

News from Coharie

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Cart Reminders

After paying your cart fee, but before you clamber into that golf cart and speed off to the first tee, make sure you know what the course's cart rules are. Are you allowed to drive the cart onto the fairway? Or does Randy have restrictions in place? Sometimes, the golf cart rules change day-to-day, depending on conditions. Here are a couple reminders of things you should never do in a golf cart:

- Never drive the cart within hazard boundary lines, or within about 10 yards of water hazards or bunkers, or within about 30 yards of greens, unless you're on a designated cart path. These areas are especially susceptible to damage by the wheels of golf carts. Never drive onto or close to tee boxes, either, unless on the cart path.
- Never drive the cart through mud, on or off the fairway.
- Never drive through casual water on any part of the golf course. The wheels of the cart can do serious damage to the turf, including leaving ruts, in wet areas.
- Never go joyriding off the club's property in the golf cart. People *do* get injured in cart accidents.
- Never drive off a cart path when the Pro Shop requests to: Keep Carts-on-paths "where applicable". If there is no paved cart path,

keep the cart in the rough. Over time, golf carts speed up soil compaction, which can lead to less-than-ideal growing conditions for turf grasses. And that can lead to less-than-ideal fairways for golfers. So even when "cart path only" is not in effect, it's a good idea to keep the cart on the designated path.

- Observe the 90 degree Rule: This means that the golf course is allowing carts onto the grass - but only at 90-degree angles from the cart path. In other words, don't drive the golf cart up the middle of the fairway from the tee box to your golf ball. Stay on the cart path until you are at the same distance as your golf ball, then turn off the cart path and drive straight to the ball.
- Always stay on the paths on designated par 3's
- Operators of golf carts must have a valid driving license and be a minimum of 16 years of age.
- Two riders per cart, per foursome. Cart Manufacturers have started installing computers that track rounds driven. Carts must be cycled evenly, or golf courses will have to pay for extraordinary wear and tear.
- Safety is always First! Always remain seated and keep your arms and legs inside the cart while the cart is in motion.

Hop To Coharie!



Easter is on the Way. Members children are invited to enjoy a fun Easter celebration. Children ages 18 months to 8 years will participate in the annual Easter egg hunt on the club

lawn. An exciting scavenger hunt will challenge kids 9 and up. Everyone will test their artistry with cookie decorating and play a game of chance.

Date: April 10th

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Only \$4.00 per child

Golf Tournaments

It's that time again, folks - time for Schindler to kick off its annual Relay For Life Golf Tournament! This will be our 11th go-around, and we can only continue this exciting event because of the contributions and participation from people like you. Last year's tournament was a tremendous success, with well over \$7,000 raised. We enjoyed seeing everyone in last year's event, and our welcome goes out to each of you to come and join us again this year. Your support brings us closer to giving new life to a child, spouse, or parent affected by cancer.

We will be holding the 11th Annual Relay For Life Tournament at **Coharie Country Club**, located at 101 Coharie Lane, off Hwy. 24 in Clinton, NC. We have reserved the date of **Saturday, March 19th**, with a "shotgun start" of 8:30 AM.

"The Wish Cup" golf tournament will be held at Coharie Country Club on Saturday, March 26, 2011. Proceeds of this tournament will benefit the Children's Miracle Network, the Make-A-Wish-Foundation and the Miss Greater Sampson County Scholarship Organization. Maria Jo Adams, Miss Greater Sampson County 2011, organizer of this event, can be reached by email at: mjadams@uncc.edu if you desire further information.



Carolinas Golf Association to Coharie

The Carolinas Golf Association will be conducting a two man best-ball tournament, officially known as a "ONE DAY FOUR-BALL" Tournament on April 2 at Coharie Country Club. The tournament is open to men, women and juniors, age 13 and up, who currently carry a CGA handicap card. The tournament will be a one o'clock shotgun start. Prizes will be based on net and gross scores. Thirty-eight teams will be accepted into the tournament. Entry fee is \$125 and includes cart, range, green fee and prizes. Entry deadline is March 14. This is an excellent opportunity to invite an out of town guest to showcase our club. To sign up, visit: www.carolinassoc.org or call the Pro Shop for more details.

News From The Pro

- Golf Tournaments:
 - March 17, 2011 Clinton High School's Golf Match starting at 2pm
 - March 19, 2011 Schindler's Relay for Life 9:00 am shotgun
 - March 26, 2011 Miss Greater Sampson County 9:00 am shotgun
 - March 29, 2011 Southeastern Seniors at 10:00 am
 - April 2, 2011 CGA 4-Ball event at 1:00pm. Sign up on the Carolinas Golf Association Website
 - Member-Member is scheduled for July 16 -17, 2011
 - Member-Guest is scheduled for August 12 -14, 2011
- Handicap fees will be added to March statement. Fee is \$20.00 per person.
- Range Club fees will be added to March statements. The fees are \$175 for individuals and \$225 for families
- Club Storage fees will be added to March statements for those who keep their clubs in the Pro Shop. Fee is \$60 per person.
- Lifeguard applications are being accepted now.
- Interclub Matches: If interested in playing in the 2011 interclub matches, sign up in the pro shop
- CGA Golf Night was held on Friday, February 11, 2011 at the Dunes Club in Myrtle Beach. Jonathan Williams and John Larkin Spell were recognized for winning the 4-Ball Event at River Landing. Coharie Country Club was recognized for their Interclub Championship. We have a nice picture frame that was presented to us by the CGA
- Greg Norris had a near perfect score on the USGA Exam in Atlanta, Georgia.
- Thanks to the outgoing board members for their hard work and dedication to Coharie County Club: Tommy Barker, club secretary and Eva Thornton, membership chairperson.
- The Lounge is offering a sale on select wine and beer bottles. We will also be offering Arnold Palmer's this month.

Hole # 1 Repair

The Coharie Men's Golf Association donated \$1,000 to fund the expenses for adding drainage to the bunkers on hole one, as well as installing drain lines in front of the green. With the help of the C.M.G.A., Randy Folger and his crew have been able to install drain lines in the bunkers of holes nine and eighteen. The old sand was removed and replaced with an U.S.G.A. grade sand that should make for better playability. Randy stated the bunkers on holes 9 and 18 have drained quickly after recent rain storms and are holding up well. Randy has finished the project on hole one and would like to thank all the members of the C.M.G.A. for their support.



Your Coharie Men's Golf Association at work to make the golf course the best it can possibly be.

Post Those Scores

The handicap committee would like to thank the golfing members for taking the time to post their scores in 2011. Although we still have a handful of golfers who have not posted any scores this year, the handicap committee is encouraged by the increased participation. The inter-club matches will be starting soon and having a current 2011 handicap is important.

Remember, you can also post your scores on-line at www.carolinagolf.org. If you have questions concerning on-line posting please contact the handicap committee at coharie-boy@hotmail.com.

Member Memos

March 17, CHS golf match @ 2 pm

March 19, Schindler "Relay for Life"
9 am shotgun

March 26, Greater Miss Sampson Tourn.
9am shotgun

March 29, Southeastern Seniors
10 am start

July 16-17, 2011

Member-Member Tournament

August 12-14, 2011

Member-Guest Tournament

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CCC Going Green

In an effort to reduce our use of paper and to cut down on postage, we are going green. Please forward your current email address to us in order to receive your statements and newsletters by electronic mail. Support our efforts to "GO GREEN" and provide your email address

MARCH 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		¹ Lunch Special 11:30-2:00 PM	² Lunch Special 11:30 –2:00 PM	³ Lunch Menu 11:30-2:00 PM Dinner 6-8:30	⁴ Lunch Blue Plate Special 11:30-2:00 PM	⁵ Lunch Limited Menu 11:30-2:00 PM
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Menus for March

Tuesday, March 1

Lunch Special: Meatloaf with mashed potatoes

Wednesday, March 2

Lunch Special: Spaghetti with garlic bread

Thursday, March 3

Lunch Special: No lunch special.

DINNER SERVICE

Sunday, March 6

SUNDAY BUFFET: (L & M) Fried chicken, ham, assorted vegetables

Tuesday, March 8

Lunch Special: Stuffed chicken

Wednesday, March 9

Lunch Special: Chicken marsala rice & vegetables

Thursday, March 10

Lunch Special: Hamburger steak with mashed potatoes

DINNER SERVICE

Sunday, March 13

SUNDAY BUFFET (Ginny Evans) Sliced prime rib in natural jus, boneless chicken tenders in roasted red pepper and garlic cream sauce, buttered mashed potatoes, garden peas, ginger glazed carrots

Tuesday, March 15

Lunch Special: Grilled beef tips

Wednesday, March 16

Lunch Special: Fried chicken sandwich with chips

Thursday, March 17

Lunch Special: BBQ back burger with chips

DINNER SERVICE

Sunday, March 20

SUNDAY BUFFET: (Ginny Evans) Southern fried chicken, chicken pastry, sliced ham, country style green beans, candied yams, rice pilaf

Tuesday, March 22

Lunch Special: Steak sandwich with chips

Wednesday, March 23

Lunch Special: BBQ sandwich with slaw & fries

Thursday, March 24

Lunch Special: Chicken quesadilla

DINNER SERVICE

Sunday, March 27

SUNDAY BUFFET : (L & M) Fried chicken, roast beef with vegetables, assorted vegetables

Tuesday, March 29

Lunch Special: Pizza

Wednesday, March 30

Lunch Special: Fried pork chop served with rice & beans

Thursday, March 31

Lunch Special: Chicken philly with chips

DINNER SERVICE