# March 2019 FORE & MORE

--MANHATTAN COUNTRY CLUB--

Happy Birthday!

- 1. Richard Myers, Keri Livsey
- 2. Dick Matthes, Carolyn McKain, Jane O'Boyle, David Schmidt, Jamie Lull, Matt Pestinger
- 3. Linda Glasgow
- 4. Susan Adamchak-Heritage, Billie Woodward
- 6. John Piskac, Teresa Hadley, Barbara Jones
- 7. Jenny Murdock, Matt Swanson, Brooke Tapp, Jessica Downs
- 8. David Young, Jane Strohmeyer, Julia Clark
- 9. James Colbert, Pat Dunne
- 10. Cody Glidden, Charles Hughes
- 11. Shannon Glidden
- 12. Barbara Kennedy, Neal Farmer
- 14. Susan Thompson
- 15. Patrick Keating, Matt Martin

- 16. Tim Schultz
- 17. Teri Albers
- 19. Tom Grieshaber, Kevin Morganfield
- 20. William Muir, Jill Alderman
- 21. Sara Ekart
- 22. Carole Fager
- 25. Mark Tindall
- 26. Lynn Travisano, Lisa Barr
- 27. Bruce Holladay
- 28. Richard Hayter, Charles Munson, Elisabeth Bahner
- 29. T.J. Vilkanskas, Brett Jones
- 30. Keith Swanson, Charles Schram
- 31. Larry Heyka, Suzie Grier

#### **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: 7:30 am - 8:00 pm

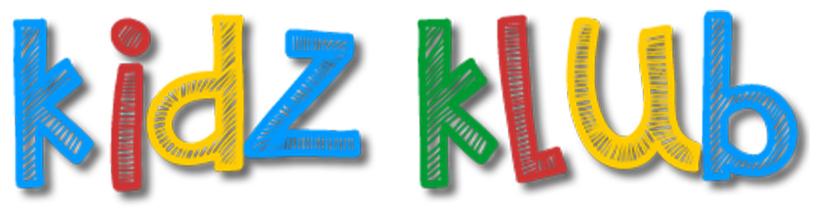
Fitness Hours Sunday and Monday: 6:00 am - 4:00 pm Tuesday thru Saturday: 6:00 am - 8:00 pm

### CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS

President - Dennis Fair Secretary - Stephanie Harrison Treasurer - Luke Neville

Members - Ester Carpenter, JD Kennedy, and Jim Wassberg

The Board of Directors is seeking nominations to fill vacant positions. This is your chance to get involved! Please contact a board member if you are interested.



## Friday, March 22nd Friday, April 19th Friday, May 17th

We would like to invite our members to relax while their kids are in a family friendly environment. We have partnered with Manhattan Nanny Service LLC to provide a better experience all around. Kidz Klub will take place from 5:00pm to 9:00 pm. The price is \$10 per kid and tips for the staff are HIGHLY ENCOURAGED!

Due to safety concerns Kidz Klub is limited to children between the ages of 2 years old and 12 years old.

\*If there are no reservations by 2:00pm on the day of Kidz Klub it will be cancelled.

A Letter From Our Food & Beverage Department!

Chef and I would like to thank everyone who joined us this Valentine's Day. It was an elegant and successful evening. We would also like to thank the members who have continued to come and dine despite the cold temperatures. Having you all at the Club has made our winter feel a little bit warmer!

There are a number of things happening this month. We will be offering Mardi Gras-inspired specials the week of March 6th. We will also offer an array of seafood options during the Lenten season, both for lunch and dinner. Our Seafood Buffet is coming up on Friday, March 15th. Check out the ad for the full menu. On the 22nd, we will have our monthly Kidz Klub. February's was a success, so make sure to sign your kids up and join us for FAC!

It's an exciting time for K-State, as they will be invited to this year's NCAA Basketball Tournament. If you are interested in hosting a K-State watch party, please feel free to contact either Christina or myself. We would be more than happy to have you, and have plenty of space and screens to accommodate your party! The Club will also be putting together drink and appetizer specials on Game Days.

This is one of the more exciting months of the year, so please take advantage of all of the food and drink specials plus events over the upcoming weeks! Go Cats!

Maison Rickerd Food & Beverage Manager maison@themanhattancountryclub.com Troy Curry Head Chef chef@themanhattancountryclub.com



# Seafood Buffet

Friday, March 15th 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. \$35 per person Call for Reservations Today!

Appetizers

Oysters on the Half Shell Poached Shrimp Crab Cakes

Salads

Mixed Green Salad Italian Pasta Salad Broccoli Salad

### Entrees

Steamship Round of Beef Steamed Mussels over Linguine Grilled Hawaiian Opah Southern Fried Catfish Peel and Eat Shrimp Boil Snow Crab Cluster Lobster Newberg Rice Pilaf Chef's Vegetables

> Kid's Buffet Popcorn Shrimp Chicken Fingers Macaroni and Cheese

> > Desserts

assorted

# Easter Brunch April 21st

II:00am, I2:00pm, and I:00pm seatings. Menu to come. Call the office to RSVP 785.539.7501

Easter Egg Hunt April 21st

12:30 pm & 2:00pm

A Letter From Our General Manager!

Wow! What a whirlwind February was!

I want to first thank all of the members who are making me feel so at home at The Manhattan Country Club. It is a true pleasure getting to know each of you, and sharing your commitment to and passion for The Club and its future.

February was filled with meetings and information about the things that The Manhattan Country Club has coming up.

In February we had an awesome indoor Putt-Putt Party. This was an idea from Lynn Urick. With her help and that of Katie Philip and Pro, Scott Wempe, as well as all who attended, the event was a lot of fun and a huge success. If you have any ideas for fun events I would love to hear them.

Scott recently purchased a golf simulator so our members can enjoy a round of golf (or even a lesson) while there is still snow on the ground. Might be a good way to get a few rounds in before the Member Guest tournament on April 18th, 19th and 20th!

The Board of Directors is hard at work preparing for our annual meeting on March 28th. They are looking for candidates who want to use their special skills as a member of the board, to help guide the Club through some challenging, but exciting times. If you are interested in a nomination that will be voted on at the annual board meeting please reach out to one of our current board members or myself for more information.

Our Bourbon and Bonnets Auction Committee has been busy working through everything you could imagine. The goal is to ensure a successful first, of what we hope will become an annual, event for our members and their guests to enjoy. This Kentucky Derby themed-event will be May 4th. Mark your calendars!

Again, thank you for your support whether you are on a committee or attending one of their events. I look forward to seeing you up at the Club a lot in the next few months.

Stay warm,

#### Christi Rice General Manager christi@themanhattancountryclub.com

A Letter From Our Golf Professional!

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Well, I am sure tired of the weather, so we will leave it at that. It can only get better, right?

This year will obviously be a compact year. Events will be here before we know it. The end of March is the Polar Open. I hope that we can play by then! Make sure you keep your eyes out for events!

If you missed out on the Putting Party, it was an awesome time! The turnout was even better and it was a lot of fun. Thank you to all those that participated! We will definitely do it again!

With the weather not cooperating so far this year for golf, I would suggest you stop by the ballroom sometime and check out the simulator. It is a great way to play some holes, hit some balls, and get some swings in while the weather is awful. Call or e-mail Scott to set up a time for you and some of your friends!

See you soon!

#### Scott Wempe PGA District Director of the Flint Hills Midwest PGA Head Golf Professional scott@themanhattancountryclub.com



Jolas Open Sunday, March 31st I Person scramble TIME - 1:00 Shotgun cost - \$60 per player Includes - Golf, Prizes, and Food Following Golf

Email Scott to Sign UP: Scott@themanhattancountryclub.com

Special Golf Rates

On June 3rd our Zoysia project will kick off and the golf course will close for 3 weeks! We will reopen to a par 3 course after 4:00 p.m. daily through August. We have secured special rates with the Wamego Country Club, Colbert Hills and Stagg Hill for our members during the months of June, July and August. The Country Club will be covering green fees at these three courses for our members during this time frame. Cart use at any of the courses will be the responsibility of the member.

## COLBERT HILLS

Sunday – Thursday - green fees paid by MCC, member pays \$20 for mandatory cart use, and also receives a small bucket of range balls.

Friday and Saturday - green fees paid by MCC, member pays \$20 for mandatory cart use, and also receives a small bucket of range balls.

Twilight, every day after 2:00 PM - green fees paid by MCC, member pays \$10 for mandatory cart use, and also receives a small bucket of range balls.

\*Men are invited to Tuesday Night League

## STAGG HILL

9 holes – green fees paid by MCC, with a cart, member pays \$10

18 holes - green fees paid by MCC, with a cart, member pays \$15

\*all green fees come with one range token(30 balls)

\*Ladies are welcome to join "Ladies Day" on Tuesday mornings

\*Men are welcome to join "Men's Night" on Wednesday's

## WAMEGO COUNTRY CLUB

9 holes - green fees paid by MCC, with a cart, member pays \$10 18 holes - green fees paid by MCC, with a cart, member pays \$15

A Letter From Our Grounds Superintendent!

The grounds crew has been working hard removing dead pines from the course, cutting back brush, clearing cart paths from unwanted brush, and clearing off snow.

During this time of year we go out and spray greens to help control poa on the greens, this does not eliminate poa but this does help reduce seed head production. Also we spray Zoysia tee boxes to help prevent breakthrough of any unwanted grasses. Springtime also brings the time of year where we spray our pre-emergent. This year we will be treating our roughs and not our fairways on account of the Zoysia project starting in June. All of these cultural practices will help us get ready for the upcoming season.

All of our equipment is almost prepared for the mowing season. Dan Brooks has done a tremendous job with our equipment maintenance. We will soon be starting preparation on the course, as we look forward to the start of the 2019 golf season. Dianna Gebhardt has been working hard getting the greenhouse ready for the wonderful job she does on the flowerbeds throughout the Club and the golf course.

Hope to see you on the golf course! If you have any questions or comments feel free to contact me.



#### Mark McKain Golf Course Superintendent mark@themanhattancountryclub.com

## Masters Watch Party April 14th

Keg Sponsored by the Harrison's

MASTERS

Tournament

More details to come

## Golf Simulator

Hit balls on the range Work on your short game Have par 3 challenges Play 18 or 9 holes Much more...

\$40 per hour A wide variety of courses to play

For more details or to sign up contact Scott at scott@themanhattancountryclub.com

Goals Support our Club financially Beautify the property Foster camaraderie Create a scholarship fund for our hard-working staff

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Auction

## Examples of Donations

Gift baskets Sports tickets Artwork Company services Vacation rentals Gift cards

If you don't have an item, cash donations are welcome and the committee will put together fun and interesting.

Please contact a committee member about your donation.

Uncoming Events

March 19th - TEG Game Night March 22nd - Kidz Klub March 30th - Closed for a Private Wedding March 31st - Polar Open

> April 6th - Ladies Spring Kickoff April 8th - MHS Boys Invite April 9th - TEG Kickoff April 11th - Men's League Kickoff April 14th - Masters Watch Party April 18th - 20th - Member Guest Tournament April 19th - Kidz Klub April 21st - Easter Brunch April 21st - Easter Egg Hunt

### 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.



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.

February 14th 1st: Marilyn Fagot 2nd: Nancy Kopp 3rd: Susan Thompson

February 28th 1st: Beth Kesinger 2nd: Nancy Kopp 3rd: Lynda Yancey

February 21st 1st: Lee Taylor 2nd: Barbara Kennedy 3rd: Nancy Kopp

If interested, please contact:

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