



Renovated Grille Room Lobby

March 2016

Urbana Country Club News



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UCC Winter Clubhouse Hours

- Monday:** Clubhouse Closed
- Tuesday:** 11 am - 1:30 pm
- Wednesday:** 11 am - 1:30 pm
- Thursday:** 11 am - 8:30 pm
- Friday:** 11 am - 9 pm
- Saturday:** 5 pm - 9 pm
- Sunday:** 9 am - 1:30 pm

We're still waiting on a few things to complete the renovations, but so far everyone that has seen the new space is very impressed.

The art and historic photos were hung last week and they look great. If you know anyone in the pictures, please let us know as we are still hoping to identify as many past members of UCC in the photos as we can.

For anyone who hasn't been in since we reopened, we have a new wine dispensing system that allows us to have 8 bottles of wine on "draft" that stay fresh a lot longer, as they are exposed to very little air. You can either get a 3oz or a 6oz glass of wine.

We also added three drafts to our beer selection. We pre-ordered kegs in December so we could get some unique brews from breweries in Illinois, Michigan and a few others that

are hard to get. Right now we have a few IPAs, but we will replace those with wheat and amber beers as we get closer to summer. Please ask for a sample of any or all of the beers!

Our committees have met at least two times already this year and we hope to have some new parties and improvements that have come from talking to our members. If you have suggestions for anything related to the club, please contact a manager or anyone listed on the committees.

Lastly, if you know you are coming to the club, we would love to know as much in advance as possible. To provide the level of service we hope to give, having the right amount of staff is very important. Some nights we have too many servers standing around waiting to see if we get a lot of "walk-ins". When members show up it's great, but if they don't we waste time and labor. If you could let us know you are coming out even by 4pm that would help a lot. Please call 367-8449 for reservations and thank you in advance!

Valentine's Dining

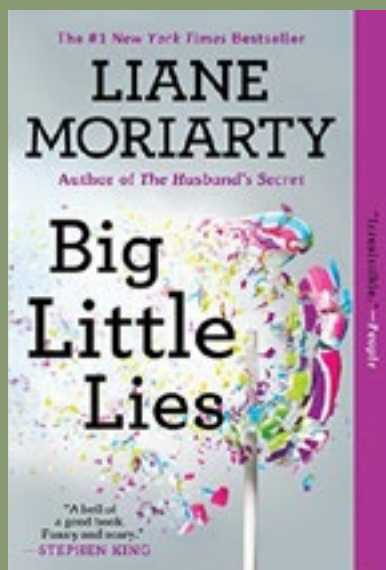


CHEF'S CORNER



March Book Club

The next selection for the UCC book club is *Big Little Lies* by Liane Moriarty. The book club meets on **Thursday, March 30th at 6:00pm.**



We hope that you will join us for brunch this Easter. We will have our traditional Easter buffet with seating beginning at 11:00 and finishing with a 1:00 seating. The Easter egg hunt will take place at 12:00 noon. The buffet will feature prime rib, local leg of lamb from Midwest Lamb in Charleston, fresh fish, eggs benedict, French toast, oysters, shrimp cocktail, assorted desserts and much more. Let us take care of you on this special holiday and show off our new clubhouse at the same time. Easter falls on the Sunday at the end of Spring break this year and when that has happened in the past we often have people forget to reserve a spot before it's too late. There isn't a nicer atmosphere in town so please reserve your spot early.

We are at the beginning of what will be a new era at Urbana Country Club. I can't tell you how proud I am to be a part of this club and how much I look forward to the exciting year ahead. I am so glad that the renovations are for the most part complete and our team can focus our full energy on providing you with great service and a fresh outlook on programming and services.

Hope to see you at the club.

Sincerely,
Chef Wes

Bridge Players

Looking for bridge players! Club Bridge meets every Tuesday. Lunch is at 12:00 noon with bridge immediately following. Please call the office at 344-8670 if you are interested in playing.

Committee Note

Mrs. Linda Sloat was unfortunately omitted from the Social Committee roster. She will be the chair for the tennis group. If you have suggestions or comments about the tennis program, please contact her.

From the **GOLF SHOP**

Spring is right around the corner so hopefully we can get the golf course open by the middle of this month. Once the golf course does open, guest fees will be half price through April 10th. Jeans will be allowed until that time also.

There are a couple rule changes I would like to make you aware of as we head into the season. **First**, we have incorporated an unaccompanied guest fee. You may call and set up a tee time for guests but if you don't play with them they will be charged an additional \$35 on top of the regular fees. **Secondly**, we would like for you to call ahead if you have guests coming so we can better prepare for their arrival, i.e. bag drop and guest locker if they would like one. Also remember to check your guest in by name before heading out to play.

Once again this season Titleist will be doing their ProV1 and ProV1x promotion. This incredible deal is buy three dozen get the fourth dozen free. Each order includes an imprint of up to three lines in your choice of ink color. Don't miss this great opportunity to get stocked up on the number one ball in all of golf. This promotion runs the month of March and ends on Masters Sunday. If you would like to place an order or have any questions don't hesitate to ask. I have the list of all of last year's orders so let me know how I can help.

The tentative 2016 golf calendar is out and will be posted on our new bulletin board as well as online. That's right the new bulletin board is up and in the hallway outside the golf shop. It will be full of information as well as signups by this time next month. If you miss an email or have any questions about upcoming events, all of the information will be posted there.

I'm looking forward to another great season here at UCC and hope to see you all very soon,

Frank



2016 URBANA COUNTRY CLUB GOLF CALENDAR

APRIL

Sat. & Sun., April 23-24
Central Illinois Amateur

MAY

Wednesday, May 4
Ladies' League begins

Thursday, May 5
Men's League begins

Saturday, May 14
Steph Wetzel fundraiser
1:00 shotgun start

Sunday, May 22
Rally for the Cure opening
9:00 shotgun start

Friday, May 27
Longshadown 9-hole social
Early evening start

Sunday, May 29
18-hole couple's event
1:00 shotgun start

JUNE

Monday, June 6
Loman Ray outing

Fri. & Sat., June 10-11
Men's Member Guest

Friday, June 17
Longshadow Guest Day

Tuesday, June 21
18-hole Round Robbin
8:30 shotgun start

JUNE CONTINUED

Sunday, June 26
Vic Isaksen Black Tee event

Monday, June 27
Presence Covenant outing

JULY

Friday, July 1
Longshadow 9-hole social

Monday, July 4
Flag Tourney

Sat. & Sun., July 9-10
Club Championships

Friday, July 15
Longshadow 9-hole social

Sunday, July 17
18-hole couple's event
1:00 shotgun start

Friday, July 29
Longshadow 9-hole social

Saturday, July 30
First round Men's Twin City

AUGUST

Wednesday, August 3
Ladies' Guest Day
1:30 shotgun start

Friday, August 12
Longshadow 9-hole social

Sunday, August 14
Couple's Club
Championship
1:00 shotgun start

AUGUST CONTINUED

Monday, August 15
Champaign County Farm
Bureau outing possible

Saturday, August 20
Men's Stag Day
1:00 shotgun start

Friday, August 26
Longshadow 9-hole social

Sunday, August 28
Parent-Child event
1:00 start

SEPTEMBER

Sun. & Mon., September 4-5
TUMS

OCTOBER

Sunday, October 2
Interclub vs. Danville
at Urbana CC
9:00 shotgun start

Saturday, October 15
Chili Open Par 3 golf course





Golf Membership Incentive Program

Thank you to all of our current members for your interest in helping your club grow. This incentive program is made to benefit both you, and your potential new members. Please contact the office at 217-344-8670 with any questions.

There are two programs available for adding new members or for past UCC members who have been absent for a minimum of two years.

NEW MEMBER INCENTIVES

GROUP DISCOUNTS

New members may join together in any combination of categories and form a group to receive a discount.* Discounts begin when three people join together and increase when the number in the group is larger at the time of signing. An existing member that recruits two or more new golf members to join at the same time may elect to forego the \$50/month member incentive and instead form a group to receive the group discount. Groups may not be combined in order to increase the group discount rate. Group additions will not be allowed to increase the size of the group and discount after the initial signing.

3-4 members in any golf category receive a 15% discount

5-8 members in any golf category receive a 20% discount

9 or more members in any golf category receive a 25% discount

If at any time, your group drops below the minimum number in your discount category, you must replace the member(s) within the next monthly billing cycle or your discount will be lost or modified.

Group discounts do not expire as long as at least 50% of the group remains intact from one year to the next. The group may only substitute or replace a member once per membership year.

**Social memberships may be used to help form groups for discounts, but will not receive a discount. Discounts are reserved for golf categories. Groups in this incentive program may contain a limited amount of Social memberships. Groups of three-four members may have one Social member, groups of five-eight members are allowed up to two Social members, and groups of nine or more are allowed up to three Social members.*

CURRENT MEMBER INCENTIVES

\$50 OFF MONTHLY BILL

We are offering existing UCC members \$50/month off of their dues for each new golfing member (Standard, Single Standard, Junior I, or Junior II) that they recruit. They receive the discount for as long as the new member stays a member up to 24 months. An existing UCC Standard, Single Standard, or Junior II member may receive up to \$200/month in discounts while all other existing UCC members are limited to \$100/month in total discounts. The \$50 discount may be kept or shared.

CURRENT SOCIAL MEMBER UPGRADE

If an existing Social member decides to upgrade to a golf category, that member will receive a \$50 monthly discount for two years.

LEGACY PROGRAM

A \$25 monthly discount is offered for a child or grandchild of a current-year UCC member joining in any golf category.

All current members who fall under the legacy program will begin receiving the reduction starting April 1, 2016.

NEW MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

JUNIOR SOCIAL \$150/month

Ages 35 and under receive the same privileges of a regular Social membership.

SENIOR SOCIAL \$150/month

Ages 75 and above receive the same privileges of a regular Social membership.



UPCOMING UCC BIRTHDAYS

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| Rebecca Hoff 3/1 | Joda Crabtree 3/16 | Cole Lener 3/24 |
| Melissa Hogan 3/1 | Christopher Evangelisti 3/16 | Nancy Morse 3/24 |
| Sinead Madigan 3/2 | Sharon Manion 3/16 | Jon Monahan 3/25 |
| Cathy Moe 3/2 | Jane Green 3/17 | Kay Greene 3/26 |
| Beth Arndt 3/3 | Ginger Mohr 3/17 | J. L. Brown 3/27 |
| Reagan Lee 3/3 | Donna O'Brien 3/17 | Kelli Collins 3/27 |
| Michael Postula 3/3 | Jeanene Stephens 3/17 | Paul Deckard 3/27 |
| Marcia Reed 3/3 | MacKenzie Franzen 3/18 | Brett Englehardt 3/27 |
| Patrick Leary 3/4 | Connie Knight 3/18 | Matthew Fejes 3/27 |
| Michael Small 3/4 | Nancy Merz 3/18 | E. Richard Ensrud 3/28 |
| Linda Jones 3/6 | Blake Weaver 3/18 | Miranda Facer 3/28 |
| Rachel Hartman 3/7 | Jacob Oltean 3/19 | Kathryn Bock 3/29 |
| Jeanne McMurray 3/7 | J. Robert Fleming 3/20 | Jay Price 3/30 |
| Donald Fitzgerald 3/9 | Jessica Hood 3/21 | Lance Dittrich 3/31 |
| Sidnie Smith 3/10 | Carmen Kirby 3/21 | James Reed 3/31 |
| Jacob Franklin 3/11 | Mitchell McHale 3/21 | Edwin Scharlau 3/31 |
| Debra Hartman 3/11 | Mark Anderson 3/22 | Drew Smith 3/3 |
| Tucker Strang 3/13 | Amy Lee 3/22 | |
| Joseph Ahearn 3/15 | Jedd Swisher 3/22 | |
| Andrew Arteaga 3/15 | Donna Giertz 3/23 | |
| Robert Rozanski 3/15 | Callan Lener 3/24 | |

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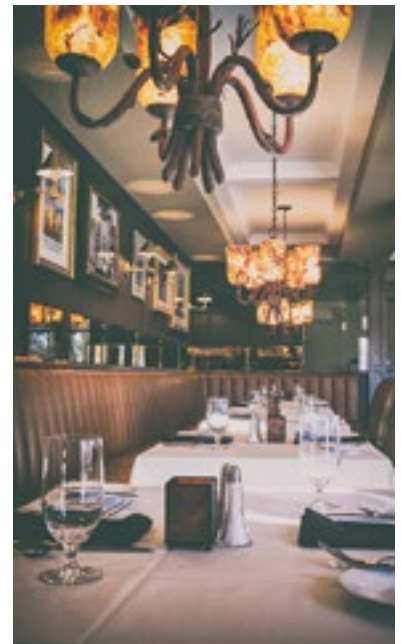
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