

The Turnberry

August 2022





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Club Office

(270) 554-7914 option 4
Mon-Fri 8:00am-4:30pm

Dining Room

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(270) 448-3463
Tues-Fri 11:00am-9:00pm
Sat 10:30am-9:00pm
Sun 10:30am-8:00pm
Closed on Mondays.

Golf Shop

golfshop@ccofpaducah.com
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Tues-Sun 9:00am-6:00pm
Closed on Mondays.

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(270) 554-7065
Mon-Thurs 8:00am-8:00pm
Fri-Sat 8:00am-2:00pm
Sun Closed

Pool

10:00am-8:00pm Daily

Snack Bar

11:00am-7:00pm Daily

*** Please be on the lookout for email updates as hours for both the Pool and Snack Bar will be adjusted as the month progresses and staff returns to school.

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President's Message

KRISTA LEA

August is upon us! Soon school will be starting back and we will get settled into more of a routine again. It has been a fun summer at the Club, and there are still more exciting events in store for late summer. Thank you to all of our staff who have worked tirelessly to provide fun and entertainment for our members all summer. I have had great reviews from the grill at the turn for our golfers. Thank you, Chef Wade and team, for making that happen.

Last spring, the Board of Directors approved funding for the long overdue project of recovering the tennis bubble. This project was originally set to happen this summer. However, due to supply and employee shortages, it has been pushed back. The project manager from Signature Structures was recently on-site at the Club and anticipates a September install. This project will take around a week and the bubble will remain open for the duration of the project. As with any project, this one is not without hurdles. During the recent site visit, it was found that our current heating ductwork will not allow the new cover to properly seal, which means the company cannot guarantee their work. This issue will need to be handled before the start of the project. We are in the process of getting estimates to make the necessary changes to the duct system in order to make our project a success. I will keep you updated on the progress. It will be a great enhancement to our facility!

Our Director of Racquets, Oscar Imhof, will be out for a period in early August to spend time with his family for the birth of his daughter. Please see the recent email he sent out regarding schedule changes during this time. The program will continue under the direction of Jamie O'Hara and Davis Rowton while Oscar is away. Congratulations Oscar and family!

Thank you for your membership and support. Please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions or concerns.

Krista



General Manager's Message

MICHAEL METHOT, CCM

August, often referred to by some as the "Sunday of Summer", also provides much to look forward to as we transition into a joyous time of year. As you begin preparations to go out of town or check an item from your bucket list before school officially starts, be sure to continue spending your spare time at the Club.

An annual affair, we will soon be modifying our hours of operation for both the Pool and Snack Shack as the staff returns to school. In the coming weeks, please be on the lookout for a detailed email regarding coverage and modifications to the schedule pending availability. Based on my oversight and the rave reviews I received from many members, I would consider the 2022 season a massive success! We had great attendance to date, launched a Swim League Program, and saw many of you take advantage of swim lessons, all while having very few and minor incidents. If a bloody nose was the highlight, I'd say it went well. The renovations to the lower level certainly provided for a much-improved environment, and we look forward to serving you, your families, and guests until Labor Day weekend.

As we transition months, there is a lot of Food & Beverage news and excitement to look forward to! In case you missed my announcement late last week, I am thrilled to welcome Jessica Hughes to the senior management team as Assistant Manager. In her role, she will help oversee food & beverage operations while having her presence felt often in the dining rooms. Jessica has many years of progressive hospitality experiences to include 6+ years at Harrah's Metropolis Hotel & Casino, most recently as Hotel and Casino Operations Supervisor. We will also be reinvigorating our offerings on Sundays and in a few short weeks, we will be launching yet another menu refresh to keep your palate curious and engaged with our everchanging culinary creations. I have received great feedback on our Mulligan's counter and on Monday, the hardware will be installed to really make this piece pop.

Lastly, I hope all our members participating in the Annual Golf Excursion Trip to Big Cedar enjoy their weekend! Chad has done a fantastic job planning this year after year and although a lot of effort and planning is required on the front end, I know the time away from Paducah is well spent and thoroughly enjoyed. I'm not sure if this year's trip will be able to compete with the previous, as there was multiple hole-in-one's had, but there will most certainly be some stories to be told.

Off The Tee

Chad Martin, PGA Director of Golf

I know it does not feel like it, but Fall is just around the corner and hopefully that will bring some relief from the heat and humidity. August offers a full slate of events with the Sr. Club Championship, Couples Club Championship, Ladies Club Championship, & Men's Club Championship. I look forward to seeing more golfers returning to the Club as the temperatures begin to slightly decrease.

Whenever you have a chance, I would like to encourage the membership here at CCP to come by the Golf Shop and check out the new arrivals for fall, as well as some great deals on the remaining spring/summer apparel. This fall, we will stock the Golf Shop with apparel from Straight Down, Johnnie-O, Swannies Golf, 7 Diamonds, Donald Ross Sport, and Sun Mountain. I greatly appreciate how the membership has supported the Golf Shop, and I would like to thank you in advance for your continued patronage.

This month my main goal is to encourage as many members as possible to come out and play in the 2022 Club Championship on August 24th & 25th. This is the one event where you can test yourself while playing your golf ball all the way into the hole. The more members that we have participate the tighter the flights get, and the overall competitiveness of the tournament will increase. Also, new for 2022 we will play Net in all flights except for the Championship Flight. Let's try and blow the participation numbers out for this event in 2022!

Lastly, if you see our golf course superintendent, Shannon Watson, or any of his turf care staff members please let them know how much their hard work is appreciated. June and July brought unbelievably high heat and humidity and no rain, along with an extremely busy tournament schedule. It truly is impressive how Shannon and his staff have maintained our facility throughout all the weather and events.

Sincerely,

Chad Martin



Member-Member Champions –
Alex Edwards & Chris Bell

Green Scene

Shannon Watson, CGC Superintendent

This summer has not been for the faint of heart in the turf industry. Western Kentucky has been for the most part HOT and Dry. The heat from June continued through the month of July. We received a couple rain events, but they were nowhere near the events that we needed to break the drought. As I write this article, we are experiencing a cool down for a few days and the possibility of a drought busting rain event. The turf staff needed the cool down and a couple days to exhale before the heat returns for August.

The good news is that the irrigation pumps are functioning well, and the golf course has lost its British Open look with consistent irrigation and a little natural precipitation. During the month of July, we were pumping 300,000-500,000 gallons of water a night to keep up with the heat and dry conditions. There are still dry areas in some of the fairways, but green is the predominant color. The dry areas around the course are partly due to irrigation coverage, tree root competition, or sprinkler heads that have stopped working. We spend a fair amount of time each week checking heads and fixing sprinklers that have stopped functioning properly. This process will continue until the system is winterized for the year.

The greens continue to hang tough in the trying weather. When the humidity picks up, irrigation strategies changed to keep the greens from being too wet and encouraging disease. It is a much finer line to walk with high temps and humidity than high temps and low humidity. Our regimen to hand water dry areas during the morning and then cool the greens in the afternoon heat will continue this month. Mowing may or may not be cut back, but rolling will continue because it is less stressful on the turf. Small amounts of fertilizer and growth regulator is being applied each week to give the bentgrass enough food to sustain itself during the brutal heat. A preventative fungicide schedule is being followed as well. All in all, the greens continue to do well and should make it thru another summer in good condition. We hope to find acceptable weather at the end of the month to perform fall greens aerification. We are scheduled to aerate on August 22 and 23. We will pull a 3/8" core, verticut, topdress, and seed during this process.

By the end of the month, we hope to have aerated the tees and fairways, in addition to keeping the greens healthy. We skipped tee and fairway aerification in July because of the drought conditions and high temperatures. The turf staff has done a tremendous job with the course, and I hope you take the time to complement them on their effort. Those compliments help our staff make it through the late part of the summer after experiencing two months of dog day weather and now the calendar says it is just August.

CCP Calendar of Events

August & September 2022

AUGUST

August 4 (Thursday)

- * Thirsty Thursday

August 5 (Friday)

- * International Beer Day BBQ

August 6 (Saturday)

- * Milkshake Mayhem
- * Senior Club Championship
- * Ladies 6-Hole Scramble

August 7 (Sunday)

- * Senior Club Championship

August 13 (Saturday)

- * CCP Family Cup

August 14 (Sunday)

- * Couples Championship

August 18 (Thursday)

- * Thirsty Thursday

August 20 (Saturday)

- * Ice Cream Float Social
- * Club Championship

August 21 (Sunday)

- * Club Championship

August 22 & 23 (Monday & Tuesday)

- * Aerification of Greens

August 27 (Saturday)

- * Parent-Child Tournament
- * CCP Concert

September

September 5 (Monday)

- * Labor Day Luau
- * Pool Closed for Season

September 5 (Monday)

- * Labor Day Tournament

September 6 (Tuesday)

- * Clubhouse Closed

September 8 (Thursday)

- * LGA Fall Tournament
- * Crafting with Kids-Grandparent's Day

September 9 (Friday)

- * Glow Golf

September 11 (Sunday)

- * Grandparent's Day Brunch

September 17 (Saturday)

- * Year End Scramble
- * Ice Cream Float Social

September 22 (Thursday)

- * New Member Mixer

September 29 (Thursday)

- * LNO-Fall Edition

*** For full event details please
check our website, Facebook page,
Instagram and around the Club.

RECURRING EVENTS

DINING

Sunday Brunch
10:00am-1:30pm

**Southern Comfort Selections
Family Buffet**
5:00pm-8:00pm

GOLF

Men's Night
Wednesdays @ 5:30pm

Ladies Day
Thursdays @ 9:00am

Couples Golf
Fridays @ 5:30pm

TENNIS

Pickleball Play
Mondays @ 6:00pm

Men's Night
Thursdays @ 6:00pm

Cardio Tennis
Saturdays @ 9:00am

For dining reservations: 270-448-3463

To RSVP to an event: wstone@ccofpaducah.com

Around the Club

Whitney Stone-Leyhue, Event Coordinator

We have a full month of summer temperatures left and here at CCP we are still going strong with summer events for the whole family. We kick off the month with our first ever **International Beer Day BBQ** featuring all of your CCP BBQ favorites served buffet style. Adrian Holloman from Heidelberg Distributing will be here with a few tasty beers for you to try.

The very next day we will be doing **Milkshake Mayhem** poolside featuring two milkshake flavors with a full toppings bar and boozy additions for the adults as well. I am very eager to announce some exciting changes to our Sunday program.

CCP will now be offering a **Sunday Brunch Buffet EVERY SUNDAY!** This will feature composed salads, kids kornet, omelet & dessert bar plus all of your favorite CCP breakfast and lunch items. On Sunday nights we will now feature a **Southern Comfort Buffet** which will include a selection of rotating southern fare weekly.

Our **CCP Concert Series: Flights & Bites** concludes the month and should be fun for all with Chris Monhollen playing on the upstairs patio. On this night we will feature small plate specials & beer flights for attendees along with our full menu.

For full event details check out our flyers posted around the Club, on Facebook, Instagram and our CCP app for full details. We look forward to seeing you at all the fun events we have planned. To conclude my article I would like to remind members that your early RSVPs are what make our events great. Advanced RSVPs allow me to order products and décor geared towards your event and the more RSVPs I have, the more over-the-top our events can become. It seems that we have been cancelling a significant amount of events due to low participation and I would hate for this to become a trend.

As always, feel free to reach out regarding all of your banquet & event needs!

PAST TIME FOR POSITIVE

It seems for too long we have been inundated with negative news and to an extent here at our great Club. I am motivated to share my gratitude and appreciation for all the dedication and sacrifices our leadership management and staff have contributed to make the Country Club of Paducah one of, if not, the finest country club in any city our size. I have been most fortunate to have enjoyed 54 years and counting of membership and I unequivocally can testify our Club has never been finer. Financially, our Club dues to amenities represents a most rewarding value and all without assessments, a reality few country clubs can profess. Please join me in personally thanking all that have made our Club the asset it is for Paducah and the "Gem" it is for our membership.

Sincerely presented, Louis Michelson

In the Kitchen

Wade Simpson, Executive Chef

Well August is upon us and we are off to a great start. Some changes to the menu will occur in a few weeks to keep things fresh. The variety of produce is incredible and ever changing so I hope you enjoy the changes we have done with dinner. The staff is enjoying the changes and embracing how well you the members are receiving them. Several have commented that some dishes that they would not have thought to be popular are, and for a Chef that is great.

As our summer season ends and fall comes alive, Michael and I discussed doing an elevated Sunday Brunch each week and adding a Southern Comfort Buffet for dinner each Sunday. Something to help have those Family Sunday dinners we grew up with. Let us do the cooking this day. I'd like to pass along a simple recipe for you to do the cooking as International Beer Day approaches in a few days.

OOEY GOOEY BEER CHEESE DIP:

Ingredients

1/4 cup unsalted butter
1/2 cup finely chopped yellow onion
1/4 cup all-purpose flour
12 oz. IPA beer (1, 12oz can)
1/4 cup half-and-half
6 oz. shredded fontina cheese
6 oz. shredded sharp yellow cheddar cheese
1 tsp. Dijon mustard
1/2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce

Directions

1. In a medium saucepan, melt the butter over medium-low heat. Add the onion and cook, stirring, until softened, 4 to 6 minutes. Gradually whisk in the flour and cook, whisking constantly, until lightly browned, about 1 minute.
2. Gradually whisk in the beer and half and half. Cook, whisking constantly, until the sauce is thickened and just begins to bubble, 5 to 7 minutes. Reduce the heat to low and gradually add the cheeses, whisking constantly, until melted and combined. Remove from the heat.
3. Whisk in the Dijon mustard and the Worcestershire sauce. Garnish with chives and black pepper. Re-warm gently as needed.

Pair with soft or hard pretzels, pretzel sticks or even herb roasted fingerling potatoes.

I am enjoying being your Chef and appreciate the many warm welcomes you all have given me, thank you.

Here to be of service,
Wade

On the Court & In the Gym

Oscar Imhof, Director of Racquets

We had so much fun this summer with our summer camps and our junior academy. Over a hundred kids participated in our tennis programs this summer. I am very grateful for the support and my goal is to continue getting all the kids participating in tennis through the fall.

We will be offering our first **"Match Play Day"** of the season on September 10th at 1:00pm. This has been an event our juniors really enjoyed. It is a great way to create healthy competition for the advanced players, as well as great way to learn to play matches for the intermediate players.

On September 17th from 6:00pm-9:30pm we will be offering "Parent's Night Out". This program is designed for parents looking to have an adult night out while their kids are having fun and being looked after. Activities such as tennis, dodgeball, musical chairs, arts & crafts, and more will be offered as well as eating dinner at the Club with friends.

Our Adult "walk in" clinics will continue through the fall. These clinics are a lot of fun. We work on court positioning, strategy, and technique, in a fun atmosphere. It is also great exercise. Our adult clinics also do not require registration, making it very convenient for you to attend! Lastly, I wanted to emphasize our cardio clinic on Saturday at 9:00am is a coed clinic. Would love to get more ladies attending this clinic.

On September 9th, we will be hosting our **"Back to School" LADIES BRUNCH & TENNIS**. This morning event will start at 9:00am and will consist of ladies' doubles matches, breakfast, mimosas, music, and prizes! This event requires single registration, as players will be paired up with multiple partners. It is also a great "warm up" day for our **LADIES "IN HOUSE" TENNIS LEAGUE** which will start the following Wednesday, September 14th.

Our **FALL TENNIS MIXER**, will take place on September 24th at 4:00pm. This is a coed event in which doubles clinic games will be played. It will be followed by food, drinks, and prizes for the winning team. This event requires single registration, as players will have different teammates throughout the day.

Our **OPEN PLAY PICKLEBALL** continues through the month of August. We meet on Mondays at 6:00pm. These are fun "round robin" games that provides fun competition and great exercise. If you thought about joining "open play" pickleball but you fear you are not quite ready, we will be offering our second **Introduction to Pickleball** on September 6th from 6:00pm-7:15pm. In this clinic you will learn all the basics of the game from scoring, court positioning and basic strokes. By the end of the clinic, you will be able to play a match, while socializing, exercising, and having fun. We also have all the equipment needed to participate!

For any inquiry about any of our programming, registering for events, or anything related to my department, please do hesitate to contact me at oimhof@ccofpaducah.com or (985) 951-0209.

CONGRATULATIONS !!!



Oscar Imhof, Director of Racquets, and his wife Brittany welcomed their second daughter, Elianna Kate Imhof into the world on Friday, July 29, 2022. Also in the photo is their first daughter, Adrianna. Brittany is doing great, and we wish them nothing but the best as a newly formed family of

Member News

WELCOME to the Club!

Premier

Jim & Julia Harper
Dr. Rockne & Jill Brubaker

Executive

Drs. Joseph & Mandy Blackmon
(Caroline, Georgia, Booker, Shep)

Member Milestones

5 Years

Denise Milner

25 Years

Alex & Nicole Edwards

35 Years

Dr. Brian & Carol Vanderboegh

40 Years

Mike & Darlene Mazzone



**Ladies Memorial Winners:
Madison Glisson & Jessica Stevens**

Thank You

for holding an event in July

Lee Emmons, WKCTC

Jeff James, Port of Paducah

Dr. Paul Grumley, Top Drawer

Kevin Kauffeld, Independence Bank

Dean Owen, Dean Owen CPA

Nancy Powless, Book Club

Dr. Ted Borodofsky, 1st Investors

Chris Jordan, Oscar Cross Boys & Girls Club

Greg Grissom, JPEC

Private Events:

Phil & Lorraine Justice • Megan Falder

Sara Bicking • Will McDowell

Billy Harper • Stan Eckenberg

Steve Walker • Debbie Davies

Luncheon Club:

Vickie Pittard

Beatrice Petter

*Our deepest condolences
go out to the family
and friends of
Mrs. Ginger Usher.*