



April 2010

PUTTERINGS



No April Fools! The course opens in March!

Greetings Members,

Spring has officially arrived and the course officially opened. It's amazing to think how fast the winter goes by. With the new season kicking off, I wanted to remind you all of a few upcoming events. Mark your calendars for April 4th Easter Brunch, April 15th Final Bunco for Babes (gals only), April 17th Trivia Night, and May 14th Grand Deck Opening Party (formal invitation to follow.)

Wedding season is about to begin, but we do have a few weekends to fill, so if you know anyone interested in a wedding, reunion or anniversary party at the Club feel free to give them my info.

We have a few new Members at the Club and if happen to run into them, please feel free to introduce yourself. We would like to give a big welcome to Eric Winn and his wife Shannon Winn, Tad Schrantz and Leslie Lazarus, Robert Schlosser and his family, William Faulkner, Jack Saum and his wife Helen.

Can't wait to see you around the Club and on the new deck!

*Sincerely,
Sheana Rodriguez*

Timberview Restaurant

LUNCH

Tuesday - Sunday 11:30 am to 3:00 pm

LIMITED MENU

Tuesday - Sunday 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

DINNER

Thursday - Saturday 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Monday Closed

Thursday Night "Pasta Night"

Friday Night "Prime Rib Night"

Hours of Operation April 2010

Pro Shop

8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Driving Range

8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Snack Shack

Opening soon

Pool

Will open Memorial Day weekend

Business Office

M-F 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Phone Numbers

Business Office/Reservations 352-0135

Pro Shop 352-9722

Upcoming Social Events

April 15th - Final Bunco for Babes (gals only)

April 17th - KCC Trivia Challenge.

6:00 p.m. cocktails. 7:00 p.m. game begins.

Who will be the Trivia Champs this year?

Prizes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place teams.

April 22nd - Men's Golf Opening Party

6:00 p.m. on the porch. Come out and enjoy cocktails & hors d'oeuvres and catch up with everyone before the season kicks off.

Always a good time, don't miss it!

April 25th - Men's Kick-Off Tournament

9:00 a.m. Shotgun

Sign up now in the locker room!

May 14th Grand Deck Opening Party

(formal invitation to follow.)

Members, a KCC member has recently suggested a great idea for the restaurant. As a way of showing your employees how much you appreciate their hard work, reward them with a nice dinner in Timberview for lunch on the new deck. Just call the office and let us know that you are sending guests out to the Club and we can put their tab on your account. The Club can be a great place for your employees, friends and family to enjoy. This may even spike their interest in a KCC Membership.

Thanks,
Sheana

From the Chef

Happy Spring Members! What we all have been waiting for, is finally here.

I would like to welcome all new KCC Members and encourage you to stick your head in and say hello. I have been working on the new Lunch menu and have revamped the list for the new season. Just a few new items are fresh sauteed mussels, homemade crab cakes, pulled pork, and loaded ribeye steak and cheese sandwiches.

Another new idea I have introduced to the Club is a to build an onsite herb garden. With John Boardman's help we will have fresh herbs for homemade dishes. You will also see more all-natural and locally raised meats and poultry, provided by local butcher shops. If you haven't been out to Timberview for dinner lately, I encourage to do so. I have put together some really cool and unique dishes for you to try.

See you all very soon,

Chef Mike O'Brien

Men's Golf

The course is open and in fantastic shape! We've never had so much time to get ready for the Men's Golf Season, so make the most of it.

The Men's Golf Season officially begins with the Opening Party on Thursday, April 22. The party kicks off at 6:00 p.m. with cocktails and hors d'oeuvres. Make sure you make it out and catch up with old friends and find out what's new for the upcoming season.

The tournament schedule begins Sunday, April 25th with our Kick-Off Tournament. You can sign up now in the locker room. This is always one of the most popular tournaments of the year, so get yourself signed up. It's a 9:00 a.m. shot-gun start and we will have our traditional kegs on the course.

Twilight kicks off on Tuesday, April 27th and the we will be in the full swing of the golf season.

I look forward to seeing everyone on the course!

Joe Tolman

Women's Golf

I can see grass! It looks like the snow is quickly melting and we'll soon be on the golf course.

All the women's golf applications have to be sent to Deb O'Meara by the end of March. Her mailing address is

P.O.Box 813
Keene, NH 03431-0813

This will allow adequate time to get the books published with your contact information so don't delay.

All of our tournament dates and tournament chairs have been published on the KCC Women's Golf group on Facebook. If you don't have access please contact Lisa Edwards at cheermail126@gmail.com

On a sad note I have stepped down as women's chair due to our family relocating to Florida. I am, however, happy to announce Jane Lane will be assuming the women's chair position. Jane and I have worked together over the last several years as tournament chairs. I'm sure she'll do a wonderful job. Thank you Jane for stepping up.

Get those clubs out. Get them cleaned and start warming up!

Samara Paice



From the Pro Shop

Welcome everyone to the 2010 golf season. What an early and wonderful start to the year. We opened on March 27th and Easter weekend saw temperatures in the 70's.

Here is a quick list of firsts for the new season. Mike Quinton became the first player to tee off this season playing a warm-up 1, 8, 9. Bronson Shonk teed it up minutes later to record KCC's first 18-hole round. Club President Bill Beauregard was the first man to sign-up for bag storage and Amy Bodwell was the first women to sign-up for bag storage. Finally, Mike Pappas was the first to sign-up for the range plan.

Don't forget to sign-up for the kick-off tournaments. The men's kick-off is on Sunday, April 25th. The women's kick-off is on Thursday, May 6th.

For the 2010 season we would like to welcome back Assistant Professional Tim Stoodley, Pro Shop Assistant Ryan Fuller, Outside Assistants Giles Chickering, Sam Fuller, & Nate Kowalczyk. We also would like to welcome aboard Range Assistants Stuart Ferguson, Annamarie Mallat, Jordan Tolman, and Michael Salema.

Thank you all and let's have a great season. See you on the course.

Charles Kamal
PGA Head Professional

From the Superintendent

Wow. KCC open to play on March 26th. I'm pretty sure this is the earliest at least since I have been at the club.

The course wintered very well. The early warm weather has given us the luxury of extra time for spring cleanup. The cleanup this year has been frustrating as this year is the year of the pine cones. The course was literally covered with cones and pine branches. We will get an area cleaned up then the wind blows and more come down. This will go on most of the year. If only there was some value to the cones. I know they make good Christmas decorations or kindling for a fire, so feel free to help yourselves to as many as you like when you are out there.

The biggest changes you will notice on the course this spring is our new pond on the 7th. The major objective is to drain this area. This will be phase 1. The pond itself should help dry up the area around it. Later we can run a series of subsurface drains throughout the area with a place to run the water collected. We may connect the pond on 5/6 with this pond with an underground pipe. This will allow us to control the level of the water, lowering it during wet period and raising it in dry times. Another benefit to the project is we have remove the two humps and many tree so know you will have better visibility for the tee shot as your ball splashes into the water or goes OB. To keep the cost of the project down and to get another benefit, the fill generated has been put along the bank from the 6th cart path to the men's tee. This will make the slope acceptable for walking down. We want to get the women golfers to walk over this way as opposed to walking back down the 6th to avoid the danger of an oncoming shot from the next group. Once it dries out we will be able to put the finishing touches on shaping it up and seeding it.

We are looking forward to a really good year and look forward to seeing you all on the course.

John Boardman

