

Lockwood Folly Country Club
Newsletter
February 14, 2024

The LFCC Board would like to send out updates, information, and concerns to our membership. If possible, we plan to do this once a month to keep our membership better informed.

— Our husband-and-wife team of Alberto Campos and Rafe Sanchez-Jimes have returned to work from their time off with the car accident. Good to have them back.

— Hope the ladies are enjoying the new '**temporary**' tee box on #15. Today was the first day of operation! A lot more work must be done before it's completed.

— New range ball procedure is now in effect - **black bags** for members and **green bags** for the public. Once again, we ask our members not to store them in the back of their cars/carts or take any home. This is an expense that we could use somewhere else for the betterment of our membership.

— Please note that February 27th will be demo day with XXIO. Contact Nick now to reserve you time for fitting.

— On Wednesday, February 7th Tim met with the Director of Horticulture and Turfgrass Management from Brunswick Community College. He is trying to form a partnership with BCC to provide us with interns. This could really be an asset to LFCC! **Thanks, Tim!**

— We have booked an outside group, Crybabies, for February 20th (Tuesday). They will have a shotgun start. Check in the pro shop for any adjusted tee times for that day.

— Tim/Dan got a lot of 'free' topsoil' for the Stephen Kay Project on number 13. In the near future they will begin to sod it, getting it ready for spring play. There's a good chance they have enough 'free' dirt to fill in the left-hand side of #13. This will really change the shape of that fairway. Stephen Kay Projects are always better if we can do the work in-house.

— A special thank you to all that attended our Annual Membership Meeting on January 27th. We had a large turnout! A huge mistake that was made was forgetting to thank the **Board Members** that were going off - Mike Collins, Jon Huffman, and Don Dyksterhouse. It's amazing to realize the number of hours those members put in for the betterment of our club. They will be truly missed, but very much appreciated. Hope they will consider running again in the near future!

— In addition, we, once again, welcome our new board members, as they have hit the ground running: **Trish Bernardo-Carney**, Membership, **Gary Armistead**, Golf Operations, and **Carol Szaroleta**, Marketing. We hope to have our web pages updated in the next few days for you to use as a reference.

— Welcome New Members!!!!

Dr. Kevin and Jennifer Lee, 3159 Fairway Ct 3
Chuck and Denise Bodine, 3172 Windward Village

That brings our membership for the beginning of 2024 to 160 families.

— MGA Members pick up your phones and call **John Ming** to play in our first Travel League March 6th (Wednesday) at the **Pearl**. The first tee time is 9:20. John will have limited tee spots, so don't get left out! Once again, we would like to thank John, in advance, for all his upcoming hard work!

— The LGA is reminded of their scheduled Scramble at 10:00 with a shotgun start. This will be held on Thursday, February 22nd. ***We would like to encourage all our young ladies to participate!***

— Upcoming is one of our favorite tournaments - the **Pot-0-Gold!** This will be held on Tuesday, March 12th at 10:00. Nick has sent out some information, including the deadline to register. We expect a huge crowd!!!

Special Note:

The LFCC Board would like to thank Tim Cunningham, Steve Kholer, and their staff for all the hard work they do each and every day. What we sometimes forget is that their day begins when it's **really** cold, not like our tee times when it's just cold!! They are out working when the sun is just coming up and the temperature on most days is in the 30s. When it's really cold, we cancel our golf, but that's not an option for the Maintenance Department, they just put on another layer of clothing!!

Thanks, guys and ladies, for making our golf experience a huge success!

LFCC Board