORE & MORE

-- MANHATTAN COUNTRY CLUB --

Happy Birthday!

2nd. Linda Johnson, David Anderson, Paul Klimek, Christine Capps
3rd. Autumn Burfict
4th. Betty Ebert, Nancy Grieshaber
5th. Robert Eichman, Susie Baxter, Kelli Eichman, Zachary Paquette
6th. Christy Latimore
7th. Lana Arpin, Cindy Beck, Steve Baxter, Bryce Palmgren
8th. John Devore, Ross McDonald
9th. Richard Edwards, Joel Kriss, James Wassberg, Terry Kershner, Jeff Mathis
10th. Joann Goldstein, Jill Ellner, Rebecka Weber, Patricia Conderman
11th. Diana Knox
12th. Rodney Moyer, Deborah Farmer, M.L. Latimore, Julia Woolfolk
13th. Terry Arthur, Bobi Hoover, Claudia Jones

14th. Camille Feltner, Tim Rexrode, Mandy Schmidt
15th. Bruce Kent, John Farley, Cheryl Walters
16th. John Armbrust, John Buckwalter, Jon Levin
17th. Nancy Graves
18th. Quentin Hurst, Drew Casper
19th. Bob Stevens
20th. Sandy Erickson, Anthony Nichols, Regina McCoy, Rita Keating
21st. Heath Rath
22nd. Janet Nichols, Amy Payne
23rd. Jerry Weis, Catherine Wilson
24th. Bonnie Barrett, Debbie Vilkanskas
25th. Kristin Phillips
26th. Taylor Kuhn
27th. Joe Burfict, Phil Klebba
28th. Mary-Kris Roberson
29th. Dennis Lull, Chris Butler
31st. Alan Bell, Karen Seaton

Club XIX Hours

Breakfast

Sunday: 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

Lunch

Tuesday thru Saturday: 11:00 am - 5:00 pm
Sunday: 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Dinner

Tuesday thru Saturday: 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

The Manhattan Room and Pineview enjoy the same hours as Club XIX. Make your meal special with a spectacular view of the city or course.

Golf Shop Hours

Monday: Closed

Tuesday thru Sunday: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Fitness Hours

Sunday and Monday: 6:00 am - 4:00 pm
Tuesday thru Saturday: 6:00 am - 8:00 pm



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A LETTER FROM OUR GENERAL MANAGER

It's hard to believe that December is upon us, although a look at the decorations around the Clubhouse and all the holiday events on the calendar most assuredly confirms that December is here and in full swing! I hope you'll join us for our signature events coming up soon – Santa Brunch and New Year's Eve. There are still many opportunities available to celebrate with friends and family. On behalf of the entire Club staff; we wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Thank you to all of the members that so generously made a donation to the Employee Holiday Fund. I can't tell you how appreciative the staff always is when we hand out those envelopes and when they get to celebrate with our Annual Employee Holiday Party in late January.



Merry Christmas,

Dave Kelley
General Manager





Santa Brunch

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10TH

Farm Fresh Egg Casserole with Three Cheeses
Hash Brown Potatoes, Crispy Bacon,
Sausage Links, Sausage Gravy & Buttermilk Biscuits

Fresh Fruit Salad, Mixed Green Salad
Roasted Corn and Poblano Pepper Soup
Slow Roasted Prime Rib of Beef
Greek Style Chicken, Butter Whipped Potatoes
Broiled Cod with Shrimp Butter, Peas with Carrots
Roast Loin of Pork with Mushroom Sauce
Baked Stewed Tomatoes, Green Beans with Ham

Children's Buffet

Chicken Fingers, Fried Shrimp
Macaroni and Cheese, Tater Tots

Dessert table with and array of cakes pies and sweets.

Adults (13+): \$25.95, Children: \$12.95

Children Under 5: Free

**SEATINGS AT 11:00 AM,
12:00 PM, AND 1:00 PM**

Call the office at 785-539-7501 to make reservations.
Santa will be available for pictures in the Pineview. If
you would like Santa to give your child a present, drop
it by the office December 8th.

A LETTER FROM OUR MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR

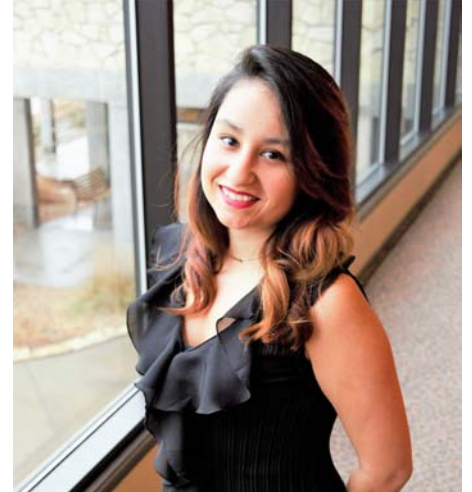
The month of November flew by! We here at the Club are thankful for our members, the business that you provide for us, and the opportunities we have to make your nights and holidays special. We can't wait to continue with our yearly traditions at our Santa Brunch on Sunday, December 10th. Come visit Santa and have a great meal with family and friends! Call the office or email me to set up your reservation. We still have all time slots available!

The Club saw two new memberships in November. Austin Nichols and Tatum Poell joined as YCOF Individual Young Professionals, sponsored by Sam Barker, and Tim Rexrode joined as a YCOF Non-Resident member, sponsored by David Craft. If you see them around the club, say hello! Sponsors enjoy either the lower dues category if they haven't been moved down or a membership amenity package as a thank you for their networking for the Club. If you know of anyone who's interested in joining, there are no dues until March 1st. All new members can enjoy the perks with only a food and beverage minimum all throughout the winter months and you can enjoy an amenity package! Let me know if you need any membership packets; I have plenty!

Some of you who have liked our Facebook page might have briefly heard about the MemberText option we are bringing to the club in January. We are hoping that it will offer a new form of communication within the club. This will be implemented on an opt-in basis only, so you are not required to join if you aren't interested or do not wish to receive text messages from us. However, we have no intention of spamming our members with texts every day. This would be only for important events and information, consisting of maybe 4-5 text per month, at most. It will be no cost to you, just another way for us to get out word about what's going on around the club. Some people have mentioned that their inboxes are overflowing with emails and they occasionally miss our announcements, so maybe this will be a solution for some of you!

As we do every year, after New Year's Eve dinner on December 31st, the restaurant will be closing down from January 1st thru January 18th. The staff will be deep cleaning the club and preparing for our Welcome Home Celebration on January 19th. Dave Lewis will be here that evening for a game show and will DJ afterwards for an awesome reopening party! We'll keep you updated on when and what's available for dining that evening as we get closer to the event.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call or email me. I'm always here to help! We hope to see you this month, but if not, enjoy the holidays!



Respectfully,
Jessica Anderson
Membership Director & Office Manager
jessica@themanhattancountryclub.com

NEW YEAR'S EVE MENU

5:30 PM TO 8:00 PM

FIRST COURSE

Butter poached scallop, risotto, fig, and balsamic glaze.

SECOND COURSE

Salad of mixed greens with house vinaigrette.

THIRD COURSE

CHOOSE ONE

Filet Mignon - \$40

Pan seared and oven roasted topped with tomato jam, loaded mashed potatoes, and fresh vegetable

Sea Bass - \$36

Sautéed in butter with lump crab and lobster meat, and served over vegetable fried rice

Tomahawk Pork Chop - \$34

A full pound of chop, bone-in, grilled and basted with Bourbon BBQ glaze. Served with loaded mashed potatoes and fresh vegetable.

DESSERTS

CHOOSE ONE

Berry Lemon Mascarpone Cake

Two layers of moist cream cake with cranberries, blueberries, and cincamon streusel baked into each cake, then filled with fruit and a lemon mascarpone cream.

Chocolate Triple Truffle

A dark layer of chocolate pastry cream sandwiched between two decadent layers of amazing chocolate cake. Iced with semi-sweet chocolate frosting and garnished with select Georgia pecans.

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A LETTER FROM OUR FOOD AND BEVERAGE DEPARTMENT

Season's Greetings Members!

November was a pretty easy month for me. I had some time to relax before the Holiday season begins. Now here we go!

I am approaching my one year anniversary at Manhattan Country Club and I am excited to have experienced all the challenges the different seasons have to offer. I've been told December is going to be a doozy, and according to my scheduling bible, I'd say the predictions are correct.

If you have any holiday meetings or events to plan for 2018, let me know! The scheduling has already begun!

On top of all the graduation celebrations and office Christmas parties, we will be hosting our Santa Brunch on the 10th! Please call to get your reservations in place. Santa himself will be here, and he better watch out, because I think I might have dodged the naughty list this year, and I have a few things to discuss with him.

On the 31st we have our New Year's Eve Dinner. Please join us for a beautifully selected menu by Chef. I would like to try everything myself! Afterward, head down to Moro St. to watch a strawberry descend from the heavens and initiate your very real resolutions you will definitely keep!



On the 19th of January let us welcome you back to the club with our Welcome Home Celebration! Dave Lewis will be here with some fantastic game shows and music! Come to participate, if you're competitive like me, or just come to observe the shenanigans! A little secret: I had a slight obsession with game shows as a youth, and might or might not have had a crush on Gene Rayburn and Richard Dawson back then. Don't tell.

Following that, we will have the annual staff appreciation party. I can't wait to see how many of you will volunteer to serve us this year. Last year I was able to join, but I had not even worked here a day yet, so now that I am integrated, I feel like I will be able to relax and enjoy this thoroughly.

Anyway, I appreciate you all and am ecstatic to get through the rest of this year

Stephanie Cleveland, Food and Beverage Manager
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John Kellogg, Executive Chef
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A LETTER FROM OUR GROUNDS SUPERINTENDENT

Winter is now officially here and the golf course is now waiting until spring time. We will soon be winterizing our irrigation system and starting our equipment restoration program. Every winter we go through all the equipment and do our yearly maintenance. This includes changing bearings, sharpening reels, and overall general maintenance to the equipment. This will give us a good start to next years upcoming season. During this time we will also be cutting down any dead pines and trimming down overgrown areas throughout the golf course. We will also do our best to keep the leaves and pine needles to a minimum to offer the best playing conditions possible. There will be two cups on every green so, please rotate the flags accordingly. I'm sure there will be a few days with good golfing weather left, so take advantage and please be patient with the frost. Have a safe and happy holiday season!



Mark McKain

Grounds & Greens Superintendent
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THURSDAY IS LADIES DAY BRIDGE

Dining in Club XIX at 11:30 am
Play begins at 12:00 pm

Come join the bridge ladies on
Thursday afternoons for food in Club
XIX and play in the Pineview Room.

Contact Nancy Kopp at 785-539-1540
to sign up and play.

October 26th

1st: Linda Wassberg
2nd: Mary Jo Griffith
3rd: Pat Hughes

November 9th

1st: Elizabeth Williams
2nd: Barbara Kennedy
3rd: Inger Olsen

November 2nd

1st: Elizabeth Williams
2nd: Inger Olsen
3rd: Lois Mitchell

November 16th

1st: Pat Hughes
2nd: Elizabeth Williams
3rd: Kathy Buyle



A LETTER FROM OUR HEAD GOLF PROFESSIONAL

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving and aren't too tired of turkey!

Pro-Shop Holiday Party and Sale will be December 6th from 5-8pm. Come out and enjoy cocktails and appetizers, along with great prices on all merchandise! If you looking for something specific for the upcoming Holiday, special orders need to be placed soon.

Don't forget all gift certificates and credit book dollars need to be spent by the end of the year! December 6th would be a great time to use them on Pro-Shop merchandise!

The weather has been terrific for some fall golf so I hope most of you got out sometime to enjoy it! Eventually the weather will turn and we will miss the warmth!

See you all soon!

Scott Wempe
Head Golf Professional
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HOLIDAY PROSHOP SALE

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6TH - 5:00 TO 8:00
FREE APPETIZERS, BEER, AND WINE!

ALL MEN'S APPAREL - BUY 2, GET 1 FREE
LADIES APPAREL - 60% OFF

ALL SHOES - \$90 | ALL BAGS \$100 | HATS - 2 FOR \$25
CALLAWAY CHROME SOFT GOLF BALL - \$35 / DOZEN
ALL PROV1 AND PROV1X'S - \$40 / DOZEN

* ADDITIONAL TABLE FILLED WITH OTHER DISCOUNTED ITEMS *
IN STOCK ITEMS ONLY. DOES NOT APPLY TO SPECIAL ORDERS.

WEDNESDAY IS MAHJONG DAY

**Dining in Club XIX at 12:00 pm
Play begins at 1:00 pm**

Come join the Mahjong ladies on
Wednesday afternoons for food and play.



If interested, please contact:

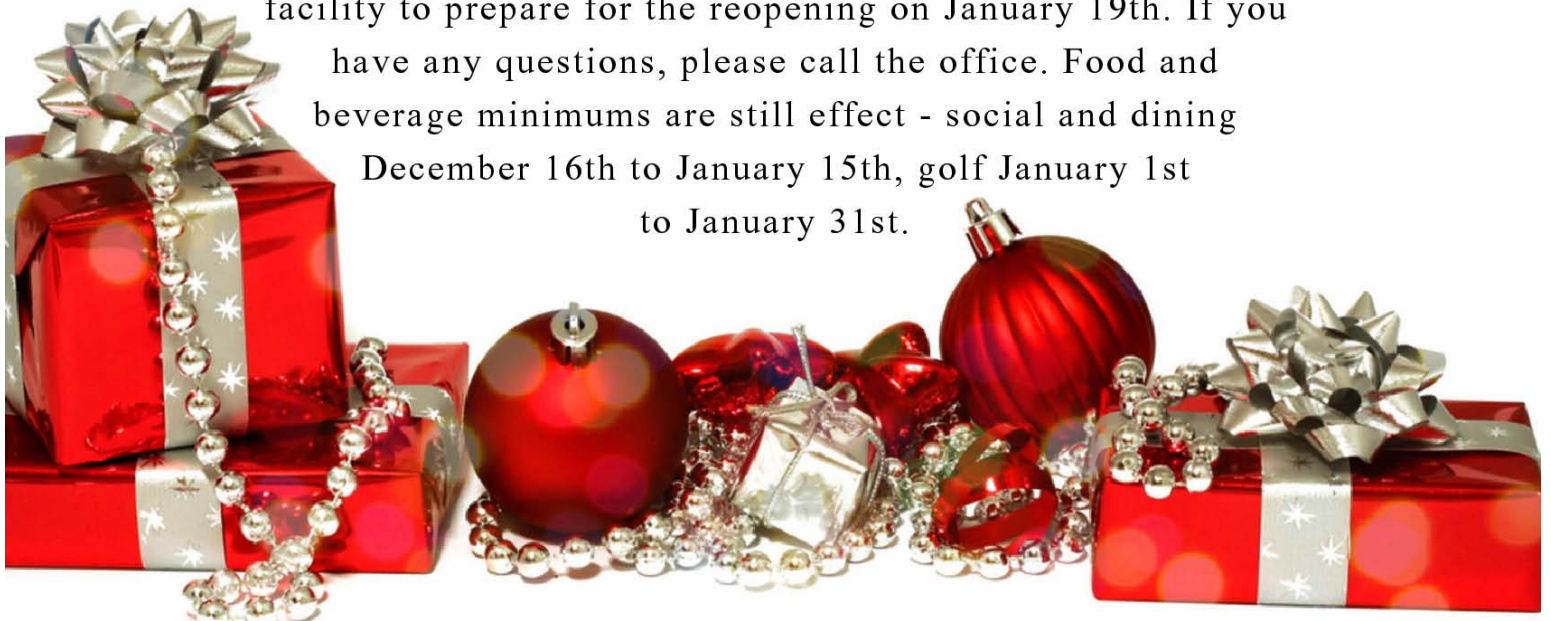
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Club Restaurant Closure January 1st thru January 18th

The restaurant and food and beverage service will be closed from January 1st thru January 18th. Our food and beverage staff will be deep cleaning the facility to prepare for the reopening on January 19th. If you have any questions, please call the office. Food and beverage minimums are still effect - social and dining December 16th to January 15th, golf January 1st to January 31st.



December 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 FAC 4:00 - 6:00	2
3 Ladies Shopping Trip 8:00 am	4 Club and Proshop Closed	5 Steak Night	6	7 Fried Chicken Night	8 FAC 4:00 - 6:00	9
10 Santa Brunch 11:00 - 1:00	11 Club and Proshop Closed	12 Steak Night	13	14 Fried Chicken Night	15 FAC 4:00 - 6:00 Dining & Social F&B Minimum Ends	16
17	18 Club and Proshop Closed	19 Steak Night	20	21 Fried Chicken Night	22 FAC 4:00 - 6:00	23
24 Club and Proshop Closed	25 Club and Proshop Closed	26 Steak Night Cactus Bowl 8:00 pm	27	28 Fried Chicken Night	29 FAC 4:00 - 6:00	30
31 New Year's Eve Dinner 5:30 - 8:00 Golf F&B Minimum Ends						



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