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March/April 2022

CHATMOSS COUNTRY CLUB

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ST PATRICK'S DAY PARTY CLUB EVENT

AND

March
17th

SHAMROCK
CLASSIC

4:30 Tee off
Call the Pro shop for details
638-7648
All levels of golf welcomed

Party starts @6:30
Reservations Requested



LIVE
MUSIC
BY MATT BOSWELL

Wednesday, March 9, 2022,
is the night for our first



Chatmass
Sweep
of the year

Don't miss your chance to win!!
The prize this month is \$100 credit
to your Club bill.

Must be present to win
Drawing at 6:30 pm
Please make reservations and
stay for dinner.
Call 638-2484 for reservations.



Easter Sunday Buffet

Sunday, April 17, 2022

Cold Food

Array of Cold Salads
Tossed Salad
Fresh Fruit Display
Cheese Display

Carving

Honey Glazed Ham
Roast Turkey
Turkey Gravy

Breakfast Items

Vegetable Frittata
Sausage/Bacon
Biscuits and Gravy

Hot Entrees

Baked Salmon with Dill Sauce
Roast Chicken

Starches

Macaroni & Cheese
Herb Roast Potatoes
Whipped Potatoes

Vegetables

Southern Green Beans
Broccoli Casserole
Mixed Steamed Vegetables

Rolls
Muffins

Assorted Cakes and Pies

Adults - \$26....4-12 - \$12....Three & Under Free

BUNNY BREAKFAST & EGG HUNT

Saturday, April 16, 2022

9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M.

Menu:

Hot Dishes

Scrambled Eggs, Biscuits & Gravy,
Applewood Bacon, Sausage, Cheesy Grits
Breakfast Potatoes, Waffle Bar with a
Variety of Toppings, Fresh Fruit Tray,
Assorted Yogurt

\$14 (13 years old up)

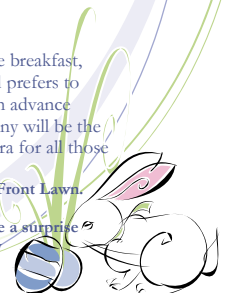
\$16 (3-12 years old)

\$7 (2 years and under)

The above prices for children include breakfast,
activities, and egg hunt. If your child prefers to
participate in the Egg Hunt only, an advance
reservation is required. The Easter Bunny will be the
here, too! So be sure to bring your camera for all those
great Easter pictures.

Egg Hunt is 11am (Sharp) on The Club's Front Lawn.

In the case of rain, all children will receive a surprise
gift bag from the Easter Bunny



Upcoming Events

MARCH

Annual Meeting
Tuesday, March 8

The Sweep Returns
Wednesday, March 9

SPCA Fur Bar
Saturday, March 12

St. Patrick's Day
Thursday, March 17

APRIL

Family Game Night
Saturday, April 2

Ladies Night
Wednesday, April 6

Masters' Party
Saturday, April 9

The Sweep
Wednesday, April 13

Bunny Breakfast
Saturday, April 16

Easter Brunch
Sunday, April 17

Administrative
Professionals' Day
Wednesday, April 27

Italian Wine Dinner
Thursday, April 28

MAY

Cinco de Mayo
Thursday, May 5

Kentucky Derby Party
Saturday, May 7

Mothers Day Buffet
Sunday, May 8

Member-Member
Tournament
May 21-22

A murder mystery is in the
planning.
Stay tuned for details.

Thoughts from the President _____

Dear Chatmoss Members:

Welcome to 2022 at Chatmoss Country Club! 2022 begins our 64th year as a private family oriented country club in Martinsville, Henry County.

February each year we are on the edge of our seats to see the furry Pennsylvania prognosticator look for his shadow to give us hope for an early spring. However, this year Chatmoss is bypassing the furry little rascal and making our own prediction. We are predicting six more weeks of great food, fun events, tennis, fitness, golf and a relaxing atmosphere surrounded by a friendly attentive staff.

Chatmoss has a new lunch menu which looks wonderful. Please come out and enjoy the new menu for lunch. There is a new dinner menu in the works which should be published soon. Stay tuned!

If you are fatigued of COVID, masks, social distancing and being locked down for two years call the office and make a reservation for lunch or dinner and enjoy a wonderful escape.

Soon we will move our clocks forward. This hints spring is on its way. The Shamrock Classic golf tournament on Saint Patrick's Day gets the ball rolling toward spring. The Shamrock tournament is always well attended and very much fun, save the date! Daylight savings time is also a good indicator that the start of the ladies' and men's golf league nights are not far behind! Very exciting!

Please keep an eye out for announcements about Masters Weekend at Chatmoss. And finally, the best indicator that spring has sprung is a visit from the Easter Bunny. The Bunny Brunch and egg hunt are always a very, very special events at Chatmoss for children, parents and grandparents. Join us!

Come out and enjoy a fabulous six weeks ahead at Chatmoss Country Club.

The Chatmoss annual meeting is scheduled for March 8, 2022 at 5:30 PM in the ballroom. Please plan to attend and stay for drinks and dinner.

Chatmoss Country Club is open for business and looking forward to a terrific 2022. The House Committee has been very busy planning several events for the next few months. Please watch for the event announcements via email and text. Please come out and enjoy the many facets the Club has to offer. Thank you for your continued support and thank you for making Chatmoss your first option in entertainment.

Join me at the Club!

Jim Farrell
President

Comments from the Clubhouse Manager _____

It is hard to believe that March will be here before we know it. With March, there will be hints of spring, and along with spring, come thoughts of Easter and the upcoming summer vacations. The House Committee will be planning events for the members, so watch for emails about those events for spring and summer.

Please make plans to attend the Annual Meeting at 5:30 pm on March 8. The meeting won't be too long, and members will enjoy hearing about

the Club's year and future plans to keep the Club healthy and busy. Your attendance will be appreciated.

On behalf of the staff, thanks to all the members for your continued support and for allowing us to serve you. It is always good to see you, and we look forward to serving you often.

Judy Chaney
Clubhouse Manager

Comments from the Operations Manager _____

After a snowy January warmer temperatures will be a welcome break. Spring is approaching and the club is poised for a successful year. Our various committees have planned fun events for the year and we hope you can participate. Whether it is an entry level tennis social or simply music on the back patio, please make arrangements to join us at Chatmoss.

The March schedule will include the Chatmoss Annual Meeting on the 8th. Also in March, we have the return of the Chatmoss Sweep, the SPCA Furball, and Shamrock Classic golf. The Shamrock golf will be followed by live music with St Patrick's Day beverages and food.

The April schedule has Family Game Night, a Masters Golf Party, the Bunny Breakfast, Easter Brunch and a tennis social. Thanks to all of the

involved committees for planning such a nice mix of events.

The Board of Governors and the management team will continue make improvements to the buildings and grounds in a responsible manner. New doors and carpeting have been installed at the Sports Complex. The clubhouse HVAC controls have been updated and the lighting and ceiling tiles have replaced in the bar. We realize that many areas need improvement and we will proceed with this course of action.

I thank you for your support and I hope to see you at the club soon.

P. C. Wells
Operations Manager

Welcome New Members

Ms. Deanna Johnston and sons,
Will and Luke

Tennis

As we so gradually move into the Spring season, I wanted to let all members know that one of our primary goals for this time period is to begin and complete the installation of our new clay courts to begin our 2022 outdoor clay court season. One thing to please keep in mind is that we will need mother nature to cooperate before we start the process. Our courts will need at least 4-5 days of good weather (and no freezing at night) to be able to lay down our fresh clay, new lines, and open our irrigation system). As a goal I would like to see our clay courts open by late March or early April but there is no guarantee because of the uncertainty of weather during that time period.

Our indoor season continues to be busy with extensive contract time doubles play and about 50 hours of tennis lessons per week between myself, Cordie, and Jon Smith. If you are interested in setting up a lesson or starting a group clinic please feel free to call our pros directly or see them at the tennis center. We continue to also offer 24 hour turn around service for racket repairs including re-stringing and installing new grips. Please let us know if you would like a "tune-up" on your racket for the upcoming Spring season.

Here our a few of our upcoming Tennis Social events coming up over the next few months:

FRIDAY March 25th EVENING of 105 (Intermediate/Advanced level) 5:30-7:00pm

FRIDAY April 8th EVENING of 105 (2.5-3.0 level) 5:30-7:00pm

Please sign up directly by emailing Brian brian.p.cunniff@gmail.com or sign up at the Tennis Desk.

I wanted to remind all members that our Tennis Center and Fitness Center continue to be open 7 days a week for your enjoyment. If you would like to book a tennis court for a game, please call the Tennis Desk directly at (276) 632-1857.

Thank you all again for allowing us to serve you and hope to see many of you on the courts soon!

I serve, you receive,

Brian Cunniff
Director of Tennis

Golf Schedule

Shamrock Classic, March 17, Thursday

Masters Saturday, April 9, Saturday

Walker Shank Memorial, April 16, Saturday

Children's Miracle Network/Valley Star Scramble, May 5, Thursday

League Night/Ladies' Night Kickoff, May 12, Thursday

MGA Member, May 21-22, Saturday/Sunday

VSGA Senior Stroke Play Championship, June 13-14, Monday/Tuesday

Greens Aeration, June 15, Wednesday

61st Chatmoss Invitational, July 30-31, Saturday/Sunday (alt date August 20-21)

G-Pro Tour Pro-Am, August 14, Sunday

G-Pro Tour Chatmoss Classic, August 16-18. Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday

MGA Club Championship/President's Cup, August 27-28, Saturday/Sunday

MGA Member-Guest, September 10-11, Saturday/Sunday

Chatmoss Team Invitational (4 Ball), October 8-9, Saturday/Sunday (alt date Oct 1-2)

Pumpkin Classic, October 28, Friday

Reindeer Classic, December 15, Thursday

On The Greens

We have been in winter mode for a couple of months now. January was not kind to golfers, but February has been pretty mild so far. We have been working hard on improving areas around the course and doing what we can to work around "mother-nature". The drainage project on #8 has begun, and we'll have that area dried up and playable for the season. We have also repaired planks on #2 bridge to replace old rotten ones, and are still taking down various trees on the property. We have a new walking bridge to put out on #13 to replace the current one and another bridge to further accommodate our faithful walkers. Greens health is above average and showing no symptoms of damage. Having warmer temperatures into late fall has really helped to set the tempo moving into early spring. We have more green grass in the canopy now than we did this time last year. By seeing living tissue this ensures us the grass is very alive and healthy. I hope the high and low temperature swings during the next couple months are steady and not volatile, so we can transition smoothly and quickly. New research by universities and the USGA show that ultradwarf

bermudagrasses have colder thresholds than previously thought. It's my belief that our grass is more durable than we give it credit for and moisture is the key to minimizing possible winter injury. I want to thank everyone who have come to help pull covers over the winter; your help is always appreciated.

I hope that everyone is looking forward to the spring golf season and starting to catch the "golfing bug", as The Masters is rolling around. I want to continue our success from last year and make 2022 the biggest yet at Chatmoss. It's my hope that our membership will try and showcase our club to family, friends, and others in our community to show them all the amazing amenities that Chatmoss Country Club has to offer. Between the indoor/outdoor tennis complex and fitness center, our great restaurant and food, and of course, the golf, we can accommodate a wide range of live-styles. Thank you for all your continual support. Until next time...

John Hart
Golf Course Superintendent

Serving It Up From Chef Joe

The winter days and nights are almost over and spring is around the corner. The house committee is planning many events that will pique your interest as you enjoy the club this spring.

We have the following events planned for March. The Sweep is on March 9. On Thursday, March 17th, we plan to celebrate St. Patrick's Day, also watch for specials.

We will finish out the spring season with our annual Bunny Breakfast on April 16th followed by our Easter Sunday brunch on April 17th. Please plan to join us

for these two fun-filled events and make your reservations early. Administrative Professionals' Day will be observed on Wednesday, April 27th.

As always, we want to make your dining experience at Chatmoss memorable. We appreciate your feedback and suggestions so we can continue to improve our service to you.

And thanks to you, the members, so much for your continued support!

Chef Joe Lilly
Executive Chef

Thursday Dinner Specials will run through March

Golf News

I started writing this newsletter on February 12. It was 60 degrees, and the course was packed with members all day. Winter is over, and our greens are fantastic. Now it is February 13, and it is about 28 degrees with some lite sleet. Our greens are still fantastic.

I would like to go back and give you the results of our Fall Team Invitational.

Regular Division

1st Flight

1st Place - Blake Carter - Wes Smith 69-63 - 133
2nd Place - Jack Adkins - Carson Nease 69-66 - 135

2nd Flight

1st - T. Byerly - S. Trent 72 -71 - 143
2nd - R. Jeter - J. Swanson 72-72 - 144

3rd Flight

1st - G. Linkous - P. Linkous 79-71 - 150
2nd - S. Gillispie - Wes Whitlow 83-71 - 154

Seniors

1st Flight

1st - L. Mills - M. Foster - 66-66 - 132
2nd - Gus Barber - R. Patrick 70 - 69 - 139

2nd Flight

1st - D. Hopkins - C. Clemons 72-71 - 143
2nd - John Collins - David Collins 72-73 - 145

3rd Flight

1st - Jeff Adkins - M. Collins 76-73 - 148
Tied - Manley Boyd - Will Smith 81-75 - 156
J. Daniels - B. Gibson - 80-76 - 156

Thank you for your support, and we look forward to a great year.

Robert Weinerth
Golf Professional



John Collins - Senior Invitational Winner



Blake Carter - Invitational Winner



Participants in the Reindeer Open

Back in the Saddle



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Boxwood Grille Hours

LUNCH Tuesday-Saturday — 11:30-3:00 pm
DINNER Tuesday-Thursday — 4:30-8:00 pm
Friday & Saturday — 4:30-9:00 pm

The Clubhouse is closed all day Monday
for Food and Beverage Service.

Elmwood Bar Hours

TUESDAY-THURSDAY 11:30 am-9:30 pm
Bar closes at 10:00 pm
FRIDAY & SATURDAY 11:30 am-10:30 pm
SUNDAY Open for Holidays
and Special Events

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