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Coharie Almost Wins Interclub Crown

Coharie came close, but in the end our boys had to settle for second place in the annual Carolinas Interclub Championship, which was held Nov. 7-8 at Pine Needles Lodge & Golf Club in Southern Pines, NC.

After reaching the "Final Four" among the 62 teams from North and South Carolina that started the matches last April, Coharie reached the championship match by defeating Stoney Creek GC on Saturday in a sudden-death playoff.

On Sunday, however, our guys took an early lead against River Hills CC of Lake Wylie, SC before bowing 19-17. It was the second Interclub Championship for River Hills, which also won in



Photo courtesy of the Carolinas Golf Association

Members of the Coharie Interclub team are (l-r) the Waters brothers Will and Stephen (or vice versa), Marvin Mitchell, Randy Wiggins, Chris Eaves (hiding behind Randy), Michael Mason, Smokey Norris, Ashley Odum, Greg Thornton, Jeff Heath, captain Jackie Parrish, Jack Parrish Jr., and Coharie professional Dickie Walters.

2002.

The "Final-Four" format involved 12 players from each club

competing in Four-Ball (best ball) and Individual Singles Matches with the most cumulative points

determining the champion. Two points were

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Christmas at Coharie



MIDDLE SCHOOL DANCE, DEC. 11TH, 8-11 P.M.

All middle school members of Coharie may attend and may invite up to three (3) guests. The cost is \$10 per person. Call or email the club with names and addresses of guests by 5 p.m. on Dec.1.

The following members will host the pre-party parties: Spell Carr (6th grade), Aaron Viser (7th grade), and Lillie Turlington (8th grade). Ties for boys and party dresses for girls. Contact these families if you can help out in any way.

SENIOR HIGH DANCE, DEC. 12TH, 9 P.M. - MIDNIGHT

Place your name on the list early! Price to attend is \$10.00 on or before December 1st and \$15.00 after December 1st.

Coharie Members must call or email their invited guest name(s) to club office. Member accounts will be charged.

MOVIE NIGHT FOR KIDS, DEC. 18TH

On Dec. 18th, members and their children are invited to enjoy dinner and the movie "Polar Express."

So wear your pj's and come to Coharie. The price is \$12 per person, which includes: dinner, movie, popcorn, cookies & cocoa.

MEMBERS' CHRISTMAS PARTY & DANCE, DEC. 19TH

This **MEMBERS ONLY** function promises to be a good one, so make your reservations now.

performance at 9 p.m.

The evening begins with a cocktail dinner buffet at 7 p.m., while the Pizzaz Band kicks off its

Cost for the evening is \$60/per couple.

Please make your reservations by December 11th.



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Coharie Winds Up 2nd in Carolinas Interclub

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awarded for a singles win and two points in each four-ball match.

On Saturday, River Hills advanced to the Championship round by playing flawless golf in defeating the team from Cramer Mountain CC (Cramerton, NC) **32 – 4**.

In the second semi-final match, Coharie CC (Clinton, NC) and Stoney Creek GC (Stoney Creek, NC) battled to an **18 – 18** tie. With the first five groups complete, Stoney Creek led **17 – 13**, but could manage only 1 point from their final pairing thus setting up a sudden-death playoff.

The playoff involved the two lowest players from each team playing for 6 match points per hole, and lasted one hole when Coharie's Jonathan Williams and teammate Will Waters captured 4 points from Stoney Creek's Jason Napier and Shaler Chewning.

In the Championship match on Sunday, Coharie took the early lead when their first group recorded a **4 – 2** win. They maintained the advantage through the next four groups and held a narrow margin (**16 – 14**) with the final group to decide who would win

the championship. Playing in the final match, Matt Boepple and Paul Thomas had secured at least a tie for River Hills after winning both individual matches (4&3 and 3&2 respectively). With a 2 up lead on the four-ball match, and needing only a tie on one of the remaining three holes, Paul Thomas two putted the par-3 16th to tie Will Waters and claim the 2009 Interclub Championship.

The Carolinas Interclub Team Matches, created by Ben Payne of Greensboro, started in 1996. The CGA began

conducting them in 2006. Jackie Parrish served as captain of the Coharie team, with a strong assist from professional Dickie Walters.

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Yow Has A Good Finish In CGA Senior Event

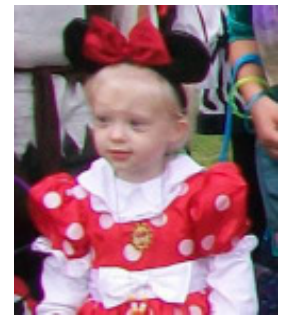
Coharie's Bob Yow tied for 20th overall and fourth in his age bracket in the Carolinas PGA's Greensboro Senior Open at Greensboro CC's Irving Park course, Nov. 16-17.

Yow posted a 7-over par total of 149 (73-76). He won \$115 in merchandise for his fourth-place finish among amateurs in the 56-60 age bracket.

HALLOWEEN HAYRIDE AT COHARIE



There were a couple of ghouls and goblins at the Halloween Hayride, but mostly our young members simply came as superheroes and just plain cuties.



Coharie's Chris Eaves A Winner in Carolinas Pro-Scratch

Congratulations to Non-Resident member Chris Eaves, who recently captured his second major championship in the last two months.

In October, Eaves and partner Brent Parrish won the Carolinas Golf Association's North Carolina Four-Ball Championship at Keith Hills CC in Buies Creek.

Then, early this month, Chris teamed up with professional Mike Townsend of Wilmington to win the Carolinas PGA Pro-Scratch Championship at Eagle Point Golf Club in Wilmington. Townsend is an assistant pro at the club, where Eaves also has a membership.

Eaves and Townsend shot 64-67-131 in the four-ball stroke play event to win by five shots over the second-place team. The runnerup squad consisted of Townsend's boss, Eagle Point Director of Golf Billy Anderson and amateur partner Walker Taylor.

Their first-round, 8-under-par 64, which gave them a four-stroke lead, included seven birdies, an eagle and a lone bogey.

Eagle Point, which opened in

Assorted Golf News



Photo courtesy of the Carolinas PGA

Coharie member Chris Eaves (L) and Mike Townsend hold their Pro-Scratch trophy.

2002, is a Tom Fazio designed course with fast greens and lush fairways surrounded by deep rough and tidal marshes.

Walters Team Gets Win In Woodmen of World Event

The team of Tony Walters

(Dickie's dad), Phil Walters, William Carter and Sam Baker combined to shoot a 15-under-par 57 to win the Woodmen of the World Four-Person Superball on Tuesday, Nov. 10.

They wound up winning the First Flight by a two stroke margin over Michael Cox, Richie Cox, Paul Powers and Dennis Powers.

Lunch was provided to the contestants after the round.

THE RESULTS

First Flight

57 – Phil Walters, Tony Walters, William Carter, Sam Baker (1st).
59 – Michael Cox, Richie Cox, Paul Powers, Dennis Powers (2nd).
60 – David Moore, Eric Pilson, Ricky Guyer, Dusty Carpenter (3rd).

Second Flight

64 – Jack Yates, Mark Hariston, Willie Wilkins, Alan Roberts (1st).
64 – Ryan Blake, Jeremy Autry, Aaron Cain, Chuck Hardison (2nd).
65 – Larry Heustess, Turner Coleman, Wade Coleman (3rd)

Third Flight

69 – Billy Haws, Tony Padgett, Jeff Harrell, Ricky Padgett (1st).
70 – John Crawford, Wes Stocks, Jeff Lane, Bobby Brock (2nd).
71 – Larry Bell, Carrie Bell, Jerry Temple, Bill Daughtry (3rd).

Closest to the Pin: No. 4, Phil Walters; No. 6, William Carter; No. 10, Rob Conway; No. 15, J.J. Johnson.

Long Drive on No. 3: Jay Floyd.

Southern Bank/D&R Team Takes Bill Johnson Event

A team representing Southern Bank and D&R Auto Sales posted a 14-under-par 58 to win First Flight honors in the Sampson Community College Foundation's "Sampson Classic – William M. "Bill" Johnson Jr. Invitational" on Nov. 12th.

The winning team consisted of Mike Gupton, representing Southern Bank; Ronnie Williams, owner of D&R Auto Sales; along with John Larkin Spell and Jeffery Spell.

They finished two strokes ahead of the Lakewood Country Club team that consisted of professional Karl Thurber, Phillip Smoak, Ken Curvin and Robby James.

The four-person superball event included a ham and biscuit breakfast and lunch after the competition.

THE RESULTS

First Flight

58 – (Southern Bank/D&R Auto Sales), Mike Gupton, John Larkin Spell, Jeffery Spell, Ronnie Williams (1st).
60 – (Lakewood CC), Karl Thurber, Phillip Smoak, Ken Curvin, Robby James (2nd).
61 – (Ivanhoe Blueberries), Ashley Odum, Brandon Williams, Dan Aycock, Stephen Waters (3rd).
62 – (Butler & Faircloth), Sprunt Hill, Don Hill, Eddie Radford, Doug Benson (4th).

Second Flight

58 – (Max Tew Team), Max Tew, Jerry Worley, Ricky Worley, Dax Register (1st).

62 – (Sessom's Jewelry), Gary Wayne Hall, Kenneth Chase, Pat Jones, J.C. Cashwell (2nd).

62 – (New Century Bank), Rex Moody, Marvin Mitchell, Ann Thornton, Kim Boyette (3rd).

63 – (Faircloth Team), Jason Faircloth, Harold Woodall, Steve Branch, Rick Reece (4th).

Third Flight

60 – (Fetterman Team), Harold Godwin, Joey Warren, Marshall Ezzell, Oryan Lowery (1st).

64 – (Tony Walters Team), Tony Walters, Phil Walters, Adam Walters, Anthony Bailey (2nd).

67 – (Bobby Robinson Team), Bobby Robinson, Tommy Combs, Charles Gainey, Greg Gainey (3rd).

67 – (ASH Team), Stan Roberts, Tommy Tucker, Everette Griffin, Gordon Carroll (4th).

Fourth Flight

66 – (Edward Jones), Bryan Griffin, Ed Gunter, Ray Teachey (1st).

67 – (BB&T), Alan Breedlove, Tracey Tundall, Clay Pope (2nd).

68 – (Schindler Elevator), Whit Tart, Stanley Matthews, Tom Hendricks, Chris Almond (3rd).

68 – (GO Automotive), Chris Fann, Steve Stefanovich, Nash Johnson, Will Carter (4th).

Closest to the Pin: No. 4, Gary Wayne Hall; No. 6, Jason Faircloth; No. 10, Oryan Lowery; No. 15, Greg Thornton.

Long Drive on No. 3: Roy Brown.

Waters, Heard, Williams, Reece Win Thanksgiving Shootout

The team of Will Waters, Jon Heard, Ronnie Williams and Rick Reece amassed 137 points to win the Thanksgiving Shootout at Coharie CC on Friday, Nov. 27.

Head professional Dickie Walters created teams using an A, B, C, D format based on skill level. Players earned points based on the following formula: 1 point for a bogey, 2 points for a par, 3 for a birdie, 5 for an eagle and 7 for a hole in one. All points a player made counted toward the team total.

Finishing second with 128 points were Jeff Heath, Jim Cris, Brandon Williams, Mike Gupton and Richard Pearson.

THE RESULTS

137 pts. – Will Waters, Jon Heard, Ronnie Williams, Rick Reece (1st).

128 pts. – Jeff Heath, Jim Cris, Brandon Williams, Mike Gupton, Richard Pearson (2nd).

127 pts. – Jeffery Spell, Michael Mason, Randy Barefoot, Jamie Royal (3rd).

126 pts. – Jonathan Williams, Reed Williams, Steve Williams, Bill Pope (4th).

105 pts. – Steve Wiggins, Smokey Norris, Randy Folger, Bill Springer, Tom Turlington (5th).

Closest to the Pin: No. 4, Smokey Norris; No. 6, Richard Pearson; No. 10, Jim Cris; No. 15, Jeffery Spell.

Skins Winners: No. 4, Smokey Norris with a birdie 2; No. 7, Jonathan Williams with a birdie 3; No. 8, Jeffery Spell with a birdie 4; No. 13, Jonathan Williams with an eagle 3.

Men's Golf Association to Reorganize

Since mid-April of 2008, the Coharie Men's Golf Association has been the creation and pet project of Coharie member **Randy Barefoot**. He came up with the idea of an organization to support the golf course operation and to beautify the club's grounds.

As president of the CMGA, Barefoot has been tireless in his efforts, and deserves a big round of applause from the entire membership for his work, which has included fund-raisers for purchasing water coolers on the course, laying sod in bare spots and so many other projects.

Unfortunately, Randy is also an officer of the country club, currently serving as Vice-President. If things work out as they usually do, he will be elected as Club President in 2010. With that burden on him, members of the CMGA decided that the group should reorganize and has issued the following directive:

Men's Golf Association's Purpose

The Association's threefold purpose is: (1) to promote the game of golf at Coharie CC; (2) to assist with golf functions and golf-related activities at Coharie CC; (3) to provide funds and labor to enhance the golf course and grounds at Coharie CC.

Men's Golf Association's Rules of Operation

- Officers shall consist of a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer. These officers will comprise the association's board of directors, along with two members elected by association members.
- The general manager of the club shall act as a liaison between the association and the club's Board of Directors.
- All monies shall be receipted by the association's treasurer.
- Any funds expended shall be authorized by vote of the members and signed by the president and treasurer.
- All projects and fund-raisers will be brought before the membership and approved by a majority vote of the members present. The club's board of directors must approve all projects and fund-raisers conducted by the association.
- No project will be allowed to begin until the funds are available.
- Annual dues (Jan. 1-Dec. 31) are \$25 per member.
- The date and time of the association's regular meetings shall be designated by a majority vote of the members.
- There will be a certain number of major fund-raisers per year with a designated project attached.

The CMGA'S NEXT MEETING IS SET FOR THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10TH IN THE CLUB'S LOUNGE AT 7 P.M.

Dates to Remember in December

Tuesday, December 1st

LUNCH SPECIAL: Caribbean roast pork sandwich with potato wedges..

DINNER SPECIALS: **Chef Special: Chicken and steaks.**

Friday, December 4th

LUNCH SPECIAL: Chicken parmesan served over angel hair pasta.

Sunday, December 6th

SUNDAY BUFFET (Ginny Evans): Fried chicken, roast pork loin, fresh steamed spinach with butter, wild rice pilaf, candied yams, country-style corn, salad bar, tea, water, coffee and assorted desserts..*

Tuesday, December 8th

LUNCH SPECIAL: Chopped steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, collards.

DINNER SPECIALS: **Chef Special: Chicken and steaks.**

Friday, December 11th

LUNCH SPECIAL: Barbecue pork sandwich with coleslaw and sweet potato fries.

Sunday, December 13th

SUNDAY BUFFET (Lila Parker): Fried chicken, turkey breast and dressing, ham, assorted vegetables, assorted desserts and salads.*

Tuesday, December 15th

LUNCH SPECIAL: Pork and pepper sandwich with fries.
DINNER SPECIALS: **Chef Special: Chicken and steaks.**

Friday, December 18th

LUNCH SPECIAL: Chimichanga served with Spanish rice.

Sunday, December 20th

SUNDAY BUFFET (Ginny Evans): Roast beef, boneless chicken breast with garlic cream sauce, buttered mashed potatoes, honey glazed carrots, garden peas, shrimp & rice jumbalaya, rolls, butter, salad bar, tea, water, coffee, desserts.*

Tuesday, December 22nd

LUNCH SPECIAL: Shepherd's pie and cornbread.
DINNER SPECIALS: **Chef Special: Chicken and steaks.**

Sunday, December 27th

SUNDAY BUFFET (Lila Parker): Fried chicken, barbecue chops, pot roast with vegetables, assorted vegetables, desserts and salads.*

Tuesday, December 29th

LUNCH SPECIAL: Italian roast beef or hoagie roll.
DINNER SPECIALS: **Chef Special: Chicken and steaks.**

* All Sunday Buffets include salad & dessert buffet. Price: Adults \$12.95; Kids (12 & under) \$6.95

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
HOLIDAY HOURS Please be aware that all operations at Coharie CC will close at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 24th and will remain closed all day on Christmas Day, December 25th. Operations will resume on Saturday, December 26th.		1 Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM Dinner 6-8:30 Garden Club	2 Lunch Regular Menu 11:30-2:00 PM	3 Lunch Sirloin Special 11:30-2:00 PM Private Dinner	4 Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM Private Dinner	5 Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM Breakfast with Santa
6 Sunday Buffet 12:00-2:00 PM Lila Parker	7 Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM Private Luncheon	8 Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM Dinner 6-8:30	9 Lunch Regular Menu 11:30-2:00 PM	10 Lunch Sirloin Special 11:30-2:00 PM Red Hat Lunch Private Dinner	11 Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM Middle School Dance	12 Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM High School Dance
13 Sunday Buffet 12:00-2:00 PM Lila Parker	14 Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM	15 Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM Dinner 6-8:30 Private Luncheon	16 Lunch Regular Menu 11:30-2:00 PM	17 Lunch Sirloin Special 11:30-2:00 PM	18 Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM Movie Night for Kids	19 Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM Members' Christmas Dance
20 Sunday Buffet 12:00-2:00 PM Ginny Evans	21 Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM	22 Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM Dinner 6-8:30	23 Lunch Regular Menu 11:30-2:00 PM	24 NO LUNCH!! Club Closed for CHRISTMAS EVE	25 NO LUNCH!! Club Closed for CHRISTMAS DAY	26 Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM
27 Sunday Buffet 12:00-2:00 PM Lila Parker	28 Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM	29 Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM Dinner 6-8:30 Southeastern Seniors Golf	30 Lunch Regular Menu 11:30-2:00 PM	31 Lunch Sirloin Special 11:30-2:00 PM	Jan 1, 2010 HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!	SOUP'S ON!!! Soup will be available for your din- ing pleasure at the club Monday through Friday each week.