

SIKESTON COUNTRY CLUB

OCTOBER 2009

SIKESTON, MO.

Chairman's Report

J. Keith Davidson

Statistics show that the majority of golfers are not getting any better at the game we love. That is because the "majority" of golfers don't take any lessons. We use our drawer full of gift certificates to buy balls and shirts that we have no use for and never think of getting a lesson to improve our skills. The game is much more fun when we make pars and birdies, rather than the "others". I would much rather invest money with Kevin to get a portion of that back from my "jerk buddies" on the course. Call the Pro Shop today and "book it", for the good of the game.

Another observation I have is that the recession is beginning to end in Sikeston. Why is that? Well, the rodeo was well attended, the stands at Bulldog football are packed to the brim, and the restaurant at SCC is full of activity. Apparently the word is out about Kyle and Susan's operation and good food. I personally want to thank the membership for paying their bills in a timely manner in August. Keep up the good work. This is "your" club. We are also planning a nice Halloween party, so plan on attending.

We are looking into new membership groups, particularly as relates to the use of the pool. We will bring these thoughts to the membership in January. The Belles and Beaus and Club Fundraiser were a huge success.

There is no wildlife report this month, but the course is in great shape, so come on out to SCC.

House Report

Ned Matthews

We now have our food and beverage operation fine tuned and turning out great food and service. The clubhouse hasn't looked this good and been this clean in a long time.

This month the Sikeston Country Club is planning what I'm sure will be one of our biggest events of the year. On Saturday, October 31st, we will host a Halloween Party. Live music for the evening will be provided by Wooden Ships, who many of you have seen play at River Ridge Winery, Rays and Rosies. The combination of Acoustic, Blues and Rock music will begin around 8:00pm and end late. Costumes aren't mandatory but for those who care to dress for the occasion there will be prizes given for the best costumes. First place will win a dinner for two in the restaurant, second and third will receive gift certificates for the restaurant.

We are also offering dinner and drink specials beginning at 5:00pm. The featured dinner special will be barbecued ribs. There will also be a couple of our delicious steaks at a special price for this event. Look for more information to be sent out regarding our dinner specials. Members are encouraged to bring a guest if they would like.

It will be a great time to show off our club and possibly garner some new memberships.



Ladies' Night
Tuesday, September 6th
at 6 p.m.



Men's Steak Night
Monday, September 12th
Clubhouse opens at 4 p.m.

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

Samantha Jarrett

LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION

Suzie Ruppert, President

Congratulations to the Winners of this year's Club Championship Tournament.

Championship	Debbie Bard
A Flight	Suzie Ruppert
B Flight	Betty Dawson
C Flight	Glendella May
D Flight	Glenda Bridges
E Flight	Renee Reeves

The LGA fall meeting will be held in conjunction with Ladies Night, October 6th beginning at 6:00 p.m. Election of officers and business meeting will be held afterward. Be sure to attend the meeting, if you don't you just might be elected as an officer for next year.

Restaurant News

Kyle and Susan Dean

We are beginning our fourth month as the food and beverage management for the Sikeston Country Club. We would like to thank everyone for their support, and we hope everyone is enjoying their food as much as we are enjoying preparing and serving it. We also want to thank all of you that are paying their house charges in a timely manner. Quick payment allows for us to increase our food purchases, and in turn offer more choices on the menu.

Speaking of the menu, we have made a couple of delicious additions to it. The first item is something many of you have asked us about, and that is a steak sandwich. There is more than one way to go when making steak sandwiches. We have opted for using prime rib on ours. You will get a generous portion of prime rib, topped with provolone cheese, sauteed onions, and sweet bell peppers on a sourdough hoagie. It sounds delicious, doesn't it?

Next is a regular prime rib dinner. Might as well offer this, since we are buying prime rib for the sandwiches, anyway. Our prime rib will always be cooked to rare. This is to insure it stays moist and tender. From there, we can heat it to medium rare, medium, etc.. for those

who prefer it a little more done. It will be served with our usual sauteed vegetables (onion, yellow squash, zucchini, and sweet bell peppers), choice of side, and a side salad.

Finally, we are now preparing fried catfish fillets. These are served as a dinner entree with slaw, choice of side, and buttermilk hushpuppies. While we have the catfish, we will also be offering a catfish sandwich, or as many know it, a po'boy served on our sourdough hoagie with your choice of condiments.

We have had many compliments on our steaks. While I would like to take all the credit for how good they are, it starts with the quality of the cuts we buy, if we don't mess them up when cooking them, it's hard not to serve a great steak. Let me take this opportunity to comment on cooking them. We will always make every effort to prepare anything on our menu anyway the members like it. But, when it comes to our steaks a patron ordering them well-done does this at their own risk. Due to the quality and thickness of our steaks, we cannot be responsible when one is cooked past medium, in fact, we recommend medium-rare as the ideal temperature for these USDA Choice cuts. That being said, we will always try to satisfy everyone.

2009 Sikeston Country Club Remaining Golf Events Schedule

Ladies' Golf Association: Begins Tuesday, April 7th and continues each Tuesday through September 29th. Golf Course will be closed from 9:00 a.m. until the ladies are on the course and have cleared the first hole. #10 tee will be closed during this period of time.

Men's Golf Association: Begins Thursday, April 16th and continues each Thursday through September 17th. Play begins at 5:30 p.m.

Senior Men's Golf: Begins Wednesday, April 8th and continues each Wednesday through October 7th. Players may begin teeing off at 8:00 a.m.

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- 7 Last Senior MGA
- 10 Semo Cup (Dalhousie)
- *19 St. Francis Charity Tournament

* - Denotes events during which the course will be CLOSED.

** - Denotes events during which the course will be open by TEE-TIMES only.

Sikeston Senior Golf

Hey Senior Men Golfers! By the time you read this we will have played our year end handicap tournament. Mark your calendars for October 7th which is our last official event for this year and for October 14th which will be our year end luncheon (free to members). Prizes will be awarded from the tournament.

We had a great year with almost 50 members. Thanks for your participation.

-- Galen Kruger



SIKESTON COUNTRY CLUB HOURS OF SERVICE (LABOR DAY ~ MEMORIAL DAY)

CLUBHOUSE HOURS:

Monday 4:00 pm ~ 7:00 pm
 Tuesday 9:00 am ~ 8:00 pm
 Wednesday 9:00 am ~ 8:00 pm
 Thursday 9:00 am ~ 8:00 pm
 Friday 9:00 am ~ 10:00 pm
 Saturday 9:00 am ~ 10:00 pm
 Sunday 9:00 ~ 10:00 pm

RESTAURANT HOURS:

Monday Closed
 Tuesday 11:00 am ~ 7:00 pm
 Wednesday 11:00 am ~ 7:00 pm
 Thursday - Saturday 11:00 am ~ 8:00 pm
 (even later by appointment)
 Sunday 11:00 am ~ 3:00 pm

phone (573) 472-0032
 after hours or emergency (573) 579-7115



PRO SHOP (October Hours)

Monday 10:00 am to 5:30 pm
 Tuesday-Friday 8:00 am to 5:30 pm
 Saturday & Sunday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

SCC Addresses & Phone #'s:

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 Sikeston CC Food & Beverage
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The Pro Shop Kevin Collins


Congratulations to Justin Gosa and his mom for winning the Beau's & Belle's tournament.

The SCC Match Play brackets are still completing. The winners will be listed in the November newsletter.

The "King of the Course" will be rescheduled for later in the year due to tournament conflicts and poor weather. Please check in the shop for further details.

We are putting the final people in place for our Semo Cup team. I believe we have a strong team and should be in the hunt for the trophy. Thanks to all the guys that played in all the qualifiers. Next year we will add a small change to the format. All players in the match play "Championship" flight will be awarded one point, towards Semo Cup, for every match that is won. Should help us field a stronger team.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
-----HAPPY HOUR: ALL DAY ~ EVERY DAY-----						
4	5	6 Ladies Nigh 6-8 pm LGA Fall Meeting Election of Officers 6:00 pm	7 Last Senior MGA Golf	8	9	10 SEMO CUP Dalhousie
11	12 Mens Steak Night	13	14 Senior Men's Banquet 11:00 am	15	16	17
18	19 St. Francis Charity Tournament	20	21 Board Meeting	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30 	31 Halloween Party Costumes Optional Live Entertainment

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