

CedarCreekCountryClub

The Beacon March 2018

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2nd Annual Luck of the
Irish Tournament
Saturday, March 17th

9 hole, 2 couples scramble,
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Sunday, April 1st
11:30AM - 2:00PM

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LETTER FROM THE BOARD

Dear members:

Hello again to all of our members. For those of you who could not attend the annual meeting of our beloved Kaufman County Recreational Corporation d/b/a/ Cedar Creek Country Club, I'd like to recap a few items of interest. First of all, we welcomed 4 new members to our board. Alex Harrill, Spencer Stuart, and Charlie Theis were all elected to 3 year terms, and Sally Bailey was elected for a 2 year term replacing Jay Thompson who departed before completing one year. Based on discussions in our first meeting, I feel certain that each of these new board members will bring great ideas, energy, and leadership to carry our club forward. As you might guess from the fact that I'm writing this letter, I was re-elected President of this board, Darrell Petty will serve as Vice-President, Daren Day is Treasurer, and David Cary is Secretary of the board.

2017 was a very good year in the life of your club. Financially, we finished the year with positive cash flow of about \$47,800 from operations. This compares to (-\$15,500) in 2016, and marks the first time in recent memory that the club's operating income (i.e. excluding proceeds from land sales, etc.) was sufficient to cover all expenses. As a result, there is no need to assess our members this year since there is no shortfall to cover. Now we just have to do it again this year and every year moving forward. More details on club finances were reviewed at the meeting, and any of you may obtain a copy by contacting our front office.

I'm really looking forward to a great year for our club in 2018! We've had a bit more of a "real winter" this season, so the golf course may be off to a slow start, but there's more to this club than just golf. Friday nights have been terrific in the restaurant and lounge, so come on up and join the fun! Also, watch for the specials during the week. Tuesday has become "pot of gold" night – the pot is growing, so why not make it a habit to join and be our first big winner? Back to golf – the tournament season is about to kick off with the MGA Polar Bear cross-country event this coming weekend, and the one-day member-guest tournament is just one more week away. Let's have great participation!

Finally, please remember that this is YOUR club, so if you have some great ideas that we can use to make it even better, let's hear them!

Sincerely,

Jeff Brighton



MANAGER'S NOTES

Attention all Cedar Creek Golfers: Our tournament season is upon us. As a reminder, the Polar Bear has been moved to Sunday, March 4th. This change is due to a wedding on Saturday, March 3rd. We apologize for all the changes. On Saturday, March 10th we will have our annual 27-hole, One-Day Member/Guest event. Next comes the Second Annual "Luck of The Irish" couples scramble on Saturday, March 17th with live music following play from 7pm – 9pm. We round out March with the start of this year's CCCC MGA Match Play Championship which is open to all Cedar Creek golfing members with an established USGA handicap. First matches will kick-off on Saturday, March 24th. Please call the pro shop at 903-498-8419 for more details on any of these events.

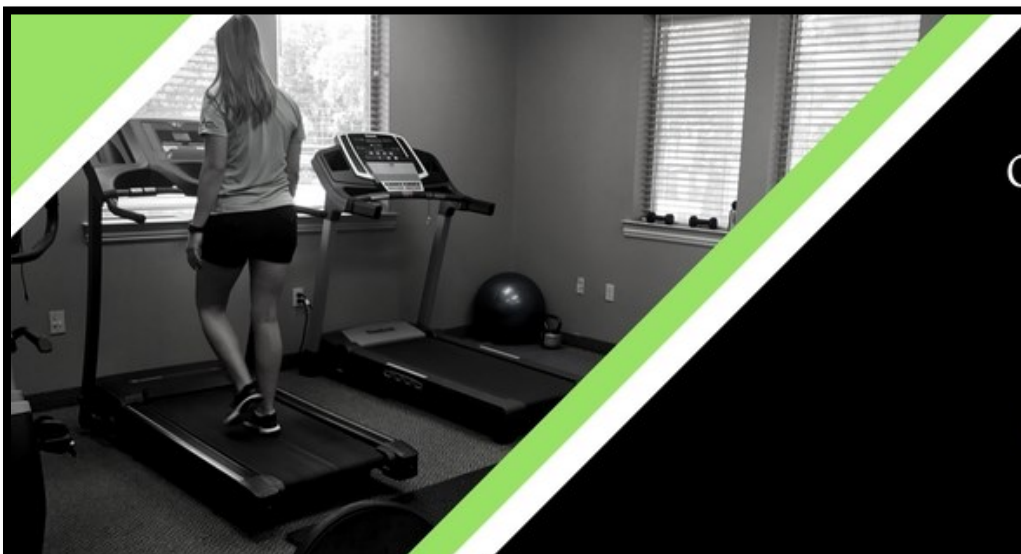
No doubt many of you have enjoyed sitting beside the fireplace this frosty winter. This fantastic feature has been repaired and updated by Club member Derek Perkins. A second generous donation was made by Club member Dale Word. Dewayne's crew recently installed the new, very bright, LED parking lot lights. When you get the opportunity please thank both of these fine members for their much-appreciated donations.

Speaking of donations, at this year's Annual Member Meeting Jim Jones Greens Report covered our future tee box reconstruction plan. The plan calls for rebuilding the practice tee next. During this down time, we will have to use the mats for a hitting surface. As many of you are also aware, the mats have seen their better days. So, in junction with this tee box project we would like to replace the turf mats. Any size donation to help fund this project will be greatly appreciated. All in all, this project should cost approximately \$5,500. That includes removing the excess sand layer off the top of the practice tee, re-sodding the practice tee and finally purchasing new mats. Please keep in mind that the golf course is your clubs greatest asset. Membership is the clubs life line. The better our golf course the stronger our membership, the healthier our club.

Randy

Reminder:

Starting March 11th your Pro Shop will be open 7 A.M. till 6:30 P.M.



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REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!!!

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Boys and Girls!

Ages 13 & under are invited to join the

Cedar Creek Country Club

PGA Junior League Team!

All skill levels are welcome!

Our season will take place **April 1-June 30** and include 1 team practice and 1 game each week.

Registration closes March 5th, so sign up today!

Call [971-409-6216](tel:971-409-6216) for more information about the program and available scholarships!



Ladies Night Bunco

SIP, RATTLE, & ROLL!

Come try your luck!

THURSDAY, MARCH 15TH AT 6:30 P.M.

\$2 DRINK SPECIALS:
REGULAR DRAFT BEER
HOUSE WINES
WELL DRINKS

EVERYTHING GOLF

2018 SCHEDULE

March:		
1	Central Texas WGA	9:00AM
5	Kaufman High School	8:30 AM
10	Member-Guest One Day (27 holes)	9:00 AM
19	Light Verti-Cut	All Day
24	CCCC Match Play Championship Starts	Make your own Tee-Times
26	Light Top Dressing on Greens	All Day
31	Wilbo/Bubba Scramble (2018)	1:00PM
April:		
2	Crandall High School Dist.	8:30 AM
3	Aerify Green and Tee Surrounds	All Day
7	Masters Pro-Am	Make your own Tee-Times
14	MGA Event	1:00 PM
16	Aerify Tees	All Day
23	Aerify Greens Pencil Tines - Solid Tines	All Day
28	Tom Green Memorial	10:00AM
29	Tom Green Memorial	10:00AM
30	Light Top Dressing on Greens	All Day
May:		
7	Kaufman Chamber of Commerce (2018)	8:00 & 1:00
8	Pull 3/8" Cores	Front 9
9	Pull 3/8" Cores	Back 9
19	MGA Event	1:00PM
21	Kaufman Lions Club (2018)	8:00 & 1:00
26	Hack n' Scratch	8AM
27	Hack n' Scratch	9AM
29	Solar Turbines	1:00 PM
June:		
7 - 10	2017 CCCC Member/Guest(2018)	All Day
16	Guys & Gals	8:30AM
21	ETWGA	9:00AM
23	WGA Steak & Beans	9:00AM
24	WGA Steak & Beans	11:00AM
25	Pull 1/2"Cores	Front 9
26	Pull 1/2"Cores	Back 9
July		
4	July 4th Flag Day Tournament	Tee Off by 2
14	MGA Event	1:00PM
23	Aerify Greens (Pencil Tines)	All Day
26	North Texas Junior PGA	9:00AM



SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTE

Spring is around the corner!

Your golf course receive some much needed rain fall last month, your lakes are full.

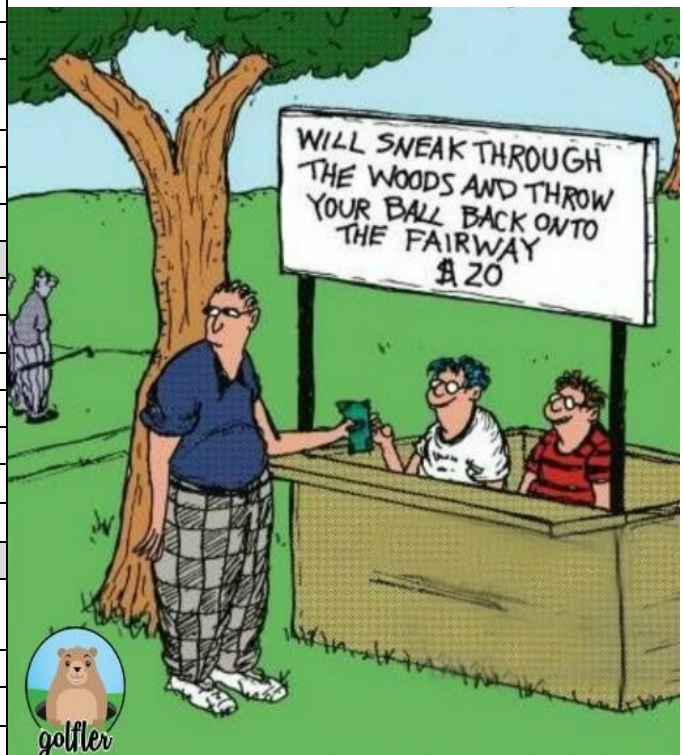
Your golf course staff was able to get our fairways and roughs core aerified just in time for the rains.

Last month we were unable to get our post and pre-emergence applied to the course, due to excessive wind speeds. We will be concentrating on this along with our lime application to the fairways this month.

Stumps are currently being lowered prepping for grinding and removing, we are continuing to thin out our wood piles and getting things cleared up for the upcoming growing season.

Looking forward to Spring!

-D



WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION

Greetings from the WGA:

Due to the cold, windy, rainy weather we have had the last few weeks, there is not much to report on the golf front. Some of us have been taking advantage of the few good golfing days we have had. I imagine we will all be a bit rusty when our season begins.

The WGA will be hosting the Central Texas members at a tournament on March 1st, therefore our season will not begin until March 8th. It will be the first of two Scrambles we will have in March.

We are pleased to announce that as of this writing we have 30 members. Thanks once again to all the non-golfers who continue to support us with your membership. There is still time to join us....just send Louise Powers your dues (\$30.00) or call her with any questions you might have.

Mother's Day is not that far away so the WGA will be actively selling tickets for our Mother's Day Raffle which is the only fundraiser for our treasury each year. It has been a big success in the past with great cash and gift prizes ..just ask Cris and David Cary who won \$200.00 and roses last year. We ask that you please be generous when we "come a calling".

We are proud to take this opportunity to congratulate Sally Bailey (the WGA nominee) for being elected to the Cedar Creek Country Club Board. We know she will do a great job and represent us well.

I look forward to seeing all of you lady golfers on March 8th when we start our season.

Linda Goode



Join us in the lounge every Tuesday night for the pot of gold drawing.

The pot will start with a \$50 credit* and is raised \$1 for each Chef's Special sold every Tuesday that no winner is drawn.

Drawing will be based on total membership but you must have eaten or ordered a to-go meal between 5 P.M. - 8 P.M. to be eligible to win.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Birthday Night at The Club
Thursday, March 8th
Bring your family and friends out to celebrate! Members with March birthdays will receive a complimentary plated special.



SNACKS N' CRAFTS

COOKING CLASS

TUESDAY MARCH 20 AT 6:00P.M.
\$15 PER KIDS ~ INCLUDES MEAL



Join us Sunday

EASTER BRUNCH

Sunday, April 1st
11:30AM - 2:00PM

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MURDER MYSTERY DINNER

Everyone's a suspect

Can you figure out who did what?

Thursday, March 29th at 6 PM
Cedar Creek Country Club

Canasta
Wednesday Mornings at 10AM

Come join the fun!
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levels!



What's Cooking at Cedar Creek



Tuesday	10AM—8PM	12PM—8PM	\$9.99 Chef's Special Buffet
Wednesday	10AM—8PM	11AM—8PM	\$5.99 All You Can Eat Pizza Bar
Thursday	10AM—8PM	11AM—8PM	\$9.99 Plated Specials
Friday	10AM—10PM	11AM—9PM	Steak Night
Saturday	10AM—9PM	11AM—8PM	
Sunday	10AM—6PM	11AM—5PM	

What a great month February was for the restaurant and lounge. We had a huge turnout for the Designer Purse Raffle Event on February 3rd. The attendees enjoyed Hors D'oeuvres and Desserts prepared by our talented kitchen staff.

Our Valentine's Day dinners, on the 10th and 14th, were also a huge success. Once again, our kitchen staff did an excellent job of preparing steaks, lobster tail and Ahi Tuna for our Members.

On February 23rd, we had yet another huge turnout for Steak Night, including a birthday celebration for Mr. Bill Coleman who was celebrating his 91st birthday. Happy Birthday Mr. Coleman!

Please note that on Saturday, March 3rd, the Club will close at 3:00 pm for a wedding. Takeout service from the kitchen will end at 4:00 pm.

The month of March is promising to be "LUCKY" as well. On Saturday, March 10th, we will have the Member-Guest One Day Tournament.

Mark your calendars for Thursday, March 29th, for our Murder Mystery event during dinner service. Thirsty Thursday drink specials will of course be in effect as always, including "Scary Bloody Mary's" and other related drink specials.

Our annual Easter tradition, "Breakfast with the Easter Bunny," will be on Saturday, March 31st with Easter Brunch the following morning on April 1st.

Come and see us soon in the Restaurant and Lounge!

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WEEKLY SPECIALS

Tuesday

\$9.99 All You Can Eat Chef's Special Buffet

March 6th:
Chicken Enchiladas

March 13th:
Hamburger Steak

March 20th:
Chicken Fried Steak

March 27th:
Beef Tips & Rice

Wednesday

\$5.99 All you Can Eat Pizza Bar

\$10 Carry out Pizza



Thursday

\$9.99 Plated Specials

March 1st:
Chicken Fried Chicken

March 8th:
Filet & Wedge

March 15th:
Bean & Rice Tamales

March 22nd:
Country Club chicken

March 29th:
Ahi Tuna Rice & Veg

Friday

Steak Night

Filet Mignon 6oz / 8oz

- Or -

Ribeye 12oz / 16oz

Served with:

Baked Potato,

Chef's Choice Vegetable and Salad Bar



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
				1 Central Texas WGA Playday	2 ROTARY MEETING Steak Night	3 Wedding
4	5 <i>Club Closed</i> <i>Kaufman Highschool</i>	6 \$10 Chef's Special Buffet Pot of Gold Dinner	7 BNI Meeting 8AM Canasta 10AM \$5.99 All You Can Eat Pizza	8 Cedar Creek Lake Chamber Lunch WGA Play Day Birthday Night!	9 ROTARY MEETING Steak Night	10 Member- Guest One Day
11	12 <i>Club Closed</i>	13 \$10 Chef's Special Buffet Pot of Gold Dinner	14 BNI Meeting 8AM Canasta 10AM \$5.99 All You Can Eat Pizza	15 Ladies Night Bunco WGA Meeting	16 ROTARY MEETING Steak Night	17 2nd Annual Luck of The Irish Tournament Join us after play for live entertain- ment and all night drink specials.
18	19 <i>Club Closed</i> Cedar Creek Lake Chamber Awards Banquet	20 \$10 Chef's Special Buffet Pot of Gold Dinner	21 BNI Meeting 8AM Canasta 10AM \$5.99 All You Can Eat Pizza	22 WGA Playday	23 ROTARY MEETING Steak Night	24 MGA Match Play Starts
25	26 <i>Club Closed</i>	27 \$10 Chef's Special Buffet Pot of Gold Dinner	28 BNI Meeting 8AM Canasta 10AM \$5.99 All You Can Eat Pizza	29 Murder Mystery Dinner	30 ROTARY MEETING Steak Night	31 Breakfast with the Easter Bunny Wilbo/Bubba Scramble



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1 Easter Brunch	2 <i>Club Closed</i> <i>Crandall High School</i>	3 \$10 Chef's Special Buffet Pot of Gold Dinner	4 BNI Meeting 8AM Canasta 10AM \$5.99 All You Can Eat Pizza	5 WGA Playday	6 ROTARY MEETING Steak Night	7 Masters Pro-am
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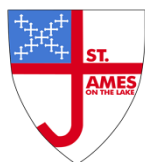
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Sunday	Closed	11 am - 5 pm	11 am - 6 pm	7:00 am - 6:30 pm	11am-7pm
Monday	9 am - 2 pm	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed
Tuesday	9 am - 5 pm	12pm - 8 pm	11 am - 8 pm	7:00 am - 6:30 pm	11am-8pm
Wednesday	9 am - 5 pm	11 am - 8 pm	11 am - 8 pm	7:00 am - 6:30 pm	11am-8pm
Thursday	9 am - 5 pm	11 am - 8 pm	11 am - 8 pm	7:00 am - 6:30 pm	11am-8pm
Friday	9 am - 5 pm	11 am - 9pm	10 am - 10 pm	7:00 am - 6:30 pm	11am-9pm
Saturday	Closed	11 am - 8 pm	10 am - 9 pm	7:00 am - 6:30 pm	11am-9pm

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NEWSLETTER DEADLINE:

If you have an announcement for the upcoming newsletter, send it via email to membership@cedarcreekcountryclub.com, no later than the 25th of the month

If we may be of assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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