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A Sapele Hammock Golf Club Newsletter

September 2018



17th Hole • Par 3 • 183 yds

Sapelo Hammock Golf Club September Newsletter

1354 Marshview Drive NE · Shellman Bluff, GA 31331

From the GM:

College football, the Ryder Cup and the start of school. All things that signal that summer is coming to an end and we will usher in the fall season. We have a busy slate of events and hope you will be a part of some or even all of them as time allows. Our annual **Member ~ Guest** and **LGA Halloween Invitational** are just around the corner so make plans now. As our showcase event, this year's Member ~ Guest will be expanding the Friday evening cocktail party and player welcome to include non-playing guests. For those of you who want to be a part of the annual event and enjoy an evening of fellowship with our field of participants, come out show your spirit!

Last month we had 99 come out for our "Italian Night" dinner...what a turnout, thank you. This month's social calendar includes our **"Toast to the Coast"** social hour on Friday, September 7th from 5:00 – 7:30 pm and then on Friday, September 21st, we invite you to join us for our Owner/Member **"Seafood Night"** dinner. Cocktails will be from 5:30 pm and dinner will begin at 6:30 pm. More information will follow so please don't forget to call ahead and make your reservations if you plan to join us. You can always visit the clubs website sapelohammockgolfclub.com for the most up to date information on upcoming events.

As we head into the busy fall schedule, I would like to thank all of our volunteers and committees for their efforts in making our events run so smoothly. It takes everyone involved to make these so memorable.

Please feel free to pass along your thoughts and opinions. Your input and ideas are what drives us to improve in all areas. My thanks again and I am privileged to serve as your General Manager & Director of Golf.

Fairways & Greens!

Jim Mancill, PGA

General Manager/Director of Golf



From the Course:

Fall is in the air! Cooler temperatures, lower humidity and shorter days are fast approaching. Football season starts this month and the holidays are just around the corner. A wonderful time of the year to look forward to.

Our growing season this year has been a successful one. An early green-up helped us this spring, above average rainfall and high temperatures provided us with good turf conditions this summer. Thank you to all who have made positive comments.

We are currently getting ready for the upcoming tournament season. Bunkers are a priority, and have been recently edged and trimmed. In just a few short weeks we will begin to implement our fall pre-emergent weed control program.

With temperatures cooling somewhat, I hope we can revitalize our volunteer program. Trimming and divots need to be done in advance of our tournaments. If you are interested please contact Lou Fuentes, from the Grounds & Greens Committee. Your involvement is greatly appreciated.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at **678-570-1888** or by email at chankey@sapelohammockgolfclub.com.

Chris Hankey
Director of Golf Course Operations

Welcome New Members

Randy & Newanna Rogers

Townsend, Georgia

Pete & Nood Lawler

Darien, Georgia

Chuck & Tina Gaskin

Townsend, Georgia

Todd Gregory

Dalton, Georgia

Elizabeth Oxnard

Townsend, Georgia

Ben Floyd

Midway, Georgia

September Upcoming Events

- “A Toast to the Coast” Social Hour (5:00 – 7:30 pm)7th
- MGA Match Play Tournament11th - 13th
- Spartina Garden Club Meeting19th
- Owner/Member “Seafood Night”21st

Save the Date

2018 Member - Guest Tournament

October 20 & 21

The Sapelo Hammock Golf Club Owners & Members cordially invite you to participate in the 2018 Member ~ Guest to be played Saturday & Sunday, October 20 – 21. We will have both men's and women's divisions. The format will again be 36 holes *Better Ball of Partners* with prizes being awarded to *Net* winners in both men's and women's divisions.

Our entry deadline is Tuesday, October 16 and will be limited to the first 30 teams to enter, so please send your completed entries back as soon as possible. The club staff is available to answer any questions you may have or to help you find a partner if needed.

Schedule of Events

Friday, October 19

Practice round ~ Tee times on your own
(Cart fee only ~ \$22 pp + tax)

Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres 5:30 ~ 7:00 pm
(Sapelo Hammock Golf Club Clubhouse)

Saturday, October 20

Continental Breakfast from 8:00 am

9:00 am ~ Shotgun Start

Lunch during round

Sunday, October 21

Continental Breakfast from 8:00 am

9:00 am ~ Shotgun Start

Lunch & Awards Presentation following play

Entry Fee

\$200 p/team
Owner/Member

\$15 p/member or \$25 p/couple
(Attend the Friday evening cocktail reception)

Halloween Invitational



Tuesday, October 23, 2018



Hosted by

Sapelo Hammock Golf Club Ladies Golf Association

Two Player Scramble

Team adjusted to a maximum of 8 stroke differential in partners handicaps

- \$60 entry fee includes
(green fee, cart fee, continental breakfast, lunch & door prizes)
- Mulligans - 2 for \$5
- Player registration - 8am
- Shotgun start - 9am



U.S. Kids Tournament

Sunday, October 28



6th Annual Keith Swindell - Harry Long Benefit Golf Tournament

Saturday, November 17, 2018

*Proceeds to benefit
Morgan's Chapel Community Food Bank*

2018 Upcoming Calendar of Events

September

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| “A Toast to the Coast” Social Hour (5:00 – 7:30pm)..... | 7 th |
| MGA Match Play Championship..... | 11 - 13 th |
| Owner/Member “Seafood Night” Dinner..... | 21 st |

October

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| “A Toast to the Coast” Social Hour (5:00 – 7:30pm)..... | 5 th |
| SNF Golf Outing..... | 6 th |
| Owner/Member “Soup & Salad Night”..... | 14 th |
| Sapelo Hammock Member - Guest..... | 20 - 21 st |
| LGA Halloween Invitational (9 am Shotgun)..... | 23 rd |
| USKids Fall Tour (Tee times from 12:30 pm)..... | 28 th |

November

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| “A Toast to the Coast” Social Hour (5:00 – 7:30pm)..... | 2 nd |
| MGA Ryder Cup..... | 13 - 15 |
| Owner/Member “Oyster Roast”..... | 16 th |
| 6 th Annual Keith Swindell - Harry Long Benefit Tournament (9 am Shotgun)..... | 17 th |

December

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| Owner/Member “Prime Rib Feast”..... | 8 th |
| “A Toast to the Coast” Social Hour (5:00 – 7:30pm)..... | 5 th |

“There’s Something Special About Sapelo”