

October 2023 Lee's Hill Newsflash 10200 Old Dominion Pkwy. Fredericksburg, VA 22408 (540) 891-0111 –Phone www.leeshillgc.com

**2024** Player's Pass The 2024 Player's Pass is here and available for sale. Tell your friends. Makes a great holiday gift.

**Congratulations to ALL Senior League Players** on a well Deserved Victory!!



Lineup for Championship Win August 31, 2023 at Greene Hills CC. Pete Seftas, Gary Stefaniga, Jeff Wholey, Matt King Jim Leahy, Bob Herbert, Dan Pantaleo, Joe Pantaleo Vince Dodd, Steve Allen, Chuck Barber, Larry Rupert Dan Calabrese, Rick Gray (Capt), Jack Rouse Bob Canaday, Jim Yeatts, Mike Cajohn

The Men's Senior League had an outstanding year winning the MVSGA Championship against Fawn Lake in a playoff match played at Greene Hills Country Club.

We had big wins every week on our way to a 12-3-1 record. Over 30 golfers participated, everybody really enjoyed themselves as we kept winning week after week. Match play is a team sport and this year we played as a team to beat some really good area clubs. The trophy will be on display in late October in the foyer.

Jamie hosted us for a luncheon to celebrate our championship win.

Thanks again to everybody who played this year and to the staff who helped make it happen. Next year we do it all again.

# Member Guest 2023

Member Guest was moved to October 20. Details of Member Guest will be in the November Newsletter.

#### Hole in one

Congratulations to Carl Childress, Hole in One on #5, August 31, 2023

## **Tuesday Twilight League**

Tuesday night twilight league has come to a close. Thank you goes out to our staff and most of all, the participants. See you in April!

# **Glowball in October!!**



Get your flash lights ready and your night shades out. A Glowball tournament is scheduled for Friday, October 27th. A Signup sheet will be in the Pro Shop. This fills up fast.

<u>Club Championship –</u> The Club Championship is scheduled for **October 14**<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>. 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!

## Winter League

Winter league will begin **early November.** Sign up by calling or stopping by the Pro Shop. Any updates or changes always check with the pro shop. Skirmish on the Hill will resume in April 2024.

## **Members Billing**

Some questions as to how the billing is done here at the club. Your monthly dues are billed at the **End** of each month for the month just closed. So September dues will be billed on September 30<sup>th</sup> October dues will be billed on October  $31^{st}$  and so on. All your charges are billed as they occur

Rick Gray, captain



#### Thanksgiving Hours

The course will be open for limited Thanksgiving Day hours. There will be a 9 am

shotgun start. Pending no frost delay. All carts must be in by 1 pm.



#### **Holiday Gratuity**

On your October 31<sup>st</sup> statement, which you will receive the first week of November; there will be a \$25 charge for holiday gratuity. This is a one-time charge that will go to the employees that have served you so well throughout the year and towards their holiday party. This is a totally voluntary charge and if you decide to opt out, just call Jamie or Cindi and it will be removed from your bill.

## **Donation Bin for area Rescues**

Let's not forget our furry little friends this holiday season. 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.

\*\*Take Care\*\* Fix ball marks, 90 degrees, Trash in cans Pick up used Tees

# <u>Turf Talk</u>



Turf Talk September 12, 2023

The oppressive heat that we experienced earlier in the month has passed. More seasonal temperatures are in the forecast thus allowing us to begin our greens restoration program. All greens were treated with curative rates of fungicide in addition to foliar fertilizers and biostimulants to bolster recovery of the existing turf. We were able to procure a Ryan Mattaway seeder to help with our renovation process. This machine is similar to the model we used 5 years ago that yielded excellent results. Our goal is to provide satisfactory seed, soil contact thus ensuring optimal germination. During the greens grow in, we will be aerating with solid tines to provide additional germination capacity and fertilizing as necessary to maximize turf density.

On the personnel front, I am happy to announce that Jerome Dodson has joined the Maintenance Staff here at Lee's Hill. Jerome, an industry veteran with a wealth of experience will be instrumental in the recovery of the greens and the overall improvement of the course. His latest stint was a facility renovation project in North Carolina.

We look forward to seeing you on the course as conditions improve!

John Burns GCS Consulting Superintendent

## 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.

