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Members' Holiday Celebration

Friday, December 13, 2019
Four-Course Holiday Dinner

\$49 per person

Seating Times will be available from 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED

We will be seating your reservations in the following locations:

Pike's Peak Dining Room & Tom Bendelow Room

Please join us on Friday, December 13th for an exquisite holiday menu prepared by Executive Chef Mat filled with lots of holiday cheer. The night will also include a Christmas tradition that goes back to the 19th century – Caroling! The Yuletide Carolers will be strolling around from room to room, dressed in Victorian costumes while serenading you with familiar Holiday tunes making your evening of dining with us at LCC a memorable and elegant experience.

Select Holiday Menu:

Choice of 1 Appetizer:

- Oysters Casino with Peppers, Bacon, and Garlic
- Shrimp & Tuna Ceviche with Lime and Coconut
- Mushroom Sacchetti with Beef Broth, Tiny Meatballs, and Parmesan

Choice of 1 Salad

- Caesar Salad with Croutons, Romano Cheese, and Caesar Dressing
- Wedge Salad with Bacon, Bleu Cheese Crumbles, Tomatoes, and Bleu Cheese Dressing
- Chopped Salad with Olives, Tomatoes, Red Onions, Pepperoncini, Feta Cheese, and Red Wine Vinaigrette

Choice of 1 Entrée:

- Roasted Bone-In Pork Chop
Braised Red Cabbage, Sweet Potato Puree, and Caramelized Pears
- 6 oz. Filet Oscar
Bearnaise Sauce, Crabmeat, Asparagus, and Mashed Potatoes
- Roasted Rack of Lamb
Mint Demi Glaze, White Bean Puree, and Broccolini
- Pan Seared Scallops
Cauliflower, Shiitake Mushrooms, Zucchini, Orange Butter, and Balsamic Glaze
- Herb Crusted Salmon
Saffron Paella Risotto, Clams, Andouille, Peas, and Roasted Red Peppers

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Choice of 1 Dessert:

- Lemon Cream Cake with Liquid Lemon Meringue
- Chocolate Lava Cake à la Mode with Berries

These items will be available a la carte.

Appetizers: \$12 • Salads: \$8
 Entrées: \$28 • Desserts: \$8

Please Note:

- ✓ **Reservations are Required.** Please call 303-233-4614 with your reservation.
- ✓ In order to prepare for this event, Member Dining will close at 2:00 p.m. and the Evening Member Dining Menu will **NOT** be available due to the Members' Holiday Celebration.

Letter from the president



Happy Holidays to the very best Membership a Club could hope for. I wish you all the happiest and healthiest of holidays and hope you are able to share this special season with some very special people.

As we use this season to reflect on the things that we are thankful for, I want to thank each and every one of you for the opportunity to serve LCC as a Board of Director these past three years and particularly to have the honor to serve as President this past year. The experience was overwhelmingly positive, and I am so very grateful to have the opportunity to meet so many Members that I hadn't known prior to serving. I want to especially thank Lance and his amazing team for the incredible commitment they make to provide the best possible Membership experience for all. This dedicated team works tirelessly, and I cannot thank them enough for all the support they have provided me this past year. Additionally, I'd like to thank my fellow Board Members, Tom Piercy, our Past President; Gary Polidori, our Club counsel, and all of the wonderful Committee volunteers for the commitment of their valuable time and their incredible dedication to LCC. Without all the inputs of these wonderful people, the Club simply could not function, and I am very grateful for each and every one of you.

As the year closes, the Board of Directors working in conjunction with the Club's Management team, have begun the process of planning for 2020. Budgets are being finalized, as is the plan for the expansion of casual dining. These items as well as others will be presented at the Club's Annual Meeting in February. As this is an extremely important event, I would encourage all the Voting Members to please make plans to attend. Also, this is the time of year when the Nominating Committee begins the search for next year's New Board Members, which are typically compiled from our various Committee participants. As I have stated in the past, the various Committees are the life blood of our Club and I want to encourage all of you to consider serving on a Committee in 2020. Getting fresh ideas at the Committee level is a huge part of ensuring the Club's future health. If you have any thought about serving next year, I would encourage you to contact either myself or Lance with your desire to participate.

Thank you all again for a wonderful experience this past year. I greatly appreciate the opportunity to serve the Club.

Happy Holidays to you and your families!

Very best regards,

Steven

Steven Ferrie
President
stevenferrie@gmail.com



Catering Corner

A reminder that our Ballroom can seat 50-225 guests and our more intimate rooms can seat 25 to 60 guests. We can host any type of special occasion from weddings, receptions, holiday parties, high school reunions, corporate events, anniversaries, and celebrations. Please call Michelle Kiser for more details.

Michelle Kiser – Catering Director
303-233-4614, ext. 104
mkiser@lakewoodcountryclub.net



Congratulations to our 2020 Officers

Louis "Lou" J. Ficco, Jr., President

Patrick "Pat" W. Shanley, Vice President

Jerald "Jerry" R. Kiser, Treasurer

Thomas "Tom" A. Gysin, Secretary



letter from the head golf pro



Thank you for a very successful year. We hope you enjoyed 2019 at your Club and all the events, and we look forward to an even more exciting 2020!

Many of you have noticed that we have removed the GPS units from all the golf carts. The company we used for these GPS units is called Tagmarshal. After many months of programming and reprogramming, we were unable to provide a reliable product to the Membership. The purpose of these devices was not for the GPS capabilities, but for the pace of play analytics that company provides to the Golf Pro Shop staff. Starting in March 2020, we will have GPS trackers in all the carts so the Golf Pro Shop staff can continue to monitor the pace of play and gain valuable insight into the pace of play analytics. The tracking unit will be located under the seat of the cart so it will not be a distraction to the golfers. We apologize for the inconvenience of the GPS units during the 2019 season.

There are a few important course care items that the Members can help with to maintain the conditions throughout the winter, and more importantly, to allow for premier early spring conditions. Cart traffic is one of the main problems our course faces during the winter season. First, please keep carts on paths at all times whenever possible and follow all roped areas. Second, keep the carts at least 60 feet from tees and avoid driving near the edges of bunkers. Third, when leaving a green, be careful and walk away from the edges of the bunkers to avoid creating a wear pattern. Fourth,

please utilize the sand/seed mixture provided to fill divots on the course and practice area. Finally, please make sure to fix ballmarks on the greens. I'm sure everyone recognizes and is proud of our course conditions. As we all know, the winter treatment has a direct impact on our spring conditions.

Bathrooms and water fountains located on the course are closed for the winter months. Water stations will be available behind the driving range and at the #11 Snack Bar. For any food and beverage needs, orders may be placed at the Pike's Peak Lounge or call the Golf Pro Shop.

The holiday shopping season is upon us and we would like to invite you to visit the Golf Pro Shop for any of your special golfing/holiday needs. We have a large selection of fall/winter merchandise, as well as vacation wear. The Golf Pro Shop staff will be happy to assist you with your purchases.

We would like to remind you the Golf Pro Shop will be closed on Wednesday, December 25th. The Golf Pro Shop will be closed January 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th for inventory. Weather conditions will dictate the Golf Pro Shop hours between January 7th thru January 17th. If cart usage is possible, the Golf Pro Shop will be open. **Please make sure to take your clubs prior to the closure of the Club.** During any time of closure, as weather and temperatures permit, the course should be available at approximately 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The chain at the staging area will indicate whether or not the course is open. Additionally, announcements are posted daily on the ForeTees webpage.

The 1st annual "Ornament Discount Sale" will run from December 20th through December 24th. Select all your purchases then pick an ornament.

letter from the head golf pro

Discounts from 25% - 50% off are hidden on the back of the ornament. Enjoy some savings from the Golf Pro Shop!

We recognize there are many activities during the holiday season; however, you will not want to miss our **24th Annual Member Appreciation Night. We have changed the date from Wednesday, December 4th to Wednesday, December 11th.** Please join us for complimentary appetizers, subscription bar, and "Roll the Dice" for merchandise discounts. This is a great night to redeem your credit book dollars and as always, we will provide complimentary gift-wrapping for your purchases. The festivities are scheduled from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

On behalf of the Golf Pro Shop staff: Jeff Corona, PGA; John Kienast, PGA; Michael Wachter, PGA; Geoff Keefer, PGA, and all our Player Service staff, we would like to wish you the greatest of holiday seasons and a wonderful and prosperous 2020!

To our Members and their families - Thank you, Happy Holidays, and Happy New Year!

Ben Honaman
Head Golf Professional
bhonaman@lakewoodcountryclub.net

golf news



Winter Travel??

We get many advertisements for golf destination vacations. If you are looking for a place to go this winter, stop in and we'll try to be of assistance.



Christmas Special Order Reminder

If you want to special order any items, you need to allow at least five days for shipping.

Order early and avoid the Christmas rush!

Fantasy Golf Night

If you are interested in forming a team for the 2020 Fantasy Golf League, please sign up in the Golf Pro Shop. The draft will be held Thursday, December 12th in the Men's Locker Room. Appetizers and bar service will be available at 5:30 p.m. for participating teams. Please join us for an evening of fun!

Hard To Buy For?

Looking for a special gift for the person who "has everything"? Try a series of lessons for next year's golfing season. Help them start the season knowing their game will get the attention it deserves.

DATE CHANGED!

Member Appreciation Night
Wednesday, December 11th
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

The Golf Pro Shop is hosting the 24th Annual Holiday Party in appreciation of the wonderful support the Members have shown us this season. Please join us for appetizers, soft drinks, and a wee bit o' the holiday cheer! Special Golf Professional bartenders will be at the subscription bar.



Special Christmas Gift Program

Together with Titleist, the Golf Pro Shop will personalize your gift golf balls for the holidays.

All orders must be received by December 7th for guaranteed delivery by Christmas.

NO COMPANY LOGOS ALLOWED!

No additional charge for personalization.

Minimum order: One dozen.

Credit Book Dollars

A reminder that all credit book and gift certificate dollars need to be redeemed by 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 31, 2019. Any Special Orders using credit book dollars need to be placed by December 8, 2019.



club closure

The Clubhouse will close at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 24, 2019 (Christmas Eve). The entire Club will be closed on Wednesday, December 25, 2019 (Christmas). The Club will be open on Thursday, December 26, 2019.

The Clubhouse will be closed from Wednesday, January 1, 2020 and reopen on Friday, January 17, 2020.

The Golf Pro Shop will be closed January 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th for inventory.

Weather conditions will dictate the Golf Pro Shop hours on January 7th thru January 17th. If cart usage is possible, the Golf Pro Shop will be open.

Please make sure to take your clubs prior to the closure of the Club.

During any time of closure, the course will be available for walking only, as weather and temperatures permit (approximately 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.).

The chain at the staging area will indicate whether or not the course is open.

Additionally, announcements are posted daily on the ForeTees webpage.

AS OF WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2019 LADIES' BINGO IS AT CAPACITY AND ALL RESERVATIONS WILL BE ADDED TO THE WAITLIST.



**Thursday, December 5, 2019
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

**\$35 per person
Reservations are Required**

All Members MUST Make Their Own Reservations

Ladies, come join us for LCC's Annual Ladies' BINGO. This upscale event is held just for ladies, and will be an afternoon full of delicious food and guaranteed fun to kick off the holiday season. There will be 15 vendors for your holiday shopping, BINGO games in which the lucky winners will win prizes, raffle items given away from the vendors, and let's not forget about the Pickles! Let's make this an afternoon full of holiday cheer.

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. - Shopping

15 vendors range from clothing, jewelry, gift items, make-up, specialty food items, etc.

10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. - Continental Breakfast

Assorted Breakfast Pastries, Spiced Apple Cider, and Eggnog

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. - Buffet Lunch

Butternut Squash Soup with Sage, Extensive Salad Bar, Carving Station: Pork Loin with Gravy & Cranberries and Roasted Sirloin with Au Jus, Shrimp & Scallop Scampi, Fingerling Potatoes, Saffron Rice Pilaf, Tri-Colored Carrots, Broccoli, & Brussel Sprouts, and Assorted Holiday Desserts

1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. - BINGO

Please Note:

✓ **Reservations are Required.**

All Members MUST Make Their Own Reservations.

Please call 303-233-4614 to make your reservations.

✓ We will be assigning seats for this event, so please make note of who you would like to be seated with. We will be seating round tables of 12.

✓ Due to the popularity of this event, seating is limited to 240 ladies and reservations will be taken in the order they are received.

✓ **Walk-ins will NOT be accommodated.**

✓ Member Dining will NOT be available from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Pike's Peak Dining Room, Tom Bendelow Room, or the Pike's Peak Lounge due to Ladies' Bingo.

membership update

Please Welcome the Following New Members:

Mr. Timothy "Tim" Romani (Angela "Angie")

Introductory Pre-Resident
(Golf Social Waiting List)
Romani Group
303-598-6190

Referred by Mr. Ray Baker and Mr. Michael Baker

Sponsored by Mr. Michael Baker

Mr. Adam Michel (Kathleen "Kathy")

Introductory Special Resident
(Golf Social Waiting List)
M-L Holdings Company
303-227-4313

Referred by Mr. Chris Faulkner
Sponsored by Dr. Art Phelps

Mr. Willy "Wes" Stewart, III (Cameron)

Introductory Special Resident
(Golf Social Waiting List)
Mile High Luxury Real Estate
720-261-0754

Referred by Mr. Otto Hilbert
Sponsored by Mr. Marc Espinosa

Mr. Eric Cook (Katie)

Introductory Special Resident
(Golf Social Waiting List)
Tallgrass Energy Partners
303-763-3524

Referred by Mr. Seth Young and Mr. Chad Murphy
Sponsored by Mr. Ron Seigneur

Mr. Christopher "Chris" Powell (Samantha "Sam")

House Social
Velocity Global
619-347-9017

Referred and Sponsored by Mr. Chad Hotchkiss

Mr. Robert Ireland (Angela)

House Social
Continental Realty
303-730-0549, ext. 209

Referred and Sponsored by Mr. Tony Nargi



▲ angie & tim romani



▲ kathy, anna, & adam michel



▲ wes & cameron stewart



▲ parker, eric, sloane, & katie cook



▲ sam, ford, chloe, & chris powell



▲ robert, river, sawyer, & angela ireland

membership update

Changes of Status:

Mr. David McGrath from Pre-Resident to Resident

Mr. Brian Lange, Mr. Nick Martin, and Mr. Tyson Osborne from Introductory Special Resident to Special Resident

Mr. Adam Nelson from Golf Social Waiting List to Introductory Special Resident

Mr. John Beldy from House Social to Introductory Pre-Resident (Golf Social Waiting List)

In Memoriam

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we would like to extend our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Robert "Bob" Blakely.



mardi gras prospective member reception



Mardi Gras Prospective Member Reception

Wednesday, February 26, 2020
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Do you have a friend or acquaintance interested in membership? Please invite them to join you for complimentary cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, and to learn about membership opportunities at the Club.

This is a wonderful occasion to showcase your exquisite Clubhouse. Please call Carol Kaiser, Membership Director, at 303-233-4614, extension 106, for more information.

In order to attend this event, please RSVP with the name of your prospective Member by Tuesday, February 25, 2020.

2019/2020 "winterfest" introductory golf membership program

Applications and Upgrade Requests Accepted as of October 1, 2019 through February 29, 2020

- Only Requires an Initial Non-refundable **\$2,625 Initiation Fee Down Payment (normally \$5,250)**
- **\$2,625 Balance is Not Due Until March of 2020**
- Enjoy an Additional 12 Months of Membership from April 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021 if a golf opening becomes available by April 2020.
- All the Benefits of Full Membership with the Exception of Voting Privileges (voting privileges commence upon payment of final initiation fee installment)
- **Lock-in to \$52,500 Resident Initiation Fee and Payment Plans**
- Please Note: This is a One-time Offer per Prospective Member

If Winterfest Members are on a Golf Waiting List as of March 2020, they will still be billed their \$2,625 initiation fee down payment balance on their March 2020 statement. Additionally, they will begin a One Year Introductory Golf Membership when they are moved off the Golf Waiting List.



bridge lessons



Wednesdays in the Ladies' Locker Room

If you would like to play Bridge (or learn to play), please join us on selected Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. in the Ladies' Locker Room. Barbe Durbin and Mary Jo Halfen have graciously offered to teach Bridge lessons. If you have any questions, please call Barbe at 303-279-2510 or Mary Jo at 303-988-5158.



family gingerbread house party & brunch

Sunday, December 8, 2019

\$20 Adults
\$15 Children (4-12 years old)

(This pricing includes breakfast, hot cocoa, apple cider, cookies, and one gingerbread house per family)
\$10 per additional Gingerbread House

Two Time Sessions to Choose From:

8:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Sold Out

Reservations are Required!

*** Limited Availability per Session ***

LCC welcomes you and your family to kick off the holiday festivities with an age-old holiday tradition - decorating gingerbread houses as a family. The best parties are the ones that let kids get involved and be creative and the best part is, we will supply everything! The gingerbread houses will be built and ready for the finishing touches with icing and a variety of candy. Due to the popularity of this event the past few years, we have included a brunch buffet again this year along with the hot cocoa, hot cider, and cookies for you and your family to enjoy. You won't want to miss this sweet event!

Brunch Buffet Menu:

Fresh Fruit, Assorted Danishes & Mini Doughnuts, Scrambled Eggs, Eggs Benedict, Frittata with Spinach, Tomatoes, & Onions, Chicken Apple Sausage, Bacon, Granola French Toast with Syrup & Cinnamon Butter, Monte Cristo Sandwiches, Chicken Strips, and Home Fries

Please Note:

✓ **RESERVATIONS are REQUIRED.**

Please call 303-233-4614 to make your reservations.



children's holiday party

Saturday, December 14, 2019
10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Adults \$25
Children (4-12 years of age) \$15

Reservations are Required and this event is limited to Members' children and grandchildren.

Christmas is right around the corner. Come one, come all (naughty and nice) to LCC's Annual Children's Holiday Party, where there will be holiday cheer for ALL ages. Get a balloon creation from the balloon artists, make Christmas crafts in the craft room, get your face painted by our jolly face painters, be amused at the magic show at 10:45 a.m. & 12:00 p.m., and most importantly, don't forget to meet Santa, take pictures with him, and let him know what you would like for Christmas. We look forward to seeing you all in your holiday attire.

Brunch Buffet Menu

Fruit Punch, Eggnog, Hot Cocoa, Breakfast Pastries, Fresh Fruit Salad, Scrambled Eggs with Cheese, Bacon, Sausage, Eggs Benedict, Oven Roasted Potatoes, Salmon Display with Bagels & Cream Cheese, Macaroni & Cheese, Chicken Fingers, Tater Tots, Green Beans & Carrots, Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwiches, Carving Station: Ham & Sirloin, Cookies, Brownies, Cupcakes, and Ice Cream Sandwiches

Please Note:

- ✓ **Reservations are Required.** Please call 303-233-4614 with your reservation or use the LCC Website Event Calendar.
- ✓ We will be taking reservations to meet Santa this year, please call 303-233-4614 if you would like to choose a time to meet Santa.
- ✓ Due to the popularity of this event, it is limited to the Members' children and grandchildren.
- ✓ There will be no assigned seating.
- ✓ Member Dining will not be available from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Pike's Peak Dining Room, Tom Bendelow Room, or the Pike's Peak Lounge due to the Children's Holiday Party.

Currently, time slots for photos with Santa are full. If you were unable to get a time slot, please check in with Michelle Kiser as soon as you arrive at the event, and we will make our best effort to get you in to see Santa.



ugly sweater contest & holiday trivia night

Ugly Sweater Contest

Wednesday, December 18, 2019
5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

This year, we're continuing a holiday tradition at Lakewood Country Club – An Ugly Sweater Contest!

We encourage all Members who join us for dinner on Wednesday, December 18th to wear your best ugly sweater, the tackier, the better. Your photo will be taken, and an email blast will be sent out on Thursday, December 19th for the entire Membership to vote on the Best Ugly Sweater. All Members who participate will receive a complimentary cocktail. Who doesn't love some holiday fun, friendly competition, and a free drink on LCC! This is an evening you won't want to miss; things are going to get ugly!

If you choose not to wear an ugly sweater, please still join us Wednesday, December 18th to see everyone's outfits, Members and our staff! Then, be on the lookout for your email on Thursday, December 19th to vote for who you think should win. **Winners will be announced and receive their prizes at noon on Saturday, December 21st.**

Members will Vote & 1st and 2nd Place Prizes will be Awarded!



Holiday Trivia Night

Wednesday, December 18, 2019
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Join us at LCC for the final fun take on a classic game, JAMMIN' Trivia challenges the knowledge of competitors through three rounds of intense questioning. With numerous categories, four bonus rounds, and prize incentives for winning teams, this game gets competitive.



Dinner & Theater -

RENT: 20th Anniversary Tour

Saturday, February 29, 2020
Cocktails & Dinner – 5:00 p.m.
Show – 7:30 p.m.
\$110 per person

(This includes a three-course dinner and a theatre ticket - located in the mezzanine section, rows 1-4.)

Reservations MUST be made by December 12, 2019.

In 1996, an original rock musical by a little-known composer opened on Broadway and forever changed the landscape of American theatre. Two decades later, Jonathan Larson's RENT continues to speak loudly and defiantly to audiences across generations and all over the world. And now, this Pulitzer Prize and Tony Award®-winning masterpiece returns to the stage in a vibrant 20th anniversary touring production. A re-imagining of Puccini's La Bohème, RENT follows an unforgettable year in the lives of seven artists struggling to follow their dreams without selling out. With its inspiring message of joy and hope in the face of fear, this timeless celebration of friendship and creativity reminds us to measure our lives with the only thing that truly matters—love.

3-Course Dinner

Winter Salad – Frisse, Arugula, Golden Beets, Jicama, Pine Nuts, and Buttermilk Chive Dressing

Stationed Entrées – Carved Prime Rib, Carved Rack of Lamb, Baked Ziti with Sausage & Peppers, Blackened Salmon with Spinach & Tomato Coulis, Chicken Kabobs with Rice, and Broccoli & Cauliflower Oreganata

Dessert – Lemon Cream Cake with Blueberry Compote

Please Note:

- ✓ **Reservations are Required and MUST be made by December 12th. After December 12th, all tickets are non-refundable.**
- ✓ Transportation is not provided.
- ✓ This event will sell out as we only have 40 tickets available.
- ✓ To make your reservations, please contact Kristi Daniels at 303-327-1301 or kdaniels@lakewoodcountryclub.net.



Brunch & Theatre - The Lion King

Sunday, June 14, 2020
Brunch Buffet – 10:30 a.m.
Show – 1:00 p.m.
\$130 per person

(This includes brunch and a theatre ticket - located in the mezzanine section, rows 2-3.)

Reservations MUST be made by April 2, 2020.

Disney presents a musical that brings the much-loved 1994 animated film to life to breath-taking effects, spirit and power, inviting you to explore the African Serengeti and join the wide eyed cub Simba on the adventure of a lifetime as he grows up and accepts his destiny as the King of the Pride Lands. In addition to the beloved songs penned by Sir Elton John and Tim Rice (such as the soaring 'Circle of Life'), this phenomenal adaptation has new original songs and explodes with joyous, captivating music that soundtrack the rich mythology and moving drama expertly. Since opening on Broadway in 1998, The Lion King has smashed records, evolving into the highest grossing show, playing to date, 6,700 performances and mounting new ones worldwide. The success is well deserved as the musical is a visually stunning affair, creating a realistic and thrilling landscape, with actors dressed as the wild animals and encompassing their characters in a spectacular, goose bump-giving performance that keeps audiences coming back time and again. Whether you want to see the spectacle for yourself for the first time, or are a returning visitor, you can be sure that this is a musical that the whole family can enjoy!

Brunch Buffet:

Danishes, Doughnuts, Coffee Cake, Monkey Bread, Fruit Salad, Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Sausage Links, Bananas Foster French Toast, Quiche Muffins, Vegetable Tray, Homestyle Chicken Tenders with Honey & Lemon, Monte Cristo Sandwiches, and Tater Tots

Please Note:

- ✓ **Reservations are Required and MUST be made by April 2nd. After April 2nd, all tickets are non-refundable.**
- ✓ Transportation is not provided.
- ✓ This event will sell out as we only have 60 tickets available.
- ✓ To make your reservations, please contact Kristi Daniels at 303-327-1301 or kdaniels@lakewoodcountryclub.net.



Fried Chicken Night

Tuesday Evenings

Join us every Tuesday Evening and enjoy homemade buttermilk fried chicken served with mashed potatoes, sautéed spinach, carrots, and fresh jalapeño corn bread.



Cellar Night

Wednesday Evenings
(In our Pike's Peak Dining Areas)

Join us every Wednesday Evening & enjoy 50% off of bottles of wine and 25% off of our reserve selection!



Prime Rib Night

Thursday Evenings

Join us every Thursday Evening and enjoy a delicious Prime Rib Dinner.



Burger Night

Join us every Sunday night for two featured burgers.

These innovative, mouth-watering burgers are culinary creations that are guaranteed to leave you with an unforgettable LCC dining experience each and every time.



In Addition to the Member Dining Menu and Dinner Features

winter clubhouse hours of operation

Pike's Peak Dining Room (Casual Dining)

Breakfast: Friday thru Sunday 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Lunch: Tuesday thru Sunday 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Dinner: Tuesday thru Sunday 5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Tom Bendelow Dining Room

Lunch: Tuesday thru Sunday 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Dinner: Wednesday thru Sunday 5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Please note that Evening Member Dining and the Pike's Peak Lounge will NOT be available after 2:00 p.m. due to a Private Party on Tuesday, December 10th

lcc's social media

Stay current with what is going on at Lakewood Country Club!

✓ Clubster:

www.clubster.com (and/or download the Clubster app)

✓ Facebook-

If you haven't already, please like the LCC Facebook page and leave a review of our Club!

www.facebook.com/LakewoodCountryClub/

✓ Twitter-

<https://twitter.com/LakewoodCCinCO>

✓ Instagram-

<https://www.instagram.com/lakewoodcountryclubincolorado/>



Mahjong 麻雀



Wednesdays • 1:00 p.m. in the Ladies' Locker Room

If you would like to play Mahjong (or learn to play), please join us on Wednesdays.

If you have questions, please call Mary Starker at 303-475-2990 or Paula Maddera at 303-985-2748.



Evolving Golf Course Maintenance Standards

Lakewood CC's Turf Care division operate under a strict Maintenance Standards of Operation.

As new technologies impact our golf course maintenance operations, it's important to evaluate our maintenance standards and adjust them.

Golf course conditions and a consistent product start with well-defined and realistic maintenance standards. This isn't a new concept for Lakewood CC but is often one that seems to stay relatively stagnant year over year.

Maintenance standards are essentially goals. Most of us are familiar with SMART goals and how important they are in achieving success. As a quick recap, SMART goals are Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, and Time-Bound. Let's look at this a little more in depth.

Specific – In my opinion, our maintenance standards are very specific and define clear objectives. Each year, Chris Swim and I meet with our Green Committee to define these standards. Examples of this include detailed mowing heights and frequencies of certain tasks.

Measurable – Our maintenance standards are easy to measure. We can measure greens' speed; we can observe mowing frequencies and equipment technicians check mowing heights frequently to measure our standards.

Achievable – The maintenance standards we create are achievable, but often under perfect circumstances (fully staffed team,

equipment operating properly, based on a defined budget at the beginning of the year, etc.). Taking this into consideration, it is not uncommon for us to see maintenance standards that are not being met (equipment failure, lack of labor, financial challenges/budget restrictions).

Relevant (realistic) – Going back to achievable, how realistic are some of our maintenance standards? We are constantly adjusting the standards throughout the year to keep our goals relevant and achievable as our facility evolves. This is where we have the greatest opportunities for success/failure. Very often we "stick to our guns" and want the same product to be produced even though there are short falls in our key resources.

Time-bound – Our maintenance standards often have specific times associated with them. We know how long it takes to do specific tasks and the importance of providing a quality product ahead of play to insure a good golf experience. We are consistently looking for more efficient maintenance standards (see last GM newsletter regarding Automation).

There is no doubt we can interchange the words "maintenance standards" with the word "goals". In order to successfully achieve these goals, we need to make sure that all areas of SMART goals are taking place. We must also be cognizant of our Membership's expectations. Our most vocal Members are single-digit handicappers and represent 28% of our total Membership. These players are clamoring for faster green speeds and tighter fairways. With the majority of our Membership at a 10 handicap or higher, we are challenged every year with our maintenance standards to strike a balance that is satisfactory

for the entire Membership. Pace of play and turf health also play an extremely important role in determining our standards of operations.

Maintenance standards are also created to compete with other private golf courses in our specific market. Are these always realistic (relevant)? Are they achievable based on the current status of Lakewood CC? We don't have to re-invent the wheel every month, but we take a hard look at our maintenance standards and where we can continue to tweak them for a consistent golfing experience while continuing to gain efficiencies.

New technologies can have a positive impact in providing consistent maintenance standards. As technology continues to rapidly impact the golf course industry, we (Green Committee & Management) are looking at new ways of achieving our high standards and adjusting our practices to ensure success at Lakewood CC.

Wishing you all a happy and safe holiday.

Sincerely;

Lance Scheele
General Manager
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upcoming events

December

- Thursday 5th Ladies' Bingo
- Sunday 8th Family Gingerbread House Party
- Wednesday 11th Member Appreciation Night – Golf Pro Shop
- Friday 13th Member's Holiday Celebration
- Saturday 14th Children's Holiday Party
- Wednesday 18th Ugly Sweater Party & Trivia Night
- Sunday 22nd Chanukah Begins
- Tuesday 24th Clubhouse Closes at 2:00 p.m. – Christmas Eve
- Wednesday 25th Club Closed – Merry Christmas

January

- Wednesday 1st –
- Thursday 16th Clubhouse Closed
- Friday 17th Clubhouse Re-Opens at 4:00 p.m.



letter from the clubhouse manager



It is time to say goodbye to 2019 and hello to 2020.

We are looking forward to a busy holiday season around the Clubhouse followed by a fun filled 2020. The

holiday decorations have transformed the Clubhouse, which always puts everyone in the holiday spirit. We are preparing for all of our holiday events for our Members and guests.

Our October and November events were a hit this year! The 3rd Annual **LCC Charity Gala – “The Rat Pack”** was organized by the Programs Committee, chaired by Mr. Derek Vanderryst, the Members who participated on the Gala Subcommittee, and staff. It was a successful evening, raising \$107,000 to donate to the Hope House, 40 West Arts, and Heart & Hand charities. We hope this event grows each year it is hosted and becomes LCC’s banner event. This year’s annual **Children’s Halloween Party** was, yet again, a ‘Spooktacular’ event for the 490 Members and children who attended. As always, we are looking forward to this event next year with the spooky and non-spooky additions we are thinking about incorporating. This year’s annual Italian Night had 284 Members and guests attend, this makes this the most well attended **Italian Night** since 2011, and 60 more in attendance from last year. It is great to see this event become a revitalized tradition at LCC. This year, we were happy to showcase the products from Polidori Family Sausage, Italco Foods, and Guadagni Family Wines and a special shout out to our very own, Executive Chef Mat and his culinary staff for creating a delicious Italian spread. The 5th annual **Father/Daughter Dance** was Saturday, November 17th. This event has been growing each and every year, and is becoming something the fathers, daughters, grandfathers, and granddaughters look forward to each year.

This year’s event had “The Wizard of Oz” theme, and everyone who attended came dressed to impress. We hope the 75 fathers and daughters who joined us in the “Land of Oz” felt “There’s No Place Like LCC”.

The holidays are upon us, here are all of the upcoming events you have to look forward to!

- **Ladies’ BINGO** - Thursday, December 5th from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- **Family Gingerbread House Party** - Sunday, December 8th with two time sessions to choose from, one starting at 8:30 a.m. and the other starting at 11:00 a.m.
- **Members’ Holiday Celebration** - Friday, December 13th Seating times will be available from 5:00 p.m. thru 9:00 p.m.
- **Children’s Holiday Party** – Saturday, December 14th from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- **Ugly Sweater Contest & Holiday Trivia Night** –Wednesday, December 18th 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Be sure to mark your calendars for these Club Closure dates:

- **Tuesday, December 10th** - Club is closed after 2:00 p.m. due to a Private Party
- **Tuesday, December 24th**- Club is closed after 2:00 p.m. due to Christmas Eve
- **Wednesday, December 25th**- Club Closed due to Christmas Day
- **Wednesday, January 1st** - Thursday, January 16th – Club Closed
- **Friday, January 17th** - Club Re-Opens at 4:00 p.m.

As always, my door is open to any comments or concerns. Please feel free to contact me at any time.


James Klein
Clubhouse Manager
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letter from membership chair

December 1, 2019

Dear Lakewood Country Club Members,

On behalf of the rest of the Board of Directors, I would like to thank you for all of your prospective Member referrals. Currently, there are approximately 26 Members on our Golf Waiting List. However, our Golf Waiting List Members have full use of the facilities and afternoon privileges on the golf course. **Due to its popularity, Lakewood Country Club is once again offering our “Winterfest” Introductory Golf Membership Program, requiring only an initial \$2,625 non-refundable initiation fee down payment (normally \$5,250).** Our new Members consistently comment about the friendliness of LCC Members and the warm atmosphere at the Club; so, please continue to welcome them with open arms to their “Home Away from Home.”

Resident Membership Classification

- **Resident Initiation Fee is \$52,500**
- No Surcharge for the Two Year Payment Plan
- **\$2,500 Initiation Fee Discount** for Waiving the Introductory Golf Membership Program for the Full Pay or Two Year Payment Plan
- **\$5,000 Club Credit** for the Full Pay or Two Year Payment Plan (\$2,500 Club Credit in First Year and \$2,500 Club Credit in Second Year)
- **Annually Compounded Surcharges Dependent Upon Down Payment (20% down payment receives a 6% surcharge, 15% down payment receives an 8% surcharge, and 10% down payment receives a 10% surcharge)**
- **Payment Plans: Age 46 and Above Up to Five Years, Age 40 to 45 Up to Seven Years, Age 39 and Younger Up to 10 Years**
- All the Benefits of Full Membership with the Exception of Voting Privileges (voting privileges commence upon payment of final initiation fee installment)

“Winterfest” Introductory Golf Membership Program

Applications and Upgrade Requests Accepted as of October 1, 2019 through February 29, 2020

- Only Requires a Non-refundable **\$2,625 Initiation Fee Down Payment (normally \$5,250)**
- **\$2,625 Balance is Not Due Until March of 2020**
- Enjoy an Additional 12 Months of Membership from April 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021 if a golf opening becomes available by April 2020.
- All the Benefits of Full Membership with the Exception of Voting Privileges (voting privileges commence upon payment of final initiation fee installment)
- **Lock-in to \$52,500 Resident Initiation Fee and Payment Plans**
- Please Note: This is a One-time Offer per Prospective Member

If Winterfest Members are on a Golf Waiting List as of March 2020, they will still be billed their \$2,625 initiation fee down payment balance on their March 2020 statement. Additionally, they will begin a One Year Introductory Golf Membership when they are moved off the Golf Waiting List.

Legacy Memberships (30% discount off of the Resident Initiation Fee)

- **Legacy Resident Initiation Fee is \$36,750 or \$31,500 if they begin with the Introductory Golf Membership due to the \$5,250 deposit**
- Legacy Membership Includes any and All LCC Relatives – Siblings, Parents, Cousins, etc.
- No Surcharge for the Two Year Payment Plan
- **Annually Compounded Surcharges Dependent Upon Down Payment (20% down payment receives a 6% surcharge, 15% down payment receives an 8% surcharge, and 10% down payment receives a 10%)**
- **Payment Plans: Age 46 and Above Up to Five Years, Age 40 to 45 Up to Seven Years, Age 39 and Younger Up to 10 Years**
- Legacy Members 39 years of age and younger pay ½ Dues and full House Fee during their first year of Membership (currently, \$262.50 and \$150, respectively) and ¾ Dues and full House Fee during their second year of Membership (currently, \$393.75 and \$150, respectively). Then, Legacy Members will begin to pay full Dues and full House Fee in their third year of Membership (currently, \$525 and \$150, respectively).
- All the Benefits of Full Membership with the Exception of Voting Privileges (voting privileges commence upon payment of final initiation fee installment)

Junior Dues Program

- 29 Years of Age and Younger at Time of Application
 - ~ Only Pay ½ Dues and full House Fee until Age 30 (currently, \$262.50 and \$150, respectively)
 - ~ At Age 30, Pay ¾ Dues and full House Fee until Age 35 (currently, \$393.75 and \$150, respectively)
- 30 years of Age at Time of Application
 - ~ Only Pay ¾ Dues and full House Fee until Age 35 (currently, \$393.75 and \$150, respectively)

House Social Membership Classification

- Use of Pool, Fitness Facility, Reciprocal Tennis with Meadow Creek Tennis, Member Dining, Social Events, and Junior Programs
- \$3,000 Initiation Fee

New Members are vital to the Club’s financial success. The best way to grow the Club’s Membership is through your prospective Member referrals. If you have family, friends, or acquaintances who you think would be a good addition to the Club, please call Carol Kaiser, Membership Director, at 303-233-4614, extension 106.

Sincerely,
Norton “Norty” C. Frickey, II
Membership Chairman
Board of Directors

December 2019

sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
1 Burger Night	2 Club Closed	3 Fried Chicken Night	4 Lakewood Cellar Night	5 Ladies' Bingo Prime Rib Night	6	7
8 Family Gingerbread House Party & Brunch Burger Night	9 Club Closed	10 Yom Kippur Begins Evening Member Dining & Pike's Peak Lounge NOT Available After 2 p.m.	11 Member Appreciation Night Lakewood Cellar Night	12 Prime Rib Night	13 Member's Holiday Celebration	14 Children's Holiday Party
15 Burger Night	16 Club Closed	17 Fried Chicken Night	18 Ugly Sweater Party & Trivia Night Lakewood Cellar Night	19 Prime Rib Night	20	21
22 Chanukah Begins Burger Night	23 Club Closed	24 Christmas Eve - Clubhouse Closes at 2:00 p.m.	25 Club Closed - Merry Christmas	26 Prime Rib Night	27	28
29 Burger Night	30 Club Closed	31 Fried Chicken Night				

January 2020

sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
			1	2	3	4
			CLUBHOUSE CLOSED			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
			CLUBHOUSE CLOSED			
12	13	14	15	16	17 Clubhouse Re-opens at 4:00 p.m.	18
			CLUBHOUSE CLOSED			
19 Burger Night	20 Club Closed	21 Fried Chicken Night	22 Lakewood Cellar Night	23 Prime Rib Night	24	25
26 Burger Night	27 Club Closed	28 Fried Chicken Night	29 Lakewood Cellar Night	30 Prime Rib Night	31	



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Clubhouse Hours of Operation

Pike's Peak Dining Room (Casual Dining)

Breakfast	Fri thru Sun	8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Lunch	Tues thru Sun	11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Dinner	Tues thru Sun	5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Tom Bendelow Dining Room (Adult Dining)

Lunch	Tues thru Sun	11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Dinner	Tues thru Sun	5:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.