

The Bugle

September 2016

September Events Calendar

- 2-4 Labor Day Tournament
- 5 Labor Day Pool Party
- 5 Live Music feat. Ryan Desiato
- 6-7 Club (6th only) & Course Closed for Aerification
- 9 Fabulous Fun Family Friday
- 9 Live Music feat. Paul & Julian
- A Silver Affair (25+ Tenured Mbr Party Invite Only)
- 15 BCCWA Luncheon
- 16 Caddyshack Tournament & Movie
- 17 MGA Stableford Tournament
- 17 WGA Step-Aside Tournament
- 20 Volunteer Golf Course Workday
- 22 Member Appreciation Party
- 22 Live Music feat. Bubba Coltrane & The Trainwrecks
- 24-25 WGA Championship
- 25 Open House
- 25 Live Music feat. Huck Johnson & The Jackknives
- 28 Poker Night
- 30-10/2 Dawg Bowl Tournament

Caddyshack! The 9-Hole Scramble

Friday, September 16, 2016



Member Appreciation Party Find Your Way to Fall Thursday, September 22

New Member Reception 5:30-6:00 pm Party 6:00-8:00 pm

Live music featuring
Bubba Coltrane & the Trainwrecks

Bounce Houses & Obstacle Course \$1.00 off all drinks





Pro's Corner

Who's ready for some football? September brings football and cooler weather, so come by the pro shop and get a shirt with the UT logo to show your support. Don't forget to call ahead and book tee times that will allow you to watch the game over at the 19th Hole. September is going to be an exciting month for golf so get ready for the Tour Championhip and the 2016 Ryder Cup. Go team USA and Hook 'em Horns!

Evert Thomas Head Pro



Save the Date

October 22-23

Jr. Club Championship

October 28, 29 and 30

Men's, Ladies, and Senior Club Championship

November 11



Volunteer Golf Course Workday Tuesday, September 20 5-7 pm

A two hour "Busy Bee" work day with members volunteering their time to help

with smaller items that take time away from our grounds crew.

September Golf Schedule

Events

2-4	1:30 SG 8:30 TT	Labor Day Tournament	
16	6:00 pm SG	Caddyshack Tournament	
17	8:30 SG	MGA Stableford Tournament	
17	8:30 SG	WGA Step-Aside	
24-25	8:30 TT	WGA Club Championship	
30-Oct. 2	12:00 SG 9:00 SG	Dawg Bowl	

Play Schedule

Mon	ALL	Course closed
Wed	9:00 am	WGA
Wed	6:00 pm	Nine & Dine (5:30 pm after Sept. 12th
Thurs	6:00 pm	Sundowners
Friday	6:00 pm	Honeymooners
Sun	9:45 am	Sunday Couples
Sun	3:00 pm	Sunday Swingers

Pro Shop 512-258-2775

Get the most current schedules on the Golf and Events Calendar Link https://goo.gl/O6G4ED

Look for the link in our weekly e-blast.

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Golf Academy

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Personalized Golf Clinic

Do you have a group of three or more people who would like to share time and work together as a group?

Check out the Balcones Golf Academy's junior golf information at Junior.Golf

Here is the link to the Junior.Golf platform: http://members.junior.golf/#/registration?key=Y2x1Yj05

Sunday Couples

This group is organized to promote husbands and wives or significant others or just friends (man and woman) enjoying a game of golf together. We play on Sunday morning at 9:45 unless the club has something else scheduled at that time. We also encourage after golf dining and social time together at the club. We allow all levels of golfers that can generally play the game, but we impose a maximum handicap of 28 for men and 32 for women. The fee for playing in couples golf is \$5.00 plus each person must have 5 quarters for closest to the pin on par threes. The game is generally a four person game chosen by the Committee (me and herself) and paring is such that the teams will be as equal as possible. If there are just a few couples participating, the game might be couple against couple. All monies are returned to winning players, but if you want to make a bunch, play with the giggle or gaggle. We try to have as many winners as money will allow. We are just here to have fun and enjoy each other's company. Contact Sloan or Juanita Brooks at sloan@sloan.net juan1941@swbell.net or 512-249-6777.

Honeymooners

Inviting all new BCC Golfing Couples to come out and meet other golfing couples.

We invite adult couples (husband/wife, significant others, mother/son, father/daughter, male/female friends) of varying skill levels to come out and play a nine hole, four person scramble golf event. The cost is just \$5.00 per person. Our goal is to pay out as many teams as we can within reason. We also give money for both the woman and man who gets closest to the pin on all par three's. We generally start around 5:30 p.m. (depending on the amount of daylight) each Friday evening beginning in the spring and winding up once Daylight Savings comes to an end. Afterward, we continue the camaraderie in the clubhouse where we meet for dinner and drinks. This is a great way for "new and old" to mix and develop friendships.

New golfing couples, please do not be intimidated. This is very low key. Don't have an established handicap or GHIN number.? No worries!

Our intent is to improve your enjoyment of our club and enjoy fellowship with other BCC Golfing Couples.

Contact Eloy Rodriguez for questions about the Honeymooners 512-695-4022.

September Clinic Schedule

\$15.00Adults/\$10.00 Juniors

Clinics

Tues	5:30-6:30 pm	Ladies Beginner	
Tues	6:30-7:30 pm	Men's Beginner	
Wed	4:30-5:30 pm	WGA Ladies Clinic	
Sat	9-10 am	Juniors ages 5-8	
Sat	10:15-11:15 am	Juniors ages 9-18	
Sat	1-2 pm	Ladies	
Sat	2:30-3:30 pm	Men's	

After School Fall Golf Schedule

Tues-Fri *4 pm - 5:30 pm*Saturday *10 am - 11:30 am*

- 1 day classes: \$70/four lessons/month.

 Available days (Tues-Thurs)
 - 2 day classes: \$130/eight lessons/ month. Available days (Tues-Fri)
- 3 day classes: \$175/twelve lessons/month. Available days (Tues-Fri)
- 4 day classes: \$215/sixteen lessons/ month. Available days (Tues-Sat)

September 6th-30th

October 3rd-29th

November 1st-30th

Contact JJ Jennings jjennings@centurygolf.com

Golf Associations

Come Play with Us! Women's Golf Association

Gail Buckley

balcones.wga@clubsteward.com

Website:

www.BalconesWGA.org

Men's Golf Association

Kevin Kriss

BalconesMGA@gmail.com

Website:

http://www.BalconesMGA.org

WGA's Nine & Dine

Every Wednesday at 6:00 pm Sign up online.

Sundowners

Every Thursday at 6:00 pm Sign up online.

Honeymooners
Every Friday at 6:00 pm
Sign up online.

Sunday Couples

Every Sunday at 9:45 am Sign up online.

Sunday Swingers

Every Sunday at 3:00 pm Sign up online.

Women's Golf Association

September:

9/12 Board Meeting

9/17 Step-Aside Tournament, 8:30 shotgun

9/23 WGA 50th Anniversary Celebration, 6-8PM

9/24 Club Championship Tournament, tee times starting at 8:30

9/25 Club Championship Tournament, Day 2, times starting at 8:30

October:

10/10 Board Meeting

10/15 Presentation of Slate of Officers for 2017, prior to tournament

10/15 Tournament, Format: Best Ball Foursome, 8:30 shotgun

November:

11/14 Board Meeting

11/19 Tournament, Scramble, 9:00 Shotgun

11/19 General Meeting with Election of Officers, following tournament

December:

12/15 WGA Christmas Party, 6:30

Men's Golf Association

September:

9/2 Labor Day Tournament Day 1, 1:30 shotgun

9/3 Labor Day Tournament Day 2, tee times starting at 8:30

9/4 Labor Day Tournament Day 3, tee times starting at 8:00

9/17 Stableford

9/30 Dawg Bowl Day 1, 12:00 shotgun

October:

10-1 Dawg Bowl Day 2, 9:00 shotgun

10/2 Dawg Bowl Day 3, 9:00 shotgun

10/15 Orange Ball - Shootout

10/28 Club Championship Day 1, tee times starting at 12:00

10/29 Club Championship Day 2, tee times starting at 9:00

10/30 Club Championship Day 3, tee times starting at 9:00

November:

11/19 TBD

December

12/10 Christmas Party



Food & Beverage

Pool kitchen will close down on Labor Day, Monday, September 5. A few highlights from your new Clubhouse Menu:

- ~ Crispy Onion Strings, Vegetable Egg Rolls, other ways to have your appetizers, and more
- ~ Additional specialty salads and you can order them half or whole sizes, and more
- ~ French dip, veggie burger, "Design your own sandwich", patty melt, wraps, and more

Come in and see for yourself. Your comments and suggestions are always welcome. Remember to be here for the POT OF GOLD every Wednesday night to enjoy the buffet and being with all your friends.

Thank you all for being members! Fran Korenak - Food & Beverage Director

Pot of Gold Buffet

Drawing Every Wednesday @ 7 pm Buffet 5-8pm

ALL NEW PRICING



\$7.99++Adults \$3.99++ Kids 6-12 FREE for kids 5 & under



Pro's Corner

Crazy August. That's all I can say about it. We finished the summer off with a splash! Can't remember that ever happening before. Such is Texas.

The kids are back in school and our fall season is getting underway. We are offering beginning and intermediate classes three days a week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The beginning elementary kids go from 3:30-4:30 p.m. and the intermediate kids go from 4:30-6:00 p.m. Thursdays will be Balcones Cup competition for the kids. This is included in lesson fees. The kids will get points for participation as well as their score points. Additionally, we'll be hosting several weekend tournaments for the kids throughout the fall. You can register your kids on the website at www.danwegertennis.com. Just click on the junior tennis page.

Our weekly leagues will continue throughout the fall. Men play on Monday nights at 7 p.m., ladies on Tuesday night at 7 p.m. and mixed on Thursdays at 7 p.m. If you are not on the rosters, just let me know and I will add you to the list. I send out a weekly blast, and if you want to play that week, just reply to the blast for confirmation. I will do the pairings the afternoon of the matches and send them out. Also, I will provide the balls for the matches. Cost per match is \$.75, to cover the balls. You will be billed at the end of the season for number of matches you played.

The USTA and WTTA season is also starting. We will have WTTA teams on Mondays and Wednesdays at 9 a.m., a ladies' 3.5 USTA on Thursdays at 9 a.m., a ladies' 3.0 and a 4.0 USTA team on Fridays at 9 a.m., a men's ATL Flight 2 on Saturdays at noon, a men's 4.0 USTA on Sundays at 1 p.m. and a men's 3.5 USTA team on Sundays at 4 p.m. It's going to be a busy season.

September's burger and beer will be held on Saturday, September 24th at 9 a.m. This is a very fun, social event for all levels. Cost is \$12 and includes tennis, door prizes, beverages, snacks and lunch. Deadline for entering is Friday, September 23rd.

The singles ladders are back for the fall. We have two ladders, A is 4.0+ and B is 3.0-3.5 levels. They are open to both men and women. Simply sign up on the Global Tennis Network and I will do pairings every couple of weeks. Once you've played your match, simply record the scores on the GTN. It'll keep track of your ranking.

Our weekly free member clinics will remain the same. Wednesday night at 7 p.m. for inter/adv, Thursdays at 8:30 a.m. for intermediate women, Saturdays at 8:30 a.m. for beginning adults, Saturdays at 9:30 a.m. for inter/adv, and Sundays at 9:30 a.m. for advanced hardcore. No signup needed, just show

Dan Weger, Director of Tennis balconestennis@gmail.com
Dan's Cell: (512) 413-9871

Website: www.danwegertennis.com

September Tennis Schedule				
Events				
20	9:00 am	Burgers & Beer		
	Leagues and	d Clinics		
Mon	7 pm	Men's League		
	6-7 pm	Beginning Adult Class (\$7.00)		
Tues	7 pm	Women's Night Play		
Wed	7-8 pm	Free Adult Inter/ Adv Drill		
Thurs	8:30-9:30 am	Free		
	9-11 am	Intermediate Ladies Clinic		
		Women's 3.5 UTSA		
Fri	6:30 pm	Friday Night Mixed Social		
Sat	8:30-9:30 am	Free Beginning		
	9:30-10:30 am	Adult Clinic		
		Free Inter/Adv Drill		
Sun	9:30-10:30 am	Free Advanced Hardcore Drill		

Tennis Center 512-413-9871

Friend us at Balcones Country Club on Facebook to keep up to date on all events.

Meet our newest members!

Thank you Sponsors!

Tony & Juanita
Johnson
Dave & Karen
DeLong
Mark & Elaine
Valente
Brent & Joanna
Weber
Lance Parisher
John & Sara

Sweitzer
Qizhi Lin & Huai Pan
Joey & Gwen Mactal
David & Kimmie
Voorhees
Brian & Julia Betts
Clancy Rose &
Dawn Robinette
Trey & Julia Allen
James & Pamela

Collier
Scott Johnson &
Lynn Ludden
Brian & Lori Dailey
Brendan & Cassie
McLaughlin
Tom Gregorski &
Patricia Lewis
Hugh & Julia
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Mary Battaglia
Scott Studer & Zachary Wiederhold
Kevin Kriss
Brendan McLaughlin
Chris Nickens
Tom Gregorski
Scott Yost

2016 Partner's Invitational Leader Board

First Place with 11 points:

Renee Harvey Rodriguez

Tied for 2nd Place with 6 points:

Scott Chen, John Winfrey, Todd MaccKenzie

5th Place with 5 points:

Kevin Kriss, Scott Yost

Tied for 6th Place with 4 points:

Charles Abernathy, Jim Cotton, David Cumming, Jamie Doyle,

Jay Lea, Roger Priebe, Rich Willis

How do you earn points and go to PGA National? Points add up by sponsoring new members...Here's the breakdown...

Sponsor a new full golf member = 2 points, Sponsor a new "full golf preview" member = 1 point, A "full golf preview" member you sponsored converts to full member = 1 point, and Sponsor a current social or tennis member to upgrade to golf = 1 point. You can earn points all the way through Labor Day weekend!

Contact Lisa to host a friend and invite them to join you here at Balcones!

Board of Governors

Nominations...

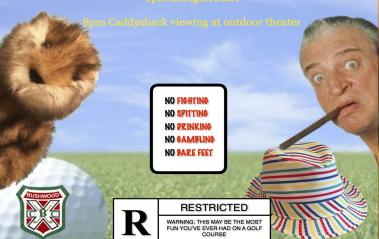
August and September is the time of year where your Board of Governor's reaches out to membership to find those individual's who are striving to make a difference with our club through membership on the BOG for the 2017 and 2018 calendar year. We are a body that is made up of at large members as well Committee Chairs that represent membership interests in improving our club whether it be through club activities, prioritizing maintenance or club enhancements. If this is you or you know someone who you feel represents the best of what Balcones has to offer, please put them in contact with any of the Board

John Winfrey, Board of Governors Chairman

Events & Activities

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Bounce Houses & Obstacle Course \$1.00 off all drinks

Complimentary domestic beer or house wine with drink ticket.

Members only. Guest invitations are available through Lisa in the Membership Office.

Golfers bring your guests to golf for free (cart fee only).





Ladies Night

Tuesday, Sept. 27th 6 pm



Wine Glass Painting

Ladies, come join us for a painting party! This month's ladies night will consist of a wine glass painting party for a memorable girl's night out taught by Laurie Ash! Limited to 15 ladies.

\$25.00 ++

Includes appetizers & art supplies

Members only.

Guest invitations are available through Lisa in the Membership Office.



Take the time to plan ahead and book for your...

Staff Retreats School Banquets Faculty Meetings Athletic Banquets
Fundraisers Graduation Celebrations

No matter the school function or event, our Catering Staff can help make all the arrangements, so you can relax and enjoy. Plus, Balcones' Catering Department can help you:

Book the D.J./Band • Decorate the Room • Order the Cake Select the Menu • Get a Photographer • Order Party Favors Hire Entertainment & Just About Anything Else!!!

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR EARLY BOOKING INCENTIVES

Contact Natalie Bratcher today at 512.258.9890, or email her at nbratcher@balconescountryclub.com, to check available dates and for further information.

Member to Member



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Clubs Within a Club

Get to Know Gen X

Hope everyone is settling back into a routine with summer vacations over and school back in session. But that also means . . . FOOTBALL and FALL! My favorite time of year. So let's kick if off with the UT vs. Notre Dame Tailgate & Game Watch this Sunday the 4th. Even if you aren't a Longhorn - wear your favorite team jersey and kick off the football season with your BCC family! Also, be sure to get your 4-player team lined up for the Caddyshack Golf Scramble (Sept. 16th). I know there are lots of fun things planned for this . . . trust me you do NOT want to miss this one. Thank you to everyone who came to the Last Sip of Summer party. Thank you Natalie for such a great party!

Fun Fridays continue and Halloween Kids & Adult parties are in the planning stages. Keep an eye out! Mission Playscape is still in full swing - our next targeted fundraiser is Glow Golf & Party on 11/11. 2 player best ball - no experience preferred! We will have a Shotgun start at 7pm. 10 hole (including the "signature hole" putting green Par 3 course set up. Be on the lookout for more details and rsvp deadline.

Thanks for being a member! My best to each of you,

Renee Harvey Rodriguez

Gen X Committee Chair

Phase 3 Fitness Camps

Monday - Friday

5:45am, 7:00am, 8:15am, 6:00pm, & 7:15pm

Saturday 9:00am

Martin Cowen 512-888-3308 austinphase3fitness.com



Clubs within the Club Contacts

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Sunday	Monday Save	Tuesday the Date	Wednesday	Thursday 1) Craft Beer Thursdays	Friday 2) Labor Day Tournament	Saturday 3) Labor Day Tournament
29th - Adult Halloween Party 30 - Kid's Carnival		Sundowners 6:00 pm	Honeymooners 6:00 pm Weekend Happy Hour	8:30 TT Weekend Happy Hour		
4) Labor Day Tournament 8:00 TT TX vs. Notre Dame Tailgate 6:30 pm Brunch 10:30-2pm Sunday Swingers 3 pm Weekend Happy Hour	Fun Run Fun Run 12-3 pm Ryan Desiato	6) Club & Course Closed Aerification	7) Course Closed for Aerification POG Dinner & Drawing 7pm Wine Weds.	8) Canasta Craft Beer Thursdays Sundowners 6:00 pm	9) Fab Fun Family Friday 5-8 pm Fusic Paul & Julian Honeymooners 6:00 pm Weekend Happy Hour	10) Weekend Happy Hour
11) Brunch 10:30-2pm Sunday Swingers 3 pm Weekend Happy Hour	12) Club & Course Closed	13)A Silver Affair 7-10 pm (Invite only) Bible Study Gen X Meeting Golf Committee Texas Tuesdays	9am TT Nine & Dine 6:00 POG Dinner & Drawing 7pm Wine Weds. BOG Meeting	15) BCCWA Luncheon 11-1 pm Craft Beer Thursdays Sundowners 6:00 pm	16) Caddyshack Tournament & Movie 6-10 pm Honeymooners 6:00 pm Weekend Happy Hour	Tournament Weekend Happy Hour
18) Brunch 10:30-2pm Sunday Swingers 3 pm Weekend Happy Hour	19) Club & Course Closed	20) Volunteer Golf Course Workday 5-7 pm Texas Tuesdays	9am TT Nine & Dine 6:00 POG Dinner & Drawing 7pm Wine Weds.	Appreciation Party 6-8 pm Bubba Coltrane & The Trainwrecks Canasta Craft Beer Thursdays Sundowners 6:00 pm	23) Honeymooners 6:00 pm Weekend Happy Hour	24) Weekend Happy Hour
Brunch 10:30-2pm Sunday Swingers 3 pm Weekend Happy Hour Open House 3-5 pm Huck Johnson & The Jackknives	26) Club & Course Closed	Ladies Night Wine Glass Painting 6 pm Texas Tuesdays	9am TT Nine & Dine 6:00 POG Dinner & Drawing 7pm Wine Weds. Poker Club	Craft Beer Thursdays Sundowners 6:00 pm	Dawg Bowl 12:00 pm SG Weekend Happy Hour	

Wednesday Pot of Gold Buffet

5:00-8:00 PM

Dine Wednesday to enter the drawing, or just be there @ 7pm when they call your name.

ALL NEW PRICING

\$7.99++ Adults

\$3.99++ Kids 6-12

FREE for kids 5 & under Club Staff

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Tuesday - Saturday Dining 11:00 am - 8:00 pm



Sunday Brunch

Enjoy our main entrees, made to order omelette & waffle bar, champagne, orange juice and more...

Reservations available from 10:30am -2:00pm.

Only \$11.95++ Adults

Kids 6-12: \$9.95++



2016 Board of Governors

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Tennis Center 512-413-9871





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Spicewood Golf Course Trespassing

In an effort to clear up some of the misperceptions about the Spicewood Golf course please understand that <u>anyone</u> on the golf course property for any reason is trespassing. The golf course is closed regardless whether you are a dues paying member of the Club or a homeowner adjacent to any hole on Spicewood. Baclones Country Club will not be responsible for any injuries that occur to any persons or family pets who are on the golf course property at any time. Trespassers assume all risks. The only people you should see on the property are golf course personnel that are trying to maintain the grounds to the best of our ability.

We appreciate our members and neighbors adhering to the current status on the Spicewood golf course.



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