Canyon Lakes N E W S L E T T E R

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Construction is Going Well at Canyon Lakes

Construction is going well. As many have noticed with the removal of the putting course and area behind the old cart barn. We are getting ready to demolish the old cart barn and start construction on the new cart barn which will be in the basement of the new Golf Universe and Canyon Lakes Golf Shop. Management is excited to see the progress and is hopeful that all the construction will not hamper the availability to the course and practice areas. Reminder that change is always hard, but the end result will be worth the short time of pain with regards to dust, dirt and inconvenience. Soon we will be able to release digital

renderings of the buildings and the entire project. Thank you to Craig, Chris and Scott for making the best course event better with these new facilities. Everything has started with the clearing of the area that will become an expanded parking lot and taking the existing place of the first 4 or 5 holes of the putting course and the two small ponds by the cart barn. The large lake that reaches out to Canyon Lakes Drive remains untouched. The area will go through demolition and then after all the construction is done, becomes more parking that we need for both tournaments and Golf Universe.

Phase 1 will be the demolition of the ground to prepare for a holding lot for all the equipment that is needed for the construction.

Phase 2 will be the excavation of the cart barn which will be a basement underneath the new Golf Universe and Canyon Lakes Golf Shop. After the cart area is done, they will put the cap on and start the new building to hold Golf Universe and Canyon Lakes Golf Shop.

Phase 3 will be the demolition of the Duck Pond building. The Champion's room will not be touched and will be opened up to the new Pub/Grill that which will replace the

current Duck Pond. This new building will have a number of upgrades to the deck and building. Canyon Lakes will get the dining experience it has long deserved. So many great changes and in a relatively short period of time. We will have both bathrooms operational along with food and lounge access during the entire time. So no interruptions or portable bathrooms! If you have questions, please come ask in the Golf Shop. We are very excited to get this project started and finished. Please pardon our dust while we give everyone the best place in the Northwest to play golf, dine and socialize.

Voted Tri-Cities Best Golf Course 12 Years in a Row!

Thank you for your business and support!

Ladies' Tuesday Night Clinics

Every Tuesday night through mid August we will have a Ladies Wine Clinic. The cost is \$25 for each person or \$20 for Ladies Club members. This includes clinic fee and a beverage of your choice following the clinic. Bring your clubs and questions and let the pros help you play better and learn something new. Rod, Nancy and Aiden are here each week to help your game and teach you something you may not already know about golf. All the fun starts at 6pm and is limited to the first 30 to sign up. Must call in at least 45 minutes prior to eligible to sign up.

Canyon Lakes Hosted the 2025 WA Golf Fourball Championship

May 22nd and 23rd Canyon Lakes hosted the 2025 WA Golf Fourball Championships. We had 148 players from all over the Western United States tee it up in a 2 Person Best Ball format. The open division played from the Blue tees, the senior division (55+) played from the White tees and the super senior division (65+) played from the Gold tees. Kim and Shane had the golf course in amazing condition which we will get to enjoy for the rest of the summer.

Thank you to all the volunteers that gave their time and energy to help the WA Golf staff to produce a wonderful event. Thank you to the members for your understanding and being such great hosts. All the players raved about Canyon Lakes and are hopeful to return in the future.

Two Man Tuesday and Thursday Leagues Continue to be Very Popular

Don't forget to sign up for Two Man Tuesdays and now Throwdown Thursday and Thursday Evening Ladies are playing too. 2025 Duck Bucks are Pink this year. Remember that to play in the Gross side you and your partners have to be a combined 7 handicap or more.

Just make sure to call in 45 minutes early or by 5:15PM for each of the Thursday night games.

Friday Night Couples Makes Its Return

We are also going to have Friday Night Couples in May. May 30th will be our first of hopefully 4 nights this summer to have a great round, nice potluck meal and drinks with social time after golf. Cost will be \$20 per couple and if you're not a member it will cost you \$60 and included the entry fee, golf and cart for the evening. Everyone will be required to bring a dish suitable to feed at least 6-8 people. Keep an eye on the calendar for other dates to follow. We will send an email out to announce the dates once they are picked and details to follow.

Ladies Club Wine Cup

The defending champion, Canyon Lakes Ladies Club hosted the first Wine Cup matches of the year on May 21st. Our ladies are currently in third place only a couple of points out of the lead.

We have won the cup 3 years in a row and looking for more. Well done ladies with a good start a four-peat is in view. Go Canyon Lakes Ladies!



Coca Cola Junior Golf Camp

Canyon Lakes is pleased to announce our Junior Camp for 2025. Dates are June 16 through June 26. The camp will be each Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each week from 8:30AM to 10AM each day. Ages are from 7 to 17.

Kids will learn the game of golf with etiquette in mind to get them ready to play golf with family and friends. They don't have to be pros. We encourage anyone that thinks golf might be fun to turn out and see if maybe this game is for them. We will have a lot fun!

Todd Sprong and his crew are ready to help any kid that wants to learn and play. These sessions are on the practice facility and will include refreshments and some golf-related games.

Come and see if you can get your kiddo playing and having a lot of fun with you as mom or dad, or just playing with other friends. Golf is the greatest game ever created.







Canyon Lakes Hole-In-One Pot

Congratulations to the following Hole-In-Ones for this year

Richard Thompson	Hole #12	\$100
John Rasmussen	Hole #12	\$100
Paco Mendoza	Hole #12	\$100
Mike Ward	Hole #4	\$100
Dan Oberg	Hole #4	\$100
Barry Campfield	Hole #4	\$100
Allan Wellman	Hole #4	\$100
Saengjin Park	Hole #12	\$100

Everyone has collected a \$100 each for the aces. \$100 to use in the Duck Pond and share a drink with your friends.

From the Maintenance Crew

We have switched back to the Red, White and Blue flags. They will continue to stay in the rotation. McCurley Dealerships have provided the flags as part of their sponsorship with all the events.

Please stay on all cart paths where they are provided. Please keep all four tires on the cart path. Please make sure to replace divots or sand them. Also please help with ball marks as much as possible.

To ensure the best results,

it is important to keep golf carts away from approach areas to greens. For those that have Blue flagged carts, no cart should ever go between a green and a bunker, or between the green and lake on number 9. This will be strictly enforced and understand we need to be consistent with everyone. It might be a few more feet away, but laziness really causes a lot of damage. If everyone does their part, we will see a difference. With most groups going out with

member play in four carts it creates a lot of wear on turf during a time it is not growing. The Golf Shop will be talking to those that violate cart usage rules. If you have questions, please see Matt Mandell in the Golf Shop.

As for the canal work. They are finished with the work on holes 14-16. The last stretch from five tee to six tee will be done when the hoping that will happen next winter. KID will lets us know when they plan on returning to finish the lining for the canal.

KID can finish it. We are



Collecting 2025 **Memberships**

We are now offering the Prime Season Pass at this time, it is a better value to pay for everything at one time, but monthly is still available.

The six month passes will be from May 1 to October 31. We have named them the Prime Season Pass because you are using the prime months and not having to pay for the other months. The only restriction is that once you have signed up, you will need to continue the payments until the membership runs out. This means that if you sign up in June you will have to still pay for May if you're doing the monthly plan. There will be no prorating or stopping if you sign up for the monthly plans.

See us in the Golf Shop with any questions.

GPS and Corporate Passes

There is only one GPS Advertising Pass available.

Give Matt Mandell or Nick Atkin a call for the regular Corporate Passes at (509) 582-3736. We only have a few available for 2025.

We would like to thank our GPS partners for their support. Both GPS and Corporate passes will have access Monday through Thursday availability all day. GPS Corporate Advertising passes will have access Friday - Sunday during Twilight Hours.



Tee Time Availability

Make sure to call in for your tee times or book them online. Understand the mornings are getting squeezed pretty hard. We will do as much as possible to accommodate as many members and public players as possible.

If you don't need your tee time please let us know the day before so we can make it available to someone else. This is the time of vear we should have lots of opportunity to make times and ask everyone

to cancel any times that they know they won't be using. Summer is a great time of year and we should have lots of times to book. Even with the 9AM to 12PM reserved times for public play, we still have availability 3 days out for members to book those unused times.



Golf Now Has Become Our New Online Provider for Tee Times

Our online tee times are now available to be booked through Golf Now. This will have several advantages for both the customer and the players using the website. It will ask for a credit card for everyone. Members will not be charged for any times made unless they become a no-show issue. All other players will be charged through the website to make it easier as you check in. This new system will allow players to book all their times online. Members must sign up through the portal on the main page of the website. You will have had to have registered when you signed up with an email address, that when you attempt to log in on the new members portal will identify you as a member so you are not paying green fees when you sign up. If you have any issues please see Nick Atkin or Nick Ryther and they can help get you signed up.

Duck Pond & Golf Shop Hours

The Duck Pond will be open from 6:30AM to dark every day. Duck Pond will turn off the grill 30 minutes before sunset to be able to clean it every night. Golf Shop will be open every day from 5:30AM to dark. Please check website for possible delays.