# JUNE NEWSLETTER



Indian Summer Golf & Country Club



# PRIME RIB

Join us every Friday night at Embers Dining Room & Lounge for an 8, 10, or 12 oz. cut of ultra-tender Prime Rib hand-carved by our chef.

# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Brenda Barker Lyn Matson Mike Frost Tim Thrasher

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#### CLUB UPDATE

A big thank you from the Washington Interscholastic Activities
Association to our members and team at Indian Summer. We hosted
the 4A Boys State Championship this past week, and the feedback
could not have been better. A special thanks to all our member
volunteers who helped with spectators, finding hard to see balls, and
getting the Boys off the number 1 and 10 tees. Thank you!



### REMINDERS FROM THE GOLF COMMITTEE

- The Indian Summer Women's Club is underway, but it is not too late to join! We have a very busy season with lots of golfing opportunities. For questions on joining Women's Golf Club or on any upcoming events, please contact Lisa McCauley at 206-940-4518 or lisamccauley@comcast.net
- As we start up Men's Day on Wednesdays from 8-11am, we have a new process to book tee times. This year, instead of using Chronogolf LightSpeed to make a tee time on Wednesdays from 8-11am, you will go to https://www.golfgenius.com/ggid/nmtvqh and use GGID NMTVQH, or you can call the Golf Shop at 360-459-3772. You do not need to be part of the Men's Club to participate on Wednesdays during this 3-hour block.

#### **CLUB EVENTS**

THURSDAY, JUNE 2 SIP & CHIP

JUNE 3-4 WOMEN'S MEMBER-MEMBER

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8
CALLAWAY FITTING DAY

JUNE 10-12 MEN'S MEMBER-MEMBER

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15**TAYLORMADE DEMO DAY

THURSDAY, JUNE 16
REIDEL GLASSWARE DEMO &
TASTING

FRIDAY, JUNE 17
COUPLES NINE & DINE

THURSDAY, JUNE 30 THIRSTY THURSDAY BEERS & BRATS



#### **GOLF HOURS**

**GOLF SHOP** 

MON 8:30am-6:30pm

TUE-SUN 6:30am-6:30pm

PRACTICE FACILITY

MON 8:15am-7:00pm

TUE-SAT 6:15am-7:00pm

SUN 6:15am-6:00pm

FIRST TEE TIMES

MON 9:00am TUE-FRI 7:00am

For golf inquiries:

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#### **GOLF SHOP NEWS**

Is it June? Wow, what a wet month we had in May. Despite the weather, we were able to get a few things accomplished at the club. Fortunately, other than the first weekend, the rest of the weekends were pretty playable. The IS Cup was contested under bright blue sunshine, and the High School State Championships were completed with pretty terrific weather. Our Women's Club tournament was also a great day, and while the first Sip & Chip had to be moved indoors, we were able to have some Margaritas (it was Cinco de Mayo after all) and a putting competition. June brings more activity around the club, including:

**June 2:** Evergreen Christian Fundraiser Tournament. The course will open at 2:30pm

June 3-4: Women's Member-Member Event

June 8: Callaway Fitting Day

June 10-12: Men's Member-Member Event

**June 15:** US Open Tournament! Open to all club members, details for this change in procedure to follow.

June 15: TaylorMade Demo Day

June 17: Couples Club 5:30pm Shotgun

June 19: Father's Day

There are plenty of opportunities for you all to get out and enjoy our great property, and the golf course continues to be in great condition!

Putters, golf balls, gloves, and bags! Some of these things have been difficult to get over the past couple of years, but we have a good selection of all of your "need to play" items. If you have been thinking of a new bag, or put off buying one due to lack of supply,

### JR. GOLF UPDATE

We have a couple of PGA Jr. Camps on the schedule now! Please visit the link below for information. We are also very close to going live with our PGA Jr. League sign-ups. Be on the lookout for this in the coming days!

https://pgajuniorgolfcamps.com/camp-locations/indian-sum-mer-golf-country-club-olympia-washington/





# MEN'S & WOMEN'S DAYS

Every Tuesday is Women's Day from 8-11am.

Every Wednesday is Men's Day from 8-11am.

#### **TURF TALK**

The weather is beginning to change from mostly rain to hints of sunshine and showers. In April, we measured 6.2" of rainfall and 3.75" in May, with more rain in the forecast. The combination of rapid spring growth and frequent rain has put us slightly behind schedule for thoroughly mowing out the golf course. Much anticipated dry conditions will enable us to mow aggressively and blow clippings. After a couple of weeks of dry weather, the rough should be back under control. We have been able to remove most of the directional ropes after several consecutive days without rain.

In May, the bunkers were edged and weeded, tee and fairway stones were edged along with the rock beds that encompass the ball-washers. We were also able to edge sprinklers and valves during the inclement weather in early May when it was too wet to mow. The tees are scheduled to be fertilized in June, and the fairways will follow two weeks later to stagger the growth surge.

From a project standpoint, we will continue to sand and seed bare pockets of turf around the golf course that have been damaged due to the excessive moisture and equipment traffic. We will continue to work on the thin pockets of turf throughout the summer months as needed.

Over the winter, we upgraded the Toro green mower cutting units from 11 blade to 14 blade reels; this increases the frequency of clip and quality of cut on the greens. From our initial observations and member feedback, the greens are smoother and rolling very nicely. Once we get our seasonal team members trained, we plan on putting the green roller back into a weekly rotation. Here's to another great season of golf!

- Rick Hancock, Superintendent

# FOR THE COCKTAIL CONNOISSEUR

#### The Boulevardier

This cocktail traces its roots to Erskine Gwynne, an American socialite who, in the early 20th century, expatriated to Paris and founded the literary magazine Boulevardier. Gwynne is first credited with its creation in Scottish bartender Harry McElhone's 1927 recipe collection, Bar Flies and Cocktails. The Boulevardier has an identical formula to the classic Negroni but simply swaps the gin for bourbon.



#### Ingredients

- 1.5 oz. Bourbon
- 1 oz. Campari
- 1 oz. Sweet Vermouth (preferably Carpano Antica)

Combine ingredients over plenty of ice in a mixing glass, **do not shake**, then strain and pour inot a chilled coupe or cocktail glass. Garnish with lemon twist, orange twist, or a cherry.

#### PRIME RIB NIGHT

#### **Every Friday Night**

Join us every Friday night at Embers Dining Room & Lounge for an 8, 10, or 12 oz. cut of ultra-tender Prime Rib hand-carved by our chef. Try pairing yours with a selection from our wine list! All Prime Rib dinners are served with seasonal vegetables and your choice of a baked potato, mashed potatoes, or rice.

# REIDEL GLASSWARE DEMO & TASTING

#### Thursday, June 16

Wine Club is hosting our yearly Reidel glassware demo and tasting, we hope to see you there!

# SOMMELIER SERIES

#### Thursday, June 23

We're looking forward to this event featuring a seminar and tasting of some very special wines from Spain. Conact lan at ians@indiansummergolf.com to reserve your spot!

For social & dining inquiries:

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ians@indiansummergolf.com

#### **DINING HOURS**

MON Closed

TUE 11:00am-8:00pm

WED-THU 11:00am-8:00pm

FRI-SAT 11:00am-9:00pm

SUN 11:00am-6:00pm







### **EMBERS UPDATE**

Now that the weather looks to finally be improving (better late than never, right?), the brand new Indian Summer Refreshment Cart was able to make its maiden voyage of the season. Piloted expertly by Jaeley, the newest member of the crew, she greeted many golfers with beverages and snacks while kicking off the Men's Club Indian Summer Cup late last month. Almost simultaneously, Shady Oaks executed a "soft open" during the same weekend. Please be sure to visit Olivia, our next-to-newest team member, who has been crushing it behind the snack bar counter like a seasoned veteran after only a few short shifts under her belt. Honestly, the most promising start we've seen in years.

As always, Thirsty Thursday was a solid hit, as well as its partnered promotion Brews & Bros (honestly, you didn't think we were going to serve Brats every month, did you?). These events will both occur again on June 30. I'm also excited to announce that Wine Club will host our yearly Reidel glassware demo and tasting on June 16. On June 23, we will host another installment of the Sommelier Series featuring a seminar and tasting of some very special wines from Spain. So, as you've hopefully come to expect, there are lots of fun activities on the horizon. Don't forget to email me (ians@indiansummergolf.com) to reserve your spot for any and all of these upcoming events. A very sincere THANK YOU goes out to everyone visiting us frequently at the Embers Lounge & Restaurant during these uncertain times. Chef Mike, myself, and all the team members on our crews are very appreciative of the support, and we hope to see you all very soon. Cheers!

— Ian Shulman, Food & Beverage Manager

## **JUNE**

| Sun                | Mon | Tues                        | Wed  | Thu  | Fri  | Sat                                |
|--------------------|-----|-----------------------------|--|--|--|------------------------------------|
|                    |     | Women's Day<br>8-11am       | 1<br>Men's Day<br>8-11am   | Outside Golf<br>Tournament:<br>Course opens at<br>2:30pm<br>Sip & Chip | Women's Club<br>Member-Member<br>Prime Rib Night | 4<br>Women's Club<br>Member-Member |
| 5                  | 6   | 7<br>Women's Day<br>8-11 am | 8<br>Callaway Fitting<br>Day<br>Men's Day<br>8-11am                    | 9  | Men's Club<br>Member-Member<br>Prime Rib Night   | Men's Club<br>Member-Member        |
| 12                 | 13  | 14<br>Women's Day<br>8-11am | US Open<br>Tournament<br>TaylorMade<br>Demo Day<br>Men's Day<br>8-11am | Reidel Glassware<br>Demo and<br>Tasting                                | Couples Nine & Dine Prime Rib Night              | 18                                 |
| 19<br>Father's Day | 20  | 21<br>Women's Day<br>8-11am | 22<br>Men's Day<br>8-11am  | 23<br>Sommelier Series   | 24 Prime Rib Night                               | 25                                 |
| 26                 | 27  | 28<br>Women's Day<br>8-11am | 29   | 30<br>Thirsday<br>Thursday<br>Brats & Brews                            |  |                                    |

### INFORMATION

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