

# Long Cove Club

Second Quarter 2016

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## *Long Cove Club*

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## *Welcome New Members*

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Michael & Pilar Buccolo  
Melville, NY  
6 Rice Mill Lane

Jon & Jean Dunn  
McDonough, GA  
4 Airy Hall Court

Ross & Kelly Johnson  
Morristown, NJ  
5 Duck Field Road

Don & Kitty Krahne  
Gibsonia, PA  
25 Strawberry Hill Road

Bob & Ellen Navarre  
Sylvania, OH  
13 Trimblestone Lane

Patrick & Lynn O'Meally  
Dunwoody, GA  
4 Long Brow Road

Sean & Jodi Slein  
Skyesville, MD  
7 Lavington Road

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Not receiving Club Emails or having  
issues logging into the website?  
We can fix that!

Contact Erin Khalili,  
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(843) 686-1070.



## FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER

Dear Member,

I am happy to say we broke the recent two year trend of severe winter weather the months of January and February. By all accounts this was a very mild winter. But winter is winter and we are now focusing on a great spring here at the Club.

The 2016 Darius Rucker Intercollegiate held the first week in March felt like a 'kickoff' for the spring. Very successful event this year with Darius himself able to attend the Sunday awards ceremony since his travel scheduled was freed up for the week. As you will see in this issue, the University of Alabama is now a three-time winner of this most prestigious women's NCAA college tournament. The tournament raised over \$150,000 in sponsorships to more than offset the tournament expenses. Aside from the monetary sponsorships, the tournament could not have been successful without the huge contributions of our member volunteers. Congratulations to all.

We are pleased to report that Golfweek Magazine has ranked Long Cove #62 in the 2016 Best 100 Modern Golf Course rankings. We moved up 19 points from the previous ranking.

If you haven't noticed, our Tennis courts have undergone a face lift. During the months of January and February we replaced all the original (and rusting) fence, fence posts and gates, changing the color to black from green, and replaced the old and rusting light post. In addition, the pool and poolhouse have undergone much needed upgrades. The interiors of the restrooms have been completely updated and the interior of the pool was completed retiled and plastered. Happy to see these long overdue improvements. Lots of activity going on at your Club—See you there!

Trip Shine,  
General Manager/COO

## MARKETING INITIATIVE UPDATE

At the Annual Meeting in November 2015, The Board of Directors announced a new marketing initiative for Long Cove Club. The ultimate goal is to increase the rate of annual sales while improving property value, resulting in greater Member satisfaction.

Long Cove Club has hired World Design Marketing (WDM), a local marketing consultant with extensive experience in building brands to develop a creative, unique and engaging marketing message that describes what distinguishes Long Cove from other properties. Over the last three months, the Marketing Committee has been working closely with World Design Marketing and the campaign will launch this month! We encourage you to watch for our new ads in the Island Packet during Heritage Week. In addition, our website URL is changing to LongCoveClub.com for easier access to our website. There is nothing required by Members for this transition.



To view the full marketing campaign presentation link, visit the Member Central section of the Website.





# Long Cove Club

## DARIUS RUCKER

### INTERCOLLEGIATE

PRESENTED BY:

MARCH 4-6, 2016







Long Cove Club really hit a home run this time with the 5<sup>th</sup> annual Darius Rucker Intercollegiate.

Thanks to the hard work of our volunteers and staff, the event keeps growing year after year! We had approximately 105 Member volunteers, and I can't thank you enough for your support and countless hours of work. I think it's safe to say we are the #1 Women's Collegiate Golf Tournament in the country!

The tournament would not be possible without the generous contributions from our many sponsors, including our Presenting Sponsors, Kroger & Reynolds. In total, we had 45 sponsors and raised over \$150,000 for the tournament. A special thanks to Staunton "Oppie" Oppenheimer and his fundraising committee for a job well done.

This year, we had a record number of outside attendees. Security estimated approximately 1500 spectators attended the tournament. That does not include the many Long Cove Club Members who came out to watch.

Congratulations to the University of Alabama on their third Darius Rucker Intercollegiate title and to Freshman, Cheyenne Knight, on her first collegiate win. Darius Rucker even made an appearance at the awards ceremony to hand out the iconic trophy.

New this year was the presence of the Golf Channel who came out of curiosity, but stayed to do Blogs and interviews, and was impressed with our organization and the strength of our field. I am sure we will hear more from them. Additionally, Golf Savy was on site Sat. and Sun. filming and interviewing, and Rick Killmar & Willie Rice were ever present with their cameras to help capture the tournament.

I am so proud to have worked with such a great team of volunteers and for the support from our members who help us rank as the best.

*Rob Ryan*

Rob Ryan  
Tournament Chairman



# CLUBHOUSE EVENTS & NEWS



## MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH

**Sunday, May 8, 2016**

11:00 AM Seating

\$32+ Adults, \$9+ Children 3-10

*Under 3 No Charge*

Bring your Mother, Grandmother, Great-Grandmother or any special woman in your life to enjoy Chef Ramsey's Brunch Buffet!

### Menu

Applewood Smoked Bacon  
Anson Mills Cheese Grits  
Scrambled Eggs  
Belgian Waffles  
Maple Syrup, Berries, Whipped Cream and Butter

Garden Greens and Dressings  
Seasonal Fresh Fruit  
Deviled Eggs

Marinated Cucumber & Tomato  
Feta, Dill Vinaigrette

Shrimp Cocktail

Chef Ramsey's Fried Chicken  
Chile Rubbed Pork Tenderloin  
Corn & Tomato Relish, Chimichurri

Fresh "Market Fish" "Du Jour"  
Summer Rice Pilaf  
Roasted Sea Salt Fingerling Potatoes  
Vegetable Medley, Roasted Broccoli

Carved Beef Tenderloin  
Horseradish Cream Sauce, Mushroom Bordelaise

Club Made Desserts

## MEMORIAL DAY 2016



## Memorial Day Cookout

**Sunday, May 29, 2016**

LCC Back Patio

5:30 PM Cocktails

6:30 PM Buffet

**\$25+**

### Menu

Garden Greens and Dressing  
Cole Slaw  
Southern Style Potato Salad  
Watermelon

Assorted Chips, Corn on the Cob  
BBQ Baked Beans, Mac & Cheese

St. Louis Ribs, Pulled BBQ Pork  
BBQ Chicken

Hamburgers, Hotdogs, Chicken Breast

Assorted Breads and Rolls  
Garnishments and Cheeses

Club Made Cookies & Brownies

Reserve your spot today! Reservations can be made online or by calling Maggie at (843) 686-1000.

**Please RSVP by Tuesday, May 3 for Mother's Day**  
**Please RSVP by Tuesday, May 24 for Memorial Day**



# MOROCCAN NIGHT



**Wednesday, April 13**

6:30 PM Cocktails

7:15 PM Dinner

\$36+/person

**Join us for this Moroccan-Inspired Evening!**

**Menu includes:** Hummus, Roasted Eggplant, Couscous Salad, Saffron-Lemon Chicken with Olives, Lamb & Beef Meatballs with Sweet Peas, Fish, Spicy Lamb with Sweet Prunes and Baklava

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## CART PARTY

**Saturday, June 18**

5:30 PM Cocktails @ Bag Drop

6:00 PM Golf Carts Depart

\$39+person



The event kicks off with cocktails at the bag drop, then things really get rolling as the group boards golf carts to travel to three locations on the Back Nine. A

beverage cart will trail the group to each stop. The night will be capped off with dessert at the Clubhouse.

Watch for more details and pricing in the upcoming Weekly Email Updates.

## CLUBHOUSE NEWS & NOTES

### Private Parties

Private Parties being held at the Club will now incur a 20% service charge to all food and beverage charges.

### A la carte Dining

In order to best serve the Membership during a la carte dining, the Food and Beverage Staff asks that you please remember to honor your reservation by being seated at the quoted time.

## SAVE THE DATE

## MAGNOLIA/GRILL CLOSURES

**Friday, April 22** | Attic to Art Reception

**Sunday, April 24** | Tour of Homes Patron Dinner

**Thursday, May 5** | Men's Member-Member Reception

**Saturday, May 7** | Ladies & Men's Member-Member Reception

**Sunday, May 8** | Jim Ferree Bar closes at 5:00 PM

**Saturday, May 14** | Entire Clubhouse Closed for Member Dinner

**Friday, June 3** | Tennis Finals

**Saturday, June 4** | Member Wedding

**Saturday, June 18** | Cart Party

**Saturday, June 25** | Cheeseburger in Paradise Member Event

## CLUBHOUSE CALENDAR

### April

**Wednesday, April 13** | Moroccan Night

**Wednesday, April 27** | Bombs and Brews

### May

**Sunday, May 8** | Mother's Day Brunch

**Sunday, May 29** | Memorial Day Cookout

### June

**Wednesday, June 1** | Dollar Beef Night

**Tuesday, June 7** | Beer Tasting in the Jim Ferree Bar

**Saturday, June 18** | Cart Party

**Saturday, June 25** | Cheeseburger in Paradise

To view information about all upcoming LCC Events, visit the Member Central Section of [www.longcoveclub.com](http://www.longcoveclub.com)





## 2016: A YEAR FOR THE RECORD BOOKS

### **Bob Patton, Head Golf Professional**

It is an exciting time to be a Long Cove Club Member! For starters, we just completed another very successful Darius Rucker Intercollegiate. The tournament competition developed into a two team battle between two-time champions, Alabama, and Virginia during the final round. In the end the Crimson Tide held on to take their third title with a seven-shot victory! Virginia finished a solid second with defending champs, Duke finishing in third. For the individual title, Alabama freshman Cheyenne Knight, shot 67-74-72 for an even par total to take a slim one shot margin over four players at +1 to win her first collegiate title.

In addition to the successful collegiate event, it was recently announced that Long Cove Club moved up 19 spots to No. 62 in Golfweek's 2016 Best 100 Modern Golf Course ranking. We are excited to have moved up in this prestigious ranking.

The weather has been beautiful and we have a full golf calendar ahead of us in the upcoming months. I encourage you to get out enjoy this great place we call "home!" If there is anything that we can do for you in the meantime, please contact any of the staff at the Golf Shop at (843) 686-1020.

## GOLF NEWS & NOTES

### **RBC Heritage Week: Tee Time Information**

Heritage Classic week (April 11 – 17) is a lot of fun and a very popular week in Hilton Head as usual following the Masters (April 7 – 10). As in the past, our policy for reserving tee times during this very busy week differs from our standard rules in that a member may book **one tee time only per day**. Multiple times will not be available. Also, LGA and MGA events will take place as usual but with limited spots available.

### **Member Rules Reminder**

In this busy season when many of our Members are bringing guests and family to the club, please remember that Members are responsible for ensuring that guests comply with all club rules including our club dress code policy. **Cargo shorts are not acceptable, shirt tails must be tucked in, and gentlemen may not wear headwear anywhere in the clubhouse.** These are some of the more frequent issues we must address and our hope is to avoid problems and potential embarrassment for our Members and guests. Remember also that these rules apply to the practice areas as well as the golf course whether you're actually hitting or simply observing others. Please note, audible cell phone use is restricted to the bag drop area, parking lot or locker rooms only. Thank you for your cooperation in observing these rules.

### **Please be Mindful of Your Pace of Play!**

During our busy spring it is particularly important that you remain mindful of your pace of play and position on the golf course. Four hours and 17 minutes is a generous amount of time for 18 holes and should be easily done if all members of the group **play considerately**. We will be watching our "lead off" groups closely to set a good pace and pushing for all groups to keep up. Please be considerate of your fellow members and play without delay! **The goal is to keep up with the group in front of you, not simply ahead of the group behind!** Also note, if you're riding in a cart, a time chart for pace of play is included on the hole location sheet to aid in recognizing if you're on time and on pace. Finally, please recognize that the pace of play is dictated by foursomes! Two and three ball games should not expect to play faster on a busy day dominated by foursomes. Thank you for your consideration.



# SUMMER GOLF INFORMATION

## Summer Reciprocal Play Program Details

A number of local private clubs have agreed to participate in a summer reciprocal play program that allows our members limited access to their golf courses. Please note: Times will be given at each club on a strictly **space available** basis only. Changes may occur and please check with the Golf Shop for details.

**Participating Clubs (as of March 31, 2016):** Belfair, Savannah Harbor, Colleton River\*\*, Berkeley Hall, Chechessee Creek\*, Wexford, Secession Golf Club\*, Golf Club at Indigo Run, Oldfield, Sea Pines CC, Haig Point, Brays Island, Callawassie, Moss Creek, May River GC\*, Bear Creek

*\*Requires use of a caddy (\$75.00 including tip) and late cancellations will be held responsible for caddy fees.*

*\*\* \$75 fee for LCC members*

### Restrictions:

1. Program **begins May 31 – ends September 2**: All arrangements must be made through LCC Golf Staff.
2. Member fee - \$50.00 walk or ride. Fee subject to change/Applicable only for golf arranged through our golf staff
3. Tee time requests cannot be made more than seven days in advance and times will be assigned on a first-come first-served basis. Each club allows a limited number of times available for reciprocal play.
4. All fees to be paid by credit card, except Secession where only cash is accepted.

## Member Guest Fees Reduced during Summer Months!

In conjunction with the reciprocal summer rate, guest fees for guests accompanied by a member will be \$50 from May 31 – September 2 (walking or riding). Take advantage of this summer rate and bring out your friends!

## Major Projects and Golf Course Closing July 18 to August 8 - Summer Maintenance Schedule and Golf Options

Once again, we will be closing the golf course mid-summer to complete necessary course maintenance tasks. We will close from Monday, July 18 through Monday, August 8. This is a bit later than in years past as we want to allow more open time around the July 4<sup>th</sup> holiday for member access to the course. We will utilize this time to do both of our required greens aerifications as well as other needed course projects. We believe this will help us to provide better general course conditions overall for the remainder of the summer months. To accommodate member golf during the down time, we will have our previously mentioned summer reciprocal golf program in place as well as access to the courses of the Heritage Golf Group which includes Palmetto Hall, Oyster Reef, Port Royal and Shipyard.

## Golf Shop and Practice Area Schedule During Course Closure

During the course closure, the driving range will be open from July 19-24 (first week) and August 2-7 (last week). The Golf Shop will open from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm, but will be closed on Mondays as usual.

## Please Note Summer Practice Tee Schedule

On Wednesday and Sunday evenings, the driving range must close at 6:30 pm for range maintenance. We're sorry for this inconvenience but we must "clean pick" the entire practice area to prepare for fairway, rough and tee mowing the following morning. Also, our practice balls are for use on our designated practice areas only! Please do not take range balls on the course to play with. Thank you for your cooperation.

## 2016 LCC LADIES LOWCOUNTRY TEAM VICTORIOUS AGAIN!



Congratulations to Captain Lisa Maloney and her talented Long Cove Team on another victory in the Ladies Lowcountry Team Matches! **The Division 1 team** continues their domination as they've won this area wide competition 15 of the last 16 years! In a series of matches played at different clubs around the area, the LCC team finished a solid 22 points ahead of runner up Belfair and 30 points ahead of third place finishers Colleton River. This year's team included Captain Lisa Maloney along with Karen Ferree, Susan Cummings, Sharon Son-Hing, Mari Harter and Patty Smith. **Our Division II team**, captained by Dee Lyon, finished fifth in the Division 1 standings holding their position once again in the top tier of the competition. Many players contributed to Captain Lyon's team including Judy Wade, Karen Williams, Niza Hall, Dee Lyon, Jill Sanders, Lynn Newcomer, Trixie White, Barb Scott, Chris Carroll, Jo Kraft, and Dorothy Davis. As if that wasn't enough, this year

**LCC added a third team** to the matches! New teams are required to start in Division 4 which they won advancing them into Division 3 for next year! That team was Captained by Barbie Stouffer and contributing players included Barbara Scott, Chris Carroll, Jo Kraft, Ann duFrane, Caren Sullivan, Ginny Cullen, Kerry Reid, Jackie Resinger, Elaine Shayne, Ellen Cleaves, Dorothy Davis and of course Captain Barbie Stouffer.

**Congratulation's once again to all of our teams and Long Cove ladies and thanks for representing Long Cove so well!**



# TOURNAMENT SCOREBOARD

*For complete results, visit the Golf Section of the LCC Member Central Website.*

## The "Chili Open" | January 30, 2016

### **1st Place:**

Sue & Bob Heden, Ed Howe and Peggy McArdle

### **2nd Place:**

Diana & Bill McGlocklin and Judy & Phil Moore

### **3rd Place:**

Lynn & Bob Newcomer and Linda & David McKamish



## Couples Member-Member | March 13, 2016

### **Winners in each six-hole competition:**

One Best Ball of Four: Jo & Vince Kraft and Amelia & Ed Howe

Scramble: Jennifer & Adam Mikell and Anita & John Steindorf

Modified Chapman: Cheryl & Tom Cruz and Elaine Shayne & Grant Evans

### **Overall Winners:**

1st Place: Cheryl & Tom Cruz, Elaine Shayne and Grant Evans (51)

2nd Place: Jo & Vince and Kraft Amelia & Ed Howe (55)

T3rd Place: Sharon & Larry Son Hing and Carol & Robert Calcagni (56)

T3rd Place: Jennifer & Adam Mikell and Anita & John Steindorf (56)



*Overall Champions:*

*Cheryl & Tom Cruz*

*Elaine Shayne and Grant Evans*

## Long Cove Cup Stroke Play Championship

February 27-28, 2016

### **Championship Flight**

1st Place: Jack Holland, 162

2nd Place: Grant Evans, 166

### **First Flight - Net**

\*1st Place: Mark McAlister, 143

2nd Place: Joe Reimer, 143

*\* won playoff*



*Overall Champion:*

*Jack Holland*



*Net Champion:*

*Mark McAlister*

## Four Ball Championship | March 19-20,

### **Men's Division**

Low Gross: David Orischak/Andrew Orischak

Low Net: Grant Evans/Bob Gavin



### **Ladies Division**

Low Gross: Susan Cummings/Sharon Son-Hing

Low Net: Patty Varn/Jackie Resinger



# HANDICAP REMINDERS

The Handicap Committee is responsible for all aspects of the USGA Handicap System at LCC and is working hard to monitor and manage the process to ensure fair and equitable handicapping within our membership. In order to do this please recognize that the success and accuracy of handicapping is largely dependent upon the integrity of each player to post scores according to the USGA handicapping guidelines.

Each player is responsible for posting all of their scores. As communicated previously, this can be done in a number of ways including the posting stations in the Golf Shop or locker rooms, online on GHIN or with the mobile app available for this purpose. ALL acceptable scores must be posted, whether they were played at LCC or elsewhere. Also, please return fully completed scorecards to the drawer at the posting station in the Golf Shop as the committee performs random audits of member posting. If you have questions or require assistance with posting scores or anything regarding handicapping please contact the golf staff and we are happy to assist.



## UPCOMING GOLF EVENTS

**Men's Interclub with Ford Plantation | April 25-26:** We look forward to our first "home and away" interclub match with our neighbor Pete Dye course, the Ford Plantation. We'll field a team of 11 members accompanied by one of our professionals for a two day event to be played Monday, April 25 at LCC and the following day the 26 at Ford Plantation. Space is limited so call the shop to sign up as soon as possible!

**Member-Member Championships | May 4-5 (Ladies) & May 6-7 (Men):** Grab the best partner you can find and join in the fun for this major event—our biggest and most popular Member events of the year! Entry forms will be available online or in the Golf Shop beginning April 4. Space is limited and entries close **April 29**. Please note that completed entry forms are required to participate. We will not accept entries by phone or in the Golf Shop without a form!

## UPCOMING COUPLES GOLF EVENTS

**"Grudge" Match | Sunday, May 1:** Our annual "Grudge Match" mixed event is back and the "Ryder Cup" format has property owner/golfers from the front nine against their counterparts from the back nine. The competition will be followed by beverages, awards and dinner. Please sign up by April 29. Further information is available online or in the Golf Shop.

**Twilight Golf | Friday, May 13:** This nine-hole outing is a shotgun start at 4:00 pm and finishes with awards, refreshments and dinner. Twilight events are very casual and we encourage all handicap levels to participate!

**Good Neighbor Matches (at Wexford) | Sunday, May 15:** Join us for a friendly mixed outing with Wexford! This event will be an afternoon shotgun followed by dinner with our friends at their beautiful club. Call the Golf Shop to sign-up.

**Annual Memorial Weekend Golf Event | Sunday, May 29:** Competition will be team Stableford with flights for both men's and mixed group. Please make your own foursomes and starting times. The Golf staff will be happy to help pair anyone who would like to participate. Memorial Day Cookout after golf—Reservations must be made separately by calling (843) 686-1000.

*For more detail about upcoming golf events, please watch for information in the Golf Section of the LCC Weekly Update.  
Please note: We would be happy to pair you up with another couple if you don't have a partner. Contact the Golf Shop!*



## GOLF MAINTENANCE

### ***Brad Young Senior Assistant Superintendent***

As I write this, pollen is in the air, azaleas are blooming, and the bermuda grass is starting to green up after a few months of dormancy. This past winter has definitely been atypical. Christmas and New Year's holiday golf rounds were played in shorts by many and mother winter has

come and gone but now spring is in the air. We can all look forward to warmer temperatures and longer days.

Although many enjoyed the temperatures of this past November and December, the warm, cloudy conditions made it tough for our overseeded rye grass to establish. Bermuda grass growth continued through the New Year and some of our rye grass stand never really got to full maturity due to being choked out by the actively growing bermuda. Then came winter, which brought numerous heavy frost delays and resulted in a patchy stand of ryegrass throughout the course.

As spring time arrives, so does transitioning from our overseeded fairways back to the base bermuda. The bermuda is coming out of dormancy and slow to develop its density and root system that is needed for the summer. The weather in the spring is very conducive to growing rye grass, this is a problem because it can grow faster than our base bermuda that is weak and just starting to grow. In an effort to soften the transition process we will start regulating the growth rate of the rye grass

during late April and May. It is our goal to have the majority of our cool season turf eliminated by early June so that our weak bermuda base has as much time as possible to strengthen before we start the overseeding process over again in October. The practice of restraining rye grass growth during late spring has worked very well for us in years past and I expect the same this year. As always, it is likely that the shadier fairways, tees and collar areas will transition worse than the open and sunny sights.

On **May 9** we will be aerating the greens with 1/4" hollow tines followed by a light sand topdressing. This small tine aeration will cause very little disruption to the putting surface but will be very beneficial in removing thatch, warming the soil, and promoting Tifeagle bermuda growth to smooth out the transition process.

In May, our summer interns will be arriving. Daniel Nunn, attending Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College and Austin Brewer, who attends UT Martin. Both young men are looking forward to spending their summer working at Long Cove. Our internship program is beneficial to the student in providing hands on practical experience and beneficial to the employer by providing us with aspiring golf course superintendents that truly care about the golf course. Many previous interns have returned after graduation to work on our management staff.

In closing I would like to remind everyone that our major aerations of tees, greens, and fairways will occur during the 3 week closure, those dates are **July 18- August 8** with the course re-opening on August 9. The details of events that will be occurring during that period will be relayed in future communications.



# TEACHING CENTER



## PERSONAL COACHING

### ***Ben Blalock, Head Teaching Professional***

Welcome to the spring season at Long Cove Club! It's an exciting time to be a golfer, especially with the RBC Heritage around the corner and a full tournament schedule at Long Cove Club coming up. If you are interested in improving your game, I encourage you to take part in my personal coaching sessions. This allows for one-on-one attention to your golf game with the end goal of making you a better golfer. The personal coaching opportunity is designed for those students that want to dedicate time and commitment to a long program of game enhancement. With this program, you can take advantage of unlimited lessons throughout the year—the price will include at least one lesson per week with additional lessons and/or spot checks on a time that works best for you. Also, integral to the success of the program, is time spent on the golf course. We'll play the course together at least once a month to focus on areas of the game that we may not hit on during range sessions. If you are interested in personal coaching this year, contact me for pricing, and start dates. I look forward to seeing you at the Teaching Center this spring!



## Bombs & Brews

**Wednesday, April 27**  
**5:30-6:30 PM | Driving Range**

Need to hit your driver longer? Like to drink beer? If so, this program is perfect for you! We'll meet from 5:30 - 6:30 pm to discuss some of the key aspects required to hit the driver with better performance. I'll be using the Teaching Center's FlightScope X2 to track your swing speed, ball speed, direction and distance along with other factors that can help us to determine what,

if any changes might be necessary. Hicham will be in attendance offering specially selected beer choices for all those who participate. RSVP to Ben Blalock by 4/24 to (843) 686-1078 or [bblalock@longcoveclub.org](mailto:bblalock@longcoveclub.org)

## Junior Summer Camps

Save the Date for the Junior Summer Camps!

**June 13 - 16**

**July 11 - 12**

**August 8 - 9**

Each camp is divided into two segments per day:

8 - 10 AM: Juniors under 9

10:30 - 1:30 PM: Juniors 10 and up



## UPCOMING CLINICS WITH BEN BLALOCK

### Ladies Golf Clinic

\$20/Session

Thursdays: 9-10 a.m.

*Topics change weekly*

April: 7, 14, 21, 28

May: 5, 12, 19, 26

June: 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

### Junior Golf Clinic

\$20/Session

Tuesdays: 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Saturdays: 2-3 p.m.

April : 2, 5, 9, 12, 16, 19, 23, 26, 30

May: 3, 7, 10, 14, 17, 21, 24, 28, 31

June: 4, 7, 11, 14, 18, 21, 25, 28

### Walk the Tee Clinic

Complimentary

Fridays: 2-3 p.m.

Instruction at no charge every Friday all year. Please check LCC Weekly Update for cancellations.

**SIGN-UP FOR CLINICS THROUGH FORETEES OR  
BY CALLING THE TEACHING CENTER AT (843) 686-1078**



# SECURITY MATTERS



## GATESURE - AN EASY WAY TO ONLINE GATE PASSES

### *Willie Rice, Chief of Security*

Members are encouraged to use our online system called “Gatesure” for automated gate passes. This allows us to better serve our Membership! To use Gatesure, login to the Member Central section of the website and follow the link to the left of your screen. Your User ID is your ten digit phone number (example: 8433215567) and your password is the last four digits of that phone number. Once logged in, the system is easy to use! Click on the visitors tabs, Choose “Create and Schedule Visitors”, Select visitors to schedule, Schedule selected visitors, Save. If you need assistance with logging into the system, you may contact Erin Khalili at [ekhalili@longcoveclub.org](mailto:ekhalili@longcoveclub.org).

The information will automatically be retrieved at the Security Gate. Please remember that guest passes can only be extended for up to 30 days and then will need to be updated. As always, the Security Team is here to help. If you have any questions, please call us at (843) 686-1050.

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### **Spring and Summer Tourist Season**

Once again, with the spring and summer months upon us we will be encountering visiting friends, school break, and various surrounding island activities resulting an increase of traffic flow to monitor. Our men and women of the Security Department, who strive each day to keep the peace and ensure the safety of the community, will provide efficient, effective, and professional service to the Membership. With increased traffic in our area, security will continue to monitor and enforce traffic violations within Long Cove Club including, speeding, following too closely, stop sign violations and other infractions. Please obey the 25 MPH speed limit and exercise extreme caution in the presence of walkers, joggers and bicyclists.

### **Safety Reminder to Pedestrians, Bicyclists & Joggers**

If you are walking/jogging with two or more people, please keep in a single file line facing traffic (not abreast) and bikers should bike with the flow of traffic. If walking during dark hours, wear light-colored, reflective clothing or lighting so you can be seen by the motorist. Please avoid talking on the phone while walking or jogging. Please note: Cyclists have all the same rights and responsibilities as a motor vehicle and must obey the same rules when traveling on the road.

### **Domestic Worker Reminder**

A domestic pass can be extended up to 30 days. The property owner must renew the pass at the end of the expiration date.

### **Gate Fees Enforcement**

All vendors/tradesmen who are invited under a personal name during business hours will be charged a gate fee for services upon entering the community. Commercial contractors and tradesmen hours of operation are following:

**Monday-Friday (7:30 am—6:30 pm), Saturday (8:00 am—4:30 pm), Sunday (Work not permitted).**

### **Pets**

As a reminder, pets must be on a leash at all times in Long Cove Club. You may refer to more detail on this subject in the Rules and Regulations section of the Community Directory.

### **Emergency Contact Form**

Please update your emergency contact form for 2016. Forms may be obtained at the security gate and they are also located on the Member Central section of the Long Cove Club website.

### **Hurricane Preparedness**

Hurricane season is June 1 - November 30. Prepare your family now before disaster hits. All members should take necessary steps towards becoming familiar with the Evacuation route. For helpful information go to the Long Cove website and click on Security & Safety or refer to the community directory. **Make plans NOW!**

### **Telephone Scam Warning**

Telephone scams have been surfacing in Beaufort County. Scam artists will contact people and attempt to portray a relief fund, add pressure for debt collection or ask send funds to a relative that is in trouble. If you feel you have been the victim of a “scam”, notify the Beaufort County Sheriff Department normal hours line at (843) 682-5125.





## TENNIS UPGRADES FOR OUR MEMBERSHIP

### *Lee Holyoak, Director of Tennis*

Hot on the heels of the highest ever amount of tennis court utilization by members during 2015, this year has started off even busier. Favorable weather, USTA League tennis, and social play has contributed to the largest ever amount of member play for the first quarter of the year. Remarkably, these numbers were posted during a 6-week period when only 6 out of 8 courts were playable due to the fence replacement and refurbishment project. Hopefully you have had a chance to see the improved tennis facility. The tennis courts recently underwent a much-needed facelift with the repair and replacement of dilapidated fencing and light poles. The multi-colored green, broken, and rusted fencing has been replaced with shining new black meshing, cross-bracing, and gates giving the facility a more aesthetically pleasing, and more importantly, safer place to play tennis.

## LONG COVE CLUB VS. SEA PINES COUNTRY CLUB



*Bill Blair & Lee Bracken*



*Carol & Bob Calcagni*



*Pam Bautista & Mike LoConte*



*Joe Fodor & Bob Torre*



*Judy Caramello & Don Schroeder*

Our Long Cove tennis players traveled to Sea Pines Country Club for an inaugural challenge on February 5, featuring men's, women's and mixed Doubles over 12 matches. Five of the twelve matches were played earlier in the day with Long Cove winning three and losing two in 3<sup>rd</sup> set tie-breaks. Long Cove then proceeded to trounce the host team winning all 7 of the remaining matches to run away with the completion 10-2.

**Congratulations to John Hasen, Steve Josowitz, Bob Torre, Joe Fodor, Bill Blair, Patty Varn, Kathy Tyson, Lynn Newcomer, Nancy Lincoln, Linda Manhartberger, Judy Caramello, Don Schroeder, Pam Bautista, Mike LoConte, Laura and Lee Bracken, Sharon and Larry Son-Hing, Kit and Alan Engelson, Carol and Bob Calcagni, and Val and Tom Dowbiggin. Well done, team!**



# TENNIS BANQUET

Thanks to the 76 attendees of the 2016 Tennis Banquet held January 15. We recognized our 2015 Club Champions, shared a few laughs, and even danced a little as well.



## UPCOMING TENNIS EVENTS

### Tennis Socials

Looking for a chance to get out and play some social tennis? We will be hosting several tennis socials throughout the summer with no competitive pressure, open to all playing levels, and featuring different fun formats. Sign-up on Foretees or by calling the Tennis Shop. More information will be available in the weekly eblasts. The socials are scheduled for the following dates:

**Thursday, May 5** | Cinco de Mayo  
**Thursday, June 16** | Tennis Social and Cookout  
**Saturday, July 2** | Wimbledon and Wood Racquets!  
**Friday, August 19** | Margaritaville Tennis Social

### Junior Summer Camps

The Long Cove Junior Summer Tennis Camps will be offered every week beginning June 7. The camps will run from 10:30am to 1:30pm on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday with Friday as a rain make up day. Cost will be \$70 for members and \$80 for guests. Dates are following: **June 7-9; June 14-16; June 21-23; June 28-30; July 5-7; July 12-14; July 19-21**

### Pro League

Long Cove will again host the final of the Hilton Head Island Pro League on **Friday, June 3**. Don't miss out on seeing the best players in the area play for the title and prize money. Matches get underway at 6 pm. Food and drinks will be available for purchase.





# MEMBER CLUBS

## BOOK CLUB



The Long Cove Book Club meets on the third Friday of each month. For more information or to view the schedule visit the Member Central section of the LCC Website.

**April 22: *The Sound of Glass* by Karen White**

**May 20: *The Secret Scripture* by Sebastian Barry**

**June 17: *Sanctuary of Outcasts* by Neil White**

Everyone is welcome to attend.

Meetings are held in the Long Cove Room at 3 p.m.

For questions & information, please contact Julie Williams, [hjwill412@gmail.com](mailto:hjwill412@gmail.com) or (843) 715-0417.



## Bunco

Bunco ladies will continue to gather on the third Tuesday of the month at 3 p.m. in the Grill Room at the Clubhouse.

Socialization (Happy Hour) starts at 4:30 after play.

All are invited to attend, no skill required, just a fun afternoon!

For questions & information, please contact:

Rosemary Rodolakis, (843) 686-2636, [azrosey@roadrunner.com](mailto:azrosey@roadrunner.com)

Connie Henne, (843) 686-6366, [cjhenne@aol.com](mailto:cjhenne@aol.com)



## STITCHERS CLUB

Calling all stitchers! The group meets on the fourth Tuesday in April and May at 2 p.m. in the Long Cove Clubhouse Magnolia Room. Bring any type of needlework.

We typically stitch until 5 p.m. and then invite you to stay for a glass of wine!

For questions & information, please contact

Melissa Beaver, (843) 341-5107



## GARDEN CLUB

Garden Club Meetings take place the second Tuesday in the month between September and May. Please check the Member Central section of the Long Cove website for the full 2015-2016 Garden Club Schedule.

For questions & information, please contact  
Holly Moeri, [hmmoeri@gmail.com](mailto:hmmoeri@gmail.com)

# MARDI GRAS DINNER & DANCE

February 29, 2016





# LCC CHARITABLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

## Thank You!

Thank you to our Long Cove Neighbors for your generous support of the Long Cove Club Charitable Advisory Committee's annual campaign drive and for your remembrance of cherished family and friends throughout the year. Your

donations to the Endowment Fund and the Charitable Fund will support needs in the areas of health, housing, hunger and education in Beaufort and Jasper Counties.

In addition to the annual campaign, we will have proceeds from the 2016 Neighborhood Tour of Homes, "From Attic to Art," the LCC Charitable Golf Classic, the LCCCEF Dinner at 843 and the Kroger Community Rewards Program to add to the funds that will be distributed during this year's grant cycle.

The LCCCAC will be visiting potential grant recipients this spring. Please keep in mind that grant requests always exceed funds available and the LCCCAC works very hard to review each applicant before final decisions are made. All applicants will be advised of the disposition of their applications in July. The recipients chosen will receive their checks at the annual Grants Presentation at the Long Cove Clubhouse on **Tuesday, September 20, 2016**. Please plan on attending!

## NEIGHBORHOOD TOUR OF HOMES & "FROM ATTIC TO ART"

Invite a friend to the upcoming "From Attic to Art" on Friday, April 22 and the Neighborhood Tour of Homes on Sunday, April 24. There is still time to become a Patron! **You can find ticket information on the LCC Weekly Update Email and on the Member Central Section of the Website.** Now that you have your Home Tour Program, please support our sponsors and advertisers and thank them for their generosity!

*From Attic to Art*



FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 2016

6 pm | Long Cove Clubhouse | \$25pp

Cocktail party, Live & Silent Auction, Member Charge/Cash Bar

Don't be left out! Come and bring friends to the most fun event of the weekend. Enjoy the dueling auctioneers and be amazed at the creativity of our local artists. Something for everyone!

Contact Josie Mautz for tickets (843) 785-5052.



Neighborhood Tour of Homes

SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2016

1:00 - 5:00 PM

The Neighborhood Tour of Homes is a primary fundraiser of the LCCCAC. Consider inviting a friend to view the homes and show them what LCC has to offer. For more information, contact Vickie Baumann at (843) 301-7573 or Carol Magruder at (843) 802-4039.

## BRIDGE & MAHJONG FOR CHARITY

Mark your calendars for **Thursday, October 20, 2016** for the Bridge & Mahjong for Charity event. A lunch buffet will start at 11:45 am and Bridge/Mahjong will start at 12:30 pm. You don't want to miss this year's new and exciting format and prizes!

**Co-Chairs: Chris Carroll & Carol Gibbons**  
**Details to follow.**

## Save the Date!

**Tuesday, September 20, 2016** | LCCCAC Grants Presentation  
**Thursday, October 20, 2016** | Bridge & Mahjong for Charity  
**Saturday, October 29, 2016** | Tennis Racket/Pickleball Charity Event  
Co-Chairs: Lynn Steady & Pat McGuire

*Please watch for more details in upcoming eblasts and publications.*



# LONG COVE YACHT CLUB



## BECAUSE COMMUNITY MATTERS

2016 is a off to a great start within Long Cove Club's most active social group! This year is again full of new experiences and annual favorites. We hope that you can join us on **Sunday, May 22** for the annual **Blessing of the Fleet** at the Long Cove Docks to kick-off the summer season!

If you are not yet a Member of the Long Cove Yacht Club, we invite you to join us! A family Membership is \$40/year. Whether you are a boater, kayaker, bicyclist, fisher or simply just like to socialize with your neighbors, you will have great opportunities to further enjoy our great community. If you are

interested in Membership information, contact Michael Bundy at (843) 363-2037 or [lcyc.news@gmail.com](mailto:lcyc.news@gmail.com).

*Please check the LCC Weekly Update & Member Central section of the website for more 2016 events!*

## LCYC GATHERING TOGETHER!



*Commodore's Ball | January 22, 2016*

Great dinner and dance at LCC clubhouse begins our years with the Commodore's Ball



*St. Patrick's Day Celebration | March 17, 2016*



*Oyster Roast | February 21, 2016*



## UPCOMING SOCIAL & TRAVEL EVENTS

**May 10-12 | Boat Trip to Charleston**  
**Sunday, May 22 | Blessing of the Fleet**



## FISHING WITH THE FLEET



*Good start to the season, where the emphasis this year will be on “catching.”*



### UPCOMING FISHING WITH THE FLEET DATES

**Monday, April 18** | Fishing with the Fleet

**May 15-19** | Islamorada Fishing Trip

**Monday, May 20** | Fishing with the Fleet

**Monday, June 13** | Fishing with the Fleet

**Friday, June 24** | Boys & Girls Club Event at LCC

**Friday, July 1** | Grandparents/Grandchildren & Parent/Child Fishing Event

**July 18-20** | Children/Grandchildren Fishing Camp

**September 19** | Shrimping with the Fleet at Hudsons

### UPCOMING PSYCHO-LISTS DATES

**Monday, April 11**

RBC Heritage Opening Ceremonies

**Saturday, May 21**

Daufauskie Island w/ Kickin Asphalt

**Friday, June 10**

Beaufort to Port Royal Trail

### UPCOMING KAYAKING DATES

**Friday, April 8** | Ebenezer Creek

**Friday, April 22** | Beaufort Oyster Paddle

**Monday, May 2** | Old Oyster Factory

**Friday, May 6** | Ace Basin

**Monday, June 6** | South Beach to Harbour Town



Pedaling into a new season with goodies from the French Bakery.



Kayak Club begins another great year.



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