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15% of U.S. women send themselves flowers on Valentine's Day.

73% of people who buy flowers for Valentine's Day are men, while only 27 percent are women.

About 1 billion Valentine's Day cards are exchanged each year. That's the largest seasonal card-sending occasion of the year, next to Christmas.

About 3% of pet owners will give Valentine's Day gifts to their pets.

Alexander Graham Bell applied for his patent on the telephone, an "Improvement in Telegraphy", on Valentine's Day, 1876.



Business Office Clubhouse 897-1612

> Golf Shop 897-1615

Tennis Facility 897-0332 The Wilmington Island Club 501 Wilmington Island Road Savannah, Georgia 31410

Valentíne's Day

Wødnøsday Føbruary 14 5pm-8 pm \$70++ pør couplø ++20% gratuity 7% tax

Chateaubriand Dinner for Two

Chatçaubriand, Glass of Housç Winç Salad Bar, Garlic Roastçd Mashçd Potatocs, Asparagus Bouquet, Tiramisu

Please make your reservations on or before February 10 897-1612 Grille Room or Business Office

The Wilmington Island Club would like to extend our sincere thanks to Patrick Richardson for eighteen years of service. We wish him, Kerry, Rin and Laine the best of luck and much success.

You all will be missed.



Grille Room Events

897-1612, extension 107

Thurs	day Night Spec	ials
February 1	Beef Burgundy	\$17.95
February 8	Two for Thirty	\$30.00
February 15	Two for Thirty	\$30.00
February 22	Liver & Onions w/bacon apple flambé	\$15.95

Friday Night Specials

February 2	Grilled Pork Chops w/tomato Chipotle relish	\$19.95	
February 9	Blackened Tenderloin Tip over Tortellini Alfredo	\$15.95	
February 16	Chicken Diablo	\$16.95	
February 23	Sautéed Tilapia topped with Coconut Shrimp w/mango	chutnev \$20.95	

Saturday Níghts In February**

See below for special Valentine Special Menus offered Saturday February 3 & 17

Choice of NY Strip or Rib Eye \$23.95 February 10 & 24

Filet Mignon & Crab Cake \$24.95



****Valentine's Special**** Wednesday February 14 5-8

Chateaubriand, Salad Bar, Two Sides, Rolls & Butter Dessert. It also includes one glass of house wine per guest . \$70.00 ++ Per Couple

** This will be the only menu offered on Wednesday the 14th from
5-8. Reservations are required and can be made in the Grille Room or by calling 897-1612, extension 101 or The Grille Room, extension 108 *All reservations are to be made by Saturday, February 10*



Bridge News

January Winners

Gene Kennedy Ginny Haberlin Shirley New Joy & Vic Jarvis

Contact Joy or Vic at 898-3560 for more information.



Vic Jarvis

Bridge Dates February 8 & 22

Come join us for a fun filled evening. We generally meet and enjoy the great Thursday dinner specials in the Grille Room around 6:00 and start playing at 7:00.



GOLF NEWS

"FUND 4 FRANK DAY" A HUGE SUCCESS!

The start of 2018 at the Wilmington Island Club has been one to remember. We came out with a bang raising over **\$14,000 for Frank.**

The participation for the tournament speaks more than words about what everyone at the WIC thinks of Frank. He is not only a legend but the friendliest big smiling guy I know. Not only did I witness profound support for Frank but the fellowship and camaraderie evoked a strong sense of pride and community here at WIC for both members and employees.

I am proud to say I work here at WIC and looking forward to seeing the positive vibes continue for the rest of 2018!

> Michael Assey Golf Professional

February Golfing Events

FEBRUARY 4^h SUPERBOWL SCRAMBLE

SCRAMBLE FORMAT MAKE UP YOUR OWN TEAM/PAIR UP WITH OTHERS \$35 ENTRY FEE includes golf and prizes. 12:15 Shotgun

FEBRUARY 21st WILMINGTON ISLAND GUEST DAY

A great day to bring a guest. Each member may bring up to three guests to receive the special rate of \$48. The fee includes golf, lunch and a tee gift. The fee for the member is \$24 which includes golf and lunch. This event is scheduled for one Wednesday a month. Take advantaged of this opportunity.

FEBRUARY 22rd MGA ANNUAL MEETING 2018 Tournament Dates will be announced at the meeting.



Golf Tip from your Pro



A chill in the air affects the ball after it is struck.

Cold air is denser than warm air and creates additional drag on the ball.

Former USGA technical director Frank Thomas has said the difference is about two yards of carry for every 10 degrees change in temperature.

Going by Thomas' math your looking at a loss of six yards is your are playing the 42 degree temps as opposed to 72 degrees..

> Your golf professional, Michael Assey

To participate, all players must sign up by the Tuesday prior to the scheduled tournament. Call the Golf Pro Shop 897.1615

GOLFNEWS 897-1615

Michael Assey and Connor Armstrong Golf Professionals

General Golf Information

MGA BLITZ SCHEDULE



TUESDAY 12:30 THURSDAY 12:30 SUNDAY 12:30



ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO JOIN

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.

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 \$250!

Email wicgolfshop@aol.com or call the golf shop 897-1615 to join.



Professional Tip Re-grip your clubs

It is recommended that all grips be replace every 4-6 months. Bring in your clubs to be re-gripped. This will allow you to hold on to the club and minimize the turning of the clubface during the swing.

Can grips really improve my game? By themselves, fresh grips can only allow you to approach your potential as a golfer. A national survey of golfers showed that 66% of those who had clubs re-gripped showed an **average drop of three to four strokes per round!**

Drop your clubs and we will re-grip your clubs within 24 hours

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

DRIVING RANGE RULES

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

*RANGE SAFETY-PLEASE BE AWARE OF PLAY-ERS 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. MEM-BERS THAT MAY HIT THE BALL 240 YARDS OR MORE MUST SWITCH CLUBS WHILE PLAYERS TEE OFF 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 PLAY-ING GOLF







Terry Montford

Senior Club Champion

Tennis News Amy Bradley, Director of Tennis





SATA and USTA leagues will begin play beginning the middle of February. For more information please contact the Tennis Pro Shop or email amy@wictennis.com.



Tennis Tip to start your season....

Simple but so important...

Early Preparation

You cannot prepare soon enough- turn your hips and shoulders before the oncoming ball bounces on your side. GET THAT RACQUET BACK!

IF AT FIRST YOU DON'T SUCCEED...

Try doing what your COACH told you to do the first time.

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY



Roses are red, violets are blue, I shanked that ball, 'cause I was looking at you.





Valentines Day is not the only special day in February... let's not forget Groundhog's Day.

- If it is cloudy when a groundhog emerges from its burrow on this day, then spring will come early
- If it is sunny, the groundhog will supposedly see its shadow and retreat back into its burrow, and the winter weather will persist for six more weeks

February

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	тни	FRI	SAT
	GOLF COURSE AND CLUB			l Beef Burgundy	2 Grilled Pork Chops	3 NY Strip Or Ribeye
4 SUPER BOWL SCRAMBLE	ARE CLOSED ON MONDAY	6	7	8 Two for \$30 BRIDGE NIGHT	9 Blackened Tenderloin	10 Filet Mignon & Crab Cake
11	The Fitness Center and	13	14 Happy Valentines Day Dinner	15 Two for \$30	lG Chicken Diablo	17 NY Strip Or Ribeye
18	Tennis Center are Open	20	21 GOLF GUEST DAY	22 Liver & Onions BRIDGE MGA MEETING	23 Sautéed Tilapia	24 Filet Mignon & Crab Cake
25		27	28			