

# The Country Club News

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## The Rountree

The Country Club at Lake City and the Rountree-Moore Automotive Group is proud to present Fifth Edition of THE ROUNTREE. This has become one of the best golf tournaments in the North Central Florida area. The tournament is scheduled for September 19-20. Teams are flighted based on their total team handicap. Teams play an 18 hole round on Saturday and Sunday.

The success of the tournament is due to strong sponsorship. There are two categories of sponsorships; there are GOLD (\$750) and HOLE (\$100). Anyone interested should contact Carl at 752-2266 or 623-2833.

The entry fee is \$140 per person which includes Golf on Saturday and Sunday, Dinner and Dance for two on Saturday night, Breakfast on Saturday and Sunday, \$70 gift pack and the opportunity to win door prizes and club bucks. For more information contact Carl at 752-2266 or 623-2833.

**Thank You for Your  
Continued Support**

## Kiwanis Tournament

We will be hosting the Annual Kiwanis Golf Tournament on Friday, September 25th. The entry fee is \$75 per person which includes lunch, golf and drinks on the course. The lunch will be at 12:00 PM and the shotgun start will be at 1:00 PM. Mark your calendars and don't miss out!

## The MGA Cup

Mark your calendar for the MGA Cup on Saturday, October 10th. **DEADLINE IS FRIDAY**, October 9th. Don't miss out!

## Golfers Please

### TAKE CARE OF YOUR COURSE

- Fix ball marks, yours and others
- Fill in your divots, yours and others
- Rake the sand bunkers
- Drive carts using the 90 degree rule
- Keep carts off tee and green slopes
- Don't drive through wet areas
- Pick up your trash and others
- Play only the holes you paid for!

**THANK YOU**

# On the Course with Doyle

We have finally made it over the hump of summer. I am sure looking forward to some cooler temperatures. The high heat mixed with some wet conditions along the way made for more than ideal conditions for disease development over the past couple of months. The greens were the main issue over the summer making it difficult to stay on a good growth regulator schedule. They had leaf spot issues as well as brown patch issues causing us to apply additional fungicides therefore having to decrease the frequency and the rates of plant growth regulators. Mix in some localized dry spots and it has become a true juggling act. We are trying to become more proactive so that we keep disease under control and get more growth regulators out to hopefully increase green speed before The Rountree. Another problem that was encountered last month is the presence of higher numbers in the mole cricket population. We had several different hatch periods this year. Mix that with this pest's ability to develop somewhat of a resistance to certain pesticides and we are left with many of these pests wreaking havoc on the course. We have begun to retreat areas where the mole crickets are at unacceptable levels. We will continue to treat until we have them back under control.

This month we will continue normal maintenance as well as make preparations for the upcoming Rountree tournament. Good luck in the tournament and have a great month.

Thank you.  
Doyle Worthington Jr.

**September 19-20 - The Rountree**

**September 25 - Kiwanis**

**October 9 - New Millennium**

**October 10 - The MGA Cup**

**October 17 - PCERA**

# Straight from Carl's Desk

We have two outings/tournaments that will cause the golf course to be closed for regular play. The Rountree will be on Saturday and Sunday, September 19th and 20th and this will cause the course to be closed until 1:00 PM each day. We have the Kiwanis Tournament on Friday, September 25th and the golf course will be closed from 12:30 to 5:00 PM. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Mark your calendars for The Club Championship on October 24th and 25th. You can sign up in the pro shop on the bulletin board by the bathroom.

In the market for some new golf merchandise, come by the pro shop and let us give you a price quote. If we don't have it, we can order for you. I guarantee we will save you money and you will help The Country Club out at the same time. Talk about a great scenario.

When you are playing golf, if possible pair up with someone on the cart. If we see two people riding by themselves, you will be asked to pair up or pay for the extra cart. Our warranty is based on the hours a cart is used, the more carts go out, the quicker the warranty expires. Also, more carts mean more golf cart traffic, which means more damage. We need all the help that we can get in this matter. Thank you.

PLEASE CALL AHEAD FOR A TEE TIME! You can book a tee time up to one week in advance. Don't assume that just showing up that we will be able to get you out on the course. You can also book your tee time on our website, [www.thecountryclubatlakecity.com](http://www.thecountryclubatlakecity.com). Thank you for your cooperation.

Have you been a member for at least a year and want a \$50 credit on your account? We have given about 130 members this credit already! All we need is a credit card number to pay your account balance on the first of each month and an e-mail address for you to receive your statement and newsletter by e-mail only. Then you will receive a \$50 credit. Please let us know!

We need your help! Please drive the carts using the 90 Degree Rule. More importantly please keep the carts off the green slopes as much as possible. Golf cart traffic causes more damage than anything else on a golf course. Please fix the ball marks on the greens, yours and others, and please fill in all the divots with sand. We thank you for your cooperation.

If you receive your statement and newsletter by e-mail and still receive it by mail and don't want to or need to, please let us know so we can stop sending it in the mail. Our goal is to have everyone that has e-mail to receive their statement and newsletter by e-mail only. If you don't have e-mail, no problem. We thank you for your help.

If you ever have an issue with something, please don't hesitate to come and see me. If I am not around, please call my cell phone, 623-2833. I always look forward to talking to all of you. We thank you for your cooperation and support.

Carl Ste-Marie  
General Manager

**Please Call Ahead for a Tee Time**

# September 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Ladies Day 8:30	2 Blitz GOB Dinner	3 LGA 8:30	4 GOB	5 Breakfast Blitz 8:00 LGA 9:00
6 Sunday Blitz	7 GOB	8 Ladies Day 8:30	9 Blitz GOB Dinner	10 LGA 8:30	11 GOB	12 Breakfast Blitz 8:00 LGA 9:00
13 Sunday Blitz	14 GOB	15 Ladies Day 8:30	16 Blitz GOB Dinner	17 LGA 8:30	18 GOB	19 Breakfast The Rountree
20 The Rountree	21 GOB	22 Ladies Day 8:30	23 Blitz GOB Dinner	24 LGA 8:30 GOB	25 Kiwanis 1:00	26 Breakfast Blitz 8:00 LGA 9:00
27 Sunday Blitz	28 GOB	29 Ladies Day 8:30	30 Blitz GOB Dinner	1 LGA 8:30	2 GOB	3 Breakfast Blitz 8:00 LGA 9:00

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**Sept 25 - Kiwanis Club**

**Oct 9 - New Millennium**

**Oct 10 - The MGA Cup**

**Oct 13 - Gator League**

**Oct 13 - SHS District**

**Oct 17 - PCERA**

**Oct 21 - Live Oak Homes**

**Oct 22 - AmeriCredit**

**Oct 24-25 - Club Champ**

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