

# Riverhill Reporter

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*November 2018*

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Riverhill Membership,

Fall in Texas is one of the best times for Hill Country Golf. We are proud to say the golf course is in great condition thanks to the bountiful rains this past month. There's been some great events (and food!) this past month and we've received supportive feedback. As we move forward to the Holiday Seasons, the staff and I are excited for the upcoming events everyone has been hard at work putting together. Don't miss out on the fun and make sure to invite your friends and family to show them the club!

Our Club continues to grow in members. Without a doubt our membership is the best around. We welcome new members to the club and invite them in as family. We love hearing this constantly from our visitors. Thank you to all our membership for introducing new prospects to Bryan. And thank you for making Riverhill an exemplary country club!

Please don't hesitate to contact us with problems or questions. We're here for the members and aiming to build a better club experience all around. I am proud of our staff and the direction that Our Club is moving in. **Riverhill Proud!!**

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'John Fink', written in a cursive style.

**From the Desk of Bryan Hargrove**

Membership Director

Happy Holidays! It's that time of year when we all count our blessings. We, the Riverhill community, have a lot to be thankful for. First of all, is that we have a wonderful club for our social activities and golf. Not to mention an ownership group that continues to provide you with a product you can be very proud of. For that, I am RIVERHILL PROUD!!

Personally, I have a lot to be thankful for. My daughter is healthy again and getting married this month. Professionally, the club has grown more than we hoped for. Plus, we've gotten enough rain to hold us over this winter. I can't forget about our members. They are what make Riverhill such a great club. Thanks for being supportive and active in all of our activities and events.

Reminder: If you did not receive your statement via regular mail, check your email. We are going paperless as much as possible. If you do not have an email address, you will still receive your statement via regular mail.

Asking for a little help: Please sign your tickets throughout the club. If there is a problem with your bill, a signed ticket makes it easier to resolve.

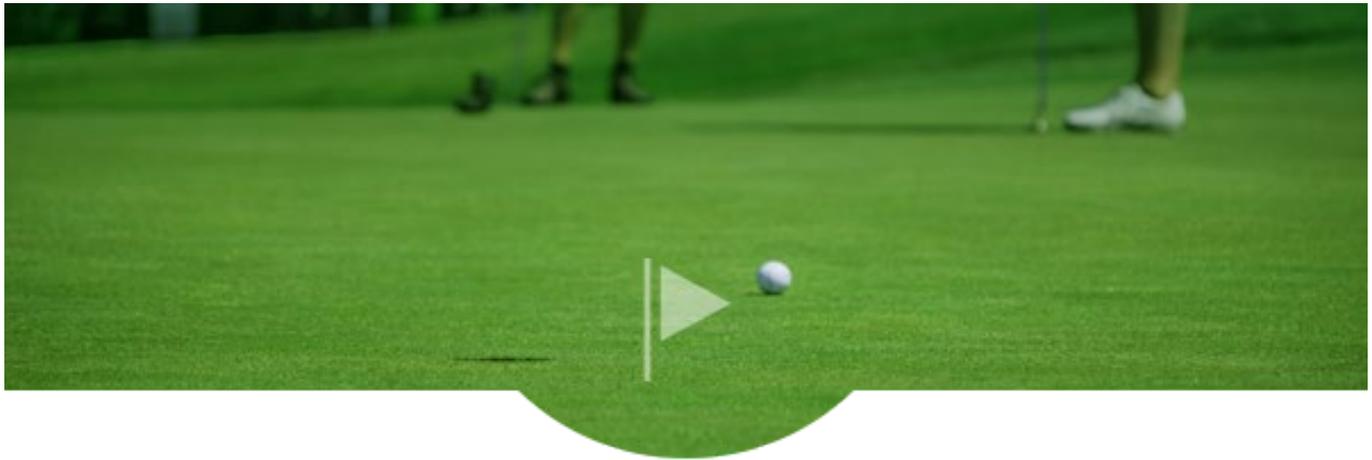
Happy Holidays! And as always,

I am RIVERHILL PROUD!!

Bryan Hargrove  
Membership Director

Welcome to our new members who joined last month:





## Golf

November is here and The Holidays are approaching quickly, that means the Golf Shop Christmas Sale. This year's sale will be Friday November 1<sup>st</sup> 3:00 – 6:00. We will be offering extra discounts on the wheel, have free gift wrapping available, taking special orders along with having wine and snacks on hand. The wheel will have the most discounts of the season that night so stop by and get your Christmas shopping done early and tell your friends.

Congratulations to all the qualifiers for this year's Collins Cup Matches. The tournament will take place November 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>, this year's teams are:

Sons of Pitches – Captain Harold Danford, Kent McKinney, David Breda, Gary Cochrane, Larry Howard, Bob Fairchild, Chuck Swallow, Randy Evans, Blake Smith, Bill Suehs, Bedford Mitchell, Jeff Harris, Jim McCrae, George Stacy, Roy Thompson, Hiram Wilson, Jerry Wilson, Kyle Bond, Carl Browning and Steve Ables.

The Grinders – Co-Captain Steve Boynton, Co-Captain Ken Ricks, Lane Fowler, Brick Gibson, Les Henry, Chipper Loggie, Steve Jones, Hut Smith, Raymond Holloway, Scott Stumbo, Marty Rachford, Paul Urban, Gordon Honganen, Rick Turner, Fred Lohmeyer, Dan Ehrenreich, Glenn Coggins, Chet Hearn, David Weekley and Dewayne Davis..

With the popularity of our Staff Scrambles we will continue them into the winter months starting with November 15<sup>th</sup> at 3:15 with dinner after play. Thank you for all of your support making this monthly event a huge success.

We had perfect weather for our Fall Night golf tournament. There were 9 teams and the winning team was Harold Danford, Jeff Harris, Justin Foster and Kenneth Early.

19 teams competed, and the weather cooperated allowed us to get the full event in. Congratulations to our Member-Member Match Play Flight Winners: Championship – Harold Danford and David Breda, 1<sup>st</sup> Flight - Steve Ables and Greg Shrader 2<sup>nd</sup> Flight – David Burch and Dan Ostos and 3<sup>rd</sup> Flight – Bob Fairchild and Charlie Digges.

Our last club event of 2018 will be The Winter Scramble on Saturday December 1<sup>st</sup> . It will be a 2-person scramble and you pick your partner.

We have received our winter gear from Sun Mountain and Foot-Joy. Also Columbia short and long sleeved vented shirts and the new Titleist TS drivers.

Thank you for your support of all of our golf events during the year. We are working on details for the 2019 calendar and will send the dates out via email once it is finalized, hopefully by December 1<sup>st</sup>.

As many of you know DJ Owens accepted a position at Mo Ranch and left mid-October. We wish him all the best and thank him for all he accomplished during his time with us. Our new Assistant Professional Arnie Segura starts November 1<sup>st</sup> . Arnie comes to us from Flying L with an extensive background in operations, merchandising and teaching. We look forward havind Arnie as part of our Riverhill team.

### **Reminders:**

- Store credit earned before November 30th must be spent before December 31st, store credit cannot be transferred.
- Any store credit earned after December 1<sup>st</sup> may be carried over to 2019.
- Don't forget about that the Golf Shop will trade-in your old equipment. It is a very simple process: 1) Bring your clubs to the shop and we will give you a bid in 24hrs. 2) if you accept the bid that amount will be issued to your credit book to use towards golf shop purchases.

### **Upcoming November Golf Events:**

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| 9 <sup>th</sup> & 10 <sup>th</sup>  | The Collins Cup  |
| 11 <sup>th</sup>                    | Veteran's Day course open  |
| 15 <sup>th</sup>                    | Member – Staff Scramble 3:15   |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> -18 <sup>th</sup>  | TGA Shamble – course opens at 1:00   |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> & 20 <sup>th</sup> | Greens Aerification – We will re-open on Wednesday Nov 21 <sup>st</sup> at 9:30                                |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup>                    | Thanksgiving Day - The Golf Shop and course will be open from 7:30- 2:30pm.<br>All carts must be in by 2:30pm. |
| Nov. 30 <sup>th</sup>               | Christmas Sale – 3:00-6:00   |
| Dec. 1 <sup>st</sup>                | Christmas Scramble – 2-person teams – 9:00 Shotgun   |
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## **Men's Golf Association (MGA)**

I'm thinking about moving to drier climates – maybe Seattle. Or maybe that Mt. View in Hawaii that gets only 240 inches of rain a year.

Sometimes this column is easy, it practically writes itself. This is not one of those times. There is very little to write about, as there was remarkably little golf in October! I'm writing this in advance of the night golf and the Great Pumpkin that are supposed to close out the month, and the weather forecast looks decent for both. But that's been about it.

So, let's turn our sights to November. We've moved the annual fall cook-out to November 8th, still on a Thursday, still a two-man scramble, still with a great dinner and (perhaps) entertainment. We're paying for your dinner and are encouraging you to bring your significant other as well. Or, your insignificant other – we're not fussy. Given the lousy weather in October, it would be wonderful if we turned this into a great success. An opportunity to play some golf, get together, and celebrate the end of the rainy season.

By moving the fall cook-out, we are buying your meal twice in November! Here's the calendar for the month:

November 3, Saturday 1:00 pm Individual gross/net

November 8, Thursday 1:00 pm Two Man Scramble. 5:30 Appetizers. 6:30 Dinner

November 29, Thursday 8:00 Annual Breakfast Followed by Two-man scramble at 9:30

We did manage one MGA golf day in October, on the 11th. We had 10 people. Which brings me to the last subject for this month: We don't have enough people playing on a regular basis. We have over 100 members, but we've had a hard time this year getting a decent percentage of the on the golf course. If you have ideas on how to change that, please bring them to the November 29th meeting and breakfast.

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## **Riverhill Women's Golf Association**

We won't miss October which gave us more days off than most golfers would have liked, washing out ACE of the Month play day and more!

**Welcome November** - with the Julia Finger Challenge, election of officers, and ACE of the Year to be decided. Let's start at the beginning with the Julia Finger Challenge. The field is decided by point accumulation through participation in RWGA and Riverhill Golf events. The points report is posted in the Pro Shop window and eligible players have been contacted. If you have questions about points, refer to the RWGA Directory or ask the Pro Shop or Carol Swanson for clarification. The field will tee off Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 1:00 p.m. and Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00 a.m. This is a favorite event for us all and we love having Julia's support!

Our monthly meeting will be Wednesday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m. followed by a scramble at 10:00. This is election day for officers, and we hope you will attend to make the quorum and to meet your incoming Board. ACE of the Year is the following Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:00. This also starts a new year's ACE of the Month contest so come out and get an early start.

Mark your calendar, December 12<sup>th</sup> is the RWGA Christmas Party beginning at 11:30 in the Mansion. This one is all fun, call Janey now to put in your reservation!



## Tennis

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Pictures from the Las Vegas Pro AM, group photo and winners' photo of Cindy Collins and Garry Nadebaum



Riverhill Tennis welcomes new Assistant Tennis Professional Jack Smithheisler. Jack is a Certified Member of USPTA and from Richardson Texas. Jack graduated from Austin College in 1975 where he played basketball all four years. In the past years he has ran triathlon's and has played tennis all around Texas and loves to play and teach. Jack recently moved to the Hill Country and before that he was an Assistant Teaching Pro at Huffhines Tennis Center in Richardson Texas. We welcome jack to Riverhill and look forward to having him as part of the tennis program.

Christmas is right around the corner and our next Mixer is Saturday December 8th. This year's mixer is for adults and kids and we will play doubles and mixed doubles. The entry fee is a toy or toys to donate to the

kids at Hill Country Youth Ranch. Even if you can't come to the event we would love for you to donate toys for the kids. Call Garry to sign up now.

### **Fall Kids Tennis Clinics**

Monday and Wednesday 4:30 to 6 for beginners and intermediate players. The advanced kids including high school varsity and junior varsity are Tuesday at 6pm to 7pm and Saturday 9am to 10:30. Call Garry to sign up now and improve your tennis.

Session #3 October 30th to November 21st

session #4 November 26th to December 19th

### **Weekly Clinics**

Tuesday Adult Clinic 6pm

Thursday Ladies Clinic 9am

Saturday Adult Clinic 9am

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Saturday. Junior Clinics



**Thursday, November 22**  
**Happy Thanksgiving**  
**Seating at 11:00 am or 1:30 pm**

#### **Soup and Salad bar**

Wild Mushroom Soup

Granny Smith Apple &

Butternut Squash Soup Topped with Toasted Pepitas

Fruit tray

Jumbo Peeled Shrimp Cocktail

Smoked Salmon

#### **Entrees**

Hill Country Traditional Smoked Turkey

Honey glazed Smoked ham

Fried Chicken

**Vegetables & Sides**

Cornbread Dressing  
Green Bean Casserole  
Sweet Potato Casserole  
Hill country Cranberry sauce

**Desserts**

Texas Pecan Pie  
Pumpkin Cheese Cake  
Cherry pie  
Peach pie  
Chocolate Flan  
Assorted cakes

*Adults: \$33.95++*

*Children 3-11 \$12.00++*

*Under 3 Free*

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**Thanksgiving Family Packages**

**Soup**

(Choose one)

Wild Mushroom Soup

or

Granny Smith Apple & Butternut Squash Soup Topped with Toasted Pepitas

**House Salad**

Baby spring greens, carrots, cucumbers, grape tomatoes served with choice of dressings

**Entrees \***

Hill Country Traditional Smoked Turkey

and

Honey glazed Smoked ham

**Vegetables & Sides \***

Cornbread Dressing  
Mash Potatoes & Giblet Gravy  
Green Bean Casserole  
Sweet Potato Casserole  
Hill country Cranberry sauce

**Desserts**

(Choose one)

Texas Pecan Pie  
Pumpkin Cheese Cake  
Strawberry and Raspberry or Chocolate Pie  
Choco Flan

Dinner for 4 people \$95.00

Dinner for 8 \$175.00

Dinner for 12 \$260.00

\* No Substitutions

**Orders must be placed before Saturday, November 17**

**Packages will be pick up before 5 pm Wednesday November 21**



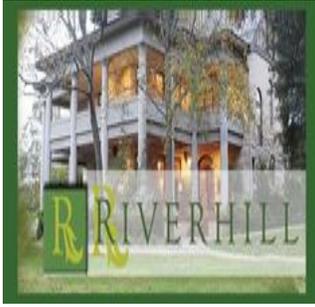
## Social

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Thank you to our members who participated in our amazing events this month. Here's a couple of pictures from our Bret Graham music, dancing and dining event. As well as our lovely RWA ladies from the October meeting in their fancy furs. We'll see you all in November!







# RIVERHILL WOMENS ASSOCIATION

**“RWA” MEETING NOTICE**  
**THURSDAY, November 8<sup>th</sup>**

**SOCIAL MEET & GREET:** 11:30 a.m.

**LUNCHEON:** 12:00 noon

**PROGRAM:** 12:30 p.m.

**PROGRAM:** Fixing Up the East End

**PRESENTER:** Larry Howard  
It takes a Vision!

Mr. Howard will talk about the River Trail Cottages’ new take on ‘*lodging*’ that has given regeneration to a stretch of Water Street on the east end of downtown at G Street.

The transformation of a former “motor court” now turned into mid-century themed-rooms has inspired and brought new birth to that area.

PLUS ... The new Monroe’s East End Grill located at 1700 Water Street is scheduled to open November 1<sup>st</sup>

Isn’t it exciting to see New Happenings come to our community!

☆ HOPE YOU WILL PLAN TO JOIN US!  
*Donations for Blue Santa will be accepted at the meeting*

**HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL!!!**

FOR RESERVATIONS CONTACT

RIVERHILL COUNTRY CLUB

830 896-1400 ~ Ext. 2220

Lunch \$17.40 (includes ++)

Dining Events  
 Golf Events  
 Tennis Events



# November

Dining Reservations 896-1400

Joe Finger's TP Monday-Closed, Tuesday-Friday-11am-8pm, Saturday-7am-8pm, Sunday-11am-8pm

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						
4 Time Change Breakfast 8-10 Brunch 11-2	5 Club Closed Kids Beg/10U 4:30 Kids Int/Adv 4:30	6 Adult Clinic-6 Jr. Clinic-6	7 RWGA-11 Mansion Dining Jr. Golf 4-6 Kids Beg/10U 4:30 Kids Int/Adv 4:30	1 Ladies Golf Clinic-10 Majong Fun 12-4 Craft Ritas at TP 4-6 Ladies Clinic-9	2 Julia Finger Challenge-1 Mansion Dining	3 Julia Finger Challenge-10 Adult Clinic-9 Jr. Clinic-9
11 Breakfast 8-10 Brunch 11-2	12 Veterans Day Course & TP Open Kids Beg/10U 4:30 Kids Int/Adv 4:30	13 Adult Clinic-6 Jr. Clinic-6	14 RWGA-11 Birthday & Anniversary Night Jr. Golf 4-6 Kids Beg/10U 4:30 Kids Int/Adv 4:30	8 Riverhill Women's Association Ladies Clinic-9 MGA Cookout-1	9 Collins Cup-12 Mansion Dining	10 Collins Cup-8 Jr. Play Day Adult Clinic-9 Jr. Clinic-9
18 TGA-8 Breakfast 8-10 Brunch 11-2	19 Greens Aerification Club Closed Kids Beg/10U 4:30 Kids Int/Adv 4:30	20 Greens Aerification Adult Clinic-6 Jr. Clinic-6	21 Courses Opens 10 No Mansion Dining Kids Beg/10U 4:30 Kids Int/Adv 4:30	15 Ladies Clinic-9 Majong Fun 12-4 Staff Scramble 3:15	16 No Mansion Dining. Private Event	17 TGA-8 Adult Clinic-9 Jr. Clinic-9
25 Breakfast 8-10 Brunch 11-2	26 Club Closed Kids Beg/10U 4:30 Kids Int/Adv 4:30	27 Adult Clinic-6 Jr. Clinic-6 Wine Club Night	28 RWGA-11 Mansion Dining Kids Beg/10U 4:30 Kids Int/Adv 4:30	22 Thanksgiving Buffer Seating 11:am or 1:30 pm All carts In 2:30	23 Mansion Dining Hill Country Family Night	24 Adult Clinic-9 Jr. Clinic-9 Decorating Club For Christmas
				29 MGA Annual Mtg 8 Ladies Clinic-9	30 Golf Shop Christmas Sale Mansion Dining	Dec. 1 Winter Scramble