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Golf News

Santa Claus Open Results

On Saturday Dec. 3rd we held the annual Santa Claus Open. The format is a 4-person scramble format with a full field of 144 players participating. We were blessed with a wonderful, warm, sunny day for golf that afternoon. Congratulations to the team of Jeremy Forrester, Greg Hamilton, Carl Newton & Callum Newton for winning the Overall Gross Title with a team score of 57! The team of Lee, Chrissie & Erica Fontaine along with Michael Fairley defended their Net title with a net score of 52.8.

Thank you to everyone who participated this year. Through your efforts we were able to donate more than 200 children's toys to the Gwinnett County Department of Children's Services for the Holiday season! Congratulations again to our winners and we look forward to seeing everyone in the new the decade.

Weather Hotline

It's that time of year again with cold chilly nights. If you are wondering what the course conditions are please call the weather hotline at 770-448-2008 ext. 1 to check the course status. Superintendent Chris Purvis will update as the weather dictates.

Men's and Women's Locker and Bag Storage

For those interested we do offer Men's and Women's locker storage. We also offer Bag Storage for those that would like to keep your clubs safe and sound here at Berkeley Hills. Come by the Golf Shop today to find out more information. For those that already have a locker and/or store their clubs downstairs, we will be renewing those items at the beginning of the new year.

Annual Fees

We will be renewing all Annual fees including Pull Cart & Handicap Fees starting January 1st. The fee for the electric pull carts that are stored at the Club remain at \$475 this year and all other pull carts will be \$275. If you are interested in purchasing an Annual Pull Cart or would like to discontinue using your current pull cart, please contact the Golf Shop. The fee for keeping a USGA Handicap is \$35.

Welcome New Members

Scott Richardson

2023 Men's Tournament Schedule

Feb 4	Shamble
Feb 11	Match Play Reg Opens
March 1	Match Play Begins
March 4	Spring Kickoff
April 8	Big Pig
April 29-30	Spring Member-Guest
May 8 & 9	Greens Aerification
June 24-25	Berkeley Classic
July 14	One Day Member-Guest
July 22-23	Member-Member
August 11-13	Club Championship
Sept 7-9	The Member-Guest
Oct 14-15	Ryder Cup
Nov 4	Tough Day
Dec 9	Santa Claus

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It's the time of year for frost delays. Once the temperature begins to reach into the 30's, I will leave a message on our Course Conditions line of what going on: if there is a frost or cover delay or not, and if its 90 degree or cart path only. That number is 770-448-2008 and press 1 for Course Conditions. It is normally updated a few minutes after sunrise. We all know what a frost delay is, but what would cause a cover delay? When we cover, normally it means the nighttime temperature is dropping into the 20's. If it's in the 50's during the day, there is a chance we will not cover and just let the greens get frosted up. But if the night is getting into the 20's and the day is in the 30's and 40's, there is a good chance we will put the covers on that afternoon to capture as much heat as we can before night. The other variable we judge by is frozen time. How long is the temperature going to be below 30 degrees. It's a guessing game. The University of Arkansas has been working on this for 15 years. Their data shows that there is not any damage until you get around 14 degrees, but I will not take that chance. It being their first year, we will be more protective of the young grass; and as the greens age, we can be less protective as they adapt to their environment.

You have any questions, please ask.
Chris Purvis

Upcoming Golf Schedule

Jan. 1st	New Year's Day (9 AM shotgun, Club CLOSED)
Jan 2nd	Club Open
Jan 3rd	Club Closed

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2022 Santa Claus Open Results

GROSS CHAMP



Callum Newton, Jeremy Forrester,
Greg Hamilton, Carl Newton, 57

NET



Lee Fontaine, Erica Fontaine,
Chrissie Fontaine, Michael Fairley 52.8

GROSS



2nd - Ray Perez, Taylor Smith,
Rodes Bowers, Brock Healy, 59

NAUGHTY FLIGHT



1st - Tom Lutz, Mason Lutz,
Ransom Lutz, Rhys Lutz 53.4



2nd - Tom Coughlin, Clark Avery,
Michael Bryant, Richard Ryan 54.6

NICE FLIGHT



1st - Don Landers, Larry Englander,
Bob Frost, Bill Rumble 54.



3rd - Alex Urban, Jamie Urban, Hannah
Gomach, Eric Gomach 54.



4th - Matt Kubis, Jack Benson, Chad
Kunstel, Joe Lindenmayer 56.2



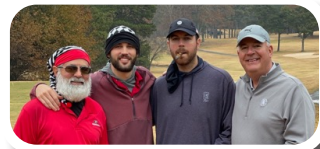
2nd - Bubba Gwyn, Paul Lukacs,
Christie Gwyn, Cole Fontaine 55



3rd - Michael Sole, Kevin Branford,
Jay Sanders, Ben LaPointe 55.2



5th - Andrew Ishoy, Chris Trocchio,
Richard Pentecost, Cliff Leach 56.6



4th - Glen Brody, Camyrn Brody,
Paul Bauer, Dylan Bauer 55.4

CLOSE UPS

- 4: Bill Rumble 3'7"
- 8: Rawd McArthur 11'9"
- 11: Dave Oster 7'1"
- 14: Greg Hamilton 3'11"



1st - Tom Lutz, Mason Lutz,
Ransom Lutz, Rhys Lutz 53.4

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BERKELEY SENIOR CORNER

January, 2023

Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to all.

Holiday Gathering

The BHSMGA hosted its annual Holiday gathering on the evening of December 8th.

We had 31 members in attendance and 28 of those guests stayed for dinner, The evening was enjoyed by all. Based on requests by the group we are considering similar events at other times of the year.

NASMGGA Schedule 2023:

Tuesday, March 28: Berkeley Hills, ABCD, 2 Best Net
Tuesday, April 25: Eagle Watch ABCD, 1 Gross and 1 Net
Tuesday, May 23: St. Ives, ABCD, Count 2,2, 1
Monday, June 12: McLemore, Play Day, pick your own foursome
Tuesday, June 27: Atlanta National, TBD
Monday, June 24: White Columns, ABCD, 1 Gross, 1 Net
Monday, August 21: Fairways of Canton, TBD
Thursday, September 14: C.C. of Roswell, 2 Man Team
Wednesday, October 11: Woodmont, Stroke Play Championship

Match Play: Berkeley Seniors 2023:

Schedule to be developed in January.

Remaining Weekday Berkeley Senior Tournament Schedule for 2022:

Due to inclement weather the Senior Santa Claus Open was cancelled for 2022. Thank you to all who donated gifts for the needy children. Your donations will go a long way to making someone's Christmas.

Weekday Berkeley Senior Tournament Schedule for 2023

March 8: Senior Two Man Best Ball
April 12: Senior Stable-Ford
July 19: Senior One Day Member Guest
September 6: Weekday Senior Club Championship
October 11-12 Senior Ringer Tournament
December 6: Senior Santa

BHSMGA dues will remain the same for 2023. A \$50 fee will be added to each member's Berkeley bill in January or February. Be on the lookout.

Check out our website at www.bhcc-senior-mens-golf.org

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Tennis News

Tennis court reservations and guest policy:

To reserve a court/courts please use one of the three options:

1. Call the tennis pro shop at 770-449-8656
2. Email the tennis pro shop at tennis@berkeleyhillsc.org
3. Text Todd at 770-634-5002

When you make the reservations, please let me know how many non members will be utilizing the tennis courts (including children). The tennis guest fee is \$5/player.

BALL MACHINE TO RENT

Please email tennis@berkeleyhillsc.org to make your reservation.
\$20.00/hour

Black Friday Deal all throughout January:

Purchase a package of 6 tennis lessons
and receive a 7th lesson free!!!

Please email tennis@berkeleyhillsc.org to purchase gift certificate package.

STROKE OF THE WEEK

Day/Time: Thursdays & Saturdays 10:30-11:30am

January Dates: 1/05/23 & 1/07/23, 1/12/23 & 1/14/23, 1/19/23 & 1/21/23, 1/26/23 & 1/28/23

Cost: \$20/player

Limit: 6 per hour

Sign up by emailing Todd at tennis@berkeleyhillsc.org

ENDURO/ CARDIO DRILLS

Day/Time: THURSDAYS 6:30-7:30

January Dates: 1/5/23, 1/12, 1/19, 1/26

Cost: \$20/player

Limit: 6 per hour

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ALTA

ALL ALTA PLAYERS: Early JANUARY Deadlines for the Spring 2023 ALTA Rosters. Spring ALTA registration opens on January 1st!! Please renew your ALTA dues for 2023 today to facilitate roster submissions. Go to www.altatennis.org to renew today!

Winter 2023 Mixed C Team

Captain: Estella Ryan

Co- Captain: Joe Ryan

Season: January 8 –February 19

Playoffs to follow



Winter 2023 ALTA Home Match Schedule

Sunday, January 9	1:00pm	Ryan vs. Flowers Crossing
Sunday, January 22	1:00pm	Ryan vs. Medlock Bridge
Sunday, February 5	1:00pm	Ryan vs. Wildwood
Sunday, February 12	1:00pm	Ryan vs. St. Ives

BERKELEY HILLS COUNTRY CLUB JUNIOR TENNIS CLINIC SCHEDULE January

There will be (4) weeks of Junior clinics offered in January. In case of inclement weather, all clinics will be rescheduled and completed. Clinics are designed to introduce and to continue learning/playing the game of tennis in a fun and enjoyable atmosphere. Proper technique and form for all strokes will be instructed as well as scoring. Emphasis will focus on eye-hand coordination, footwork, sportsmanship, stroke development and fun.

January dates: 1/7/23, 1/14/23, 1/21/23, 1/28/23 (Pro-rating is available)

Please register for the clinics by emailing Todd at tennis@berkeleyhillsc.org

YOUNG GUNS

Ages: 5-6.5 yrs.

Day/Time: Saturday 1:00-1:45pm

Cost: \$60 (members), \$70 (guests) for 4 week January session

FUTURE STARS

Ages: 7-11 yrs.

Day/Time: Saturday 12:00 - 1:00pm

Cost: \$66 (members), \$76 (guests) for 4 week January session



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BERKELEY HILLS COUNTRY CLUB TENNIS



WEEKLY ADULT TENNIS ACTIVITIES

STROKE OF THE WEEK

Focus will be on one individual shot for the entire hour.

THURSDAYS & SATURDAYS

10:30-11:30am beginning in December.

December Dates: 12/8 & 12/10 (forehands), 12/15 & 12/17 (backhands)

January 2023 Dates: 1/05 & 1/07, 1/12 & 1/14, 1/19 & 1/21, 1/26 & 1/28

ENDURO / CARDIO DRILLS

Challenging and fast-moving drills and games.

THURSDAYS

6:30-7:30

December Dates: 12/8, 12/15

January 2023 Dates: 1/5, 1/12, 1/19, 1/26

Cost: \$20/player

Limit: 6 per hour

Sign up by emailing Todd at tennis@berkeleyhillsc.org

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Toys for Tots Mixer



Don't throw away your old tennis balls! Please bring your tired old tennis balls and put them in our tennis ball recycle bin at the tennis shop. These balls will be used for schools, nursing homes and pet owners.

Have your Racquet repairs done before Winter Season begins! Tune up your racquet with a new grip and strings. All repairs completed within 24 hours or same day service if requested

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Membership Application Party

Thank you to all our Berkeley Members for all your Support!



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Upcoming Member Events

Get Ready to Swing!

Jazz Vocalist **Adam Komesar** brings his **One Man Tribute** to **Frank Sinatra** and the music of The Big Band Era to Berkeley Hills.

Along the way, Adam throws in hits from Motown, the 60's and the 70's and will DJ after dinner with music that is guaranteed to get every one up and dancing!

Friday, January 20th
from 6:00 - 9:00 pm



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Club Calander this Month!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 <i>New Year's Day</i> 9 AM shotgun Club CLOSED	2 Clubhouse/Fitness 7:00 am-7:00pm Food Service 7:30 am – 6:30pm Bar Service 7:30 am – 7:00pm	3 <i>Club Closed</i>	4 Clubhouse/Fitness 7:00 am- 7:00 pm Food Service 11:00 am- 3:00pm Bar Service 11:00 am- 7:00pm	5 Clubhouse/Fitness 7:00 am-9:00pm Food Service 11:00 am- 9:00pm	6 Clubhouse/Fitness 7:00 am-9:00pm Food Service 11:00 am- 9:00pm	7 Clubhouse/Fitness 7:30 am-7:00pm Food Service 7:30 am-6:30pm Bar Service 7:30 am – 7:00pm
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