

FALL OCTOBER 2017 EDITION

the  
**Divot Digest**

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## EXPERIENCE ALL THE COLORS OF FALL AT BCC

Fall weather is among us so grab your clubs, your jackets, and your friends! Come on out to the Club to enjoy the beautiful fall colors on the Course or from the Clubhouse. Enjoy a football game on the big screen or a wonderful fall lunch or dinner!

### Save the Date!

#### **PRESIDENT'S CUP**

**October 7th & 8th**

Sign up in the hallway ASAP! See Below for Details.



## October Hours

Fall is in the air and what better weather to get your golf game perfected, enjoy a fall favorite beverage, or grab dinner while taking in the beauty of the fall colors of the Club. No jeans for golf and quality denim preferred in the clubhouse. Collared Shirts/mock required for men – styled blouse/collared shirts for women.

#### **Club House Hours:**

Monday – CLOSED

Tues – Thur 10:00am – 8:00pm

Friday 10:00am – 9:00pm

Sat 9:00am -- ???

Sun 9:00am – 7:00pm

#### **Pro Shop Hours:**

Monday – CLOSED

Tues – Fri 9:00am – Dusk

Sat & Sun 8:30am – Dusk

**Driving Range:** closes on Oct. 10th

### **FROM THE OFFICE**

Members you need to change the address for Bridgeport Country Club.

**NEW ADDRESS --- 382  
Meadowbrook Road**

## From the Club House



September was a fun month for food and beverage with several weddings, showers, dinners and events on the banquet side. Keep us in mind for any of your catering needs.

Believe it or not it's October and that means we will be making fresh homemade soups daily. We have also added a Prime Rib sandwich or Prime Rib wrap to our every day menu. We hope you get the opportunity to stop in and try these new items.



Keep us in mind for all of your tailgating needs. It's also not too early to plan your Christmas party.

We look forward to having the opportunity to serve you here at your club.

## Have Your Next Family or Company Event Here!

Many businesses are utilizing the banquet room for luncheons, meetings and parties. Let us know if we can accommodate your company's needs. You can also plan your family gathering or next family Birthday at the Club. AND, with the impeccable scenery at the Club during the holidays – it's not too late to book your office holiday party now – CALL TODAY - bookings go fast!



## MENS GOLF

President's Cup Tournament is scheduled for **October 7th & 8th**. 2-Man Team must have a combined team handicap of 20 or higher. Sign up in the hallway or call the Pro Shop.

Congratulations to our **Pick Your 4 Winners--** Brent Cvechko, Rezin Hudkins, Brian Paugh and Steve Teel



**MGA SHOOTOUT-** October 15th. Top 20 in MGA Point Standings

**Driving Range** will close for the season on Sunday, October 10th. We will be aerifying, seeding and topdressing the range tee which will remain closed until spring of 2018.

**Two-Man Match Play Champions:**  
Jack Lane and Richard Stamm  
Great playing all season Gentlemen!



## From the Office

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Those of you who pay your bill online, need to go in and correct the address. The Post Office is sending notices out about our address and I have had some returned for the wrong address. This has caused payments not to be made as scheduled.

**PLEASE WELCOME THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS TO OUR CLUB**

Matthew and April Stewart  
Benjamin Blundell



## WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION OF BCC



*Women's Club Champion:  
Haeley Harman*



*First Flight Winner:  
Cindy Davis*



*Second Flight Winner:  
Mary Ann Renzelli*



*Handicap Tournament Winner:  
Robin Ward*

On September 12, the Women's Golf Association played Bingo, Bango, Bongo. Participants were awarded a point each for first on the green, closest to the pin and first in the hole. Cindy Davis won for the 18-hole group and Rita Robbins won for the 9-hole group. On September 19, the format was Hate that Hole. Mary Ann Renzelli and Kathy George tied. On September 26, the format was Low Gross, Low net. Rita Robbins and Gloria Hawkins won for the 9-hole group and Caroline Ramsey and Cindy Davis won for the 18-hole group.

The Women's Golf Association's handicap tournament has drawn to a close for another year. Robin Ward and Barb Riggelman battled in the championship match on Wednesday, September 27. Robin was victorious. Congratulations to everyone who participated in the tournament!

The Women's Golf Association held their club championship on the weekend of September 30 and October 1. Twelve golfers participated in the championship. The club Championship was won by Haeley Harman with a two-day total of 172, one shot better than defending champ, Caroline Ramsey. First Flight winner was Cindy Davis with a two-day total of 207. Second Flight winner was Mary Ann Renzelli with a two-day total of 221. Congratulations to all the golfers!

The Women's Golf Association held their end of season 9-Hole event, luncheon and awards on Tuesday, October 3. The format for the event was 3/3/3 – three holes each of best ball, scramble and alternating shot.

Yearly awards were presented to the following people: WV Pin, Barbara Riggelman; President's Cup, Barbara Riggelman; Handicap Tournament Winner, Robin Ward; Handicap Tournament Runner-up, Barbara Riggelman; Most Improved Golfer from the Red Tees (49 strokes), Mary Ann Renzelli; Most Improved Golfer from the Silver Tees (44 strokes), Rita Robbins; and Most Pars (21) and Most Birdies (5) went to Kathy George.

Golf balls were presented for the weekly play on Tuesdays. Rita Robbins was the top winner with 9; Cindy Davis, Kathy George and Barbara Riggelman each received 4; Pam Payne, Becky Fresa, Mary Ann Renzelli, and Gloria Hawkins each received 2; and Caroline Ramsey received 1. Congratulations to all the winners!

A short meeting was held after the awards. President and Treasurer, Kathy George and Vice President, Rita Robbins agreed to stay in their positions for another year. The membership was given a copy of the 2017 financial statement for the organization.

Tuesday golf will continue weather permitting in October beginning at 10:00 a.m. Please meet in the ladies locker room by 9:30 so that groups can be set up.

**There will be a meeting sometime in October to plan for the 2018 season. We will inform everyone when that will take place.**

## FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

Below are some pictures from our Fall Aerification of our Greens. Thank you for your patience as this process will help improve the overall health of the turf for the future!



## Board Report

Dear Bridgeport Country Club Members,

We have agreed and signed the new loan agreement with Clear Mountain Bank. We the Board of Directors wish to thank some key people who made this happen.

Tim Stout V.P. Clear Mountain Bank and Carol Johnson, Commercial Loan officer have worked to save us money with our new loan. They have saved us about \$8,000 in fees and we say a huge thank you. Doug Cornelius, Attorney for our Title, saved us in his fee for service. We thank you Doug for this and advice in the past.

We will have the New Roof under construction soon and the paving will follow. Golf Maintenance has received two new John Deere Greens mowers and a Greens Roller. Shawn Jeffries, Golf Course Superintendent, is making improvements with our course and these tools will help.

Our Pro Shop and Food & Beverage Mgr., V.J. Baldini, has had a great month of food sales in August. We thank all our Staff for their efforts.

Thank you Members for your patronage!

Sincerely,

Mark Cantrell, President



*Signing New Loan (L-R) Carol Johnson, Mark Cantrell, Tim Stout and Ted Lopez*

## CONTRIBUTE TO THE DIVOT DIGEST

PLEASE, if you have any exciting information to share or make a good memory at the Club, simply send those to Mike Gervais [mgervaispga@gmail.com](mailto:mgervaispga@gmail.com) Pictures are especially useful. Thank you for your Membership!