

### Around THE Club

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## New Employee



**Assistant Pro, Nicole Lymon** 

We have a new face in the Pro Shop and I would like for all members to join me in welcoming Catherine Quinn Lymon (Nicole) and her family to the club and the position of First Assistant, Head Golf Professional. Nicole is a great addition to the staff and I am confident that she will serve the club and its members very well. A little bit about her:

A Florida native, Nicole is a golfer who started her young golf career at an early age. In her High School years, she played for The First Academy, Orlando earning a

full golf scholarship to Auburn University. In her 4 years of D-1 collage golf, she was instrumental in Auburn University women's golf 2012 SEC Championship. Her accolades at Auburn include 4 years of SEC Academic Honor Roll while playing golf at a high level. A Social Worker by education, Nicole decided to follow her passion and work in the golf industry after one year in the field. In 2017 she went back to golf and worked at Temple Hills Country Club, Franklin, TN as an Assistant, Head Golf Professional. She led the junior golf program and managed the pro shop & cart barn operations. Nicole conducted golf instruction at the beginner, intermediate and advanced levels of instruction receiving accolades from her students and supervisors.

Nicole and her husband, Patrick, moved to Central Florida in 2019. She landed an Assistant, Head Golf Professional position at Mission Inn Resort & Club. In December 2020, Nicole interviewed and was selected for the Head Golf Professional position at the resort. She excelled at a 36 holes facility running golf events from PGA level to local groups. As the primary golf instructor, she promoted the game and

received praises from students and management.

Nicole will pursue her Professional Golf Management program certification (PGA Class A Certification) while serving in the position. She is the right professional selected to serve at The Monarch Golf Club. Nicole is immediately available to conduct individual instruction and group clinics. You may contact Nicole at the pro shop or email her at

<u>nicole.lymon@monarchgolfclub.com</u> to schedule your lesson(s).

Members, please join me in welcoming Nicole, her husband Patrick and their baby girl Quinn to The Monarch Family!!!!!!

### Luis M. Colon



**Toby Williams** 

Effective Sunday, August 14 Chef Toby Williams accepted the offer to serve as the club's Executive Chef. Chef Toby has over 30 years of culinary and supervisory experience. We are excited and confident in Toby's ability to lead the culinary staff and elevate the club's food service posture going forward.

Please join me in congratulating Chef Toby in his selection as the Executive Chef.



The Monarch Men's Golf Association had their annual Shootout on Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup>.

The Winner was RANDY BECK, followed by Rick Mason and Tim Waugh.



Tim Waugh, Rick Mason, Randy Beck



Players of the Men's Shootout:

Wendell McDannel, Tim Waugh, Roy Bradford, Keith Biele, Tom Suzda, Randy Beck, Rick Mason, Dave Schmitz & Mike Holzlhausen.

### Players & Caddies:



Bob Enloe & Roy Bradford, Tim Waugh & Ernie Weicht, Kim & Wendell McDannel, Peg Johnson & Tom Suzda, Debbie & Randy Beck, Ryder Podgomy (Rick's 9 year old Grandson) & Rick Mason, Nancy & Ralph Beighley, Dave & Gina Schmitz & Virginia & Mike Holzhausen.

### Men's Match Play-Vince Laverghetta NOW THE "TITTON MATCH PLAY LEAGUE"

We have reached the mid-point of the summer session in Men's Match Play and here are our leaders:

### **Nicklaus Division**

1st Place
Rick Mason and Bill Ortbals
2<sup>nd</sup> Place
Henrik Edeback and John Buono
3<sup>rd</sup> Place
Randy Beck and Wendell McDannel
4<sup>th</sup> Place
Henry Maguire and Tom Suzda

#### **Palmer Division**

1<sup>st</sup> Place Craig Moore and Denny Walden 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Steve Snover and Tim Kohler 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Mike Russomano and Rich Page 4<sup>th</sup> Place Mike Kline and Jeff Kotlyn Vince Laverghetta has the low round of the session with a 68. Jim Layne has the low net round of the session with a 67.

Craig Moore is the leading money winner in the skins game.

The summer session will conclude on October 3<sup>rd</sup> with a golf fun day and luncheon. The fall session will begin on October 10<sup>th</sup>. Get your team together and sign up in the pro shop.

Men's Match Play is a member only league sponsored by the Monarch Men's Golf Association. The cost is currently \$35 per session, which includes \$20 for prize money and \$15 for the luncheon and raffle prizes.

Please contact Vince Laverghetta at <a href="mailto:vincelaverghetta@gmail.com">vincelaverghetta@gmail.com</a> for sign up details and information on the league.

### **MMGA – Terry Pollard**

The 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Tournament is this month. Many thanks to all the participants.

Welcome to the new members who joined us this Month.

Come join us on Wednesdays for games such 1-2-3 Red, White & Blue, Best Ball Scrambles and Flighted Skins.

The MMGA welcomes all male members of the Monarch Golf Club to join our organization. We currently have over 100 members in the MMGA. Come and join us for some great golf and great times.

### **Congratulations**

### BOD THION



**Bob Titton** 

Since the founding of The Monarch at Royal Highlands in 1997, many members have contributed to its success. Prominent among them is Bob Titton, one of the original charter members.

His interest in and enthusiasm for devising golf competitions for the men was evident from the start. Just one example of this is the Monday 2-man match play league. He was the impetus behind this highly successful competition, personally going door to door soliciting players. He sold that idea to about 20 members and the league began. He served as the chairman for many years (establishing rules, organizing luncheons, collecting prizes, and settling disputes) until the league was well established. It has been enjoyed by many over the years and is still one of the men's most popular golf competitions.

To recognize his contribution, the Monday competition has been renamed to be: "Titton Match Play League."

We had two great events in July with the MWGA – a Shamble in mid-month, and the close of the recent Match Play Session. That was some great golf by everyone.

First up was the Shamble on July 18<sup>th</sup>. It was a full field – and quite a competition!

Closest to the Line (Hole #2): Linda Carey Closest to the Pin (Hole #11): Kathy Ziebarth

Team Shamble: Best 2 Ball Net Score

#### **Teams**

1st Place - Team Score 111 \$18/each

Bonnie Rex Carolyn Case Regina Johnson Barbara Kowalski

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Team Score 122 \$14/each

Evelyn Weasner Ruth Iredale Coreen Corbin Connie Ortbals

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Place (tie) – Team Score 123 \$11 each

Carolyn Skorich Nancy Beighley Diane Christie Molly Ryan

### 3<sup>rd</sup> P:lace (tie) - Team Score 123 \$11 each

Linda Carey Kathy Ziebarth Cookie O'Rourke Kimbra McDannel

What a great day it was! The teams returned to the Crown and Shield Restaurant for lunch and a short meeting. Meal was choice of Chicken Caesar Salad or Steak Salad. DELICIOUS! Compliments to the Chef on a great meal, and to Lisa Breed and her staff for their usual timely, friendly service.



Regina Johnson, Bonnie Rex, Barbara Kowalski, Carolyn Case



**Linda Carey** 



**Kathy Ziebarth** 

This session of Match Play ended on Tuesday, August 30<sup>th</sup>. As I have said before, this competition was full of ups and downs for the competitors. Winners are outlined below:

1st Place, with a prize of \$50 each Carolyn Skorich and Debby Beck

2<sup>nd</sup> Place, with a prize of \$45 each Linda Carey and Lisa Ritchey 3<sup>rd</sup> Place, with a prize of 5 each Francie Traviolia and Evelyn Weasner 4<sup>th</sup> Place, with a prize of \$30 each Virg Holzhausen and Mary Clemans



L – R: Mary Clemans, Virg Holzhausen, Lisa Ritchey, Linda Carey, Evelyn Weasner, Francie Traviolia, Debby Beck, Carolyn Skorich

The MWGA continued their fun and challenging Thursday competitions. Winners are outlined below:

### August 4 Individual Best Nine – Front or Back

1<sup>st</sup> Place (Tie)
Francie Traviolia, Lisa Ritchey
2<sup>nd</sup> Place
Linda Carey
3<sup>rd</sup> Place (Tie)
Debby Beck, Diane Christie
4<sup>th</sup> Place
Maddie Hill

### August 11 Individual Par 4s

### Flight 1

1<sup>st</sup> Place (Tie) Carolyn Skorich, Sue Scappaticci, Dot Vieira, Linda Hodgson 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Lisa Ritchey

### Flight 2

1<sup>st</sup> Place
Barb Kowalski
2<sup>nd</sup> Place
Nancy Beighley
3<sup>rd</sup> Place
Diane Christie
4th Place (Tie)
Betty Hudi, Betty Danish, Alice-Marie
Baughn

### August 25 Like Handicap Thursday – Low Net

### Flight 1

1<sup>st</sup> Place Karen Kozlowski 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Carolyn Skorich 3<sup>rd</sup> Place (Tie) Linda Carey, Lisa Ritchey, Kathy Ziebarth

### Flight 2

1<sup>st</sup> Place Cookie O'Rourke 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Coreen Corbin 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Connie Ortbals 4<sup>th</sup> Place Donna Laverghetta

In addition to cooler weather (we can only hope!!!), September will also bring with it the MWGA President's Cup Tournament on September 22 and September 29. Format will be best front or back for each week. A luncheon will be held following the second day. Sign up now for lunch — a choice of Cuban Sandwich with Chips or a Trio Salad (a scoop each of tuna, chicken and egg salad). Lunch includes a soft drink of your choice and dessert. The MWGA is covering ½ of the cost of the lunch (\$8). Cost to the members is \$8 in prize money and \$7 for the lunch. Sweet!!!

Looking forward to October, it is time to get a team together for the Memorial Tournament! More information will be forthcoming soon!



An invitation to each MWGA member is sent out each week. Look for yours on email, and plan to join us for some great competition. The MWGA charges \$3 for each weekly Thursday game (charged to your account). For special events, the cost is \$8. Note: After Thursday golf, MWGA members often retire to the Crown and Shield for lunch. Make a plan to join other members for some fun and camaraderie!

**MWGA - Connie Ortbals** 

## NAW MAMBARS



**Tim Nopper** 

Please welcome Tim Nopper who has joined us as a Limited General Single member.

Tim is a retired Field Service Engineer.

He has two daughters and enjoys fishing, golfing, billiards and Dart.



**Mark Meador** 

Please welcome Mark Meador who has joined us as a Single Limited General Member. Mark is from Jacksonville and enjoys golf.

### **New Equity Members**

Congratulations go out to the following couples that have converted from General Membership to Equity Members since the beginning of the year.



Tom Cvikola 1/1/22



Anita & Bob Price 2/1/22



Wendell & Kim McDannel 6/1/22



Debbie & Randy Beck 8/1/22

### **Terry Stephenson – Maintenance**

We have started cutting the tree roots along the cart paths to get ready for the Concrete work. We will also be cutting some roots along some tees and fairways.

### Plus:

- Put out our pre emerge for poa annua control this month.
- Edging cart paths and bunkers this month.
- Continuing plugging some of the areas on the greens.
- Treating for weeds in areas. We have raised the height for the roughs to get ready for winter.

 Verticutting and topdressing the greens to get ready for overseeding.

Thanks to all the volunteers for all the tree Trimming and bed work on the golf course.



**EAGLES ARE FLYING** 



Bruce Eckensberger Eagle #6 8/11/22



John Atwater - ##18 8/20/22

## **Playing Gard Bingo**

We had another very successful Playing Card Bingo on Monday, August 8, 2022. We had a full house with 20 tables (80 people)

The King was John Walton and the Queen was Audrey Woodle



**Queen Audrey Woodle & John Walton** 

The next Card Bingo is taking place on Monday, September 12. Sign up is underway.

## Entertainment

Organized by ANN CARTER (Working with Lisa Breed)



Sign Up will begin September 5<sup>th</sup> for our next entertainment event at the Crown & Shield.

Ronald & Karen, aka Take 2 are a highly recommended couple. They play weekly at Cody's in the Villages and are the only duo

that are presently playing in the Square in Brownwood.

They play something for everyone from the Mamas & Papas, Patsy Cline & Fleetwood Mac to Earth Wind & Fire, Santana, Journey & Bruno Mars just to name a few.

Sign up and join us for a fun evening.

### *2022 HOLES IN ONE*

### Men:

Sam Brickley #8 1/23/22
Ted Laubner #8 2/6/22
Charlie Wolff #13 5/6/22
Henry Maguire #13 5/24/22
Don Brennan #8 5/30/22
Laubner #8 2/6/22
Ralph Beighley #4 6/12/22
Steve Snover #8 6/20/22
Keith Beile #8 7/12/22
Tom Wasil #11 7/13/22

### Ladies:

Carolyn Skorich #8 1/20/22
Gail Brennan #4 2/3/22
Esther Patterson #13 06/02/22
Cindy Hendricks #11 7/14/22



### **CROWN & SHIELD RESTAURANT**

Our hours of operation
Monday thru Saturday 11:00 am to 7:00 pm.
Sunday 7:30 am to 2:00 pm for breakfast and lunch.
The bar and dining room will remain open till 6:00pm.
A limited snack menu will be available for dine or take out between 2:00 pm thru 6:00 pm. Pizza orders need to be place by 5:30 pm

<u>Pot Sticker</u>- 6 deep fried pork pot stickers served with soy sauce. \$8.99 <u>Basket of Fries</u> – Enjoy a basket of sweet potato or regular fries. \$3.99 <u>Basket Chips</u> – Deep fried and seasoned potato chips served with your choice Of dipping sauce. \$3.99

<u>Onion Rings</u> – Crispy on the outside, tender on the inside served with our kicken Bayou sauce \$6.99

<u>Buffalo Chicken Tenders</u> – Mild, Medium, or Hot served with celery & carrots. \$8.99

<u>Chef Salad</u> – served with your choice of dressing. \$11.50

<u>Pecan Crusted Chicken Salad</u> – crunchy pecan crusted chicken breast over a mix of fresh greens, mandarin oranges, c'raisins and bleu cheese crumbles. \$11.50 <u>Hole in One Sandwich</u> – Homemade chicken or tuna salad with your choice of bread served with one side. \$9.99

<u>Club Sandwich</u> – Select your choice of bread, served with one side \$11.99 <u>Coconut Shrimp Basket</u> – 5 shrimps served with fries. \$11.99 <u>6 wings with fries or 12 wings alone</u> \$12.99 or \$15.99

Pizza and pizza flatbreads are also available till 6pm order by 5:30 All for dine in or take out

Our full menu and pizza menu are also available for takeout during our normal business hours excluding Sundays. You can find all our menus posted on the Monarch Golf Club website. Thank you for your continued support, Lisa Ann, F & B Manager

### SEPTEMBER, 2022 Crown & Shield Restaurant *ITEMS OF INTEREST:*

# The Crown & Shield is open 7 days a week and take out, curb service and delivery will still be available. No Dinners on Sunday, open for lunch & snack

### **CALL FOR DINNER RESERVATIONS**

### Dinner Specials for SEPTEMBER, 2022

### Sundays'

September 4 – Breakfast & Lunch until 2pm Snack Menu until 6pm September 11 – Breakfast & Lunch until 2pm Snack Menu until 6pm September 18 – Breakfast & Lunch until 2pm Snack Menu until 6pm September 25 – Breakfast & Lunch until 2pm Snack Menu until 6pm

#### Mondays'-

September 5– Restaurant Closing at 2pm – Happy Labor Day September 12 – Restaurant Closes at 3pm Italian Bingo

September 19 – Restaurant open order off full menu

September 26 – Restaurant open order off full menu

### Tuesdays' - Dinners - Served with choice of a cup of soup or dinner salad

September 6 – Liver & Onions w/ mashed potatoes & Vegetable	\$14.99
September 13 – Chicken Parm over pasta	\$14.99
September 20 – Pork Loin & Chicken Marsala Buffet	\$16.99
September 27 – Taste of Italy Reservations Required	\$16.99

### Wednesdays' -

September 7 - Restaurant open order off full menu

September 14 – Restaurant open order off full menu

September 21 - Restaurant open order off full menu

September 28 – Take 2 Entertainment Dinner Choice of Pork Tenderloin,

Haddock or Margarita Chicken. Reservations Required \$18.99

### Thursdays'- Dinners – Served with choice of a cup of soup or dinner salad

September 1 – Lamb ossobuco w/ starch & Vegetable	\$20.99
September 8 – Country fried Chicken w/ mashed potato & Vegetable	\$16.99
September 15 – Mongolian Buffet Reservations Required	\$18.99
September 22 – Meatloaf w/Mashed Potatoes & vegetable	\$14.99
September 29 – Prime Rib w/Baked Potato & Vegetable	\$21.99

### Fridays' - Dinners - Served with choice of a cup of soup or dinner salad

September 2 – Surf & Turf w/ baked potato & Vegetable	\$21.99
September 9 – Fried Catfish w/ fries & slaw	\$15.99
September 16 – Red Snapper w/ starch & Vegetable	\$19.99
September 23 – Seafood ala vodka w/ cheese tortellini	\$18.99
September 30 – Clams over pasta	\$18.99

September 3 - Restaurant open order off full menu

September 10 - Restaurant Closes at 4pm Private Party September 17 - Restaurant Closes at 4pm Private Party September 24 - Restaurant open order off full menu