



# DUNESCAPE

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### **POOLSIDE PARTY**

Saturday, May 29

+ 6 p.m. +

## Live Entertainment by Tyme Band

\$30 per person plus tax Reservations Open Now! \*Limited to 125 people\*

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for your reservations
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## **From the Clubhouse**

## From the Desk of Jesse K. Thorpe, General Manager



Dear Members.

I would ask you to join me in recognizing the hard and dedicated work of our entire staff, not only through the pandemic, and all of the modifications we have made for the protection and safety of our members, their guests and our staff, but also for coming to work, day in and day out, to serve you as well as they can. We have wonderful individuals working in all areas of the Club. I appreciate all they do, and hope that you do as well.

As noted in prior communications, local and national industries, especially the hospitality industry have been hit hard with a shortage of persons to staff various positions. We are in the same boat as those around us. This has resulted in our inability, from time to time, to meet our mutual expectations in service and amenity. This is not for want of effort on our part. I will apologize on behalf of all our staff for our shortcomings. I ask for your patience and understanding while we work our way through circumstances beyond our control and not seen in my 30-year career. I ask for your continued kind treatment of all of our staff, even when we don't meet your expectations.

We will do the very best we can for you.

Jesse K. Thorpe CCM, CCE GM/C00

SPRING DINING HOURS:			
Takeout Email: takeout@hammockdunesclub.com			
Clubhouse Dining Rooms open at 75% capacity. Dining reservations may be made ten days in advance.  All dining room/table assignments subject to reservation time as available.  Please take advantage of the Daily Takeout Menus.			
Breakfast Buffet			
Links	Sunday	10:00 a.m 1:00 p.m.	i
Lunch			
Links	Tuesday through Sunday	11:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.	
Creek	Friday through Wednesday	11:00 a.m 3:30 p.m.	· ·
Dinner			
Creek Dinner Service Links Takeout Links Delivery Links Dinner Service	Monday Tuesday through Sunday Tuesday through Sunday Tuesday through Sunday	5:00 p.m 9:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m 6:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m 6:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m 9:00 p.m.	Reservations Only Takeout Menu Only Takeout Menu Only Reservations Only
Grocery Order			
Grocery Pickup	Wednesday	2:00 p.m 5:00 p.m.	Order by Sunday
Wine & Beer by the Case			
_	Tuesday through Sunday stal at chill@hammockdunesclu via email when orders are reac	b.com.	

## From the Clubhouse

### **Covid Protocol Reminders**

Because of the degree of immunization in our member population, adjustments to our protocols in various areas of the Club are now in effect.

#### **Golf Courses**

- A return to two riders per cart for all play (except threesomes), with approved exceptions:
  - Members under age 60 awaiting vaccinations (first or second) may take a single cart (the golf shop has a list of the names of these members).
  - Members under age 60 who have been fully vaccinated are requested to ride two to a cart.
  - An exemption for members over 60 who have medical conditions that will not permit them to be vaccinated may be provided. Please submit a brief explanation detailing the reason an exception should be considered in writing or by email to Jesse Thorpe at the clubhouse or by email at: jthorpe@hammockdunesclub.com. The Board of Governors medical panel will review and issue exemptions on a case-by-case basis.
  - Members who do not have an approved exemption from the Board of Governors who wish to continue use of a single rider cart will be required to pay for both seats.
- Crossover tee times resumed on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays.
- Previously blocked "Walking Tee Times" are released.
- Preexisting walking fees are reinstated. For tee times before 2:00 p.m., the charge is identical to the cart fee for one rider (\$26) and after 2:00 p.m., (\$12) per round.

#### Clubhouse

- We continue to require members, guests, and staff to wear a mask when not seated for a meal inside the Clubhouse until sufficient time elapses to permit staff members to be immunized.
- Temperature check process on arrival at the Club is ended.
- All door entries to the Clubhouses are open for member access.
- On dates when weddings and events occur, we offer dining service in the Tavern only.
- Members and guests coming from outside the local area are not required to quarantine.
- Houseguest Passes are now available for unaccompanied member family only, (defined as parents, grandparents, children, grandchildren, or siblings).
   The pass is available from the Club business office.

Many thanks to our members for their kind words of support to the staff during the past year. Such kindness and generosity of spirit is a wonderful aspect of Hammock Dunes Club.

## **Dining & Special Events**



Limited Seating every half hour from 10 am – 2 pm

#### **MENU**

Breakfast Sausage / Bacon
Hash Brown Potatoes
Plain Southern Grits
Egg Casserole
Belgian Waffles with Strawberries,
Whipped Cream, Softened Butter, and Warm Syrup
Fruit Cups
Assorted Danishes
Bread Offerings – White, Wheat, Bagels
Jellies and Jams / Butter and Cream Cheese

#### **Made to Order Omelet Station**

Cure 81 Ham, Bacon Pieces, Fresh Mushrooms, Baby Spinach, Bell Peppers, Vidalia Onions, Shredded Cheddar, Ripened Tomato

Prime Rib Carving Station
with Au Jus and Horseradish Cream Sauce
Salmon Coulibac
Asparagus and Baby Carrots in Dried Cherry Butter
Au Gratin Potatoes

Assorted Mini Desserts

\$24.50 per person plus tax \$12.50 per child age 5 – 11 Kids under 4 eat for free

Sign up on the App or Website under Upcoming Events or call Sara at the front desk hammockdunesclub.com | 386-445-0747



### **Lobster Night**



Wednesday, May 19 ≥ 5-9 p.m. Dining Reservations Open May 8

Includes your choice of: House Salad, Caesar Salad or Soup of the Day

Featured Entree: 1.25LB Maine Lobster (steamed, cracked, split) accompanied with Parmesan Dusted Corn Cobbettes,
Smashed Red Bliss Potatoes,
Drawn Butter, Lemon Wrap

\$40 per person plus tax

Lobster Night will be available in the Seaside Dining Room & Oceanview Ballroom ONLY

A featured menu will be available for those not ordering a Lobster entree

Lobster entrees must be ordered at the time you make your reservation

The Tavern Menu will be served in the Dunes Tavern

Sign up on the App or Website under Upcoming Events or call Sara at the front desk hammockdunesclub.com | 386-445-0747

## **Dining & Special Events**

## Tips and Techniques from Pastry Chef Jim Guzzaldo

#### Baking Technique #9- Yeast Bread

I am currently developing a program whereby we will be baking fresh bread for our membership out of a newly acquired deck oven. In honor of this new endeavor,



I will focus on yeast bread baking this month. The following recipe makes a white bread that I am tempted to dub "Angel Food Bread," because it is so tender and airy.

#### Fluffy White Bread Yield: Three Standard Loaves

1 T Dry yeast

1/2 c. Water (room temp)

1/3 c. Sugar

2 t. Salt

6 1/2 c. Flour (all purpose, or part whole wheat)

2 c. Water

2 1/2 T. Vegetable oil

- Dissolve yeast in first quantity of water, let sit for a few minutes.
- Combine dry ingredients, mix a bit.
- Combine second water with oil, mix with yeast mixture in a large bowl.
- Slowly add the dry mix to the wet mix, in three additions.
- Mix and knead to combine until you have a smooth, supple dough.
- Roll the dough in oil, let rise covered for 1 1/2 hours.

Degass (punch down) the dough, turn out onto a floured surface, and form as desired. I like to roll the dough into a big rectangle 2" thick and cut my loaves from that. This dough rises quite a bit, so 1/3 of the dough won't look like enough for a loaf, but it is.

Let rise in loaf pans (grease the pans, if necessary) for 2-2 1/2 hours. The loafs should be coming up, out of the pans. It will barely rise any more in the oven, and I was sure I had over-proofed it, but it turns out beautifully.

Bake at 375 for 30-45 minutes, or until it sounds hollow when you flick it (on bottom if you can). It won't have much color to it.

Let cool, and store in an air-tight container or freeze. Enjoy!



### May Special Hours

#### May 3 - 7

Creek Course Closed for Aerification, Links Course Open for Lunch & Golf.

- Monday, May 3 Dinner Service at the Creek 5-9 p.m.
- All other F&B Service at the Links

#### May 17-21

Links Course Closed for Aerification

#### Saturday, May 22

Seaside Dining Room Closed due to Wedding. Dunes Tavern & Takeout available

#### Saturday, May 29

Dunes Tavern and Seaside closed due to Memorial Day Party. Take out only available from 5 pm – 6 pm.

### Food & Beverage Notes...

- The Ternstand is now open until 5:30 p.m.
   Tuesday through Sunday
- Dinner Takeout & Delivery orders are limited to the features on the daily takeout email from 5-6 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday

## **Dining Events**

## **Golf News**



### Sunday Breakfast Buffet 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

in Oceanview Ballroom \$14 plus tax for Adults / \$8 plus tax for Children

Items that will remain the same each week:
Omelet Bar with your favorite fillings,
Breakfast Sausage Links, Bacon,
Hash Brown Potatoes, Fruit Cup,
Bagels, Danish and Cinnamon Rolls
with appropriate spreads, ever-changing egg
"casserole" (strata, frittata, scramble, quiche)
Coffee and juices are available.
(Smoked Salmon with Accoutrements will be available at an additional charge through your server).

#### Special Features:

#### May 2 & 30

Belgian Waffles with Strawberries, Whipped Cream, Softened Butter, Warm Syrup Plain Southern Grits

#### <u>May 9</u>

Chocolate Chip and Plain Pancakes w/Warm Syrup, Softened Butter, Berry Compote Buttery Biscuits with Country Style Pepper Gravy

#### May 16

Brandied French Toast with Cornflake Crumbs dusted with Powdered Sugar, Banana-Caramel, Warm Syrup, Softened Butter Creamy Cheddar Cheese Grits

#### May 23

Cheese Blintz w/Sweet Blueberry-Honey Sauce Fluffy Biscuits and Sausage Gravy

Click or Call today for your reservations hammockdunesclub.com | 445-0747



Teens: Are you ready for some golf clinics?

It does not matter if you have never played before. It does not matter if you are a scratch player and just want to meet some other golfers your age. Brad Myers, PGA Director of Golf will be teaching new clinics for teenagers in May.

May 15: 1 to 2 p.m. at the Links – Full Swing May 22: 1 to 2 p.m. at the Links – Short Game

Clinic price is \$35 per person per hour and each clinic will be available to the first 6 people that signup for each clinic. We are capping the number of spots available so that each person can receive an appropriate amount of individual attention. Additional clinics will be added if needed.

Sign up today by calling the Links Golf shop and start the improvement. (386.446.6222)

### News from the Golf Shop..

Congratulations to our Club Champions for 2021. We saw great competitions and we saw great individual matches. With the pandemic and so many golf rounds this year, I believe that we saw the competitions taken to heights never seen here at the club. Thank you to all that played.

We salute the following 2021 Club Champions:

Lin Culver - 2021 Ladies' Club Champion

Nancy Yule – 2021 Masters Challenge Champion

Bob Campione – 2021 Men's Club Champion

Bob Casamento – 2021 Senior Men's Club Champion

We want to wish everyone a good summer. We hope you win all your golf events up north. If you are staying here, we hope that you participate in our summer events.

The Club will be hosting **the 92**nd **Florida Women's Amateur Championship** in mid-June. The Women's Amateur Championship is the oldest and most prestigious event on the Women's Championship schedule for the Florida State Golf Association. Past Champions include the names of Cristie Kerr, Meghan Stasi, and Taffy Brower. The schedule for play is:

#### Wednesday, June 16

7:30 - 9:18 AM - Round one tee times off #1 & #10 on the Creek and Links courses (stroke play)

#### Thursday, June 17

7:30 - 9:18 AM - Round two tee times off #1 & #10 on the Creek and Links courses (stroke play) Field cut to low 64 (playoff to immediately follow play, if needed)

#### Friday, June 18

7:30 - 9:15 AM - Round of 64 matches, tee times off #1 & #10 on the Creek Course

12:00 PM - Round of 32 matches, tee times off #1 & #10 on the Creek Course

#### Saturday, June 19

8:00 - 9:00 AM - Round of 16 matches, tee times off #1 on the Creek Course

12:15 PM - Quarterfinal matches, tee times off #1 on the Creek Course

#### Sunday, June 20

8:00 - 8:15 AM - Semifinal matches, tee times off #1 on the Creek Course

12:00 PM - Championship 18-hole match, tee time off #1 on the Creek Course

We will soon be looking for volunteers to help with this great event. Please let me know if you have an interest (bmyers@hammockdunesclub.com).

On the instruction front, I will be offering a new clinic for teenagers in May. If you are between the ages of 12 and 19 please see the advertisement in this edition of Dunescape for details. If you are interested in private lessons or clinics please contact the golf shops at 386.226.6222 Links or 386.447.7116 Creek.

We hope to see you on the course soon. Brad Myers, PGA, CCM - Director of Golf

#### Hot Shots...

PJ CONNIFF Scored an Eagle on #13 at the Creek Course from the red tees
LIN CULVER - Scored an eagle Tuesday at the Links Course on #4 from the white tees
JOHN GASS — Scored an Eagle from off the green on #6 at the Creek Course from the white tees
FRANK PENSKI - Hole In One on #2 at the Links (0517) Course from the white tees
JIM ANDREASSI - Scored an Eagle on #10 at the Links Course from the white tees
LARRY HAMEL - Shot an 83 at the Links Course from the tan tees, beating his age by 2!
KAREN FISHER - Sank a 25' putt for an Eagle on #4 at the Links Course from the red tees
MARGARET SUBERS - Scored an Eagle #16 at the Links Course from the red tees



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#### MGA News...

First, I would like to thank all of the MGA members for your support in our tournaments, especially in the Rally which benefitted our great employees. Participation is high and with new members joining every day, our tournaments can only get bigger and better.

Mark your calendars for the next few tournaments:

- Players Pool June 3 a one-day tournament where all monies go back to the winners
- Summer Shootout August 5-6
- September/October one-day tournament TBA
- The Veterans Day Tournament November 6 one-day event sponsored by Hammock Dunes Club.
- Dunes Classic November 11-13
- Presidents Cup December 3-4





The two pictures above are from behind one of the greens and of the local wildlife you could walk upon if looking too deep in the brush for your ball. Watch Out!!! (thanks, Tim McClean)

How about a question?? You chip onto the green, before you mark your ball, your buddy chips his and hits your ball. Your ball is knocked closer to the hole and your buds ball goes into the sand trap. Is there a penalty involved? If so, whose is it? Who gets to move his ball?

The first member to email me the correct answers to both questions - where the picture was taken and the correct answer to the question will win a Hammock Dunes Ball Marker and Repair tool, with recognition in the next MGA Dunescape article. My email is ronder7773@gmail.com

Thanks again to all our great members!

Ron Deroche, MGA Secretary/Treasurer



### 2021 MGA PLAYERS POOL TOURNAMENT



Wednesday, June 3 at the Creek, 9 AM Start Format: Individual Net Stableford

Bogey = 1 point
Par = 2 points
Birdie = 3 points
Eagle = 4 points
Double Eagle = 5 points

- No Entry Fee
- Each player will contribute \$30 to the Players Pool
- All monies paid out in each flight
- Players will be divided into flights based on handicap index
- Players may play blue, white, tan or red tees
- Event open to all MGA members
- MGA will provide a light breakfast, snack at the ternstand and cooler with refreshments
- Following play, participants will enjoy a heavy hors d'oeuvres bar, refreshments and cocktails by subscription
- Sign up starts May 3 inside the Links Golf Shop or online with the App or Club website Events Signup
- Entry deadline is May 30

## HDLGA News... 18 Holers

#### Submitted by Suzanne Deroche, HDLGA Vice President

Happy May! With Closing Day on May 5, LGA-centric activities will be poppin' into the summer and into the next season! Many LGA members live in Hammock Dunes year round, so this is a prime opportunity to develop relationships and gain insight about the LGA!

At the time of this report, the Ladies' Closing Day festivities will be a blast-from-the-past glimpse of our previous outings. We are indeed very thankful! We can ride in carts together, have lunch together, and share in a more "back to normal" way pre-pandemic style! Of course, social distancing and some mask rules apply. But this event is all-the-buzz! Call the Golf Shop today and make sure you're in! Reservations are required.

Later this month is the LGA's Bring A Friend! LGA Members will be able to invite an inside OR outside-the-gates friend to join them for golf and lunch! Call the Golf Shop TODAY for more information, pricing and to reserve a highly coveted spot on the roster for you and your Favorite Swing Sister!

Remember, if your schedule permits only 9-holes, no problem! You have opportunities to play with great ladies. Leader Elizabeth "Beth" Thomas coordinates and leads a great group on Tuesdays ("Hack N' Snack") and on Wednesdays, it's officially Ladies Day at Hammock Dunes! Call the Golf Shop to reserve a tee time.

If you have not joined LGA yet - with the annual dues just \$50 - consider joining today. It will jump-start your golf activities with a group of the greatest girls around! All levels of golf prowess are welcome AND encouraged - come on! It's fun for all!

As always, stay well and healthy, and please reach out if you have any questions or comments. Thank you!

### Nine-Holers

#### Submitted by Beth Thomas

Let's face it we are always looking for a little help, so here are a few fun gadgets to improve your game...



- 1. Wearable Sensor Chip. These clips are designed to record and measure your swing, speed of rotation, angle, location of your shot, and even your club posture as you twist your wrist. There are sensor clips that you attach to your glove, clubs and even your belt. Some sensors on the market include the Zepp Golf Sensor, Game Golf and GolfSense.
- 2. Counter Balanced Putter. Counter balanced putters have weights on each end of the club. These weights are to add stability to the arms when the golfer makes his stroke.
- 3. GPS Smart Watch. This advanced wearable technology on the wrist features all types of nifty features such as GPS tracking, course map databases, score tracking, and swing strength analysis.
- 4. Adjustable Driver. These drivers usually have different weights where you can take a tool and adjust where the weight is placed. Depending on the driver you purchase, you can often adjust the loft, face and shape so it feels as if you have several different drivers in just one club.

See you out there, BT

#### **Golf Guest Vouchers**

Guest vouchers purchased in 2020 will be honored through October 15, 2021

### 2021 MEXY'S SEMIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS





Overall Champion: Bob Casamento Overall Runner-Up: Charlie Bush

Division Winners (Gross)

Blue Division Champion

Bob Casamento

White Division Champion

Bob Rombola

White - Tan 75 + Division Champion

Bill Desimini

Division Winners (Net)
Blue Division Champion
Charlie Bush
White Division Champion
Alan Higgins
White - Tan 75 + Division Champion
Fred Gronbacher

COMPRATULATION TO OUR WINNERS?



## **Memorial Day Golf Tournament**

Sunday, May 30 1 p.m. Shotgun at the Creek

Format: 2 Person 2 Best Balls of 4 Stableford Points

Cookout Buffet included following play \$26 per person plus tax & cart fee

Sign up on the App or Website Event Signup Good Luck and have a Great Memorial Day!

## Ladies Member Member 2021 Results

Overall Champions Lori Comeau & Marti Gilchrist



2nd Place Sherry Morganstein & Judy Barnes 3rd Place Sharon Gardner & Brygitte Lusinski 4th Place Janet Kreizman & Karen Fisher 5th Place Lin Culver & Renee Alter 6th Place Theressa Parks & Krista Libby 7th Place Anne Beystehner & Shirlene Bungo 8th Place Maddy Dewey & Nancy Davidson 9th Place Irene Hynes & Ida Minardi 10th Place Julie Cook & Marie Russo 11th Place Susan MacFarlan & Gina Wolf 12th Place Debbie Youngerman & Marian Sloven

Congratulation to our winners!

## Racquet Sports Clinic Schedule

#### Monday:

- Sandi's Complimentary Tennis Clinic (Men and Women): 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
- Beginner- Jump in the Game Tennis Clinic (Men and Women): 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. (\$25)

#### **Tuesday:**

- Doubles Troubles Clinic (Intermediate and above) (Men and Women)
   8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. (\$25)
- Men's Doubles Drills (Intermediate and above):
   9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. (\$25)

#### Wednesday:

• Doubles Trouble Clinic (Intermediate and above): 3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m. (\$25)

#### Thursday:

- Beginner Tennis Clinic (Men and Women): 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. (\$25)
- Beginner Pickleball Clinic (Men and Women): 2:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m. (\$25)
- Intermediate Pickleball Clinic (Men and Women): 3:00 p.m.- 4:00 p.m. (\$25)

#### Friday:

• Doubles Troubles Clinic (Intermediate and above) 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (\$25)

Sign Up Today!

Email: Sandi Rosato Racquet & Sports Director srosato@hammockdunesclub.com

### Weekly Pickleball Play:

#### Monday & Wednesday:

- Beginner/Intermediate Pickleball Play:
   9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
- Intermediate/Advanced Pickleball Play (Men and Women): 3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

#### **Tuesday & Thursday:**

• Intermediate/Advanced Pickleball Play (Men and Women): 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

#### Friday:

- Mixed Up Pickleball Mixer (Men and Women- ALL LEVELS): 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
- Intermediate/Advanced Pickleball Play (Men and Women): 3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

#### **Saturday:**

- Intermediate/Advanced Pickleball Play (Men and Women): 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
- Ladies Pickleball Ball Play (Intermediate and above): 1:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

Email Sandi if you want to join in the Weekly Pickleball Fun Play! srosato@hammockdunesclub.com

### Weekly Tennis Play:

#### Monday & Wednesday:

- Men's Play-Tennis (Intermediate and above):
   9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
   (email Sandi to get into the monthly rotation)
- Ladies Open Play (4.0+): 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

#### Thursday & Saturday:

Ladies Play-Tennis (Intermediate and above):
 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

#### Friday:

• Ladies Open Play (4.0+): 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

Email Sandi if you want to join in the Weekly Tennis Fun Play! srosato@hammockdunesclub.com



Mom and Me- (ages 4-5) Tuesdays 3:00-3:30 p.m. (\$15)

Little Champs (ages 6-8) Wednesdays 4:30-5:30 p.m. (\$25

Rising Champs (ages 9-10) Mondays 4:30-5:30 p.m. (\$25)

Junior Champs (ages 11-12) Thursdays 4:00 pm- 5:00 p.m. (\$25)

Teen Tennis (ages 13+) Tuesdays 4:00-5:30 p.m. (\$30)

> RSVP to Sandi srosato@hammockdunesclub.com







### Teen Pizza & Pickleball Party

















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### **Teen Bocce and Burgers**

Saturday, May 8 at the Ocean Courts 3:30 -5:00 p.m.

\$15 per person plus tax

RSVP to Sandi srosato@hammockdunesclub.com

### **Spring Fling Bocce Social**





Come celebrate with some margaritas and cervezas in our monthly Bocce Social: May 5 from 4:00-5:30 p.m. at the Ocean Courts Drinks by signature

RSVP to Sandi srosato@hammockdunesclub.com

Save the Date: June 16 & July 14 for Summer **Bocce Fun** 

### **Croquet News....**

And the Games roll on..... on the Road to Recovery still following strict Covid rules to distance, wear masks as necessary and wash hands often. This enables us to play Croquet safely....looking forward to more activities. As the year moves forward, so let us "Spring" ahead.



Rolling Back: In March we celebrated St. Patrick's Day. Sporting our green, we celebrated in style. "Go Raibh Maith Agaibh" (Thank You) to Crystal Hill and Staff as well as Diane Leifer, Social Chair/Julie Gamble, Innovative Aide for Decor. Service and choice of Buffet.













Thank you to John Browning and the Nominating Committee: Maureen Villiotte, Pat Green, Sandy Rhodes and Ron Huxtable for a job well done. Maureen Villiotte steps down as President but remains on board as Past President. Maureen, you wear your many hats with aplomb. "Merci" for keeping us on the right "Roll"!

Croquet has lost a good friend and avid player. She kept us in the know at tournaments and supported the Croquet Game for many years. We will miss you, Annie Reade!!



#### Wicket Reminders:

Croquet Lessons...... 10:30 a.m. \* Tuesdays \* Maureen will stop lessons June thru September. Others will be able to help if you need lessons.

	6 Wicket Croquet	1:00 p.m.
	Aussie Croquet	3:15 p.m.
Fridays	Golf Croquet	3:15 p.m. **
**Note. Friday	y Aussie Croquet at 10:	15 a.m. CANCELLED™
Saturdays	Aussie Croquet	3:15 p.m.
Sundays	6 Wicket Croquet	1:00 p.m.
	Golf Croquet	3:15 p.m.

Happy Mother's Day to all the Heroines and Heroes who showed Patience, Bravery and Love through a most challenging year!! Someone once said "The favorite part of any Game is the opportunity to play. It is not winning or losing but how you play your Game " so ENJOY!!

And the Games roll on ..... off to the Courts... See you there.

Submitted by: Bev Farber

### **First Friday With Friends Golf Croquet**

May 7 ❖ 3:15 p.m.

Open to all Club Members - Want to Learn Croquet? Join us on the First Friday of each month. All equipment, lessons and friendship offered. Stay for happy hour and dinner.

Advance Reservations Required for Dinner



## **Shape Up**

#### Lap Swimming

Swim Lanes are in place Monday – Sunday from 7:30 a.m. – 9 a.m.

#### **Pool Hours**

Monday: 7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. Tuesday – Sunday: 7:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.

#### Fitness Center Hours

Monday: 6 a.m. – 5 p.m. Tuesday – Sunday: 6 a.m. – close of business

## Ride with our Cycling Group "Folks On Spokes"

The Cycling Group meets every Sunday at 7:30 a.m. at the South Gate. Everyone is welcome to join for a fun and energetic ride along many of the excellent cycling trails in the county. Cycling is a great way to keep fit and enjoy good company. So come on out and give it a try!

For more information contact Roger Leverton (rfleverton@hotmail.com) or Sandi Heber (sheber@bellsouth.net)



### Physical Therapy

AdventHealth Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Services have resumed by appointment in the Fitness Center.

AdventHealth's Team of sports-medicine and rehabilitation experts is dedicated to your whole-person care. Our members can call them directly for an appointment 386-586-4420, Option 2 and schedule it in the Therapy Room, and arrange for them to bill your insurance. Then, meet your therapist on the scheduled day and time in the Hammock Dunes Club Fitness Center.

#### Fitness News...

Class schedule change coming in May 2021! New Spinning and Yoga Classes "Vinyasa Yoga and Chair Yoga" featuring our new instructors.

Maggie Mulcahy - Our new certified yoga instructor with well over 200 hours of training, has been teaching yoga for over 2 years and came from One Love Yoga Studio. Maggie teaches all styles of yoga from upbeat Vinyasa Flow to a gentle Yin class. She will also be working in the fitness center as the fitness receptionist.

**Beth Yaskin** - Beth is a certified Spinning and Aquatic instructor and will be teaching at Hammock Dunes Club.

NEW! Aqua Class Schedule, starts May 3 Monday and Wednesday – 2 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday - 10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

Please make sure you sign up online. We need a minimum of 3 participants for the class to take place.

NEW! Monthly Virtual Class Special, starts May 6 Thursday - 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

This will be a handpicked class from the top rated virtual workouts we have to offer here at the Fitness Center and you will have the opportunity to take this class every Thursday of the month. Each month we will select a different virtual class for you to try.

#### Enjoy the Sun out on the Beach

Beach chairs with umbrellas are set up daily from 10:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., according to the tide schedule.

#### **Gentle Reminders**

- Masks are required in the fitness center and during classes
- PLEASE Sign Up For All Classes.

### Les Mills Virtual Class

Create your own Social Distance fitness class Virtually! If you're not familiar with Les Mills, come and try his virtual classes featuring Bodypump, Bodyflow, Cxworx38, and Spinning.

#### Audubon Corner...

Spring in Hammock Dunes is magical! Our wading birds (Herons, Egrets, Wood Storks and Spoonbills) are already nesting. Our beaches are seeing the return of the Lesser Terns and Black Skimmers.

The migration of warblers through our area may be one of the most delightful things about spring. Cape May and Black-throated Blue Warblers, both of which winter in the Greater Antilles come through. We also see American Redstart Blackpoll Warblers and Prothonotary Warblers.

This is also the time of year when Bald Eagles nesting season starts to taper off as young eaglets fledge.

Marge Rooyakkers ≈ Petmom877@gmail.com - 246-3767





### Many Thanks...

Many thanks to my fellow Hammock Dunes neighbors and the Care Bears for the cards, letters, condolences and flowers on the recent passing of my sister. We truly live in a comforting community.

Jacki Palombo



### 2021 Lids Summer Sports Camp



Tennis, Pickleball, Golf, and Fitness!
Tuesday- Friday \$\times 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Ages 6- 13

June 8-11 July 6-9 July 27-30

Cost: \$200 per member child \$240 per non-member child per session

Lunch and T-shirt included

10% sibling discount

Open to Members Only, until April 1

After April 1, open to ALL children in the Hammock Dunes Community

Deadline for cancellation is one week prior to session start

Sign up today by emailing Sandi at srosato@hammockdunesclub.com



Hammock Dunes Learning Institute Presents...

AdventHealth Palm Coast Parkway

Join us May 6 at 2 p.m. for a virtual discussion with Dr. Ron Jimenez, AdventHealth Palm Coast CEO/President.

Dr. Jimenez will share information about the location and services that will be offered at the new four-story hospital coming to Palm Coast. Attendees will have the opportunity to view renderings and submit questions.

Event Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87849009714

### **Book Club**

Book Club recently had its first meeting since covid restrictions and had a lively discussion of books that attendees have read during the pandemic. Plans were also made to start back in with regular meetings in September.

Plan to start your reading now and join us on Wednesday, September 15. The first title is A TIME FOR MERCY, John Grisham's newest which features memorable defense attorney John Brigance. Then on October 20, Book Club will delve into a fascinating story of the historical south in THE BOOK WOMAN OF TROUBLESOME CREEK by Kim Michele Richardson.

All members are invited to join. If you have any questions, contact your Book Club leaders Claudia Pierce, Kelly Marshall, Mary English & Carol Swinburn.

### Mahjongg

Welcome to new members, novice players and regular players whom we haven't seen since Covid hit. Welcome everyone!!

Regular Play Times: \*New time added Tuesday 9:30 a.m. Links Lounge

> novice & regular play Instruction offered 5/18

Wednesday 1:30 p.m. Downstairs- Coquina Lounge Downstairs- Coquina Lounge

Saturday 1:30 p.m. Ladies Lounge

Online Mahjongg on Thursday afternoons

**Learn 2 Person Mahjongg** - Jeri Gonzalez will give a lesson in how to play with only two players on Wednesday, May 12 at 1:30 p.m. This will be great option for the slower summer season coming up.

Hope you have the new 2021 Card. We are loving it and keeping the games fun!

Questions? Please email tracymartin299@gmail.com

Tracy Martin tracymartin299@gmail.com

### Winning Members

Keep an eye out...for your Member Number in each monthly Dunescape. If you find your numbe hidden somewhere in the text, call the office and let us know. We'll

send the lucky winner a \$50.00 gift certificate

## Seeking Cribbage Players...

If you've played much cribbage, you know the top players come in all shapes and sizes. We're looking for cribbage players who want to start up a game – or two! If you appreciate the subtle and artful dance of luck, strategy, basic math, psychology, and conviviality that composes cribbage, call the Club at 386.445.0747 or email klaxton@hammockdunesclub.com and let us know. We'll try to get a group together to play.

### A Warm Welcome

Please extend our Warmest Hammock Dunes Club Welcome to our Newest Members!



Tony & Pam Capela



Larry & Caresse Chandonnet



Sheron & John Drew





John & Jane Hess



John & Jeanne Hite



Richard & Linda LeBlanc



Ashley & TJ McNitt Finn, Corbin & Landon



Sherry & Carl Morganstein

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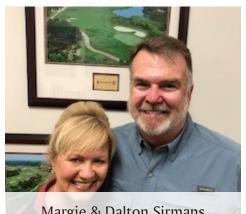






Linda & Ed Siemenas

Felix & Linda Silva



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Margie & Dalton Sirmans





Tommy & Tammy Stricklin JT & Ryder



Tiger & Larisa Summers



Robert & Anita Tabb



Joy & Keith Taylor



Thursday, May 13 Links Clubhouse 🎗 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Limited to 60 participants

Masks required during play unless you are actively eating/drinking

As always, Bingo cards must be purchased with cash so prizes can be awarded.

The price is \$5.00 a board.

If you plan to stay for dinner after Bingo, please make a separate dinner reservation in either the Seaside Dining Room or Dunes Tavern.

Reservations for dinner open May 3.

Sign up on the App or Website under Upcoming Events or call Sara at the Front Desk | 445-0747



Easter Egg Hunt Fun











### Bridge

Card Games are limited to 20 players, with tables spaced apart in the Links Lounge. Please call your Bridge contact to join the weekly game.



Monday Duplicate Bridge is open to all players, every Monday in the Links Lounge from 1:30 – 5 p.m. If you are interested in playing, please contact Sharon Gudenberg: srg798@gmail.com.

*Tuesday Night Duplicate Bridge* - contact Bill & Carol Britton: 447-1979.

Ladies Social Bridge contact Julie Gamble; 505-239-5551.

*Thursday Duplicate Bridge* contact Claudia Pierce: 446-7575 or Maureen Delk: 445-6427.

### Care Bears...

The Care Bears for May are Jeanne Kiley, Carole Bryant, Lynn Pellegrino, Joyce Lemieux, and Gary Hoerle. We appreciate Jeanne stepping up to be lead Care Bear for this month! Please contact one of them if you know of anyone in Hammock Dunes who is ill, having surgery, has lost a loved one and needs help or perhaps a thoughtful card/contact to cheer them up. The Care Bears welcomes new members in our group. Please contact Diane Bogart (386-445-4027 or dibobb@ail.com) or Barbara Darcy (386-449-9689 or bdarcy6@gmail.com) if you are interested in joining us or know someone who needs our care.

#### *Tribute to Annie Reade*

The members of Care Bears grieve the passing of our Founder and Mentor, Annie Reade. Nearly 30 years ago, when Hammock Dunes was a mere spot on the map, Annie saw a need to help our new neighbors during their difficult times. She eagerly gathered friends to bring comfort, sympathy, or sometimes only to share a cup of tea. Thus, the formation of the Care Bears organization began and continues today because of the impassioned willingness and dedication of its members. Annie's legacy lives on in the caring and supportive spirit she created with this organization.

## Men's Card Night



Come join us to play Texas Hold'em in the Board Room located at the Links Club house, every second or third Wednesday of the month. Game starts at 5:45 until 10 p.m. If you have any questions or need more information or would like to be added to the email invite, feel free to contact John Balzarini at balzariniJ@yahoo.com or

call/text John at 631-806-8152.

### Many Thanks...

I would like to thank all of my Hammock Dunes family for all your thoughts and prayers, cards, flowers, and words of comfort. I am home resting, and getting better every day.

Love to All, Pam Gaible

### Gin Rummy...

Join us for a friendly game of Gin Rummy at 9:30 a.m. on Friday at the Links Clubhouse. For more information, contact Stan Pierce at 386-446-7575 or catrig77@gmail.com.

## Membership Report as of March 31, 2021

Total Members: 682 FULL 483 ~ SPORTS 29 ~ SOCIAL 163 ~ NATIONAL 7

#### Hours of Operation

Hours of Operation	
Links Golf Shop	Tuesday - Sunday
	7:00 a.m 5:30 p.m.
Creek Golf Shop	Friday - Wednesday
	7:00 a.m 5:30 p.m.
Links Course	Tuesday - Sunday
	8:00 a.m dark
Creek Course	Friday - Wednesday
	8:00 a.m dark
Links Driving Range	Tuesday - Saturday
	7:15 a.m 1 1/2 hours before Sunset
	Sunday
	7:15 a.m Sunset
Creek Driving Range	Friday - Wednesday
	7:15 a.m 1 1/2 hours before Sunset
	Sunday
	7:15 a.m Sunset
Clubhouse:	
Administrative Office	Tuesday - Saturday
	8:30 a.m 5:00 p.m.
Pool	Monday 7:30 a.m 5:00 p.m.
	Tuesday - Sunday 7:30 a.m7 p.m.
Fitness Center	Monday 6:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
	Tuesday - Sunday
	6:00 a.m close of business
Links Clubhouse Dining:	
Breakfast Buffet	Sunday 10:00 a.m 1:00 p.m.
Lunch	Tuesday - Sunday
	11:00 a.m 5:00 p.m.
Dinner	Tuesday - Sunday
	5:00 p.m 9:00 p.m.
Creek Clubhouse Dining:	
Lunch	Friday - Wednesday
	11:00 a.m 3:30 p.m.
Dinner	Monday 5:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Beverage Service	Tues - Wed, Fri - Sun 'til 6 p.m.

#### Board of Governors

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Sunday Monday Tuesday

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Creek Closed for Aerification Creek Course & Clubhous Closed for Cycling Group, 7:30 a.m. Aerification Breakfast - Links, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Links Course Open for Lunch and Play Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Dinner at the Creek, 5-9 p.m. 10 11 Cycling Group, 7:30 a.m. Links Closed Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Mother's Day Buffet, Dinner at the Creek, 5-9 p.m. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. 16 **17** 18 Links Course Closed for Aerification Links Course Closed for Aerification Cycling Group, 7:30 a.m. Breakfast - Links, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Dinner at the Creek, 5-9 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. 24 Links Closed Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Cycling Group, 7:30 a.m. Dinner at the Creek, 5-9 p.m. Breakfast - Links, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Memorial Day Golf Tourns Links Closed Cycling Group, 7:30 a.m. Memorial Day Tennis &

> Pickleball Mixer, 9 a.m. Dinner at the Creek, 5-9 p.m.

Breakfast - Links, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			Brad's Spring Clinic, Pitching & Chipping Wedges Pitch, sand, gap & or lob  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.
Creek Course & Clubhous Closed for Aerification  Ladies Closing Day, 9 a.m.  Lawn Bowling Open Play, 3 p.m.  Cinco de Mayo Bocce Social, 4 p.m.  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	Creek Course & Clubhous Closed for Aerification  HDLI / AdventHealth Virtual Event, 2 p.m.  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	Creek Course & Clubhous Closed for Aerification  First Friday w/Friends Golf Croquet, 3:15 p.m.  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	Teen Bocce & Burgers, 3:30 p.m.  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.
HDLGA Bring a Friend - Links, 9 a.m.  2-Person Mahjongg Lesson, 1:30 p.m.  Lawn Bowling Open Play, 3 p.m.  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	Creek Closed Bingo, 4:30 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	14 Teen Pickleball & Pizza, 4-5:30 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	15 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Teen Golf Clinic - Links, 1 p.m.
Links Course Closed for Aerification Ladies Golf, 9 a.m. Lawn Bowling Open Play, 3 p.m. Lobster Night, 5-9 p.m.	20 Links Course Closed for Aerification Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	21 Links Course Closed for Aerification Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	22 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Seaside Dining Room Closed due to Wedding / Dunes Tavern & Take Out only Teen Golf Clinic - Links, 1 p.m.
26 Ladies Golf, 9 a.m. Lawn Bowling Open Play, 3 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	Creek Closed School's Out Pool Party Age 6-10, 4 p.m. Age 11 & up, 5 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	28 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	Memorial Day Poolside Party  Dunes Tavern and Seaside closed due to Memorial Day Party. Takeout only available from 5 pm - 6 pm.

### This Is Who We Are...

The culture of Hammock Dunes Club, demonstrated by Members and Staff is established and nurtured within these CORE VALUES.



- STEWARDSHIP Preserve, enhance, and protect our pristine oceanfront, our two world-class golf courses, and other assets, adhering to Audubon Society principles.
- RESPECT Value and protect our Members, Guests and Staff. Welcome diversity.
- CUSTOMER SERVICE Provide universally outstanding service to Members and Guests. Strive to continually improve our membership experience.
- COMMUNITY Cultivate a warm and welcoming environment where lifetime friendships will be created. Be a good citizen and neighbor to the Palm Coast and Flagler County communities.
- INTEGRITY Always operate the Club with a "do the right thing" mindset, and in a fiscally responsible manner following financially sound practices.
  - PASSION Demonstrate, at all times, our strong commitment to provide our Members and Guests with outstanding experiences, in a warm and welcoming environment.

### Celebrating our Employees! Guess what is go

Congratulations and Thank You to Our 15-20 Year Employees

Helen Sharpe, Golf Shop Assistant	18 Yrs
Joseph Moreira, Head Technician	18 Yrs
Joseph Silveira, Staff Accountant	16 Yrs
Amber Hanna, Lead Line Cook	15 Yrs
Robert Kalb, Starter	15 Yrs

### Hammach Dunes Cares

WHAT'S IN A NAME? by PJ Conniff, Hammock Dunes Cares Board

## Guess what is growing at the Victory Garden? squash and blackberries.



In 2015, Hammock Dunes Cares was established to raise and distribute funds to local grant recipients. The name was chosen because outsiders were saying that Hammock Dunes people don't care about the rest of Flagler County. We keep proving them wrong, don't we?

The Rally was our first in-house charity drive for our community. There have been rallies at our Club in the past. Hammock Dunes Cares rebranded the name and expanded it to include every member. The Rally in 2021 raised DOUBLE the amount of any rally EVER. It was the right cause and membership did not disappoint. Be proud that you belong to such a generous Club.

The Victory Garden has been appropriately renamed the Carver Community Garden. It is thriving thanks to many dedicated volunteers and donors. Drop by anytime, it's always open. The garden is located at 405 East Drain Street in Bunnell.

On behalf of HD Cares Board, I sincerely thank you for your support of our causes: Carver Community Garden, Habitat for Humanity, Flagler Free Clinic, Employee Scholarships and aiding Military veterans in Flagler county. In 2021, The Rally replenished the Employee Assistance Fund for those who were financially impacted by the pandemic.

Success is contagious and never gets old. Doesn't it feel good to 'give back'?