

The IDLE TIMES

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Congratulations

*2010 Peach Blossom Champions
Adam Cooper & Bubba Gallops*

From the Desk of



Mr. David Ruddell, Jr., CCM
General Manager

Well, we are off and running with our new Youth Building and Bathhouse. Surely, everyone is enjoying the start of a great Pool season. We have made many upgrades, not just to the facility, but also to the menu. You will positively notice and enjoy the thought and preparation that the Staff has invested in making your total Pool experience deliciously unforgettable.

Now, it bears mentioning that another area of Pool services will be changing: We will no longer allow swim lessons at the IHCC Pool. Upon careful consideration of the factors involved, we have arrived at the conclusion that it is best for the membership of IHCC not to accept the additional liability. I hope you will understand this change and accept it, as it is in the best interest of IHCC. Please remember that your thoughts and comments are wanted and needed to develop a quality Pool program.



Please welcome Mr. Robert Tillman, III, our new Assistant Manager in The Grille. Robert has just completed his Bachelor's Degree in Hospitality and Tourism from Georgia Southern University. He also has experience in food and beverage, as well as customer service. Robert has hit the ground running and has inspired a great deal of

enthusiasm in the Staff. Please come and visit The Grille and meet our new manager.

There are so many reasons to visit Idle Hour in June, including all of the family fun events, such as *Bingo*, the *Dive-In Movie*, and the grand *Father's Day Buffet!* The Club will remain open normal hours on Father's Day, with the restaurants operating on the normal schedule, so that you can enjoy the entire facility all day. The following Monday, we'll host our first *Fishing with Dad* event with complimentary sodas, beer, and prizes. We even have the *Bridge Tournament* back by popular demand, and as a sequel to last month's Men's Night Out event, Chef Victor Pinkney will host a *Ladies' Night Out Stainless Steel Dinner* on Wednesday, June 23rd. Along with the Golf, Tennis and Wellness programs this summer, there is much to enjoy here at the Club. Don't forget reservations.

As your children return from college, and as many of your young family members, friends and neighbors endeavor to make a place in our community, please encourage them to consider the new Window of Opportunity program, offered only until December 31, 2010 (more details on page 5). Thank you for supporting your Club. Please let me know if I may be of assistance. You may reach me at 477-1724, ext. 223, or druddell@idlehourclub.com.



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Membership Information

Welcome, New Members! Effective May 12, 2010



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(478) 757-6999

Posted for Membership Effective June 16, 2010

MS. MICHELLE S. LIENBY
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MR. JOSHUA A. CARROLL
Occupation: Attorney
Buzzell, Graham & Welsh, LLP
Sponsor: Mr. Stephen M. Welsh

Posted for Membership Effective July 21, 2010

MR. WESLEY JOYNER WALTHALL
Occupation: Walthall Oil Company - Sales
Sponsor: Mr. Richard Hicks

Any comments concerning those posted for membership may be directed to the Membership Chairman, Mr. Bryan Persons.

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Mike Wimbush



Please join us in congratulating Michael Wimbush on receiving the Employee of the Month honor for April. Michael, or "Big Mike", as we affectionately call

him, has been employed at the Club for eight years. He serves as the Executive Steward; however he constantly shares his many talents in other areas of the Club. You might have noticed him bussing tables in the Sports Bar. He is responsible for the cleanliness of both the Sports Bar and Main Kitchens, the equipment in both areas, and all of the china, glassware, and silverware in the building. Mike has a can-do, members-first attitude, which has been infectious among the kitchen Staff.

Mike enjoys spending quality time with his son, "Little Mike", watching sports and listening to music. Mike is well deserving of this award, and is a great example of Integrity, Honor, Courtesy and Commitment.

Thanks Mike & Congratulations!

In Sympathy

Our prayers and condolences to the family and friends of

*Mr. John T. Mitchell, Sr.
April 8, 2010*

*The Honorable Wilber D. Owens, Jr.
May 4, 2010*

Club Announcements



MEMORIAL PROJECT

President H. Stephen Popper, III

We are only as rich as our history... Won't you help us share a wealth of memories with future generations?

Idle Hour has a rich history of almost one hundred years marked by friendship and fellowship all centered around golf, tennis, swimming, fitness and banquet events. If any of these events have represented a memory for your family, to be displayed in a trophy, news article, or merely a photo, please share that with all of us! Whether it's your old swimming uniform from the first Idle Hour swim team, The Idle Hour Porpoise Club, as Cordelia D. Holliday has been so generous to share with us, or even an article from the local paper as recent as this year... We want to know how Idle Hour has affected each of you - and how you have affected Idle Hour!

How future generations remember us will depend on each member's contributions. With only several items to begin our collection, no artifact is too simple - anything you can share to mark a special place in Idle Hour's history will be much appreciated.

Could it be that the old piece of tin in your attic is from one of Idle Hour's first golf tournaments or that the photo of your great aunt was taken at her wedding in the original Club location, The Log Cabin? Look closely... Dig through boxes and albums, and you will find treasures to share and help shine a light on the early days of the Club where only mysteries currently remain.

Consider yourself a historian just for a day, and go on a mission like Indiana Jones for the Legend of Idle Hour Country Club... It'll be so fun for you and your family to reminisce about lost times - and so rewarding to bring those times to the forefront of Club history to share with current members and future generations. Every member has been a building block for Idle Hour Country Club, and we want to uphold those blocks through time, so that nobody forgets how rich the Club's history is and what it all means to us. We are a family, and generation after generation, we remain proud of our history - just like any other family. So, let's cherish every moment, past present and future, and let's bring our history to life. We will have our history on display soon... and we'd like to share every article - especially yours! Just bring your articles to the office of General Manager David Ruddell, Jr., CCM. ●

Window of Opportunity



Membership

Brandy Spires
Executive Administrator

Congratulations, Graduates! I'm sure you've heard this many times, but your life is about to change. Thoughts of moving forward to begin your lifelong careers and families can be overwhelming at times, but stay your course, keep working hard, and success is imminent.

You have been missed by your Idle Hour family, and what better way to welcome you home than to offer a Temporary Legacy membership to continue the tradition and honor of being a member of Idle Hour Country Club. This temporary membership is available for 12 months after college graduation, and is considered a sub-account of the parent. Each temporary Legacy will receive his or her own statement with monthly dues of only \$198.00 and no service charge or food minimum. When the temporary membership expires, the legacy will have the option to apply for full membership with initiation fees corresponding with the appropriate membership category. For example, a Legacy between the ages of 21-30 is eligible for the "Intermediate" category.

Please also keep in mind the current "Window of Opportunity" for new Intermediate members, ages 21-30. Legacy children have a special option to join at a reduced initiation fee under this window, but act quickly... the window will expire as of December 31, 2010.

Please contact me by phone or email with any questions regarding membership or to request an application to sponsor a candidate. You may reach me at (478) 757-2415, ext. 222, or bspires@idlehourclub.com



Temporary Membership for Legacies

A Legacy (child or grandchild of a member) can join for one year with dues only, no initiation fees; parents must co-sign.

1. Required that an application be submitted to the Board for approval.
2. Limited to a legacy for a period of 12 months after college graduation or 12 months after turning 21 years; not charged an initiation fee.
3. Charged monthly dues (\$198/month), but no service charge and food minimum; given full Club privileges.
4. Has charges made to a sub-account of the Legacy's parent, and payment will be the responsibility of the parent.
5. Limited to in-town privileges, as specified in the Bylaws, upon expiration of the Temporary Membership for Legacies.

If you can imagine it,
you can achieve it;
if you can dream it,
you can become it.

-William Arthur Ward



Intermediate Member Window of Opportunity

Initiation Fee: \$15,000

Availability: April 1, 2010 - Dec. 31, 2010

Eligibility: Applicant between ages 21-30

Legacy: Candidate or candidate's spouse is a child/grandchild of a present or deceased member in good standing.

I. Legacy Membership

- a. 20% discount on total initiation fee regardless of membership classification
- b. Additional 5% discount if member pays in full up front.
- c. Down payment of \$2,500
- d. On each anniversary of first month in Club payment of \$1,000 will be due toward initiation fee. Balance due in full at age 35.
- e. Initiation fee may be paid in full at any time
- f. 0% finance charge
- g. Sponsor rebate - \$1,000

II. Non Legacy Intermediate Membership

- a. \$2,500 down payment
- b. On each anniversary of first month in Club payment of \$1,000 will be due toward initiation fee. Balance due in full at age 35.
- c. Balance can be paid off in full at anytime and receive 10% discount on outstanding balance
- d. 0% finance charge
- e. Sponsor rebate - \$1,000

III. Promissory note will be executed

IV. In the event the member is relocated outside Macon or the six contiguous counties and elects not to become a non-resident member the balance of the initiation fee will be waived.

V. In the event the member resigns the Club he/she will be obligated to pay 25% of the balance of the initiation fee at the time of resignation.

Special Events

IHCC BINGO

Mark your calendars... to win big!

Reservations please: 477-1724.

48-Hour Cancellation Policy.



Wednesday, June 9th

6 p.m. - Cocktails by Signature
6:30 p.m. - Buffets, 7 p.m. - Bingo!
\$12.95/adult, \$8.95/child under 12
Includes 1 Bingo card. Extra cards:
\$2 each or 3/\$5

MENU

Tossed Garden Salad
*with Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Onions, Mushrooms,
Cheddar Cheese, Croutons & Assorted Dressings*

Fresh Seasonal Fruit and Berries
with Blueberry Yogurt

Grilled Vegetable Salad
with Balsamic Vinaigrette

Grilled Chicken with Honey Chipotle Barbeque

Steamed Broccoli
with Julienne Carrots and Squash

Bacon and Cheddar Whipped Potatoes

Mini Corn Dogs

Grilled Cheese Sandwiches

Fried Chicken Tenders

Cheddar Potato Skins

Corn on the Cob

Peach Bread Pudding

Strawberry Shortcake

Assorted Mini Cookies

Father's Day Buffet

Sunday, June 20th

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Adults \$25, Children (8 - 11) \$15,
Children (4 - 7) \$12, Children 3 & Under are free.
By reservation. 48-Hour Cancellation Notice.

Clubhouse will be open normal hours.

Tossed Garden Salad
*with Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Onions, Mushrooms,
Cheddar Cheese, Croutons & Assorted Dressings*

Blackened Bay Scallops & Golden Lentil Salad
with Tropical Mango Vinaigrette

Herb Crusted Pork & Portobello Mushroom
Pasta Salad
with Roasted Garlic Balsamic Vinaigrette

Curried Potato & Fava Bean Salad
*with Caramelized Onion
and Cracked Black Pepper Vinaigrette*

Fresh Seasonal Fruit & Berries
with Coconut Infused Yogurt

Braised Collard Greens

Cauliflower & Asiago Au Gratin

Toasted Walnut & Black Eyed Pea Rice Pilaf
Smoked Gouda & Bacon Whipped Potatoes

Southern Fried Chicken

Pan Seared Red Fish
with Hickory Smoked Tomato Beurre Blanc

BBQ Basted Grilled Baby Back Ribs

Roasted Prime Rib of Beef Au Jus
with Horseradish Cream

Tropical Cheesecake

Caramel Torte

Banana Bread Pudding
with Whiskey Anglaise

Peanut Butter Pie

Ice Cream Bar

IHCC BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday, June 16th

2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

in the Ballroom

You can make a difference!

Please contact Laura Harris
at (478) 757-2415, ext. 224, to make an
appointment or for more information.

**BE A
LIFE
SAVER!**

Special Events

Look-A-Lot-Alikes!

From the Mini Masters Golf Tournament, April 8th



Ladies' Night Out

Wednesday, June 23rd

6:30 p.m. - Signature Cocktails
7:00 p.m. - Dinner

Featuring a Stainless Steel Dinner
in the Main Kitchen

Three Course Meal & Wine Pairings
\$50/person

Duo of Pan Seared Chilean Sea Bass & Jumbo Shrimp
with Tropical Fruit Slaw and Mango Coulis

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Pan Seared Filet Mignon
with Lobster Tomato Concasse and Maitre D' Butter
Parmesan Risotto
Snow Peas and Parisienne Vegetables

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Banana Split Cake
with Homemade Chocolate, Vanilla and Strawberry
Ice Creams

Advance Reservations Required. Limited to 12.
48-Hour Cancellation Policy.

Fishing with Dad

Monday, June 21st
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Free Event!

Dads, you bring the fishing gear!
Sodas & beer, fish and prizes will be provided!



Most Fish
Biggest Fish
Smallest Fish

Dive-In Movies at Dark



June 25th: Up

July 23rd: Astro Boy

August 27th: Cloudy with a
Chance of Meatballs

June

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---|--|------------------------------|
| Special Events LEGEND Club Special Club Regular Golf LGA Tennis Wellness | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| | | CLUB CAMP Ages 4 & 5 | | | MEN'S MEMBER - GUEST TOURNAMENT | |
| | | KIDS' SWIM TEAM SEASON BEGINS CLUB CLOSED | WATER AEROBICS CLASSES BEGIN | "2 for 1" Entrees in The Grille & Trotters | All-You-Can-Eat Prime Rib & Crab Legs | Breakfast in The Grille |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| Sunday Brunch Buffet in the Living Room | CLUB CLOSED | LGA MEETING & SCRAMBLE Boardroom | CLUB CAMP Ages 8 & 9 | | HIGDON OPEN June 11 th -13 th | |
| | | Jackpot Drawing | IHCC BINGO | "2 for 1" Entrees in The Grille & Trotters | PEE WEE TENNIS CAMP Ages 4-6 | |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| Sunday Brunch Buffet in the Living Room HIGDON OPEN | CLUB CLOSED | CLUB CAMP Ages 6 & 7 | | | MACON MIDDLE GA | |
| | | Jackpot Drawing | Meeting of the Board of Directors | "2 for 1" Entrees in The Grille & Trotters | BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED TENNIS CAMP Ages 7-15 | |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| FATHER'S DAY BUFFET Club Open Normal Hours MACON MIDDLE GA | FISHING WITH DAD CLUB CLOSED | IHCC BOOK CLUB | JUNIOR GOLF CAMP Ages 4 & Up | | MARGARITA MIXER | Breakfast in The Grille |
| | | Jackpot Drawing | LADIES' NIGHT OUT DINNER | "2 for 1" Entrees in The Grille & Trotters | DIVE-IN MOVIE Up | PEE WEE TENNIS CAMP Ages 4-6 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | Fishing with Dad Monday, June 21 st 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Free Event! Sodas & Beer, fish and prizes will be provided! Dads, you bring the fishing gear! Contests: Most Fish, Biggest Fish, Smallest Fish. | | |
| Sunday Brunch Buffet in the Living Room | CLUB CLOSED | JR. PLAY DAY Short Tees | CLUB CAMP Ages 4 & 5 | | | |
| | | Jackpot Drawing | WESLEYAN TENNIS CAMP | | | |

Special Events



July 4th Celebration



MUST HAVE
POOL I.D. CARD

Operating Schedule:
Regular Sunday Brunch service.
The Grille will be open for lunch
but closed for dinner.
Sports Bar open for lunch,
closing at 5:00 p.m.
for holiday festivities.

Better than Ever KID'S CARNIVAL

Rock Wall
Double Lane Giant Slide
Swamper Stomper
Obstacle Course
Moonwalk/Slide Combo
Bungee Run
Spin Art
Trackless Train
Snow Cones
Cotton Candy
Face Painter
Fireworks at Dark

6:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m.
Patio Dinner Buffet

Signature Bar
Live Music

\$13 adults
\$8 children, Includes Carnival
Free: 3 & Under

Cole Slaw
Potato Salad
Sliced Watermelon
Grilled Hamburgers & Hot Dogs
Onion Rings
French Fries
Fresh Berry Shortcake
Funnel Cakes
Assorted Ice Cream Bars

Please R.S.V.P.
477-1724

HOT SUMMER COOL CAMP

Ages 4 & 5

June 1st-4th
June 29th-July 2nd
July 20th-23rd

Ages 6 & 7

June 15th-18th
July 6th-9th
July 13th-16th

Ages 10 - 13

July 20th-23rd

Ages 8 & 9

June 8th-11th

Counselors

John Hardman, Carly McCallie
and Meaghan Hanson

COOL SUMMER FUN FOR ALL AGES!

Enjoy Golf, Tennis, Wellness, Swimming & Art!
Each camp is tailored to the ages represented.

Registration is open! There is limited space...
Visit the Front Desk or call 477-1724 to register!

Each child will need a separate, signed form.

Lunch is included, \$135/child.

**No refunds for absences and cancellations
made less than ten days before Camp.**

2010 Pool & Youth Committee

Mel Jamison, Chairman
Rob Wall, Laura Bonfim
Courtney Swift, Todd Hatcher
Chanley Lee, Ashley Copelan
Courtney Baskette

BRIDGE TOURNAMENT & LUNCHEON

Tuesday, July 13th
10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.



Whether you're a master player or a novice,
sign-up now to join us for great fun and prizes.

Only \$12/person includes a delectable luncheon.
Please call 477-1724 or visit the Front Desk!



From the Wellness Center...

Rob Haver
Wellness Center
Director
474-8535, ext. 271

Know Your Diet

Recently, while researching different diets, I came across some startling information on www.webmd.com regarding the combination of grapefruit juice and certain medications.

So, how does grapefruit juice affect medicines?

Grapefruit juice contains chemicals that can cause problems with enzymes that break down certain types of medicine in the intestines. When a medicine does not get broken down properly in the intestines, you can have too much or too little medicine in your blood, which is caused by the chemicals in grapefruit. Having too much medicine in your blood increases your chances of having toxic side effects.

Water Aerobics Classes

Meetings Begin on Wednesday, June 2nd
Every Monday, Wednesday & Friday
at 7:45 am.

IHCC Orcas

Kids Swim Team

Season begins June 1st-July 29th.
Practice times are Tuesday-Friday
7:00 p.m. at the IHCC Pool
Swim Meets will be Mondays
6:30 p.m. at the Northside Pool.

6th Annual IHCC Triathlon

It's time to start training!

To be held in August. Same format as in previous years: 5-lap pool swim, 9-mile bike and 2-mile run. Participants will be grouped with similar abilities.

Pool Information

Pool Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Youth Building Hours: 11:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Dress Code: NO CUT-OFF JEANS OR KHAKIS.
SWIMSUITS ONLY.

Everyone must sign-in at the Pool

All Non-Members must be accompanied by a member at all times!

In-town Guest or Relative Fee: \$5.00

Out of Town Guest or Relative Fee: \$5.00

House-Guest Fee: \$3.00

Out of Town Grandchildren: Free, only when accompanied and supervised by the member grandparent.

Don't Forget! If you don't have one from last summer, you must get a Pool I.D. card to enjoy the amenities offered at the Pool. Get your Pool I.D. cards before the rush, Tuesday - Saturday, 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Ready in just 5 minutes at the Front Desk. Replacement cards are \$5, charged to your account.

Pool Forms

Please complete and return the form on the next page only if you have children ages 9 - 16. This form must be on file, and a swimming test must be administered before a child may swim unsupervised:

9 - 16 Year-Olds Must Qualify to Swim Unsupervised

1. Parents must complete and return the Pool Registration Form - no exceptions.
2. Nine year-olds must pass a basic swimming test administered by the lifeguards.
3. All unsupervised guests must be signed-in upon entering the Pool area. Non-member children ages 9 - 16 must also pass the swim test before entering the Pool Area without supervision.

Swimming Lessons

NO LONGER OFFERED AT THE POOL.

Infants & Non-Potty Trained Children Must Wear Approved Swim Diapers - NO EXCEPTIONS.

This policy applies to members and guests. Swim diapers are available at Kroger, etc., and may be purchased at the Pool Complex.

Please be sure to also monitor your preschooler's pool time, taking bathroom breaks regularly. Pool "accidents" require the closing of the pool for up to 24 hours for chemical treatment.



From the Learning Center

Practice & Warm Up

Bobby Hix

PGA Director of Instruction

Arnold Blum Golf Learning Center

A Golf Digest Top Teacher

On Practicing

To begin with, you're better off practicing a few minutes each day, or however often you can, rather than going out for a block buster three hour session once a week. That's because this concept stresses relaxation of the mind and the muscles to make them work. If you stand out there beating balls for hours, you'll become more mentally and physically fatigued. Your muscles will get tighter and you are liable to get sluggish, hindering the relaxed action you need to begin your backswing.

If you're having problems, practice with the clubs that are the easiest for you to handle. Generally, these are the short irons. Try a 7-iron, which is long enough to require a good motion but short enough that you won't try to hit it hard. A few successful short iron shots will breed relaxation. In a well organized half-hour practice session, only five minutes should be spent hitting woods. Your swing will become better grooved with the shorter clubs and success with the woods will follow.

On Warming Up

When you are warming up before a round, do just that. Don't confuse warming up with practicing. Decide on a certain number of shots to hit ... for example, four with a wedge, four with a 7-iron, four with a 5-iron, four with a hybrid and four with a driver. Then stick to this formula, no matter how well or badly you hit the ball. All you're trying to do is loosen up.

If you hit the ball badly on the practice tee and start trying to correct a fault you will approach your round in a negative frame of mind. By hitting just a prearranged number of shots, even if they go badly, you won't get tense. Furthermore, you won't lose confidence on the practice tee and you will go to the first tee in a more relaxed frame of mind. This will better enable you to start your swing correctly when your round begins.

LGA Events

Tuesday, June 8th – LGA Meeting Day / Scramble

Meeting begins at 9 a.m. in the Boardroom with a scramble to follow.

Thursday, June 17th – Club 9: 9-hole scramble with fun rules. Sign-up or show up by 8:45 a.m.

Tuesday, June 22nd – 18-Hole: Low Putts

Get your own T-Time and play in your own group. Individual stroke play. The player with the lowest number of putts for the round is the winner. A counting putt is a stroke that is made from on the green.

Thursday, June 24th – Ladies Only Golf Clinic: Short Iron Play

9:00 a.m. at the Learning Center. Please call 477-8777 to sign-up.

Golf Committee

Craig Leachman – Golf Chairman
Charlie Boswell, III, Stewart Vernon,
Jeff Long, Joe Howe, Charlie Avant,
Victor Andress, Ed Muse, John White,
Chris Wilson, Bryan Persons, Georgia
Hatcher, George Franklin

2010 LGA Officers

President – Georgia Hatcher
V. P. & Tournaments – Susan Ogburn
Recording Secretary – Kathy Walker
Corresponding Secretary – Dianna Davis
Treasurer – Terri Ramsey

Events

June 3rd-5th – Men's Member-Guest
June 10th, 17th, 24th - Junior Academy
June 19th-20th – Macon Middle GA
June 22nd-25th – Jr. Golf Camp
June 29th – Jr. Play Day
July 12th-14th – Jr. Peach Blossom
July 15th – Mini British Open
July 20th-23rd – Jr. Golf Camp
July 23rd – Guest Day
July 27th – Jr. Play Day
July 27th-30th – All Sports Camp

Green Fee Specials

Weekly Rate: \$59 + Tax, Includes Cart.
Guest Days: \$30 + Tax, Includes Cart,
Fridays: July 23rd, August 20th,
November 19th, December 10th.

Great Rounds

Tommy McKelvey out-shot his 77 years
with a score of 70 on April 27, 2010!
John Ramsey recorded a Hole-in-One
on hole #16 at Highlands Country Club
in North Carolina. Mr. Ramsey used
an 8-iron from 131 yards.

Jr. Golf Camp

June 22nd – 25th & July 20th – 23rd
4-5, 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m., \$80
6-8, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., \$180
9 & Up, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., \$180
Includes all instruction, equipment,
equipment evaluation and fitting
daily prizes and awards, camp hat
and t-shirt, snacks and drinks, daily.

Golf News

***This applies to all credit that has been
earned in the golf shop*** ALL CREDIT
EXPIRES AFTER ONE YEAR, NO EXCEPTIONS.
The credit is cleared on the one year date.
Inquire at 477-2092 or staff@ihc golf.com.



Turfgrass Talk

Planning for the Future Wade Thomas

Director, Greens & Grounds

The Board of Directors has just approved funds to create a long range plan for the golf course and Club to take us into the next decade! We have just finished our last 10 year plan, and the results are evident in the constant improvement around the facility and grounds. It does not happen by accident. This is great foresight and critical to the well-being of any healthy country club.

Mike Riley is the architect who will develop our plans along with the Golf Committee, Board of Directors and the membership. Mr. Riley has been involved with the Club for several years and brings a unique design style of recreating original architectural design philosophies. This is exciting, and you are welcome to join in on the process.

Please call me at (478) 477-2373 on issues concerning the course. Your ideas will be considered. Also feel free to contact Craig Leachman, Chairman of the Golf Committee, at any time. This is your Club, and it must reflect the needs and desires of the membership. As always, please leave the course better than you found it.

2010 Peach Blossom Invitational

Congratulations to our 2010 Champions
Thanks to all who participated in the 2010 Peach Blossom Invitational, which was a very successful event thanks to you! We hope you all had a great time and expect to see you again next year! Congratulations to Adam Cooper and Bubba Gallops for capturing the 2010 Title after leading all three rounds, nice playing gentlemen!



Chairman Victor Andress with winners Adam Cooper & Bubba Gallops

Sales

We have a great deal on some white/brown DryJoys that were overstocked by FootJoy. They are only \$115 here in the shop. Select goods are now 20% OFF including some FootJoy raingear.

Club Grounds

Travis Cantrell,
Assistant Superintendent

The Club grounds crew has been working hard on installing new plant material in and around the newly renovated Pool Pavilion. Along with planting new plants, trees, shrubs, and sod in front of the new porch overlooking the Pool, we also landscaped the new entrance to the Youth Building. New annual flower beds were added along the walkway entering the Pool. Our annual summer flowers have also arrived, and they consist of petunias, lantanas, begonias, and a few other various flowers. We look forward to the change of seasons and hope everyone here at Idle Hour has a great summer.

Congratulations, 2010 LGA Member/ Member Winners

- 1st Gross – Connie Flair / Fran Matthews
- 2nd Gross – Beth McSween / Sanna Smith
- 1st Net – Arja Forester / Patti Martin
- 2nd Net – Georgia Hatcher / Kathy Walker
- Closest to the Pin – Janice Donner
- Longest Drive – Karen Beringer

Terrific Two Club Tournament

We would like to thank all who participated in the Terrific Two Club Tournament. We hope everyone had a great time testing their creative and innovative skills as they navigated the golf course. Congratulations to Bryan Persons and Brad Swann for capturing Gross Honors along with Todd Mitchell and Larry Landers capturing Net Honors. We will continue to provide these entertaining events and look forward to greater participation in the future. Below are results and a few action shots from the event. Thanks again!

Gross: 1st - Bryan Persons/Brad Swann 34
Net: 1st -Todd Mitchell/Larry Landers 30.5

Gross: 2nd - Sam Pearson/Steve Welsh 34
Net: 2nd - Scott Nystrom/Greg Roden 31.75



Notes from Craig

Craig A. Jones
USPTA, USPTR
Director of Tennis

Summer is here, and the tennis programs are in full force! First of all, the

restoration of the Tennis Shop is almost finished. The new bathrooms will be accessible to the adults only, complete with daily lockers. This restriction is in order to help keep the new bathrooms clean and in new condition. The Pavilion near the hard courts has been designed for the teens and children.

Also, parents, please have your kids purchase a can of balls when they come out to play a match. Lately, the balls have been taken out of the ball machines and buckets and used for match play. The balls in the ball machines and baskets are there for your use only with the machines, not for playing a match.

We hope you will have an enjoyable summer and join us on the courts often!

Drills & Lessons

Men's Saturday Morning Drills

Saturdays, 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

For men of all levels.

**Ladies, if you are a 3.5 or 4.0 player, you may join us at this drill!

Starter Level Jr. Tournament Drills

Thursdays, 4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Saturdays, 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Jr. Tournament Level Drills

Wednesdays, 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Thursdays, 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

& Saturdays, 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Tournament Level Players & Advanced Players

2.5 - 3.0 Ladies' Open Drills

Fridays, 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Ladies, levels 2.5 and 3.0

2010 Summer Tennis Camps

Pee Wee Camp

9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

June 8th- 11th, June 22nd-25th, July 13th-16th

This camp is designed for kids from the ages of 4-6.

The purpose is to work on motor skills, hand-eye coordination, technique, tennis fundamentals, and most importantly, to HAVE FUN. It will consist of professional instruction, games and swimming (if desired) at the end of each day. For \$135, each child will receive a racket, t-shirt, shorts, video, trophy and other possible awards.

Beginner/Intermediate/Advanced Camp

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

June 15th- 18th, July 20th- 23rd

Including kids from the ages of 7-15, this camp is set up

to provide all levels of play, ranging from the very

beginner to the more advanced. The juniors will be

placed in groups by age and skill. The camp lasts from

9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. with a lunch and swim break in

the middle. For \$200, each child will receive

a t-shirt, four days of instruction, trophy and other possible awards. Lunch is included.

All Sports Camp

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

July 27th- 30th

All Sports camp is designed for kids ages 7 and up. It includes three different sports. Kids will learn and play golf and tennis, as well as enjoy swimming. The price is \$200, which includes a t-shirt, lunch, and possible awards. Call the Tennis Shop or Golf Shop to sign-up.

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Wesleyan Camp

June 27th - July 1st, July 5th - 9th

Limit: 40 players/camp. Cost: \$595

Boys and Girls: Ages 10-15

This camp is designed for the more advanced players. It is an over-night camp for a one and/or two week stay. The kids will stay in the Wesleyan College dorms and be fed each meal in the cafeteria. This is a great camp to really work hard each day, at the instruction of Craig and the counselors. It's a lot of fun, too! There is an activity planned for each night, from skit night to movie night, and even a dance. For more information on the camp, visit wesleyancollege.edu or call the Tennis Shop.

Special Events

Please call the Tennis Shop at 477-6701 to Sign-Up!

Idle Hour Country Club Presents The 1st Annual Higdon Open June 11th – 13th

Member/Member OR Member/Guest
\$50/person

Team Format – 8 Teams per division
First 8 teams to register will be in the Open.
Each team is guaranteed 3 matches.

Friday, June 11th - Doubles Mixer at 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 12th - Men's & Women's Doubles
2 Sets with a Tie breaker for the 3rd
2 Matches

Afternoon on Sunday, June 13th
Men's & Women's Finals Match

Levels: AB Mixed, BC Mixed
Men's & Women's Doubles: 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, Open

More information to come.

Please call the Tennis Shop to register. 477-6701.

Margarita Mixer

Friday, June 25th at 6:30 p.m.

Lots of FUN! Come out and enjoy playing a fun
game of tennis while drinking a delicious Margarita.
You do NOT need a partner to sign-up!
Call the Tennis Shop for more info.

2010 Tennis Committee

William John O'Shaughnessey, III, Chairman
Lou Holmes, Kimberly Faulkner,
Robin Graham, Julia Wood,
Floyd Williams, Rob Wall,
Pat Patton, Ricky Hicks,
Layne Dunwody, Dan Strawn,
Dean Copelan

Past Events



Rally for the Cure
April 21st

Thanks to all our
participants!

Winners :
Jan Slocomb
& Betsy Delves

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Spring Fling April 23rd – 25th

The Spring Fling Team Tournament had a wonderful
turn out!! Thanks to each and every participant!

Winner – WHITE TEAM

Carolyn Williams, Floyd Williams, Neal Graham,
Bruce Jones, Thiago Lins, Charles Sapp, Julia Wood,
Margaret Grigorian, and Rebecca Grist



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Congratulations to the Stratford Boy's
and Girl's Tennis Teams on the winning
the High School State Championships!

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Congratulations to these players
on excellent results in the High School
Individual State Championships:

Becker O'Shaughnessey won the Singles!
Thomas Watson & Hayden Bashinski
won the Doubles!

Camden Jones was a finalist in the Doubles!
Daniel Strawn was a finalist in the Singles!





Send address changes to:
THE IDLE TIMES
 251 Idle Hour Drive
 Macon, Georgia 31210

June 2010 * IHCC Recipe of the Month

Roasted Garlic BBQ Sauce

Ingredients

- 12 oz. Ketchup
- 4 oz. Yellow Mustard
- 1 1/4 oz. Garlic
- 1/4 cup 80/20 Blend Oil
- 2 tsp. Worcestershire Sauce
- 1/2 tsp. Ground Black Pepper
- 2 oz. Yellow Onion

Procedure: Roast garlic in half of oil and fine chop. Roast onion in other half of oil and fine chop. Combine all ingredients and simmer for 30 minutes.

2012 Centennial Membership Directory

*Do you have photos
or newspaper
clippings significant to
the Club's history?*

If so, please
submit them to
Executive Administrator
Brandy Spires for the
2012 Centennial
Membership Directory.

This publication will
feature member
photographs, as well as
an updated Club
history. We thank you
for your participation!

Contact Numbers (478)

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| Clubhouse (Reservations)..... | 477-1724 |
| Clubhouse (bypass Receptionist)..... | 757-2415 |
| Bookkeeping..... | 474-2131 |
| Golf Shop..... | 477-2092 |
| The Learning Center..... | 477-8777 |
| Tennis Shop..... | 477-6701 |
| Wellness Center..... | 474-8535 |
| Grounds Maintenance..... | 477-2373 |
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