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Thanksgiving Trivia

Did you know ...

By the Fall of 1621

only half of the pilgrims who had sailed on the Mayflower survived. Those survivors, thankful to be alive decided to give a thanksgiving feast.

The first Thanksgiving feast was held in the presence of around ninety Wampanoag Indians and the Wampanoag chief, Massasoit, was also invited there.

The first Thanksgiving Feast lasted three days.

The drink that the Puritans brought with them in the May-flower was the beer.

Congress passed an official proclamation in 1941 and declared that now onwards Thanksgiving will be observed as a legal holiday on the fourth Thursday of every November.



# The Wilmington Island Club

501 Wilmington Island Road Savannah, Georgia 31410



Thanksgiving
Dinner
November 23
11:30 am until 1:30 pm

\$26.95++ Adults \$11.95 Children 6-11 5 & Under No Charge

\*\*Reservations Required\*\*
897-1612, extension 107
Or Lindsay Weatherington
897-1612 ext. 101

All other food and beverage operations will be closed Thanksgiving Day

# Thanksgiving Dinner Menu

**Soup** \*She Crab Stew

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\*Mixed Greens with Assorted Toppings

\*Fresh Fruit Display

**Stations**Shrimp & Grits

**Breads** \*Garlic Bread \*House Rolls

Desserts
\*Pecan Pie
\*Cheesecake
\*Pumpkin Pie
\*Chocolate Cake

Chef Carving

\*Smoked Turkey
With Gravy

\*Prime Rib
With Au Jus
And
Horseradish Sauce



Chafing Dishes
\*Roasted Ham with Mustard Glaze

\*Corn Bread Italian Sausage Stuffing

\*Roasted Garlic Mashed Potatoes

\*Macaroni and Cheese

\*Mashed Sweet Potatoes with Pecan Cinnamon

\*Squash Casserole

\*Green Beans sautéed with Apple Wood Bacon & Vidalia Onions

\*Succotash Sauteed Corn & Lima Beans in Herbs & Butter

Thanksgiving Weekend This is a very busy weekend for the club. Please call ahead to make tee times for Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The Golf Course will be CLOSED on Thanksgiving Day.

# **Grille Room Events**

For more info or reservations 897-1612 Extension 101

#### **Thursday Night Specials**

Nov. 2 Snow Crab Legs \$21.95

Nov. 9 Two for Thirty \$30.00

Nov. 16 Meatloaf \$14.95

Nov. 23 THANKSGIVING BUFFET

11:30—1:30 Grille Room Closed

Nov. 30 Two for Thirty \$30



#### **Friday Night Specials**

Nov. 3 Crispy Skin Sea Bass \$19.95 with Lemon Buerre Blanc

Nov. 10 Osso Bucco with Polenta \$24.96
Veal North Italy recipe with Italian Grits

Nov. 17 Lamb Rack \$26.95 with Truffle Demi Glace

Nov. 24 Fried Chicken \$14.95

#### Saturday Specials

Nov. 4 Steak Night \$22.95

Nov. 11 Lobster and

Filet Combo \$24.95

Nov. 18 Grilled Veal Chop \$26.96

Topped with mozzarella cheese And toasted roasted pepper

truffle demi glace

Nov. 25 Lasagna Night \$15.95



#### 2017 WINTER HOURS OF OPERATION

Tuesday & Wednesday 11:00 am until 7:00 pm

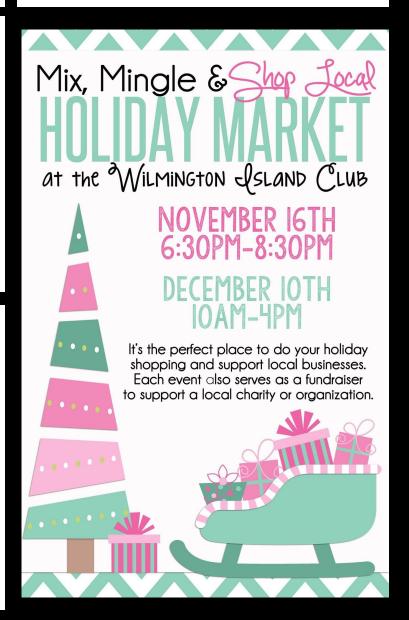
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

11:00 am until 8:30 pm

Sunday

11:00 am until 6:00 pm

Winter Hours of Operation begin November 7th.





#### **November and December Golfing Events**

# November 5 Time Change! Fall BACK an hour

# November 15 Guest Day

A great day to bring a guest.
Each member may bring three
guests to receive the special rate of
\$48 fee. The fee includes golf,
lunch and a tee gift. The fee for the
member is \$28 which includes golf
and lunch. This event is scheduled
for one Wednesday a month so take
advantage of this opportunity!

## November 23 THANKSGIVING

Golf Course and Club CLOSED Except for Thanksgiving Buffet

# November 24 Course will be very busy. Please call for tee times

#### **November 28**

Senior Oglethorpe Practice Round Busy Day

#### November 29

Senior Oglethorpe Invitational First Round Member tee times after 12:30

#### November 30

Senior Oglethorpe Invitational Final Round Member tee times after 12:30



#### December 10

Holiday Golf Tournament

#### December 24

**Christmas Eve Golf Course Closes at 3pm** 

#### December 25

Christmas Day
Club Closed

#### January 1

New Year's Day

Club Closed

To participate in a tournament, all players must sign up by the Tuesday prior to the scheduled tournament.

#### **Special Notice**

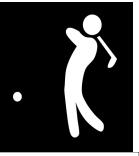
It has been brought to the club's attention from several members that others are utilizing the areas adjacent to the practice areas while practicing which can be a safety issue and detrimental to the golf course turf conditions. The club is asking to utilize the practice tee and greens to work on your game.



Thank you for understanding

#### **MGA BLITZ SCHEDULE**

TUESDAY 12:30
THURSDAY 12:30
SUNDAY 12:30
All members are
welcome
to join.



#### **DRIVING RANGE RULES**

\*GOLF ATTIRE IS REQUIRED

\*RANGE BALLS FOR PRACTICE TEE AREA ONLY, PLEASE DO NOT USE ON GOLF COURSE

\*RANGE SAFETY-PLEASE BE AWARE OF PLAYERS ON #1 GREEN AND #18 TEE. PLEASE AVOID HITTING CLUBS THAT WILL REACH EITHER AREA. MEMBERS THAT MAY HIT THE BALL TOWARDS TO THE LEFT SIDE OF RANGE PLEASE WAIT FOR PLAYERS TO CLEAR #1 GREEN BEFORE RESUMING PRACTICE. MEMBERS THAT MAY HIT THE BALL 240 YARDS OR MORE MUST SWITCH CLUBS WHILE PLAYERS TEE OF ON #18.

\*\*HIT BETWEEN THE YELLOW ROPES FOR SAFETY AND CONSIDERATION OF OTHERS

\*MATS ONLY (IRONS AND WOODS) ON WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY

\*GUEST OF MEMBERS-CHARGE OF \$8 FOR USE OF THE RANGE-PLEASE SIGN IN THE GOLF SHOP FOR USE OF THE RANGE BY A GUEST. THIS POLICY IF FOR PRACTICE ONLY, THERE IS NOT A CHARGE FOR RANGE BALLS IF PLAYING GOLF



#### **Golf Tip from the Pro**

Short game practice routine

During the winter months, practicing your short game is an important step to improving your scores. I constantly see

more members on the practice tee than the putting/ chipping greens. I would suggest being different than others and moving more of your time to the short game area. Spend about 50% of your practicing time working on putting, chipping and bunker shots. Typically, most 18 handicap golfers waste about 5-8 shots per round due to short game mistakes. It's possible to hit your target score with extra time working on your short game and eliminating the mistakes on/around the greens.

Patrick Richardson, PGA Head Golf Professional



"Gratitude consists of being more aware of what you have, than what you don't"

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# **More GOLF NEWS**

**Future Stars Program** Will take a winter break

We will have several clinics throughout the winter and will send an email to notify the participants

> Please send an email address to the Pro Shop if you would like to receive updates.

#### **Golf Lesson Packages**

The way the touring pros improve their games

#### Annual Golf Lesson Package

- \$799 Full Lesson Package of One (1) golf lesson per week for one year. (\$15.37 per lesson)
- \$499 Lesson Package of Two (2) golf lessons per month for one year (\$20.79 per lesson)
- Each session is a 30 minute lesson

Buy three lessons and receive one lesson FREE. This package is great for the player to review all areas of the game.

Individual lesson rate is \$60 Lesson Package is \$180



#### HOLE IN ONE CLUB

The cost is \$5.00 per hole in one. You must be a member of the hole in one club to be eligible. A Hole In One will win over \$240. Contact the Pro Shop 897-1615 or email wicgolfshop@aol.com to join.



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#### Locker and Bag Storage

Limited spaces are available. Locker Rental fee is \$8.00 per month

Bag Storage is \$6.00 per month.

Locker and Bag Storage Fee is charged monthly.



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**Island Club!** 

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#### **Member Member 2017**



Congratulations to Stephen Remler and Shammah Baloch for a first place finish in the 2017 Member Member Tournament

1st Shammah Baloch & Stephen Remler

T-2nd Stewart Bromley & Chris Holland

Terry Montford & Tony Montford

4th Dana Braun & David Minkovitz

T-5th David Poe & Marc Schneider

Raymond Padgett & Wilson Tillotson

Jacob Davidson & Matt Mills

#### **Par Three Tournament**

1st Gross Kyle McGinnis & Dan McGinnis

2nd Gross Alex Dao & C Dao

1st Net Chad Dollander & Bear Dollander

2nd Net Kris Tucker & Rich Hammons



**MIZUNO DEMO AND FITTING DAY** 

NOVEMBER 10 11:00 AM UNTIL 5:00 PM

### Bridge News Vic Jarvis

# Bridge Dates November 2 & 16

Come join us for our final fun filled evenings as we close out the year. We generally meet and enjoy a Thursday dinner special in the Grille Room around 6:00 and begin play at 7:00

For more information, please contact:

Vic or Joy Jarvis 898-3560

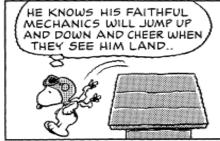
#### **Winners for October**

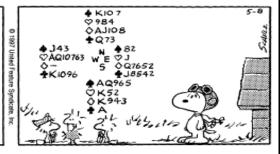
Dick and Stephanie May

Shirley New

Joy and Vic Jarvis







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# **News from Tennis**

#### Amy Bradley, Director of Tennis



#### **November Tennis Tip**

# YOU'VE WON THE FIRST SET... NOW DO THIS!

- STAY FOCUSED....You still have some work to do and your opponent will probably raise the level of his/her game.
- TRY TO WIN THE FIRST GAME OF THE SECOND SET....Keep the momentum going.
- STAY WITH THE GAME PLAN THAT YOU USED IN THE FIRST SET!

Don't forget our "gentle" reminders...

All guests MUST be signed in.

Please turn off the lights when you are the last to leave.

Call ahead for court reservations.
Please notify the pro

shop of any change in address, phone number & e-mail addresses.

Please observe proper court etiquette, including appropriate clothing, shoes and language.

From your Tennis
Staff at the
Wilmington Island
Club, we wish
everyone a very
Happy Thanksgiving!



Amy Bradley, Director of Tennis 897-0332





# NOVEMBER 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Snow Crab	3 Sea Bass	4 Steak Night
	Golf Course And			Bridge Night	Sea Dass	Steak Night
Closer Back of Closer Back of Smote Alarm Smote Alarm	Club- house are CLOSED On	7	8	9 Two for \$30 Bridge Night	10 Osso Bucco	Lobster & Filet Combo
12	Mondays	14	Golf Guest Day	16 Mix & Mingle Meatloaf	17 Lamb Rack	18 Grilled Veal Chop
19	Tennis Facility and Fitness Center	21	22	Thanksgiving Buffet 11:30-1:30	Fried Chicken	25 Lasagna Night
26	are OPEN	28	29	30 Two for \$30		
		Senior Oglethorpe Invitational Practice Round 28th (Busy Day) 1st Round 29th (Member Tee Times after @12:30) Final Round 30th (Member Tee Times after @12:30)				



December 10 December 17 Holiday Tournament Holiday Party

Christmas Eve Club closes at 3:00pm Christmas Day Club closed

