



Around THE Club

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Thank you for playing in your 2025 Memorial Day Tournament. We had some incredible scores and a lot of FUN to go with it.

CONGRATULATIONS! To all participants and to the top 3 teams:

1st place (NET 116) an incredible -28

Mary Long, John Long, Barbara Colmer, and Dan Demartinis

2nd place (NET 120) an incredible -24

Lori Slater, Philip Keetle, Patrice Taylor, and Chuck Cianciolo

3rd place (NET 124) an incredible -20

Jane Ernst, Dean Ernst, Amanda (Mandi) Shaw, Christopher (Chris) Shaw

NOTE – NO PICTURES TAKEN

CONGRATS again, and we hope to see you at the next club event, 4th of July member's only red/white/blue TOURNEY!!!!





Men's Titton Match Play League

The final standings for the early spring session are in and here are your winners:

Nicklaus Division

1st Place

Jim Layne and Henry Maguire

2nd Place

Rick Mason and Bill Ortvals

3rd Place

Chris Crawford and John Buono

Palmer Division

1st Place

Chuck Hill and Ralph Beighley

2nd Place

Jim Oddo and Dave Kozlowski

3rd Place

Randy Beck and Craig Moore

Chris Crawford was the leading money winner in the skins game followed by Craig Moore and John Buono.

Chris Crawford shot both the low round of the session with a 70 and the low net round with a 64.

The spring session began on Monday, May 19 with 10 teams competing in a single division. Here are our leaders after the first round of play:

1st Place

Rick Mason and John Buono

2nd Place

Chris Crawford and Steve Ryan

3rd Place

Keith Beile and Craig Moore

4th Place

Dave Kozlowski and Denny Walden

5th Place

Ron "Rondo" Pagut and Jim Duane

Club Champ, Rick Mason opened with an even par 72 for a net 67 and his partner, John Buono shot a 75 for a net 68 to take the early lead in the spring session.

Men's Match Play is a member only league sponsored by the Monarch Men's Golf Association. The cost is currently \$40 per session, which includes \$20 for prize money and \$20 for the luncheon and raffle prizes.

Please contact Vince Laverghetta at vincelaverghetta@gmail.com for sign up details and information on the league.

MMGA-Craig Moore

The MMGA welcomes all male members of the Monarch Golf Club. We are approximately 100 members strong. Check us out for great golf times!

May was a great month for golf. Decent weather with some rain to keep the course in good shape.

Wednesday May 7th – "3 Best Net"

1st place: 24 under par, \$14.00 each:

Harold Beasley, John Long, Mike Kowalski, & John Wassenaar

2nd place: 11 under par, \$7.00 each:

Dick Hellem, Keith Beile, David Adlet, & Ralph Acquaro

3rd place 11 under par, \$4.00 each:
Bob Price, Craig Moore, Jim Duane, & Tony Hicks

Closest to the Pin \$14.00 each

#4 Randy Beck	10' 4"
#8 Mike Kowalski	3' 9"
#11 Dan DeMartinis	6' 3"
#13 Keith Beile	6' 2"

50/50 Winners \$37.00 each

Hank Best
Bob Price

Wednesday May 14th – "Red, White, & Blue"

1st place: 14 under par, \$9.00 each:
Chris Crawford, John Wassenaar, Tim Kohler, & Tony Hicks

2nd place: 7 under par, \$6.00 each:
Dean Woodle, Jim Layne, Hank Best & Thomas O'Rourke

3rd place 6 under par, \$3.00 each:
Dick Helem, Tim Carey, Ron Solomon, & Jim Duane

Closest to the Pin \$11.00 each

#4 Tim Knopper	34' 8"
#8 Craig Moore	10' 10"
#11 Don Hubmer	15'
#13 Bill Ortvals	8" 4"

50/50 Winners \$50.00

Bill Ortvals

May 21st – "Scramble"

1st place: 9 under par, \$12.00 each:
Harold Beasley, Dean Ernst, Jim Duane, & Adam Talarek

2nd place: 8 under par, \$8.00 each:
Chris Crawford, Dan DeMartinis, David Adlet, & Gary Ritchey

3rd place 7 under par, \$4.00 each:

Bill Ortvals, Hank Best, Dave Maki, & Ralph Acquaro

Closest to Pin \$15.00 each

#4 Don Tubbs	3' 1"
#8 John Wassenaar	6' 7"
#11 Tony Hicks	3' 6"
#13 Tony Hicks	8' 10"

50/50 Winners \$41.00 ea.

Mike Kowalski
Adam Talarek

May 28th - "2 Best Net"

1st Place 17 under \$9.00 each:

Harold Beasley, Keith Beile, Dick Therrien & Mike Kline

2nd Place 14 under par, \$5.00 ea.

Jim Layne, Ron Solomon, David Adlet, & Adam Talarek

3rd Place 14 under par \$4.33/each
Chris Crawford, Dick Hellem, Dick Therrien, and Gary Ritchey

Closest to the in, \$10.00 each

#4 Keith Beile	2' 8"
#8 Keith Beile	5' 3"
#11 Don Tubbs	9' 11"
#13 Craig Moore	33'

50/50 Winner \$50.00

Mike Kline

MWGA – Connie Ortvals

We welcomed a new member this month (Welcome, Sherry Pagut) and played some awesome golf! Let's get right to it.

The Spring session of Match Play ended May 6. Congratulations to the winners:



Happy Winners (L to R): Cookie O'Rourke/Diane Christie (4th Place); Molly Ryan/Sue Scappaticci (3rd Place); Esther Patterson/Linda Hodgson (1st Place); Mary Clemans/Diane Dixon (2nd Place)

The Thursday games were interesting and challenging.

May 1 – Individual Blind Nine

Flight 1

1 st Place	35
Karen Kozlowski	
2 nd Place	36
Linda Carey	
3 rd Place (Tie)	37
Esther Patterson	

Flight 2

1 st Place (Tie)	38
Barb Colmer, Connie Ortvals	
2 nd Place	40
Molly Ryan	
3 rd Place (Tie)	42
Cookie O'Rourke, Marge Parkinson	

May 8 – Individual Mutt and Jeff

Flight 1

1 st Place	32
Esther Patterson	
2 nd Place (Tie)	33

Sue Scappaticci, Debby Beck	
3 rd Place	35
Marine McKemie	
4 th Place	36
Marge Parkinson	

Flight 2

1 st Place	29
Susan Scott	
2 nd Place	30
Cookie O'Rourke	
3 rd Place (Tie)	32
Evelyn Weasner, Carolyn Upchurch	
4 th Place	33
Barb Kowalski	

May 15 – Like Handicap Individual Net Holes

Flight 1

1 st Place	71
Francie Traviolia	
2 nd Place	73
Cindy Hendricks	
3 rd Place (Tie)	74
Lisa Ritchey, Evelyn Weasner	

Flight 2

1 st Place	71
Barb Colmer	
2 nd Place	72
Cookie O'Rourke	
3 rd Place	75
Mary Clemans	

May 22, Individual Net Par 4s

Flight 1

1 st Place	36
Linda Carey	

2 nd Place	37
Francie Traviolia	
3 rd Place	38
Carolyn Skorich	
4 th Place (Tie)	41
Diane Dixon, Marge Parkinson, Esther Patterson, Sue Scappaticci	

Flight 2

1 st Place	37
Evelyn Weasner	
2 nd Place (Tie)	39
Barb Colmer, Cookie O'Rourke	
3 rd Place	41
Carolyn Skorich	
4 th Place	42
Barbara Kowalski	

May 29 – Individual Net Even Holes

Flight 1

1 st Place	34
Diane Dixon	
2 nd Place	35
Francie Traviolia	
3 rd Place (Tie)	36

Debby Beck, Linda Carey

Flight 2

1 st Place	35
Cookie O'Rourke	
2 nd Place (Tie)	39
Judy Taylor, Marge Parkinson, Molly Ryan	
3 rd Place (Tie)	38
Joan Beasley, Diane Christie	

The Women's Shootout will take place on Sunday, June 8, at 1:00 pm. The MWGA members who signed up for the event had three dates to qualify – May 15, 22, and 29. The final ten are looking forward to competing in the hot, hot sun, I am sure!

The following MWGA members qualified: Debby Beck, Linda Carey, Barb Colmer, Diane Dixon, Karen Kozlowski, Connie Ortvals, Esther Patterson, Lisa Ritchey, Molly Ryan and Evelyn Weasner. Plan on coming to the golf course and cheering them on. This is always a fun and exciting event!

The MWGA games would not take place without the hard work of many members who volunteer their time and talent. Esther Patterson and Sue Scappaticci work very hard arranging and scoring the Thursday games; the Match Play games are coordinated by Carolyn Skorich; Linda Carey is the Shootout queen. To these ladies, and many others working in the background, thank you!

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!

Connie Ortvals
352-530-2828

New Members



Robin & Terry Spradlin

Please welcome Terry & Robin Spradlin who have Joined us as General Family Members. They moved to Royal Highlands from Clermont.

They have 2 children & 2 grandchildren and were formerly business owners.

Holes in One



Henry Maguire #8 5/11/25

(Note – has holed out all 4, congrats)



EAGLES ARE FLYING



Bob Keating #7 5/5/25

Playing Card Bingo

We had another successful event on Monday, May 12 with a total of 17 tables. Bob & Judy made the night a fun time with many laughs.



Marilyn LaFauci, Queen; Dean Woodle, King

Marilyn LaFauci was the Queen and Dean Woodle was the King.

The next Bingo will be Monday, June 9 which will be Taco buffet.

Men:

Dave Adlet #4-1/20/25

Dennis Hamilton #13-1/29/25

John Atwater #13-2/8/25

Michael Philpot #13-2/17/25

NEW:

Henry Maguire #8-5/11/24

Ladies:

Susan Scott #11-1/16/25

Marine McKemie #4-4/25/25



Notary Public-ANN CARTER

352-408-6737 (was removed from RH's phone book).

I am here for any of your notary needs.
Give me a call to make an appointment.
Most roofing companies will need a notary.

Note-all proceeds go to the Monarch Golf Club for a variety of items; the last being the purchase of parking signs for the Club Championship winners and over 170 dinner plates for the restaurant.



CROWN & SHIELD RESTAURANT

Our hours of operation

Monday 11:00 am to 5:00 pm with lunch menu
bar to 6:00 pm.

Tuesday thru Saturday 11:00 am to 7:00 pm.

Sunday 7:30 am to 6:00 pm for breakfast and lunch.

The bar and dining room will remain open till 6:00pm.

Lunch Menu until 5:00 pm

Pizza orders need to be place by 5:30 pm

Pizza and pizza flatbreads are also available until 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, Dawn, F & B Manager

June, 2025 Crown & Shield Restaurant

ITEMS OF INTEREST:

The Crown & Shield is open 7 days a week and take out, curb service will still be available.

No Dinners on Sunday, open for breakfast & lunch

Dinner Specials for June 2025

Sundays'

June 1 Brunch 11am till 5pm Pizza 1pm to 4:30pm Bar 11am to 6pm
June 8 Brunch 11am till 5pm Pizza 1pm to 4:30pm Bar 11am to 6pm
June 15 Brunch 11am till 5pm Pizza 1pm to 4:30pm Bar 11am to 6pm
Father's Day Brunch Special TBA
June 22 Brunch 11am till 5pm Pizza 1pm to 4:30pm Bar 11am to 6pm
Veteran's Social 3pm
June 29 Brunch 11am till 5pm Pizza 1pm to 4:30pm Bar 11am to 6pm

Mondays'

June 2 Restaurant Lunch only till 5pm Bar **Closes at 6pm** Pizza 1pm to 5:30pm
June 9 **Restaurant closes at 3pm Taco Bingo**
June 16 Restaurant Lunch only till 5pm Bar Closes at 6pm Pizza 1pm to 5:30pm
June 23 Restaurant Lunch only till 5pm Bar Closes at 6pm Pizza 1pm to 5:30pm
June 30 Restaurant Lunch only till 5pm Bar Closes at 6pm Pizza 1pm to 5:30pm

Tuesdays' - Dinners – Served with choice of a cup of soup or House Salad

June 3	Liver & Onions "Reservations Recommended"	\$19.99
June 10	Beef Stroganoff "Reservations Recommended"	\$19.99
June 17	Chicken Kiev "Reservations Recommended"	\$19.99
June 24	Roast Beef "Reservations Recommended"	\$19.99

Wednesdays' -

June 4 Restaurant open Full Menu is available.
June 11 Restaurant open Full Menu is available.
June 18 Restaurant open Full Menu is available.
June 25 Restaurant open Full Menu is available

Thursdays'- Dinners – Served with choice of a cup of soup or House Salad

June 5	Grilled Ribeye served w/ Potato & Vegetable	\$24.99
June 12	Pork Chop served with Potato and Vegetable	\$19.99
June 19	Prime Rib Night served with Potato & vegetables	\$24.99
June 26	Cajun Chicken Pasta	\$17.99

Fridays' – Dinners – Served with choice of a cup of soup or House Salad

June 6	Restaurant Closed 3pm for Private Function	
June 13	Potato Crusted Cod "Reservations Recommended"	\$22.99
June 20	Curry Snapper served w/ Potato & Vegetable	\$19.99
June 27	Salmon Oscar served with Potato & Veg	\$20.99

Saturdays'

June 7 Restaurant open Full Menu Available
June 14 Restaurant open Full Menu Available
June 21 **Restaurant closing at 3pm Private function** Birthday Bash
June 28 **Restaurant closing at 3pm Private function** "Summer Entertainment Series"
Buffet Dinner. Reservations are Required. TBA