

The Club at ArrowCreek Newsletter

From our General Manager...

Dear Members -

As you all are aware, we have been under siege with winter weather for the better part of six weeks. This has somewhat hampered construction progress as well as a chance to enjoy some winter golf. Thankfully, it appears that there is a little break in the weather and hopefully significant melting will occur. As we look forward to Spring and the upcoming season just months away, there is an abundance of work still to be done for the transformation project that will take us through the summer months into fall. The team and I will do our very best to communicate what to expect and any deviations as soon as the information becomes available. We again thank you for your patience and understanding.

Several members of the management team are participating in continuing education and associations in their specific disciplines outside of the clubs day to day operations. Josh was one of 50 invitees from a pool of 4,300 Golf Professionals to participate on the National Club Fitters Council. As Jerry shared in his newsletter article, he and Rob are participating in the GCSAA conference in a few weeks. Cassie has joined NACE (National Association of Catering Executives) and Monica has begun a 9-week class toward achieving her sommelier certification. I am very proud of the teams efforts achieving continuing education and bringing those refined skills back to the Club to benefit the overall Membership.

Thank you to those 120 Members that have provided feedback via the on-line survey. The survey will remain open through February 1st and trends and results will be shared with the Membership soon after.

I look forward to seeing you on your next visit, Garry.





The Club at

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GOLF MANAGEMENT

Garry D. Cramer, General Manager

February 2019

UPCOMING EVENTS Feb 3 — Super Bowl Party Feb 5 — Taco Tuesday Feb 11—Soiree Concert Feb 13 —Book Club Feb 14 —Valentine's Dinner Feb 16 —Father Daughter Dance Feb 19 —Trivia Night *NEW* Feb 21 — BINGO Feb 27— UNR vs UNLV Game Event

Feb 28 — Decades Theme TBAM (Thanks For Being A Member)

Dining at The Club:

For dinner reservations in Redfield's, please call 775-850-4471.

Wednesdays are Pot of Gold. Alternating weeks of Prime Rib and Chef's Choice. Attend for your chance to win great prizes or cash!

Thursdays are Pasta Night. Build your own pasta and kids under age 12 eat free!

Fridays are Pub Club with 2 topping \$8 Pizzas

Don't forget we offer Kid's Club on Thursdays & Fridays, as well as some special events.

Please keep in mind if your kids are not signed in for Kid's Club, they need to be at the dining table. This ensures all Members have a great dining experience.



Course Update

January has been a slow month for any kind of bunker work with all the snow we've had. We are hoping for a mild February to really get going again. The crew has moved to the Legend course, working it's way backwards from #14. The changes to the bunkers on Legend will be less of a change than to those on Challenge. Mr. Palmer put just about the right number of bunkers on Legend, and in the right spots, but we think they should be made more playable and easier to maintain. We will get back to adding the bunker sand and sodding around them in early March. Everyone should be extremely pleased when the project is completed. We have some of the best shapers in the nation doing the technical work.

February is education month for Rob and I. We will be attending the National Golf Course Superintendent's conference and show in San Diego the first full week of the month. Besides attending classes where continuing educational points are awarded, we'll be checking on new innovative equipment, new technologies, new chemical formulations, and better water treatments that meet our demands. We're excited for the season to get underway and the national conference is always a great kick start. We will share the knowledge we learn with our Membership. Thanks again for being a member and all your support.



Bunkers Renovations



Jerry L. Mathews, CGCS Director of Agronomy & Rob Williams, Course Superintendent

Weeden's Wisdom

HABITS THAT CAN LEAD TO MAJOR BREAKTHROUGHS IN YOUR GOLF GAME

Most golfers crave quick fixes. They want to get rid of their slice overnight and lower their handicap by ten strokes immediately. The golf industry has been more than happy to sell equipment, training aids, and other kinds of products that promise these results.

The truth is that becoming a better golfer takes more time and patience. Like any other endeavor in life, success is a collection of small habits that build over time.

<u>Managing Expectations</u> - If I had to put my finger on the common mistake that every golfer makes, it is that they have unrealistic expectations on the course. Golfers needlessly lose their tempers and get angry at themselves for shots that are quite reasonable for their skill levels. It ruins their day, and worse, prevents them from playing well. Approaching the course with reasonable expectations is one of the great ways to take your game to the next level.

Golf is a challenging game, and changing your mindset on these issues is easier said than done. But with the proper attitude (and guidance) it can lead to significant results down the road.

<u>**Practicing with Intent</u>** - Practice does not make perfect if you're not doing it correctly. Many golfers (myself included for a long time) think that merely showing up to the range and hitting balls entitles you to lower scores. It doesn't. Poor practice habits are why you hear golfers say to their playing partners after a bad round, "but I was hitting it so well on the range."</u>

Practicing smarter, challenging yourself, and staying engaged in your practice sessions can make you a better golfer. Many players don't have an endless supply of time to work on their games, but whatever time you do have you want to make it count. Making this fundamental change to your practice can narrow the gap between your performance on the practice range versus the course.

<u>What Habits Will You Change?</u> - If you want to become a better golfer, you have to take yourself out of your comfort zone. The best part is, you don't have to make monumental changes to see results. If you just take one of the habits from this list and make a real effort to make it part of your game, I can almost promise you that down the road you will see actual results. It will take some patience on your part, and you won't necessarily see results in the short term, but they are all worthwhile investments in your game.

Josh Weeden, Director of Golf

From the Golf Shop

With it still being cold outside, we have some additional ladies cold gear, cart mitts, winter gloves, various rain gear and beanies available in the next couple of weeks. We also have new Nevada Gear for any of our Wolf Pack lovers so come by and check it out!

We also have various snow problems on the courses. Stay updated by checking the Fusion site, weekly emails or call the golf shop at 775-850-4653.

Thanks,

Golf Shop Staff

What's Cooking with Chef Kevin

Hello to our fantastic membership! I am happy to announce that we will be starting a new happy hour and regular menu this month. Don't worry we kept all of your favorites and changed some things to keep it



interesting. Throughout these winter days I ask myself what can I do at the Club that our membership would like to participate and be part of. I did a very fun and successful Eggs 101 class last month that will make everyone want to cook breakfast for their families on a regular basis. My knife skills are on point but my Miss Cleo capabilities of reading minds still needs some work so I would like to invite everyone reading this to provide input on what you think would be a fun activity or event that you and your family would like to participate in. Please share your thoughts with me in person or e-mail me at

<u>kcloutier@theclubatarrowcreek.com</u> so we can create memories for life!

Executive Chef, Kevin Cloutier

Eggs 101 Class

Cassie's Corner

We are well into 2019! Soon it will be Spring, Summer, Fall and then the holidays all over again. Feel it's too early to start planning for your upcoming graduation/birthday/fundraiser/holiday party? Think again! With all of the Club activities, weekly events, monthly outings, golf tournaments, weddings and fundraising tournaments you are already working with limited availability.

The Terrace room can hold up to 120 for dining and the adjacent Vista room can hold up to 60 guests. Need more space? Combine the two rooms together. Our team are experts at organizing and executing any type of event, whether it's a small business meeting or a celebratory reception! We



specialize in customizing our menus and offerings to fit your individual needs and tastes.

A benefit of your membership here at The Club at ArrowCreek are no room or venue fees! This is a huge savings. We make the rest of the planning process a breeze with inclusive set up, tear down, linens, catering and more. Everything is personalized to meet your needs and there are NO hidden fees in our package prices.

So stop procrastinating and go ahead and book your event at the Club today! Call Cassie Pete at 775-850-4471 ext. 209 or email cpete@theclubatarrowcreek.com

Welcome New Members of The Club!

Ron & Susan Hamilton

Francesco & Lorelei Carobolante

Thanks For Being A Member

Walsh's Word



Cabo San Lucas Member Trip 2019

I hope everyone is having a fortunate start to the New Year! I am ecstatic to begin 2019 with our Members and the immense excitement surrounding The Club's future. As many of you know, all great things take time and we are thoroughly dedicated to continuing improvement of the Member experience at The Club at ArrowCreek. I am sure many of you are anxious for the upcoming 2019 Golf season and with that brings friends inviting their friends to Membership at The Club at ArrowCreek. Our team will work with our Members to host their friends and make sure they're welcomed into Membership with open arms. Now is the best time to draft Invitations as every official Invitation for Membership will provide the best available offer for membership. Please do not let your friends and colleagues hit snooze on joining you in Membership as we sincerely want them to take advantage of the present rates and offer. I have already been extremely fortunate and eternally grateful to experience an unforgettable trip with our members visiting Cabo San Lucas to begin the New Year. I look forward to seeing our Members at The Club soon!!





Your Friendly, Neighborhood Membership Director, Walsh Trujillo

For All Areas of the Clubhouse

The Club at ArrowCreek strives to maintain an environment as a comfortable and fun club. It is expected that Members and Guests, including children, dress in a fashion befitting the surrounds and atmosphere of a Country Club. The Club reserves the right to make determinations regarding inappropriate or questionable attire. You may be asked to change if deemed necessary.

For Gentlemen

Club Casual which Includes: Shirts with Sleeves, Turtlenecks, Slacks, Dress Shorts. Jeans are permitted, but no holes, rips, tears or frays.

For Ladies

Club Casual which Includes: Dress Slacks, Capri Pants, Golf Skorts/Shorts, & Dress Jeans. No bare midriffs.

I Spy...

All of a sudden you are reading the newsletter and you spy your Member number! Yes, this could happen to you. If you spy your Member number, call the Club to receive your certificate for one FREE dinner that month! The dinner is for two, excluding alcoholic beverages. It's a game that all Members can play and it's as easy as reading the monthly newsletter. So please, read the newsletter for your chance to let us buy you dinner.

