

OCTOBER 2026

NEWSLETTER

WASHINGTON YACHT & COUNTRY CLUB



Marina Hours

Monday - Tuesday	By Appointment
Wednesday - Thursday	10:00am to 4:00pm
Saturday	9:00am to 5:00pm
Sunday	9:00am to 5:00pm

Pro Shop Hours

Tuesday - Sunday	8:00am to 6:00pm
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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
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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 everyone can take advantage of some of the cooler weather to enjoy the marina, golf, tennis, and pickleball activities we offer at the WYCC. Be sure to follow the weekly pro shop emails and the calendar on our website for information like women's high school golf, member golf events, and golf tournaments. Be on the lookout for information about Glow Golf on October 16th.

The WYCC is excited to host the NCSHAA Women's High School Golf regionals this year (October 18-20). This is our second year in a row as a host and a great opportunity for our club and our course to shine!

We continue to offer events such as Bingo, Trivia, and Mah Jongg. Thank you to the volunteers who assist and run our member activities. We also want to thank Rita and Larry Lee for the pool tables and equipment for our Upper Deck. I hope everyone who requested the return of the Seafood Platter enjoyed the special menu in September. Be sure to make a reservation for Theo's Fried Chicken on Wednesday, October 14th.

Thank you for all of the support you give to the Washington Yacht and Country Club.

Dam Harris

Pro's Corner

The dog days of summer are finally behind us; now it's time to play some fall golf, and I hope you are as excited as I am!

This past month, the Summer MGA series came to a close. For anyone unfamiliar with the league, members and their guests came out to compete on Tuesday nights. Teams were assigned by a random draw, and the format was rotated week to week. After 15 weeks, **Jerry Townsend** has been crowned the **Champion for 2026**, with **Charles Holley** finishing **2nd** in a tight race! If you see these members, make sure to congratulate them on their efforts.

Ladies Clinics are back in the month of October. Please join us on **October 8th, October 15th, and October 22nd** for hour-long clinics where we will discuss the full swing, short game techniques, and mental tips for playing more consistent golf. These Clinics will begin at 10am and cost \$20 per person. Open to all ladies and their guests! Please contact the pro shop to get your name on the list.

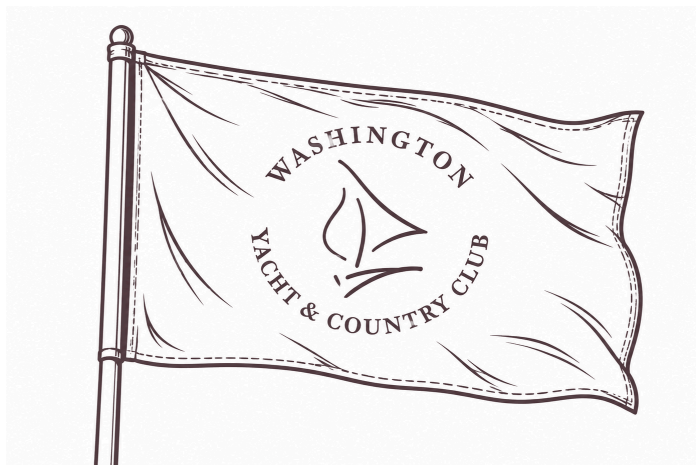
Also, in October we will be hosting the Girls NCHSAA 1A and 3A regionals here at the club! This is the 2nd year in a row we have been chosen to host this event, and we are very excited for the opportunity to showcase the course. On **October 19th**, come out and support our local high school athletes from Northside High School and Washington High School as they compete for a chance to play in the 2026 State Championship. Spectator carts will be available for \$10 to any member who wishes to come out!

Look forward to seeing you soon!

Wyatt Russell

Questions? Contact Wyatt Russell at the Pro Shop.

wrussell@wycnc.com



FIRST PLACE
Jerry Townsend



SECOND PLACE
Charles Holley



Chuck Williams, Jerry Townsend, Charles Holley

LGA News



ACE OF ACES *Susan Hodges*



SEPTEMBER "9 & WINE" WINNERS

Danielle, Dennie, Becky, Sharon

TAR HEEL GALS – SOUND GOLF LINKS

September 10 | Albemarle Plantation

4TH PLACE
CLOSEST TO THE PIN
HOLE #14

Noreen Zacchio's Team
Judy Jennette

DEWGA – CYPRESS LANDING

September 14

FLIGHT 1 – 3RD NET
FLIGHT 3 – 1ST NET
FLIGHT 4 – 3RD GROSS
CLOSEST TO THE PIN, HOLE #3
CLOSEST TO THE PIN, HOLE #11

Susan Hodges
Judy Jennette
Lourdes White
Judy Jennette
Judy Jennette

TAR HEEL LEAGUE – STAR HILL COUNTRY CLUB

September 24

FLIGHT A – 1ST NET
FLIGHT B – 1ST NET
CLOSEST TO THE PIN, HOLE #2
Lakes Course

Susan Hodges
Hannah Kirby
Susan Hodges

It's just pure fun. No, we aren't the greatest shot strikers in the world, or the most consistent, and the "great" amount of \$\$ we play for doesn't get us all excited. We just all have a super time together. The storytelling and experiences shared at the lunch table allow us to know each other more than just hitting shots on the course.

Plus, there is enough experience and wisdom shared that we actually can learn things we never knew, even at our ages! Winners this month varied through many different names, and several repeat winners. **Haislet**, followed by **Dennehy**, won the LN minus fairways. Got to be consistent here! The team LN won by **Smith, Hamblin, and Steffanina**. Superball by **Vicars, Hamblin, Roach**. Another ILN by **Farrar** followed by **Bidle**. Team Average LN by **Vicars, Roach, Bidle, and Dennehy**. Another ILN by **Vicars** over **Haislet** and **Roach**. And another team average low net by **Dennehy, Farrar, and Hamblin**.

So, we continue to welcome any of you aged Senior golfers who aren't members of our group to consider joining us. We are a lively, fun group of guys who have a super time together! **Let me know at 252-945-2406, or see us in the pro shop any Tuesday or Thursday for our 9 AM tee time.**

Bill Taylor



If you're interested in joining the LGA, please send an email to: wycclga@gmail.com for more information.

SMGA News

Well, our play this month was again competitive, fun, and a great time for all. That's the deal with Senior Golf: we have great camaraderie and fun when we get together. Yes, we are competitive, but not to the extent that it gets vicious. Everyone pulls for everyone they are playing with to do well. Good shots are rewarded with compliments, and poor shots are lamented with hopes of getting things corrected the next shot.

News from the Marina

Ahoy there! By now, you will have hopefully enjoyed our Oktoberfest party! Big shout-out to **Earnie** and **Harley**, who set up and took down our tents for the LCB. We had over 60 folks for that event, and the food was delicious. Thank you, **Jerry Burroughs**, for cooking!

Our next event is the Chili Cook-Off on November 7th on the upper deck. Please shoot me an email if you plan to enter a chili for the event. Fun starts at 5pm. Our Change of Watch party and dinner are set for December 12th at 5pm.

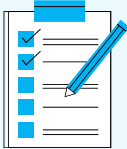
Earnie and I delivered your school supply donations to Washington High School recently, and they were well received. Thank you all so much for your generosity!



Fall is my favorite time to go sailing, so I hope to see some of you on the water soon. Until then, fair winds and following seas.

Jon Chesson

2026 BRIDGE OFFICERS	
Commodore	Jon Chesson
Vice Commodore	Mike Johnson
Rear Commodore - Treasurer	Don Perkins
Rear Commodore - Secretary	Jay Krall
Rear Commodore - Social/Education	Mark Hitchcock



Hurricane Season 2026

JUNE 1ST - NOVEMBER 30TH

Stay safe and ahead of the storm—review our hurricane preparedness guide now!

www.wyccnc.com/marina

Clubs & Social Groups

Cutler Cards is every fourth Tuesday in the MDR. Please **contact Jan Sparrow at 252-943-8221** for more information on how to join.

The Ladies' Mah Jongg group is growing and welcoming new players! Games are held Tuesdays at 10am, the first and third Wednesdays of the month at 6pm (with pre-ordered dinner at 5:30pm), and Thursdays at 2pm. **Please sign up at least 24 hours in advance through the Team Reach app or by emailing Ashley at alamb@wyccnc.com.** We hope to see you & your friends there!



will be on pause for
**NOVEMBER AND
DECEMBER 2026.**

It will start back in
JANUARY 2027.

