

# *The Country Club News*

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## **The Rountree**

The Rountree is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, October 20th and 21st. The format is two-man best ball with gross and net winners. Partners must be within 10 shots of each other. There are two levels of sponsorships; there are GOLD (\$750) and HOLE (\$100). If you are interested, please call Carl. The entry fee is \$125 for members and \$145 for non-members which includes Breakfast, Golf and Lunch on Saturday and Sunday and the opportunity to win club bucks. Mark your calendar, get your partner and don't miss out on one of the best tournaments!

## **Labor Day Blitz**

The Labor Day Blitz is on September 3rd. The entry fee is \$30, which \$15 is for the blitz and \$15 is for carryover skins game. It is open to anyone and anytime, but you must play with someone else. Don't miss!

**Please Keep Carts Off  
Fairways & Slopes**

## **Club Championship**

The Club Championship is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, September 29th and 30th. The entry fee is \$40 per person plus your cart fees. Please call the pro shop for more info or to sign up. Who will become THE CHAMP?

**Thank You for  
Continued Support**

## **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
- Play only the holes you paid for!
- Only ride in cart if you paid for it!

**THANK YOU**

**Call for a Tee Time**

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# On the Course with Doyle

Tremendous progress was made over the last couple of months. We increased fertility, received an adequate amount of rainfall, kept the course relatively insect free, and last but not most important had your cooperation with cart traffic. Last month we fertilized all the problematic fairways, all tees and most of the green surrounds to generate healthy turf going in to the fall. The turf has always experienced some decline as the days get shorter and temperatures start to drop. Hopefully this year the winter will be mild and we can retain good turf coverage throughout the season. Also last month we made some isolated herbicide applications to remove Goosegrass. There are not many herbicides that are very effective on this weed and some that are effective have side effects. The herbicide will cause yellowing or whitening on Bermuda grass. Some varieties of Bermuda are tolerant of this herbicide while others not so much. We have multiple varieties of Bermuda grass on the course which is why the application is more noticeable on certain holes. Eighteen fairway, for example, has multiple types which is why some areas are a little yellow and some are very yellow. Number two fairway was treated the same day and received only moderate yellowing. The turf will recover and our second treatment on the more impacted areas will be by hand application only. Until the turf has healed please keep cart traffic to a minimum on these holes. Thank you.

Doyle Worthington Jr.

**September 3 - Labor Day Blitz**

**September 29-30 - Club Championship**

**October 5 - Moon Golf**

**October 6 - NERA - Closed until 1:00**

# **Straight from Carl's Desk**

We have one outing that affect tee times this month. We have the NERA on October 6th that will close the course until 1:00 PM. We apologize for any inconvenience and we thank you in advance for your understanding.

Mark your calendar for The Rountree on October 20th and 21st. Sponsorships for The Rountree Board are available. If you are interested, please give me a call.

It is strongly encouraged to make a tee time before coming out to play. Just because you play every Thursday at 10:00 does not mean that you will be able to play at that time. We apologize for any inconvenience this might cause you.

Please help Doyle out by KEEPING THE CARTS OFF THE FAIRWAYS & 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. This is a very important time for the golf course and we need your help! We thank you for your cooperation.

When buying something from the pro shop on your account or using Carl Bucks, please make sure the pro shop attendant records it properly. It is real hard for them to remember who it was that made the purchase and what it was they bought. Thank you in advance.

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.

General Manager  
Carl Ste-Marie

**October 9 - Gator League**

**October 16 & 23 - High School Districts & Regionals**

**October 20-21 - The Rountree**

# September 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Sunday Blitz	3 Labor Day Blitz GOB Poker	4 Ladies Day	5 Blitz GOB Dinner	6	7 GOB	8 Breakfast Blitz Ladies
9 Sunday Blitz	10 GOB Poker	11 Ladies Day	12 Blitz GOB Dinner	13	14 GOB	15 Breakfast Blitz Ladies
16 Sunday Blitz	17 GOB Poker	18 Ladies Day	19 Blitz GOB Dinner	20	21 GOB	22 Breakfast Blitz Ladies
23 Sunday Blitz	24 GOB Poker	25 Ladies Day	26 Blitz GOB Dinner	27	28 GOB	29 Breakfast Club Champ First Round
30 Club Champ Final Round	1 GOB Poker	2 Ladies Day	3 Blitz GOB Dinner	4	5 GOB Dinner Moon Golf	6 Breakfast NERA Closed til 1:00

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AT LAKE CITY

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**Sept 29-30 - Club Champ**  
**Oct 5 - Moon Golf**  
**Oct 6 - NERA**  
**Oct 20-21 - The Rountree**

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