

NEWSLETTER

WASHINGTON YACHT & COUNTRY CLUB



Marina Hours

Monday - Tuesday	By Appointment
Wednesday - Friday	11:00am to 5:00pm
Saturday	9:00am to 5:00pm
Sunday	10:00am to 5:00pm

Pro Shop Hours

Tuesday - Sunday	8:00am to 5:00pm
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19th Hole Hours

Tuesday	11:30am to 4:00pm
Wednesday - Saturday	11:30am to 9:00pm
Sunday	11:30am to 6:00pm

Evening Dining Hours

Wednesday - Saturday 5:30pm to 9:00pm

Reservations are highly encouraged.

Please call or visit our website to reserve your table.

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A Note From the President

I hope the fall season is treating everyone well. We had a nice turnout for our October monthly Sunday brunch. Please check your calendars for information on the November brunch. Seats will be filling up.

November is our month to announce candidates running for a seat on the WYCC BOD for 2026. Information will be posted in the clubhouse and shared with our members. Remember, you must have a share of stock, which can be purchased for \$100, in order to vote in the spring. Please contact our general manager, Bob Parker, if you are interested.

WYCC had a strong October for golf tournaments, including the Glowball and Member-Guest tournaments. I want to thank our staff (Bob Parker, Wyatt, Russell, Josh Hardin, Earnie Glover and support staff) along with the LGA for volunteering on Oct. 21-22 for the 1/A 2/A Girls' High School regional golf tournament. Coaches and parents were very complimentary of our course and how things ran for the tournament.

Thanks for being a member of the Washington Yacht and Country Club.

Pam Harris

Pro's Corner

Wow, October was quite the busy month! We held outside tournaments, glow ball, TWO high school regional tournaments, and a wonderful Member-Guest weekend! The Member-Guest was a half-and-half format (half best ball, half superball) with players competing over two days, and the results were as follows.



SCHOONER FLIGHT

1st place: Bruce Wolfe and Cole Woolard
2nd place: Mike Adams and Martin Webb



CATAMARAN FLIGHT

1st place: Todd Rogers and Jeff Rogers
 2nd place: Jared Adams and Adam Bordeaux



SLOOP FLIGHT

1st place: Jerry Townsend and Michael Landen
2nd place: Michael Rocchio and Steven Rocchio

Make sure to congratulate these members on their efforts!

Although November will not be quite as busy as October, one event that will be happening on **November 8**th and 9th is the 2025 Club Championship! This will be a stroke play event where the USGA governs all rules of play. The entry fee for the tournament will be \$10. All players will be flighted based on handicap before play. Winners in each flight will receive a parking spot until the next club championship!

Contact me anytime at the pro shop: wrussell@wyccnc.com.



LGA News



OCTOBER ACE OF THE MONTH Hannah Kirby

October was a busy month for golf! The LGA was thrilled to support the club in hosting the Girls' High School Regionals. Thank you to all club members who volunteered their time: **Dan Weiss, Jeanne Weiss, Cheri Vaughn, Johnny Rodman,**

Ginger Longino, Katirie Leach, Jimmy Leach, Susan Hodges, Gray Hodges, Helen Dixon, Alex Crespi, Jerry Burroughs, Beth Burroughs, and Bonita Arvizu.

A big thank you also goes to **Alex Crespi** and **Susan Hodges** for planning an outstanding LGA Golf & Luncheon celebration this year!



2025 LGA GOLF LUNCHEON CELEBRATION

Looking for a new game to get into? Join us for our November Introduction to Mahjong event - perfect for beginners and experts alike! We'll learn and play at the same time!

The LGA is open to all women golfers at WYCC.

Sun, Nov 16
2-4 PM - \$20.00
WYCC Upper Deck
To reserve your spot,
Text Ginger Longino:
910-619-1449
By Thursday, Nov 13

If you are interested in joining the LGA or have questions about our group, please send an email to: wycelga@gmail.com.



SMGA News

Well, this month was sporadic for golf play. In between outside tournaments and the weather, we only got in fewer than 75% of our normal rounds. However, we were not deterred in our competitive play. Everyone always gives it their all when competing amongst our group! Fantastic!

We did play several team competitions of various formats, i.e. team low net, Texas scramble low gross, team low net 2 out of 3 scores, and more. All give reason to be on your game all the time. Equally, individual low nets and low putts also. Here are some results:

TEAM WINNERS:

- Wall, Peck and Connard (welcome back, Brantley)
- Dennehy, Connard, and Sloan (Connard in the \$\$ again!)
- Haislet, Vickers, and Bidle

INDIVIDUAL WINNERS:

- Haislet
- Wall
- Dennehy
- Cooper over Sloan on a card playoff
- Vickers

In a low putts day, Vickers won with Wall and Peele second and third. Peele won on the card in a 4 way tie for third.

Once again, we all had fun in our competitive rounds.

Speaking of competitive rounds, our fall match play starts October 28th and goes until all rounds have been completed, probably sometime in late November. 14 players will make for some exciting golf. Good luck to all!

Once again, we invite any Senior golfer to join our group. It's too easy, so give me a call, Bill Taylor (1-252-945-2406), and I'll be glad to get you involved. See you next month with the exciting results of the match play competition!





News from the Marina

Ahoy there! By now, the low country boil will have come and gone. Special thanks to Toby and Jerry for preparing the food for the boil and to Earnie for cooking the chicken.

Our next event is the chili cook-off on November 15th



Commodore Jon Chesson, Mark Hitchcock, Phil Holloman, Dan Weiss and Mike Johnson

at 5pm. Please respond to the invitation if you'll be able to come, and let us know if you plan to enter a chili recipe. This event will be held on the upper deck. Our change of watch Christmas party will be held on December 20th at 5:00 PM on the upper deck. I will let you know more details about that in the November newsletter, as well as your online e-mail invitation. Hopefully, you are receiving emails from me. If you are not, please let me know.

The Yacht Club has paid for new no-wake signs at the boat ramp and the end of C dock so that hopefully people will know that Broad Creek is a no-wake zone from the entrance markers to the other side of F dock. We thought that this would be important because we have a lot of new members who use the ramp as well as guests who bring their boats and stay at our Airbnb. Ernie and Don are working very hard to improve our Wi-Fi on the docks. Hopefully, by the time you read this, we will be up and running. Frank has been busy replacing stringers and deck boards on the guest slips on B dock. A lot of hard work and major improvement!

We are planning on having an oyster roast sometime in January and February. We thought this might be fun to do since we typically do not have events during those months. Anything to get through the winter is fine with me. We will let you know more in the December newsletter and email. We were so excited about our cruise to Belhaven, but the weather did not cooperate, and we had to cancel. We are planning to reschedule this cruise for the weekend of Friday, November 28th, through Sunday, November 30th.

Word on the street is that Dowry Creek Marina has filed for bankruptcy, which is where we originally planned to stay. As a result, we have decided to stay in downtown Belhaven instead. I will send emails to those cruisers who may be interested in going. More details to come. In the meantime, God's peace and following seas.

Jon Chesson

2025 BRIDGE OFFICERS		
Commodore	Jon Chesson	
Vice Commodore	Don Perkins	
Rear Commodore - Treasurer	Toby Hunt	
Rear Commodore - Secretary	Jay Krall	
Rear Commodore - Social/Education	Mike Johnson	



Employee of the Month

Congratulations to Mike Tuten,
October's Employee of the
Month! Mike has been with WYCC
for two years while training at the
esteemed Escoffier Culinary School
of Arts. Fresh from graduation, he's
now continuing with their pastry
program. Beyond the kitchen, Mike
has spent the past three years
coaching the Washington 10 Youth
Football League, bringing the same
dedication to mentoring young



athletes as he does to his culinary work. We are so fortunate to have someone who brings such passion to both his craft and his community!

Clubs & Social Groups



Cutler Cards: Every 4th Tuesday in the MDR.

Please **contact Jan Sparrow** at **252-943-8221** for more information on how to join.