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<u>Players Pass 2024–Available early Sept in the Pro Shop</u>

Great for friends and family. Details are on line and in the foyer.

Joggers, Walkers & Site Seers!!

Fall foliage will be in bloom very soon. With it comes all the beauty that is a golf course! While we do appreciate our many joggers, walkers, dog walkers and site seer, we ask that they would use the community paths instead of the golf course cart paths.

Member Guest Grand Prize

One Lucky Member will receive a single Cart

Plan for ONE YEAR. So let's get signed up to play.



Club Championship -

The Club Championship is scheduled for October 14th & 15th. Sign up is in the foyer at the podium. Tee Times. Golf, Cart, Prizes and Sunday Cookout, \$50 Entry Fee. There are Five (5) Coveted Parking Spots up for grabs!

Have you signed up for Member Guest

This year for Member Guest we welcome our Members to bring another member as their guest.

So let's get signed up and support this event! We encourage all members to sign up for this premier event. The signup sheet is located at the podium Flights will be established before the Friday night social, so everyone will know what flight they will be in on Friday night.



Member Guest Sponsor Page:

Member Guest this year will be on September 15-17 with a social on the 15th. A list of our current sponsors is being compiled and will be on the website soon. Go to the home page and click on the Member Guest Button and go to the Thank You to our sponsors. If you have any questions about Member Guest, call Jamie or Cindi in the clubhouse. We are only a few weeks away! Get \$600 in sponsors & your Member Guest entry fee for you and your guest is Free.

Glowball, Friday, October 27th

Friday, October 27th at 7pm, shotgun start. Regular fee plus \$30. Sign up is a must. Boxed Lunch and 9 holes in the dark. Bring your flashlight! Prizes at conclusion. Call or stop by the pro shop to sign up 540-891-0111

Donation Bin for area Rescues

Let's not forget our furry little friends. One can at a time. Could you just imagine if each person brought in one can of cat or dog food how much that would help the shelters. Towels, blankets, pet supplies, food dry or canned & newspaper. The bin to drop off your items is located in the grill. **Thank you** to all those that put stuff in the bin throughout the year.

No Fishing!



While we understand the ponds are very attractive to those that like to fish, it is very dangerous to fish on a golf course. No Fishing is allowed and if you see anyone fishing, please report it to the Pro

Shop. The Golf Course, Lee's Hill, accepts no liability to those that get injured while fishing on the golf course

PGA Jr. League

As we conclude our Spring season during the first week of July, we begin to look forward to our Fall



PGA Jr. league season. Lee's Hill is signed up again as a participant for the upcoming fall season. Player registration is scheduled to open middle of July. Please register at pgajrleague.com.

Call Jamie at 540-379-8802 for information about the PGA Jr. Fall league. (Sept-Oct).

90 Degree Cart Rule: Important (please read)

At this time of the year, it is extremely important to enter the fairways at 90 degrees to the ball from the path in order to help not wear out the turf at the beginning of each fairway once leaving the tee box. Your help and attention to this matter is most appreciated

Turf Talk August 22, 2023

As the long, hot summer comes to a close, the staff at Lee's Hill is preparing to revitalize the course for the fall golf season.

Heavy rainfall, combined with prolonged periods of dry, hot weather have taken a toll on many courses throughout the area. Diseases have been widespread and persistent, as has the thermal boiling of root zones on putting greens following excessive rainfalls.

Now is the time to restore the course to the conditions that we have come to expect. The entire course will be fertilized to improve turf density and enhance winter hardiness as we move into the fall. Bare areas in collars and approaches are currently being aerated and seeded to enhance turf coverage. Turf samples from several greens have been sent to the plant pathology laboratory to determine future treatment programs as we commence our grow in. The putting greens will be lightly vertical mowed to provide adequate seed to soil contact and slit seeded with bentgrass, then topdressed to ensure recovery this fall.

We appreciate your patronage and support as we embark on our renovation project. Looking forward to seeing you on the course this fall.

John M. Burns GCS Consulting Superintendent Lee's Hill Golf Club

