



April

## APRIL NEWSLETTER



### A MESSAGE FROM YOUR NEW BOARD PRESIDENT:

Welcome Carroll Country Club members. As I write this I am anxiously awaiting the opening of the golf course as you probably are. When you receive this, I hope the course is open and golf is in full swing. One of our goals this year is to get more rounds played at the course. The more people that play the more excitement and fun. Nate has come up with some great ideas to help in this area.

We also need more members every year. We will be doing the same membership drive as last year. It has proven to work and we always end up with a net gain of membership. It also greatly helps our profitability. This year we are going to add a member benefit. If a member brings in a new member they will receive \$100 credit for a golf member and \$50 credit for a social member. Nate will send out this information so you can start recruiting. There are so many reasons to be a member I don't have space to list them all.

We have a great Board of Directors this year and will work very hard for you. Welcome our new board members, Stacy Boyer, Jair Mayhall, and Kyle Atkinson. If you have anything to make the club better let us know.

May all your shots hit fairways and greens.

Looking forward to a great year,

Randy Hockom

**Check out the changes to the website!!**

### CLUB UPDATES:

The golf season is here. Can you believe it? It is going to be a great golf season. I have organized a special Match Play event that will occur throughout the summer and Cleveland Golf is sponsoring the event with gloves, hats, wedges, and balls. I also have an exciting summer tournament similar to the FedEx Cup on the PGA Tour. TaylorMade is sponsoring this event and will give a FREE set of irons to the winner, FREE driver to the runner-up, and a FREE hybrid to third place. More details to come!

We will be switching the menu to a more casual bar and grill setting for the summer demand starting April 15<sup>th</sup>. There are some tasty new menu items for you to try. The kitchen will be open Tuesday through Saturday, every night, starting at 5:30PM. Pizzas, sandwiches, salads, new appetizers, and a few steaks are available Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. We will still have prime rib, steaks, fish, pasta, etc. on Friday and Saturday, but the monthly specials will vary. We will switch back October 15<sup>th</sup> to a more formal, full menu as we currently have.

Dave Schroer resigned mid-March. We spread out his responsibilities and now welcome our new bar manager, Jason Scranton. He is doing an excellent job for us. We also added a little weight or responsibility to Brenda Stickrod as she will now be our Event Planner /Assistant General Manager. Please congratulate them.

We are looking for a memorable summer, so if you have any ideas please fill out the survey that was included with the newsletter. On the backside of the survey is a pro shop service discount offer. Take a look and sign up for the service that best fit your needs.

Lastly, we have the 2009 Membership Drive going until April 15<sup>th</sup>. Members who sponsor new members to join will receive \$100 credit for a new golf member and \$50 for a new social member. Start selling the CCC and you can make some money!

Thanks and do not forget to come out for the EASTER SUNDAY BRUNCH from 9-2PM, April 12<sup>th</sup>!

Nate Pettitt, GM & Head Golf Pro

**Monthly Newsletter Trivia: The first person to e-mail Brenda (Brenda@carrollcountryclub.com) the correct answer wins a prize!**

**What is the standard diameter of a golf hole?**

## GOLF COURSE NEWS:

I am sure by now everyone has heard that the golf course is open. We opened the golf course for walking on March 25 and allowed carts out the following day. Now we just need warm weather to be able to get out and enjoy the golf course again.

The drainage that was installed last fall on #7 appears to be working just fine. This new system was designed to work better than the old drainage system ever did. In fact, this new system gives us the flexibility to add drainage tile as needed to remove the surface water even faster than we were ever capable of before. Also, last November we installed some drainage tile in #5 fairway. From what I have seen so far this spring, I am cautiously optimistic that the limited amount of tile we installed will make a noticeable difference. I have yet to see any standing water in either of these areas since the frost has gone out of the ground. That is a good start.

The Country Club has always maintained an area on the far end of the driving range for the club to dispose of brush, limbs and such burnable items. Over the last year this area has been getting to be an area that some people have decided to use as a dump. This costs the club time and money to pick up and properly dispose of these items. I brought this up at the last meeting of the Board of Directors and the decision was made to post the area for Country Club use only. Now I am not saying that it was club members who abused this area as I have no knowledge as to who it could have been but please respect this new policy. Thank you.

Good to be golfing again,  
Jim VonAhn, CGCS

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**April 3rd-New Member Open House-7PM**

**April 7th-Men's League Meeting-7PM**

**April 8th-Family Night-**

**Easter Egg Hunt/Dye Easter Eggs-5:30-8:30PM**

**April 12th-Easter Brunch-9AM-2PM**

**April 15th-Start Summer Hours/Seasonal Menu Change.**

**April 21st-Men's Par 3 Derby**

**April 28th-Men's League Starts**

**April 29th-Ladies' League Meeting and Trunk Show-7PM**

**May 2nd-KHS Girls Invite-Course Opens at 2 PM**

## EASTER BRUNCH MENU

Slow Roasted Prime Rib  
Pork Sirloin Steaks  
Fried Shrimp

Mashed Potatoes  
Cheesy Potato Casserole  
Home Fries

Cinnamon Rolls  
Croissants  
Shaved Ham for Sandwich

Scrambled Eggs  
Bacon  
Sausage  
French Toast Sticks

*All nonalcoholic drinks are FREE with buffet.*

Adults: \$14.95 Kids: \$6.95

*There will be a special fish menu until the end of Lent.*

*Look For The Updated Summer Menu Starting April 15th.*

Salmon, Mahi Mahi, Fish N Chips, Flounder, Walleye, Fresh Shark, Tilapia

*All items are available grilled, blackened, or Jamaican jerked.*

*Try topping your fish with pico de gallo or fresh fruit salsa!*

