



Moorestown Field Club

Newsletter

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FIELD CLUB

A letter from the President

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Dear Members,

Last week I played 18 at a semipublic course near the shore. The nearly 5 hours long round reinforced some of the Field Club's many advantages – even on a slow day it would never take that long, and our fairways and greens are in much better shape. We have quite a gem and it's good to see so many of you enjoying it.

July was a busy month on the course. Congratulations to Pat Hirsekorn for winning the Women's Club Championship in a competitive 54-hole match with Patty Savage. Janice Powell placed first in the 9 Holvers invitational. Andy Hall won the net prize and Kevin Kramarski the gross prize at the 2-day President's Cup match in late July. And we just hosted the GAP Boy's Jr Jr Championship, which after three days went to a sudden death playoff. The Men's Club Championship will be decided on August 7th.

The Tennis and pickleball courts have been busy and our two South Jersey Summer teams had a very successful season. Monday Nights will now be reserved for upper-level (3.5+) pickleball players.

We recognize that our dining service is not as consistent as you deserve. Many industries are experiencing significant challenges in hiring and retaining qualified staff and this is especially pronounced in the restaurant and hospitality sectors. But Foodwerx is committed to securing additional resources and so, we ask for your patience as they work through this challenge.

This month's appeal to you for making the Club enjoyable for all your fellow members focuses on two areas:

Please use appropriate language, especially when around others in social areas such as the clubhouse -- be aware of your surroundings. I counted one member rattling off 6 foul adjectives in less than 1 minute in the clubhouse. Surely there are other adjectives in our vocabulary.

A reminder that no beer/alcohol is to be brought to the club from home. This rule went into effect when we secured our Club liquor license last year. More than enough transition time has elapsed. If Ott's doesn't serve your brand, they don't allow you to bring it in. Neither do we. Offenders will be reported to the Conduct Committee.

Enjoy your August and we'll see you at the Club.

Yours truly,

Brian Deam

Board of Trustees, President

A letter from the Golf Pro, George Frake II

Golf Pro-George Frake II

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We are beginning to see a slight slow down in play as it is peak vacation time. With this said we are still surpassing 2019 rounds and seeing over 100 rounds per day. Please remember to reserve tee times using the ForeUp tee time system accessible through the club website. If possible please include all names of the players in your group as this allows the staff to prepare your clubs prior to your arrival. I would anticipate rounds to increase as we near the end of August and into September.

Practice and the Range

When practicing, please remember to retrieve the balls that you hit. Shag bags are located on the tee. Please do not hit full shots from the 18th fairway to the 18th green. This damages the green and leaves unsightly areas on the fairway.

Congratulations to Pat Hirsekorn who captured the 2021 Women's Club Championship with a one stroke victory in an 18 hole playoff over Patty Savage.

Men's President's Cup

Low Net- Andy Hall 138 Runner Up- Mike McCool 140

Low Gross- Kevin Kramarski 138 Runner Up- Pat Fowler 150



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Upcoming Events

August 14th Men's 6's- 2 Man Teams- 6 holes Scramble, 6 holes Better Ball and 6 Holes Alternate Shot. \$25 per player entry fee. Sign up in the golf shop.

September 11th Men's Member Member

September 18th and 19th Men's Senior Club Championship

September 22nd Men's 1 Day Member Guest

October 7th Glow Ball Tournament

October 16th TBD

October 28th Women's 9 Hole Closing Day

October 31st Men's Closing Day

Golf Shop Specials

It is time to make some room for the
Fall Merchandise!

August Sale

Men's Short Sleeve Shirts
25% Off

Women's Short Sleeve and Sleeveless Shirts
30% Off

Women's Skorts and Bottoms
35% Off



A letter from the Tennis Pro Mike Perrone

Tennis Pro Mike Perrone

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Congrats Summer Teams

Our two South Jersey Summer teams fielded strong line-ups and had strong records this year.

Our level I team captained by Lynn Rohrbach finished in the middle of their division against some of the best players in South Jersey. When the team had its full line-up it won all its matches but with vacation weeks and some injuries, it was hard to win each one.

Our Level II team finished with 20 points and the Stone Harbor team finished with 21 points but our team had one more match to play that was cancelled. If that match had been played it's fairly certain MFC would have been in first place. Congrats to the team and captain Kathy Richards.

Junior Program

Our summer junior program continues to grow each week as many new juniors continue to come out to the program meeting Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday noon to 1:30. Our age ranges are from 9-15. Each player is improving quickly!! No playing experience is required. Our program will continue its summer schedule to the beginning of September and then the fall schedule of Tuesday Thursday 3:30-5 will begin.

Club Tournament

Our MFC club tournament will begin after Labor Day. The three events will be Men's Singles, Women's doubles, and Mixed doubles. Players will have to complete matches by a certain time period with winners advancing. Teams can sign up with Mike beginning mid August.



A letter from the Tennis Pro Mike Perrone

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Tennis Programming recap

After a hot July our tennis program continues to flourish with many players participating in drills, lessons, and leagues. We are very excited about the growth of the junior program particularly the 6-8th grade range. Many of these young players will become the varsity players at their high school. Tennis is thriving at MFC and it's good to see players playing regardless of the temperature. Last January we were playing in 30 degrees and this July we played in 98. Our program is truly a 12 month program.



Tips from the Pro!

Tennis Tip

Wear a light dry fit hat. Not a dark color heavy cotton style hat that will only make you hotter. It will keep the sun out of your eyes but that's it. Light color with a thin material will do wonders to your heat tolerance.

A letter from Men's Golf

Men's Golf– Tim Casale

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The end of June started to bring the heat, but July seemed to kick the door down and throw on the furnace, before slowly cooling down in a roller coaster ride of weather and temps.

The Stokes and Greenwood Cups continue to progress, but at a little slower pace than expected. The Stokes matches have reached the final 8. The Greenwood Cup needs players. If you have matches that need to be completed, please contact your opponents to schedule. If you are having issues scheduling, please talk with George in the pro shop or contact me with any issues.

The 36 hole Club Championship final is set for **Saturday August 7th** and will feature **William Tone** and **Kevin Kramarski**. Kevin defeated Tim Casale 2 up in a match that came down to the last hole. Will defeated Eric Piro on the 2nd extra hole after a back and forth match. The final match will begin first thing in the morning and is open for one and all to witness the crowning of the 2021 champ.

In the club championship 1st bracket, **Pat Fowler** defeated **Ryan McCarthy** and **Jeff Beam** defeated **Jon Mabry**. The two finalists will battle it out in the coming weeks.

The 36 hole stroke play President's Cup was held on July 24th and 25th. The gross winner was **Kevin Kramarski** with solid rounds of 69/69 for a 138 total. He was followed by **Pat Fowler** who continued his good play this summer with rounds of 76/74 for a 150 total. On the net side, **Andy Hall** posted a combined 138 net score to clip **Mike McCool** by two shots. Congrats to all those that placed in the money.

In non tournament news...some men's golfers have been showing off their impressive skills. The aforementioned **Kevin Kramarski** couldn't be contained by darkness as he made 9 birdies en route to a 64. A pretty impressive round that he had to finish on a separate day, after darkness kept him from completing it the evening before.



A letter from Men's Golf

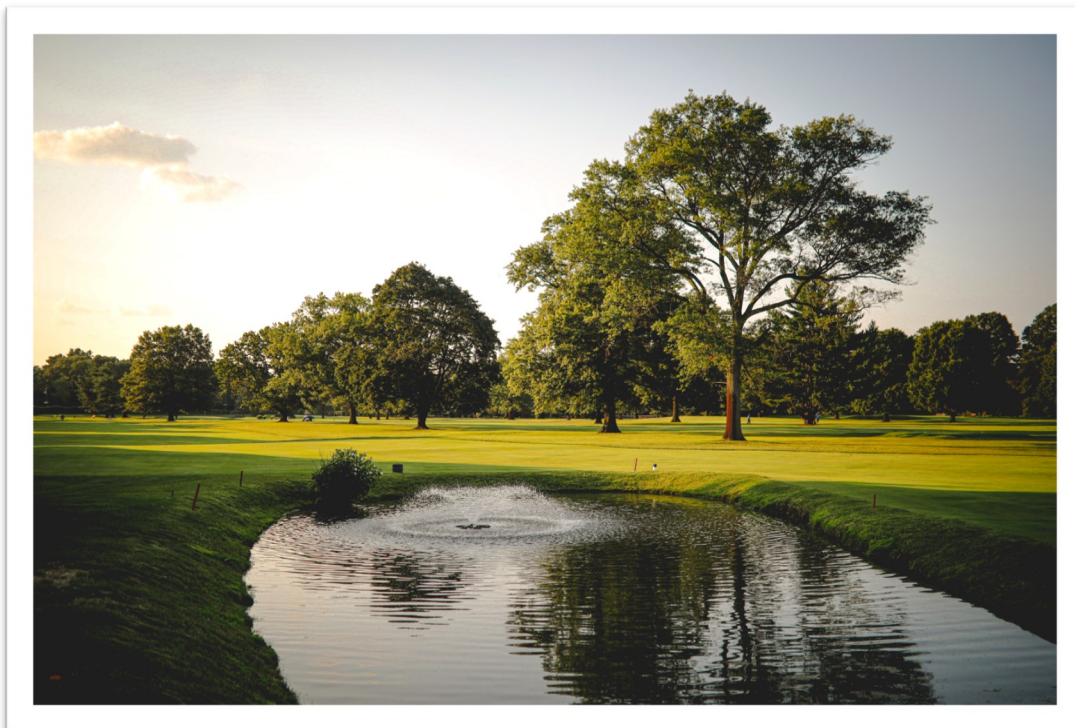
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75 year-old **Mike Jones** showed off all of his hard summer work with a well earned 37 strokes for 9 holes, earning him top honors for the week.

On Friday, July 30th, **Rob Mazza** aced the 8th hole from 126 yards out, with a gap wedge. Peter Ellison and Garrett McVaugh were in attendance for Rob's first ever hole-in-one. Congrats Rob!

Lastly, although this happened in August, **Garrett McVaugh** showed that he will go to any length on any given Sunday to make a par. After careening his drive off the trees to the right of the 5th hole, his ball bounced back in bounds and was found and only halfway submerged in the hazard. Never one to submit to defeat, Garrett immediately removed his socks and shoes, grabbed his trusty pitching wedge and struck his second shot a good 100 yards into the left rough. From there he played the rest of the hole in his bare feet, so as to not hold up the group behind us. He then hit his 3rd shot a little short of the green, but then got up and down from there for a routine 5. I was happy to take a quick picture for proof of this impressive feat.



Ladies Golf

Ladies 9-Holers- Trish Trivinia

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On July 15th, MFC hosted a successful 9 Holers invitational with Laurel Creek, Medford Lakes, Ramblewood, Riverton, and Tavistock. We had 43 golfers signup to play in the event. The theme of the invitational was Rosie the Riveter, with participants sporting the iconic red and white polka dot scarf in a nod to the cultural icon. In spite of the heat, a good time was had by all. The event results were as follows:

1st place - Janice Powell (MFC), Linda Samson (Ramblewood), Joyce Nylund (Ramblewood)

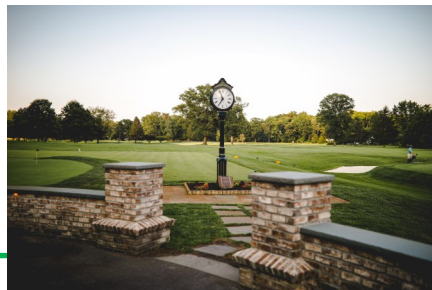
2nd place - Pat DeHart (MFC), Natalie Pope (Tavistock), Nancy Brayden (Medford Lakes), MaryAnn Stack (Laurel Creek)

3rd place - Katie Alexander (MFC), Eileen McSparran (Medford Lakes), Mary Lynn Williams (Ramblewood)

Thanks to everyone who made the event a success with special thanks to Carole Kraemer, Patty Savage and George Frake for their generous assistance during the event. The next, and last, seasonal invitational will be on Tuesday, September 14th at Medford Lakes. The signup sheet will be posted in the ladies' locker room when we receive event details from Medford Lakes. We should have that information by August 14th.

Mark your calendars for our Closing Day event on Thursday, October 28. Halloween is the theme and the signup sheet for the event will be posted in September, once again, in the ladies locker room. It will be a really fun event so make sure you don't miss the festivities.

Good luck to our 9 Holer members who are competing in the President's Cup Match Play. The tournament will wrap up by August 30th at which time we will crown a new 2021 champion.



Ladies Golf

Ladies 18-Holers- Linda Kastner and Carol Beard

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We have been blessed with beautiful weather this golfing season. The ladies are busy participating in weekly fun tournaments and presently in our Presidents Cup chaired by Audrey Brisson. What a wonderful opportunity to get to know those we may not have the opportunity to play with very often since this event is open to the 9 hole group as well. Presidents Cup is a match play tournament.

With the purchase of a WGAP card, some of our ladies are playing other beautiful courses on "open days" and some of our more avid golfers have registered for many WGAP sponsored tournaments.

Pictured are a group of 9 and 18 Holers who played in The Caddy Benefit Tournament, held at Honeybrook in Pa. July 19th. Pictured are the foursomes, Anne Allende, Katie Alexander, Cathy Hipple, and Audrey Brisson and the foursome, Pat DeHart, Linda Kastner Janice Powell and Kris Furey who won Low Net! What a fun day!

Our first 18 hole golf trip in many years will take place at the Shawnee Inn and Golf Resort August 17th to 18th. Seven of our 18 hole lady golfers will play golf, wine and dine and stay at the historic Inn. Here is where legendary Arnold Palmer and Jackie Gleason played golf often. It was here that Arnold Palmer met his wife Winnie and proposed to her on one of the holes! After breakfast we will head off to Mt Airy. Here the 18 holes are modeled after the most legendary holes on Championship courses such as Pebble Beach, Augusta and Merion!



After a 54 hole stroke play match Pat Hirsborn wins over Patty Savage in a very tight match . Congratulations to both players





Pat DeHart, Janice Powell, Kris Furey and Linda Kastner take first place low net in D division at the WGAP JWP Caddie Benefit at Honeybrook Golf Course on Monday July 19th.

Need Reservations for the Dining Room?

You can make a reservation in many ways!

Contact Foodwerx at 856-235-1464 x3

Email: information@foodwerx.com

Or visit our website and complete the reservation request form under Dining!

Please keep in mind that we ask for reservations for any group/party



Dining Hours

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	11:00—3:00
Wednesday	11:00— 9:00
Thursday	11:00—9:00
Friday	11:00—9:00
Saturday	11:00—6:00
Sunday	11:00—3:00

A letter from the Dining Committee

Bill Morsell

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With summer dining in full swing plans are being made for special dining events in August and as we enter the Fall season. Prime Rib Dinner Night will be Saturday August 21st. The End of Summer Bash is Saturday, September 18th. Watch for details on both events. If anyone has suggestions for additional themes, please contact Lisa or me.

As a reminder, current dining room hours of operation are Sunday and Tuesday 11-3, Wednesday through Friday 11-9, and Saturday 11-6. The bar is open during these hours and may extend closing time as business dictates.

Reservations are required for parties of six or more, and for all special dining events.

Starting in September, we will offer Sunday morning breakfast once a month. The first date is September 12. Please come and bring your family and guests. If successful, we will try to expand to additional Sunday mornings. More details are forthcoming.

Foodwerx continues to look for dining room servers. If you can recommend anyone, please contact Nick Wall. Also, if you have any suggestions or complaints, Nick wants to hear from you directly. Nick's contact information is available at the bar.

Thank you for your patronage and patience as we continue to improve our dining and bar service.



Monthly Dinner Night at MFC!

Prime Rib Buffet at the Moorestown Field Club

Saturday, August 21, 2021

5:00 pm – 9:00 pm

****Reservations Required***



THE BUFFET

Shrimp Bisque Soup

Slow Roasted Prime Rib of Beef with Natural Au Jus & Horseradish Sour Cream

Mesquite Grilled Salmon

“Build your Own” Baked Potato Bar with all the Fixings (Sour Cream, Butter, Bacon, Cheddar, Green Onion)

Sautéed Button Mushrooms & Onions

Summer Roasted Vegetables

Chop Chop Green Salad

Dinner Rolls & Butter

Assorted Desserts

Adults \$40 plus tax and gratuity

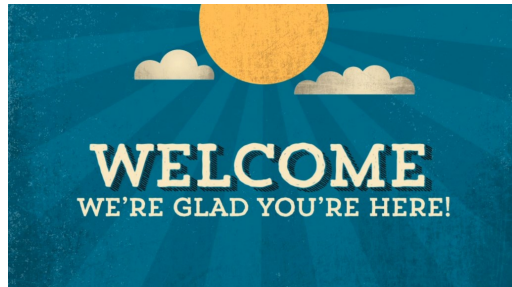
Children \$20 plus tax and gratuity

Children under 6 years of age FREE! This event does apply to your food minimum Reservations MUST be made by calling 856-231-8886 or email info@foodwerx.com

If cancelation is not received one week before the event fees will be charged to your account.

*Please note, those individuals with food restrictions must please contact the dining room prior to any event.

Welcome some of our newest Members



Help us welcome the following new members!

James Greene
Shuvro Chowdhury



August 2021

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8	9	10	11	12	13	14 <i>Men's 6's</i>
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 <i>Prime Rib Dinner Night!</i>
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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September 2021

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5	6	7	8	9	10	11 Men's Member – Member
12 Brunch at MFC!	13	14	15	16	17	18 Men's Sr. Championship <u>Fall Bash!</u>
19 Men's Sr. Championship	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

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