

# Hawthorne Country Club

## President's Message

September 2010

P.O. Box 238  
LaPlata, MD 20646

Club Office 301-934-8422  
301-932-6852

Pool 301-609-3105

Restaurant 301-934-8422 ext. 1

### Hours of Operations

Pro Shop 301-934-2433

#### Carts Available

Monday Noon - 4:00 pm  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday  
8:00 am - 7:00 pm  
Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays  
7:00 am - 7:00 pm

\*No play or practice is allowed on any non-holiday Monday before noon.

\*Golf shop is closed anytime when the course is closed to play.

\*Golfers are not permitted to start play from 9:15am—11:00am on Saturdays, Sundays & Holidays during the golf season.

Restaurant/Bar 301-934-8422

- Monday Closed
- Tuesday 11:00 am—8:00 pm
- Wednesday—Saturday 11:00am—8:30 pm
- Sunday 11:00 am—7:00 pm

### Board of Directors—Officers

President—Lee McClure Jr.  
Vice President—John Bowling  
Secretary—Art Smith  
Treasurer—Bob Brewer

“Golf is a game that is played on a five inch course – the distance between you ears”

Bobby Jones

To all Members:

The Board will start assembling the operating budget for next year for the members review sometime before the annual meeting. Once completed the Board will post a notice so all members desiring to do so; can come by the business office to review it before the annual meeting.

Please remember HCC has bills it needs to pay to keep current with our vendors. This is our most costly time of the year and as such we need our members to keep their account current at all times this is especially true during the summer months.

It is also time for the Board to form a committee to fill vacancies on the board for the upcoming year. If you are interested in assisting in the continued success of HCC please get in touch with a board member.

If you know someone who would make a worthwhile addition please let Cindy know in the business office. She will contact them and answer any questions they may have.

As always please feel free to contact any of the Board members or me directly 240-216-6181 or email [qsv-lee@starpower.net](mailto:qsv-lee@starpower.net) with any questions or comments.

Respectfully,

Lee McClure Jr

President of the Board.



## Important Reminders

### MEMBER PAYMENTS

Just a reminder—Payments to your member account are due by the 15th of the month. Payments received after the 15th are considered late.

### MEMBER BILLS

Any disputes concerning a members bill needs to be addressed within seven days upon receipt of the bill. Some of this can be avoided by signing your receipt before leaving the club for the day.

### MEMBERSHIP

As always, if you have a friend that is interested in joining the Hawthorne family, please have them call the business office at 301/934-8422 x 3. There are many different membership options .

### RESTAURANT

If coming to the restaurant with a party of eight(8) or more guests, please call ahead for reservations. This will insure Cindy's can accommodate you and your party.

Individual member parties of more than \$500 will not be allowed to charge to member's account; payment must be paid to Tenant directly.

### HOURS

Sunday	11:00 am—7:00 pm
Tuesday	11:00 am—8:00 pm
Wednesday-Saturday	11:00 am—8:30 pm

### HOURS beginning October 1, 2010

Sunday	11:00 am—4:00 pm
Tuesday	11:00 am—4:00 pm
Wednesday-Saturday	11:00 am—8:30 pm

## Charitable Tuesday at Hawthorne Country Club

Hawthorne Country Club is now available for you to earn money for your charity. Call the pro-shop to reserve your date today.

Call today to reserve your Charity Tuesday. Hawthorne has donated over \$1,500 to our local charities. Don't miss an opportunity to support the club and your charity.

# Ned's Notes

## March 15 thru October 31 Hours

Monday

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday

Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays

Carts Available Noon - 4:00 pm

Carts Available 8:00 am - 7:00 pm

Carts Available 7:00 am - 7:00 pm

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\*Golfers are not permitted to start play from 9:15am until 11:00am on Saturdays, Sundays, & Holidays during the season.

\*Golf carts must be returned to the shop 15 minutes before dusk. The golf shop reserves the right not to rent carts to evening players who are frequently in violation of this rule.

\*Golf Shop is closed on Christmas Day, carts will not be available.

### MEN'S THURSDAY NIGHTS IN AUGUST

In August on Thursday Nights members of the men's golf association will gather and tee off at 5:30pm shotgun in a series of fun formats. The entry fee will be \$20 paid to that night's administrator. Men wishing to play that night should call the golf shop by 4pm on the day of the event. Each event is open and must be signed up for that Day between noon and 4pm.

September 2 Alternate shot

September 9 Par Three

### MGA CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP - PLAY YOUR MATCHES!!!

The Championship is a Match play format with players setting their own times for the matches. Players are paired into flights of eight men based on handicap and play gross match play. Players winning their flights qualify for the year end tournament of champions. Matches were paired and posted May 5<sup>th</sup>. You should be finished. If you have not finished your matches please call the shop and declare your day of play.

### MENS MEMBER-MEMBER

August 8, 2010

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Bob Brewer & Frank Nesbit (Champions) winning 2<sup>nd</sup> play off hole with a score of 62

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Michael Loucks & Bill Windsor with a score of 62

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Bob Brewer & Drew Havrilla with a score of 63

4<sup>th</sup> Place: Tom Simpson & Neil Nutwell with a score of 64

5<sup>th</sup> Place: Jim Blanche & Charles Hill with a score of 65

6<sup>th</sup> Place: Gregg Bowie & Fritz Mikloz with a score of 65

Lowest Gross: Ryan Bowling & Lee McClure Jr. with a score of 75

### MEN'S RYDER CUP

August 21 & 22, 2010

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Flight Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Place: John & Ryan Bowling (Champions) won 2<sup>nd</sup> play off hole with score of 170

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Jim Blanche & Fred Ashby with score of 178

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Jerry Elder & Kevin Elder with a score of 179

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Flight Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Bill Windsor & Russ Hall with a score of 174

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Tom Simpson & Larry Sanders with a score of 183

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Skip McConkey & Drew Havrilla with a score of 184

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Flight Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Michael Loucks & Gregg Bowie with a score of 178

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Chris Clark & Bill Turner with a score of 186

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Buddy Rapczynski & Bill Bois with a score of 190



**FRIDAY NIGHT HAPPY HOUR GOLF**

(See you soon at the watering hole)

Join us for the last two nights of the season for Friday Night Happy Hour Golf. We will finish our season on Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. Hawthorne hosts a purely social 9 holes of golf that requires no golf skill meeting in the 19<sup>th</sup> hole before a 5:30 shotgun start. The formats are always Beginner Friendly Games. The teams are paired to mix players so that you will be able to meet and socialize with your group while you golf and with the whole group before and after the round. Spouses are not normally paired together and serious golf is not acceptable. The entry fee is \$5 for the 9 holes. Try to be here or have called in indicating that you are playing before 5:15pm. Don't forget that Happy Hour Golf is Strictly for Fun!!!

June 4<sup>th</sup> Winners: John Bowling, Dustin Reed, Sandee Harrison, Jane Spearbeck – 28

June 11<sup>th</sup> Winners: Lee McClure, Bob Brewer, Pat Hall, Jane Spearbeck, Russ Hall, Tony Negri, Linda Breitinger, Nancy Chicca (Tied)

June 18<sup>th</sup> Winners: Glenn Hilley, Robin Loucks, Bob Brewer 32

July 2<sup>nd</sup> Winners: Tony Negri, Donna Bowling, Bill Bois, Dave Logan, Whitey Lilly 28

July 9<sup>th</sup> Winners: 3 way Tie between, 1. Ned Spearbeck, Ed Chicca, Kathy Blanche, Sandee Harrison, Ray Resendes, 2. Russ Hall, Jim Clements, Donna Bowling, Cherie Nutwell, 3. Ryan Bowling, Jim Blanche, Janice Spearbeck, Marian Cody 29

July 16<sup>th</sup> Winners: Ned Spearbeck, Bill Harrison, Janice Spearbeck, Carol Scott, and Jeannette Taylor 31

July 23<sup>rd</sup> Winners: Carol Scott, Jane Spearbeck, Lee McClure, Marian Cody, Bill Harrison 30

July 30<sup>th</sup> Winners: Tie between Fred Ashby Pat Scott Marion Lilly and the team of Bob Brewer, Whitey Lilly and Carol Scott

August 6<sup>th</sup> Winners: John Bowling, Jane Spearbeck, Carol Scott, Russ Hall, and Bob Brewer

August 13<sup>th</sup> Winners: Tie between 1. Ned Spearbeck, Whitey Lilly, Pat Hall, Janice Spearbeck, Pat Scott, and Bill Windsor 2. John Bowling, Frank Nesbit, Linda Breitinger, Jane Spearbeck, and Carol Scott

August 20<sup>th</sup> Winners: John L. Sprague, Jim Blanche, Bob Brewer, Cheryl Windsor, Robin Loucks, and Pat Scott

August 27<sup>th</sup> Winners: Russ Hall, John Bowling, Gregg Bowie, Jane Spearbeck, Sherry Sanders and Carol Scott

**GRAN PRIX STANDINGS**

As of August 31, 2010

- Michael Loucks 124
- Gregg Bowie 110
- Fred Ashby 108
- Jim Blanche 108
- Joe D'Alessandro 107\*
- Jerry Elder 107\*
- Ray Love 106
- Chuck Bongar 106
- Frank Nesbit 105
- Kevin Elder 105\*
- Bob Brewer 104
- Tom Simpson 103
- Charles Hill 101
- Russ Hall 100
- John Bowling 99
- Lee McClure Jr. 98\*
- Buddy Nutwell 97
- Drew Havrilla 96\*
- Barry Wood 95
- Ryan Bowling 94
- Mike Deneault 94
- Tony Negri 94

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- Bob Poe 93
  - Glenn Hilley 91
  - Bill Windsor 90

\* Points may change depending on Club Championship matches which have not been finished

**TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS ROSTER**

As of August 31, 2010

<b>Opening Day Winners</b>	<b>Match Play Champions</b>
Chuck Bongar	Bob Poe
Drew Havrilla	Tom Simpson
Bob Healy	Bill Bois
Mike Loucks	Joe McClure
<b>Senior Non Senior</b>	Bill Farneth
Mike Deneault	
Jerry Elder	<b>Member-Member</b>
<b>Fathers Day Blind Draw</b>	Bob Brewer
Gregg Bowie	Frank Nesbit
Ryan Bowling	
Stableford	<b>Ryder Cup</b>
Charles Hill	John Bowling
<b>Men's Thursday Night League</b>	Ryan Bowling
John L. Sprague	
Drew Havrilla	<b>Medal Play</b>
Jerry Elder	Fred Ashby
Ray Love	Tom Agostnelli
Rueben Lilly	Frank Nesbit
Paul Skeens	Mike Loucks
<b>President's Cup</b>	Chris Clark
Fred Ashby	Ray Love

**LGA**

The Ladies Golf Association is looking for a President. If you are interested in serving in this position, please contact any member of the LGA.

**HIGH SCHOOL GOLF**

McDonough H.S. will practice on our course again this year. The players and the school have expressed their gratitude for being allowed to practice at our facility. They will only practice Monday through Thursday afternoons from late August until the first week of October. In addition they may host one or two dual matches at Hawthorne. These matches will be posted on the calendar by the golf shop and in the newsletter's monthly calendar.

**LADIES MGA PLATE**

It's that time of year again where the heat and summer season starts winding down that the time to compete for the MGA Plate has arrived. By declaring your round in the pro shop before you play you get one shot at 18 holes to shoot your best low net score. This ranges from August 17<sup>th</sup> to August 31<sup>st</sup> and must be a full 18 holes. Remember you must declare your round in the golf shop before you head out! Good luck ladies!

**CHARITABLE TUESDAY AT HAWTHORNE COUNTRY CLUB—CALL TO SET UP YOUR TUESDAY TEE TIME TODAY**

We are asking members to submit requests for Tuesday dates for local non-profit organizations they would like to support. To submit your request to host a charitable Tuesday at Hawthorne Country Club please email your request to [cindy@hawthornecc.net](mailto:cindy@hawthornecc.net). Please include the top three dates by rank that would be best for you to host. The dates will be assigned on a first come first served basis one per member.

**Details**

- \$40.00 for 18 holes with a cart each guest with 20.00 of that going towards the charity
- %10 of all Cindy's daily receipts going towards your charity
- \$5.00 guest fee for use of pool/tennis facilities with \$2.50

Encourage your friends and family to come out and support our local charities on Tuesdays! If you have any more questions please call!

**MEDAL PLAY**

Fred Ashby won the Medal Play tournament despite shooting a 41 on the back nine of the final round. Second place win went to Kevin Elder, third place was John Bowling and Lee McClure came in with fourth place overall.

**1<sup>st</sup> Flight Winners**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Fred Ashby
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Kevin Elder
- 3<sup>rd</sup> John Bowling
- 4<sup>th</sup> Lee McClure

**2<sup>nd</sup> Flight Winners**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Tom Agostnelli
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Rich Lackman
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Tony Negri

**3<sup>rd</sup> Flight Winners**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Frank Nesbit
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Jim Blanche
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Mike Deneault

**4<sup>th</sup> Flight Winners**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Mike Loucks
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Bob Poe
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Jerry Elder

**5<sup>th</sup> Flight Winners**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Chris Clark
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Billy Windsor
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Buddy Nutwell

**6<sup>th</sup> Flight Winners**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Ray Love
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Tom Simpson
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Paul Lunsford

**FREE VIDEO GOLF CLINICS FOR ALL HAWTHORNE MEMBERS**

Ned will be hosting free video clinics every month during the season. Come on out and look at your own golf swing or short game strokes. On September 4 from 3-5 pm he will have a full shot or short game video clinic.

## 2010 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

<p><b>KING and QUEEN</b>            Entry Fee: \$15. Two person Mixed Teams / not spouses.            Format: Front Nine: Alternate Shot</p>	<p>September 5<sup>th</sup>            Back Nine: Captains Choice</p>	<p>1:30pm shotgun</p>
<p><b>LADIES CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP</b>            Entry Fee: \$8            Format: Individual Gross, Flighted by Handicap. All flights play on Saturday. Only Championship Flight and competitors attempting to capture the overall championship play Sunday.</p>	<p>September 11<sup>th</sup>, (12<sup>th</sup>)            Pairing: by handicap</p>	<p>8:30am Tee Times</p>
<p><b>LGA GRAND PRIX QUALIFIER</b>            Entry Fee: \$8            Format: Individual Low Net not qualified wins entry to Grand Prix</p>	<p>September 18<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>8:30am Tee Times</p>
<p><b>MGA TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS</b>            Entry Fee: Free for the tournament winners in 2009            Format: Individual Net Full Handicap</p>	<p>September 19<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>7:30am tee times</p>
<p><b>LGA GRAND PRIX</b>            Entry Fee: Free to 16 Qualifying Players based on yearlong points            Format: Net Shootout (max. 36) all players play together</p>	<p>October 2<sup>nd</sup></p>	<p>1:00pm Shotgun</p>
<p><b>MGA GRAN PRIX</b>            Entry Fee: Free for the top 20 point leaders            Format: Net Shootout (see qualifying criteria under MEN'S GOLF)</p>	<p>October 3<sup>rd</sup></p>	<p>1:00pm Shotgun</p>
<p><b>LGA TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS</b>            Entry Fee: Free to The Champions of our Most Important Events            Format: Medal Play, Low Net</p>	<p>October 9<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>9:00am Tee Times</p>
<p><b>SUSAN G. KOMEN</b>            Entry Fee: \$            Format: Strongest Link Scramble</p>	<p>Monday October 12<sup>th</sup>            Lunch and Silent Auction Included</p>	<p>10:00am Shotgun</p>
<p><b>HUSBAND and WIFE</b>            Entry Fee: \$15            Format: Mixed Scotch Medal Play, 80% average team Handicap</p>	<p>October 16<sup>th</sup>            Eligibility: Spouses Only</p>	<p>1:00pm Shotgun</p>





## **PITCH LEAGUE**

Starts Thursday, October 7, 2010

Time: 7:00 pm

*Please plan to attend a little earlier on the first evening.*

Runs Every Thursday—ending with the banquet  
on December 16, 2010

*Please Get Here Early On The First Night*

If you didn't play last year and would like to play,  
or you would like to be put on the substitute list  
and would like more information,

please call:

Robin Loucks - (301) 934-2502



## Rally for the Cure®

20 Westport Road, P.O. Box 855 Wilton, CT 06897  
ph: 800.327.6811 fax: 203.761.5425 web: rallyfortheCure.com

August 15, 2010

Dear Rally Sponsor:

The Ladies' Golf Association at Hawthorne Country Club has committed, with great enthusiasm, to host a Rally for the Cure® golf tournament on October 11, 2010. Rally for the Cure is a grassroots organization that works to spread awareness about breast health and breast cancer through golf, tennis and dining events.

We invite you to join the Ladies Golf Association at Hawthorne in their efforts by selecting any of the listed sponsorship opportunities at their upcoming Rally. Your sponsorship will help raise much-needed dollars for Komen for the Cure as well as demonstrate your support for this great cause among your fellow community members. This is our **10<sup>th</sup>** year of participation, and to date the LGA with your support has raised over \$86,000.

Rally has been supporting Susan G. Komen for the Cure®'s commitment to awareness as the first step in eliminating breast cancer since 1996. Monies generated through Rally entry fees and fundraising efforts, have produced over \$50 million and counting for Komen.

Ambassador Nancy G. Brinker promised her dying sister, Susan G. Komen, she would do everything in her power to end breast cancer forever. Thanks to golf tournaments like Hawthorne Country Club's and their supporters, Rally can continue to empower people to spread the life-saving message of early detection in their communities.

Thank you in advance for your support. Together we are making a difference!

Sincerely,



Eileen Honey

Sr. Coordinator, Special Projects

Your Rally Event Contact is: Connie Smallwood  
Hawthorne Country Club LGA  
Address: P.O. Box 238  
La Plata, MD 20646



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**Hawthorne Country Club  
Rally for the Cure  
Celebrating 10 years of  
Participation.**

A charity Tournament to benefit the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation

**Date:** October 11, 2010 Monday

**Breakfast and registration:** 8:30

**Shotgun start:** 9:30 *Lunch and prizes immediately following the tournament. There are prizes for first, second, third, longest drive etc. **Don't forget to wear pink!!!!!!***

**Price:** \$100.00 per person **Please make checks payable to Hawthorne LGA**

**Format:** Scramble

*Pairings and foursomes are welcome. Please be aware that our entries are limited and that paid entries will be considered on a first come first served basis.*

Name	Address	Phone #	Email address	Handicap

Do you know a Breast Cancer Survivor/Fighter you would like to honor or memorialize? Please consider being a tee sign sponsor.

**Tee sign sponsorship: \$60.00**

In Honor of

In Memory of

My business name or other message

Please write exactly what you would like on your sign

Please cut and mail your entries and tee sign sponsorships to:  
Hawthorne Country Club P.O. Box 238 La Plata, MD 20646



Hawthorne Country Club  
Rally for the Cure  
*Celebrating 10 years of participation*

2010 Sponsorship Opportunities

- Grand Event Sponsor..... \$1,000.00
- Event Sponsor ..... \$500.00
- Tournament Sponsor ..... \$250.00
- Pink Ribbon Sponsor ..... \$100.00
- Contest Sponsor ..... \$100.00
  - Straightest Drive (Women)
  - Straightest Drive (Men)
  - Longest Drive (Women)
  - Longest Drive (Men)
  - Closest to the Pin
  - Best Dressed in Pink

Last Place ..... \$125.00

Tee Sign Sponsor ..... \$60.00

Food and Beverage Sponsors

Prize donations- gift certificates, golf balls, door prize items etc.

Please note that all sponsors are recognized with a tee sign and listed in our program. Our Grand Event, Event and Tournament sponsors are recognized with 2 tee signs and signs for our awards table.

Tee Sign Information:

- In honor of
- In memory of
- My business name or other message

Please write exactly what you would like on your sign

# September 2010

			1	2	3	4
5 <i>King and Queen</i> 1:30	6	7	8	9	10	11 <i>Ladies Club</i> <i>Championship</i> 8:30
12	13	14	15	16 <i>Dining Room</i> <i>Closed for</i> <i>Lunch, Bar</i> <i>Open</i>	17	18 <i>LGA Grand</i> <i>Prix Qualifier</i> 8:30 <i>Dining Room</i> <i>Closed , Bar</i> <i>Open</i>
19 <i>MGA Tourna-</i> <i>ment of Cham-</i> <i>pions</i> 7:30	20	21	22	23	24 <i>Dining Room</i> <i>Closed for Din-</i> <i>ner, Bar Open</i>	25
26	27	28	29	30		