




DUNESCAPE

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Labor Day Clam & Shrimp Boil

Sunday, September 3  6 p.m.

Enjoy a traditional New England style
Clam & Shrimp Boil for Labor Day Weekend!!!

Tented outdoor seating on the Pool Deck and Event Patio with Live Entertainment!

A portion of the menu will be served family style, along with a buffet of other delicious items!
New England Clam Chowder with Fresh Thyme-Bacon-Sweet Onions-Tender Clams

Barbecue Chicken, Shrimp-Clam Boil with Sausage-Old Bay-Corn on the Cob Niblets,
Fried Clam Strips with Lemon Tartar Sauce, Zesty Coleslaw, Boiled Potatoes,
Cornbread with Honey Butter, Biscuits, Green Salad, Macaroni and Cheese, Watermelon Wedges

Banana Cream Pie, Lemon Whoopie Pie,
Old Fashioned Chocolate Chip Cookies, Cranberry-Apple Cobbler

\$40 per person plus tax

Reservations open on August 3 for MEMBERS ONLY.
Guest & Family Reservations will be available August 23
if space available.



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Hours of Operation

Links Golf Shop.....	Tuesday - Sunday 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Creek Golf Shop.....	Closed
Links Course.....	Tuesday - Sunday 8:00 a.m. - dark
Creek Course.....	Closed
Links Cart Barn.....	Tuesday - Sunday 7:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Links Short Game Facility.....	Tuesday - Saturday 7:15 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Links Short Game Facility & Driving Range.....	Sunday 7:15 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Creek Practice Facility.....	Closed
Clubhouse:	
Administrative Office.....	Tuesday - Saturday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Pool.....	Monday 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tuesday - Sunday 7:30 a.m. - 7 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:	
A La Carte Breakfast.....	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	Closed

Reservations

Dining reservations may be made ten days in advance.
Event reservations may be made 30 days in advance.

Takeout Email: takeout@hammockdunesclub.com

Links Takeout	Tuesday-Sunday	5 - 7 p.m.
Links Delivery	Tuesday-Sunday	5 - 6 p.m.

Wine & Beer by the Case

Email your order to Julie Watson at
jwatson@hammockdunesclub.com.

Notifications will be sent via email when orders are ready for pickup.

From the Desk of General Manager

Dear Members,

As we truly enter into the heat of the summer, I am extremely grateful for the consistent activity we have experienced throughout the Hammock Dunes campus. Led by our Food & Beverage department, I am happy to report that each area of the Club including our Kids Camps has enjoyed tremendous levels of participation. Following the repairs to the pool we have also seen a large number of families enjoying some rest and relaxation well into the evening.

Beyond the miscellaneous repairs and deep cleaning that take place during our annual closure, August as well as July provide the needed time for general organizational duties. During these weeks our Department Heads are able to discuss and plan out the sports & activities calendar for the next twelve months while also performing supporting personnel actions. Not only does each department perform annual evaluations, but we also examine the needs for each area and the impact on our operating budget. While there may be days the parking lot looks a little vacant, I can assure you, plenty of activity is taking place.

Speaking of projects, I can report that the ongoing improvements at the Creek are proceeding very close to the established schedule and also on budget. During the last couple weeks, the afternoon rains and lightning have reduced available working hours, but these are days we hope to make-up in the months to come. To see the latest pictures and drone reels of the work in progress please visit the Club website under Golf Homepage > Quick links> renovation projects. The views are spectacular! And on that same project note I know everyone will share in my enthusiasm when I report that August will also see the replacement of the Tavern carpet. This project is part of our annual capital program and will be completed in time to welcome you back for football season.

In closing I would just like to remind everyone to please remember safety first when you are on the course or driving through the parking lot. During the last couple of months we have had a couple close calls with vehicles moving too quickly through the lot and narrowly avoiding a potential accident. Safety also extends to the golf course where we have experienced more than one incident involving damage to a cart while avoiding injury. Please be careful whenever driving, turning or braking your vehicle of choice.

Yours in Service,
Tim Timlin, CCM, CCE, CAM



Distinguished Emerald Club
of the World
from BOARD ROOM

August Special Hours

Links Clubhouse Dining Rooms and Lounges
CLOSED Monday-Sunday, August 21 – 27
For Projects and Deep Cleaning

Fitness Center CLOSED
for 2 days only, August 21 - 22
Fitness Center OPEN August 23-27
Studio Classes available August 23-27

Pool CLOSSES at 11:30 a.m., August 21-22
Pool OPEN Regular Hours August 23-27
No Food & Beverage Service
Water Aerobics available
NOTE: Employees will be using
the lower level lockers and restrooms
while the Employee Restroom
is under renovation

Croquet Lawns, Golf Course & Ternstand OPEN
Tuesday-Sunday, August 22 – 27

The Creek Course and Clubhouse
remain closed due to the
golf course maintenance project.

Dry Cleaning pickup and delivery
is available on its regular schedule

August 7 Closure

Due to FPL maintenance on a power breaker,
the Fitness Center and Pool will close at 11:30 a.m.
There will be no power in the Clubhouse

August 1-4 Special Hours

Due to Kids Camp, all morning studio fitness
classes are canceled. Water aerobics is
canceled on Thursday, August 3 only.

Summer Reservation Reminders

The Seaside Dining Room is open,
serving the NEW Tavern Menu,
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Sunday.

The Seaside Dining Room is open,
serving the NEW Seaside Menu,
on Friday & Saturday.

Stop in for lunch or dinner in the
Dunes Tavern from the new menu.

Tapas are perfect with cocktails!
Try the new Tapas Menu in Rick's Bar

Save the Date - September Events

Thursday	September 7	Back to School Bingo Sport your Spirit in your best Alma Mater Gear. Reservations open August 7
Tuesday	September 12	Prime Rib Buffet - Reservations open September 2
Wednesday	September 13	Boich Family Wine Dinner - Reservations open August 13
Wednesday	September 27	Lobster Night - Reservations open September 17

August Signature Cocktails - \$12 plus tax

Royal Refresher

Muddled Cucumber & Mint, Grey Goose, Elderflower, Lime Juice & Tonic

Basil Blackberry Mule

Blanco Tequila, Basil, Lime, Fresh Blackberry, Ginger Beer, Simple Syrup



Boich Family Wine Dinner

Wednesday, September 13

2nd date available if the first date sells out.

6p.m. Welcome Reception:
2021 Ritchie Vineyard Chardonnay

6:30p.m. Cabernet Dinner:
2019 Beckstoffer Georges III Cabernet Sauvignon
2019 Beckstoffer, Missouri hopper Cabernet Sauvignon
2018 Wall Rd. Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon
2017 NVS Cabernet Sauvignon.

\$135 per person plus tax

Reservations open on August 12 for Members ONLY
Guest & Family Reservations accepted September 2
if space available / \$15 guest fee applies

SUNDAY A LA CARTE BREAKFAST in the Seaside Dining Room

August 6, 13 & 20
from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.



Start your Sunday with our freshly prepared
menu features that change weekly.

***Click Dining Reservations or Call the
Reception Desk for your reservations
386-445-0747***



Tuesday, August 8 at 6 p.m.
2nd date available if the first date sells out.



6 p.m. Tasting Table:
 La Crema Brut Rosé Sparkling
 Stonestreet Chardonnay
 La Crema Russian River Chardonnay

6:30 p.m. Dinner:
 Cambria Estates Pinot Noir of Rosé
 Hartford Court Chardonnay - Four Hearts Single Vineyard Blend
 Cambria Estates Julia's Vineyard Pinot Noir
 Stonestreet Estate Cabernet Sauvignon
 Hartford Old Vine Zinfandel

\$135 per person plus tax
Reservations opened on July 8 for Members ONLY
Guest & Family Reservations accepted July 27 if space available
\$15.00 guest fee applies

Wine of the Month...

Noah River Chardonnay
 2020, California

Golden straw in color, lending a big noseful of ripe pear, lychee, hazelnut, citrus zest, and toasty oak. Finishes long with lingering notes of pear, green apple and bright acidity.

Enjoy by the glass for \$9 plus tax or bottle for \$32 plus tax.



The Walls Vineyards - Stanley Groovy
Portuguese Red Blend
 Washington, 2019

The 2019 Stanley Groovy is an eclectic blend of 28% Touriga Nacional, 18% Syrah, 15% Souzao, and the rest a mix of Tinta Cao, Merlot, Mourvèdre, Cunoise, Cabernet Franc, and a few others. It's balanced, has silky tannins, and is just one heck of a delicious red.

Enjoy by the glass for \$18 plus tax or bottle for \$60 plus tax.



BINGO & Buffet

Thursday, August 10

Call for Availability

Bingo 4-6 p.m. ♦ Buffet 6-7 p.m.
 Bingo cards are \$5 cash each

from Italy...

Fresh Peach and Burrata Caprese Salad
 with Arugula-Butter Lettuce, Red Onions,
 Honey-White Balsamic-Basil Vinaigrette

from the Mediterranean...

Zucchini with Lemon and Oregano

from India...

Yellow Turmeric Rice

from the Islands...

Jerk Spiced Chicken with Mango-Lime Relish

from the States...

Shrimp Jambalaya with Spiced Sausage and Trinity Vegetables

Cake and classic desserts...

Carrot Cake, Assorted Blondies, Gluten Free Shooters

\$25 per person plus tax
(includes one bingo card)
 Additional cards are \$5 each - Cash

The Club's 48-hour Cancellation Policy Applies.

Reservations open now for Members ONLY
 Guest & Family Reservations
 accepted July 29 if space available

Prime Rib Night

Tuesday, August 15 @ 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Reservations Open August 5

Soup & Salads

Chilled Gazpacho with Scallion Thread Garnish

Four Berry Salad with Baby Spinach, Toasted Almonds,
Feta Cheese Crumble, Orange-Honey-Herb Dressing

Red Bliss Potato Salad
with Celery and Whole Grain Mustard-Mayo

Panzanella Salad with Tomato, Cucumber, Red Onion,
Bell Pepper, Red Wine-Oregano Vinaigrette

Carving

Roasted Prime Rib of Beef
with Mustard & Thyme Crust,
Au Jus, Horseradish Cream,
Brown Sugar-Balsamic Glazed Carrot Chutney

Hot Accompaniments

Tender Asparagus Spears with Bacon Pieces,
Roasted Vidalia Onion, Crumbled Bleu Cheese

Yellow Squash and Corn Saute with Fresh Garlic

Confetti Rice with Tri-Colored Bell Peppers

Baked Potato Bar with Toppings

Sliced Pork Loin Roast with Honey-Black Pepper,
Stewed Apricots and Toasted Pecans

Baked Fresh Cod with Cabbage Center Garnish,
Hearty Mushroom Cream Sauce

Desserts:

Eclairs, Rice Pudding, Assorted Cupcakes
Vanilla Ice Cream with Whipped Cream, Caramel,
Chocolate Sauce, Sprinkles, Maraschino
Warm Dessert: Banana-Strawberry Cobbler

\$46 per person plus tax

Soup, Salad & Dessert only, for \$23 plus tax



**Click Dining Reservations
or Call the Reception Desk
for your reservations
386-445-0747**

Prime Rib Night Wine Specials:

Poliziano Cortona Merlot - Italy

Soft, plummy and ready to go. Succulent dark cherry, leather, tobacco, spice and earthy tones meld together in this expressive Cortona Merlot.

Enjoy by the glass for \$10 plus tax or
bottle for \$36 plus tax.

Arling Blaze Hold Your Fire Cabernet - California

Young-at-heart, juicy and exuberant. Though, for all its fun, it tastes like a Cab from the heart of California's North Coast. Raucously red fruited, with 10% American oak to give it some spice, it is compact and punchy in form. Enjoy freely, pour liberally, and love heartily!

Enjoy by the glass for \$8 plus tax or
bottle for \$25 plus tax.

Grouchau Cellars Bjornson Pinot Noir - Oregon

"Brilliant red. Deeply pitched aromas of dark berries, cola and lavender, with suggestions of woodsmoke and star anise in the background. Juicy and seamless on the palate, offering concentrated cherry and dark berry flavors that become livelier with air. Rich and full yet surprisingly lithe, this intense, fruit-driven wine finishes with supple tannins and strong thrust."

Enjoy by the glass for \$18 plus tax or
bottle for \$55 plus tax.

Lobster Night Wine Specials:

Smokescreen Cellars Chardonnay - California

A beautiful golden-hay color is the first thing you see in the glass. Enticing aromas of Asian pear, ripe apricot and a creamy richness lead to a racy palate. The mouth feel is rich and round with its beautifully balanced finish.

Enjoy by the glass for \$10 plus tax or
bottle for \$30 plus tax.

Chateau La Negly la brise marine blanc - 2022 France

Brilliant color. The nose combines aromas of exotic fruits, mangos, white peaches with notes of fresh almonds. The lively mouth is powerful and generous. A mineral note accentuates its complexity.

Enjoy by the glass for \$10 plus tax or
bottle for \$30 plus tax.

Lobster Night



Tuesday, August 29 ➤ 5-8:30 p.m.

Dining Reservations Open August 19

**Don't miss the
Lobster Night Wine Specials!**

Chicken Tortilla Soup
with Sour Cream and Green Onion Garnish
OR

Southwest Black Bean Salad
Romaine Lettuce topped with Black Beans,
Corn Kernels, Red Bell Peppers, Tomatoes,
Red Onions, Cheddar Cheese,
Avocado-Chipotle Dressing Side
OR

Garden Salad: Baby Greens, Grape Tomatoes,
Cucumber, Carrot and Beet Curls, Choice of Dressing

Maine Coldwater 1½# Lobster
steamed, cracked claws, split tail
Cauliflower Florets in Paprika Butter
Parmesan-Herb Roasted Red Bliss Potato Wedges,
Drawn Butter, Lemon Wrap

Cheddar-Bay Biscuits, Warm Rolls and Butter

\$52 per person plus tax

- **Lobster Night will be available in the 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**
- **For Online Reservations add Lobster entree to comment section**

**Click Dining Reservations or Call the
Reception Desk for your reservations**

386-445-0747

Ladies Karaoke Night



Saturday, August 12

from 7-9:30 p.m.

**Hors d'Oeuvres Buffet
\$40 per person plus tax**

MENU:

**Charcuterie Assortment
with Crackers, Dijon and Pickled Vegetables**

**Jalapeno Bites filled
with Cheese, Cornmeal Battered and Fried**

**Almond Chicken
with Honey-Mustard Dipping Sauce**

**Grilled and Diced Vegetable Salad
with Honey-Rosemary-Balsamic Dressing**

**Melon Salad with Goat Cheese Crumble,
Red Onion, Lime-Mint Vinaigrette**

**Please make your reservations on the Club App
or Member Website under Upcoming Events,
or by calling the Reception Desk at 386-445-0747.**

***The Club's 48-hour Cancellation Policy Applies
for All Ladies Social Events.***

Reservations opened on July 12

Ballet & Opera at Hammock Dunes Club!

Wednesday, August 30 ➤ 4 p.m.

Powell and Pressburger's *Tales of Hoffmann*
1951 film based on Offenbach's Opera

It's an opera. And a ballet. And one of the great
films of the mid-20th Century!

This lush Technicolor masterpiece by
Michael Powell and Emeric Pressburger
is based on Jacques Offenbach's 1881
comic opera, which was, in turn, based on three
of E.T.A. Hoffmann's short stories.

See why Martin Scorsese described it as,
"Truly unlike anything I'd ever seen before!
Every element transfixed me!" And why his
foundation produced this 2015 4K restoration in
conjunction with the British Film Institute and
overseen by Thelma Schoonmaker,
Scorsese's long-time film editor
(and wife of Michael Powell).

All are welcome. The program will begin
promptly at 4 p.m. in the Board Room. There
will be one intermission, and it will end at
6:30 p.m. Please remember to arrive early
and enjoy a glass of wine or champagne before.

As always, after the final curtain falls
and the applause dies down,
please consider staying for dinner.

Presented by Jinny Crum-Jones and Ian Jones
in association with Barbara Arzonetti.

For more information about ***Tales of Hoffmann***
and our upcoming opera series,
visit www.dunesopera.com.

Sign up via Upcoming events on the
Club App or Member Website,
or call 386-445-0747. Please make your dinner
reservations in advance by calling the Club.



August Dessert Menu:

Gluten Free Blueberry Cheesecake

Cinnamon-Apple Shortcake

Layered Red Velvet-Chocolate Cake



Lightning Detection Policy / Procedure

Members are expected to exercise reasonable prudence and common sense when severe weather, e.g., thunder or lightning, is reported or observed in the area.

Both golf courses have sirens that will sound to notify all members on the golf courses, practice facilities, croquet lawns, pool and tennis facilities that dangerous weather is in the area. Immediately upon hearing the siren sound (one long blast), all members must leave their outdoor activities and seek appropriate shelter.

The siren will sound again (three short blasts) when it is safe to resume to outdoor activities. Members who fail to exercise prudence and common sense by evacuating the golf course when lightning is observed or reported, may be subject to Board discipline.

The golf course weather feature on the Club App is available to all members and will indicate when it is safe to resume outdoor activities.

News from the Golf Shop..

Well as this article hits the press, we can say we are officially in the “dog days of summer”! July was a frustrating month for most of us, as the mid to late day thunderstorms and lightning delays seemed more than normal. As I keep hearing in my first summer in Florida, it is that time of the year.

While the heat can be unbearable at times, combine the heat with high humidity and as we saw numerous times in July, the result can be a heat index warning. Keep in mind that with all of the moisture in the air and in the ground, the morning time can be just as taxing on our bodies as 3 p.m. can be. Always remember to properly hydrate, use our cold towel stations on #6 and #15, and it is always a good idea to keep a Gatorade, candy bar, or some form of quick sugar in the golf bag or golf cart so that you can get to it quickly.

While it is hot out, if we are properly hydrated and feeling well, there should be no reason we all can't still work on our golf games. One tip I would pass along that should be used all of the time but especially in the summer heat is to take your time while you practice. Don't be that player that hits a shot, swipes another ball over, and hits again. “Rapid fire” practice in the summer heat is not conducive to keeping your cool. Instead, take your time, pull a ball over, go through your on-course pre-shot routine and then play the shot. After, take a moment, pull another ball over and begin the process again. This will allow you to practice more effectively as well as not wear yourself out and potentially overheat. Hope this tip helps you during the summer heat and as always: repair your ball marks, fix your divots and play well play fast, play poor play faster!!

Fairways & Greens,
Matt Stewart PGA – Director of Golf



Alexandra Gazzoli Goes Wire-To-Wire To Win Florida Women's Amateur Championship

July 9, 2023 - The 29th Women's Amateur Stroke Play Championship, hosted by TPC Treviso Bay, was a tightly contested tournament throughout all three rounds. After all 54 holes, and two playoff holes had been completed, Alexandra Gazzoli had emerged victorious and laid claim to the title of Women's Amateur Stroke Play Champion. This is her first ever FSGA Championship.

"I don't think it's really sunk in yet, but I'm very grateful for the whole experience. I'm just really happy and I think I played really solid this week." — Alexandra Gazzoli, 29th Women's Amateur Stroke Play Champion

Hot Shots...

- BILL FUTCH- Scored an Eagle on Links hole #5 from the blue tees
- TERRY AVERDICK – Scored an Eagle on #15 at the Links Course from the white tees
- RON SHARPE - Hole In One on #9 at the Links Course from the white tees
- ANDY NOWAKOWSKI – Scored an Eagle on #15 from the blue tees at the Links course
- LARRY RATNER - Scored an Eagle on #14 at the Links Course from the white tees



HDLGA News... 18 Holers

Submitted by Monica Lipomi, HDLGA Vice President

"I have always had a drive that pushed me to try for perfection, and golf is a game in which perfection stays just out of reach." Elizabeth Earle "Betsy" Rawls

As I write this article, a news report flashed on my phone. "Dangerously Hot and Humid Conditions Persist Statewide...Heat Indices Reaching Triple Digits!" Be careful to hydrate and wear protective clothing when out on the course. I hope you have been able to work on your game and play a few rounds between the heat and thunderstorms!

The Board met and approved the 2023-2024 budget and reviewed this year's tournament schedule. Mark your calendars, the season begins OCTOBER 4, 2023, HDLGA OPENING DAY!

2023-2024 HAMMOCK DUNES
LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION BOARD

Officers:

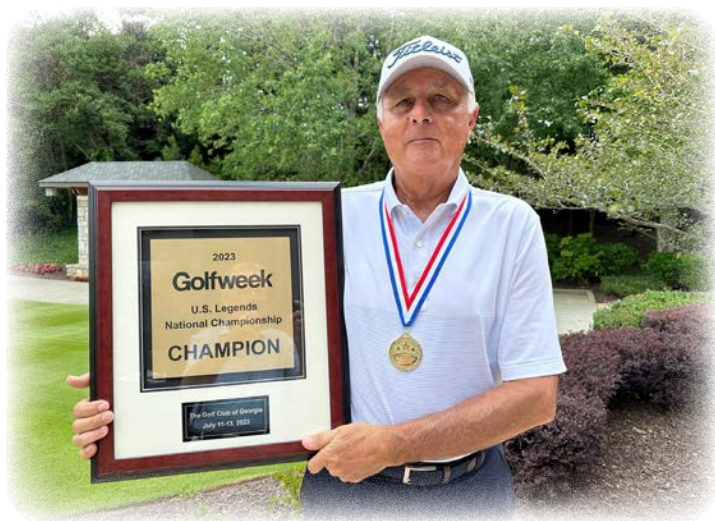
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A friendly reminder, please regularly post your scores, if you are rained out, called off the course for any reason during the round the rules for posting are as follows:
7 out of 9 holes played post 9-hole score.
13 or more holes played post 18-hole score.
On holes where play was not completed post a score of par plus any handicap strokes.
If you have any questions, please check with the golf shop.

If you are struggling with your game, do not get frustrated. All our pros are willing and able to help. Enjoy your summer!



Bob Casamento, won the Golfweek Magazine Senior Amateur Championship (Legends Division 70+) at the Golf Club of Georgia to be crowned The Golfweek US Legends National Champion.

Bob Casamento closed out the Legends National Championship with a final round 73. Opening with a 2 over 74 and grinding his way into the lead with a moving day 71, Casamento took a five stroke lead into Thursday's final round. The margin would hold as he cruised to the winner's circle with a tournament total of 2 over, 218.



Lin Culver birdied the first playoff hole to win the Vermont Women's State Golf Association Senior Amateur Championship.

Stay Hydrated for Safety!

The Florida heat is at its peak in August, creating the perfect conditions for dehydration. Insufficient water intake or excessive water loss may lead to dehydration, affecting consciousness, mental and exercise performance, and your overall health.



Before you start your outdoor activities – golf, tennis, pickleball, croquet, bocce, even at the pool, drink plenty of water, especially if you have had your morning coffee or tea. Drink plenty of fluids during the day, before you feel thirsty, and get help if you feel faint or overheated. If you start feeling sick or weak, call for help!

As a point of information, locations of the Club AEDs are: Clubhouse Lobby/Kitchen, Links and Creek Cart Barns, Creek Clubhouse, Fitness Center, and Courthouse.



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



Please Note...

Beach chairs and umbrellas will now require a request in advance, via email for set-up. During the week, please email wsam@hammockdunesclub.com at least 1 hour prior to when you want them, and at least a 1-day notice on the weekends.



Get Back to What You Love

Expert Physical Therapy Without a Physician Referral Available in the Fitness Center

The AdventHealth Sports Med and Rehab team can help alleviate many kinds of muscle and joint problems, ranging from sports injuries to back pain. Exclusive access to physical therapy inside the Fitness Center is provided only to Hammock Dunes Club members.

Simply call 386-586-1670, option 2 to schedule your appointment.

Monday, Wednesday
and Friday
7 a.m. - 4 p.m.

AdventHealth
Sports Med & Rehab

AHSportsMedCentralFL.com

Please respect our cell phone policy...

Cell phones are NOT allowed in the Aerobics Studio. We have lockers just beside the main entrance to the Fitness Center so as to not cause disruptions in classes.



Racquets, Paddles, and Rockets!!!

Courts were full on Independence Day
for the Racquets, Paddles, and Rockets Tennis
and Pickleball Mixer. It was a BLAST!



PICKLEBALL 101 : HOW TO PLAY PICKLEBALL

This is a 4-week program to introduce Beginners to the addicting game of Pickleball.

You will learn proper technique, strategies, movement, and scoring...all while having fun!
The cost is \$100 for the 4-week program.

Mondays in August 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
(August 7, August 14, August 21, and August 28)

Saturdays in August- 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
(August 5, August 12, August 19, and August 26)

Email Sandi, our Racquet and Sports Director,
to sign up or if you have questions.
srosato@hammockdunesclub.com

Racquet Sports Clinic Schedule

Men's Doubles Clinic (Intermediate and above)
Tuesdays | 9-10 a.m. (\$30)

Doubles Troubles Tennis Clinic
Tuesdays | 10-11 a.m. (\$30)

Pickleball Doubles Clinic (Beg./Int.)
Tuesdays | 2-3 p.m. (\$30)

Quick Intro to Pickleball
Wednesdays | 8-9 a.m. (\$30)
or

Thursdays | 2-3 p.m. (\$30)

Intro to Tennis
Fridays | 9-10 a.m. (\$30)

Sign up via the App or
Website under Upcoming Events
or Email Sandi
srosato@hammockdunesclub.com

Weekly Pickleball Play:

Monday & Wednesday:

- Beginner/Intermediate Pickleball Play: 8:30-10:30 a.m.
- Intermediate/Advanced Pickleball Play
(Men and Women) 4-5:30 p.m.

Tuesday:

- Advanced/Intermediate Pickleball Play
(Men and Women) 8:30-10:30 a.m.
- Beginner/Intermediate Pickleball Play
(Men and Women) 4-5:30 p.m.

Wednesday:

- Pickleball Open Play (ALL LEVELS) 4-5:30 p.m.

Thursday:

- Intermediate/Advanced Pickleball Play
(Men and Women): 8:30-10:30 a.m.

Friday:

- Mixed Up Pickleball Mixer
(Men and Women- ALL LEVELS) 8:30-10:30 a.m.
- Intermediate/Advanced Pickleball Play
(Men and Women) 4-5:30 p.m.

Saturday:

- Intermediate/Advanced Pickleball Play
(Men and Women) 8:30-10:30 a.m.
- Ladies Pickleball Ball Play
(Intermediate and above) 1-2:30 p.m.

Weekly Tennis Play:

Monday & Wednesday:

- Men's Play-Tennis (Intermediate and above)
8:30-10:30 a.m.
- Ladies Open Play (4.0+): 8:30-10:30 a.m.

Saturday:

- Ladies Play-Tennis (Intermediate and above)
9-11 a.m.

Friday:

- Ladies Open Play (4.0+): 8:30-10:30 a.m.
- FAB Friday Tennis Round Robin
(Intermediate and above): 9-11 a.m.

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



Croquet News....

And the Games roll on...I am happy to report we are getting through the long, hot summer. Despite the "Sweat" we are well hydrated and our balls are rolling through the Wickets!!

Rolling back: In July, Croquet saluted the Red, White and Blue, celebrating Independence Day in our American Flag colors. No fireworks or hot dogs but literally, "Hot Players" enjoying their Game, Croquet.

Rolling Ahead: In September, following Croquet, our most popular B.B.Q. is back. We enjoy eating seaside with balmy breezes. Savor the flavors - always better fresh off the grill. Look for details in your emails!!

First Coast Croquet League will be back. David Davis will represent Hammock Dunes Club, on the Board. We look forward to the challenge of the Chargers and the informal sociability of the Mixers. Emails will follow.

Welcome back to Jim Jacobs! One never forgets the fun and camaraderie of Hammock Dunes Croquet once you have played. Jim, enjoy rolling that ball!!



Wicket Reminders:

Tuesdays	1 p.m. - Six Wicket Croquet 4 p.m. - Aussie Croquet
Thursdays	4 p.m. - Men only Golf Croquet. Questions? Email David Davis at dmdvs12@gmail.com
Fridays	4 p.m. - Golf Croquet
Saturdays	4 p.m. - Aussie Croquet
Sundays	1 p.m. - Six Wicket Croquet 4 p.m. - Golf Croquet



In case of inclement weather Don Finch will email before 3:00 p.m. on Golf Croquet Days. Courts still open for play!!

Lessons offered:

First Fridays: Ron Huxtable is available to teach Golf Croquet Strategy at 3:00 p.m. Email Ron at ronhu01msn.com.

Don Finch teaches Aussie Croquet strategy. Email Don at donlfinch@att.net.

Questions about lessons or future events e-mail Beth Thomas at bththomas635@gmail.com.

Remember: Croquet is a "Wicket sport" and "Wicket" fun.....enjoy the roll with humor and spirit!!



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

Submitted by: Bev Farber



Dog Days of Summer

Practice up for the
Dog Days of Summer Bocce Socials.

August 16 (Ocean Courts) | 5-6:30 p.m.

Sign up today with Sandi
srosato@hammockdunesclub.com
or the Upcoming Events on the
Club App or Member Website



BREAKING NEWS!

Hammock Dunes Cares is pleased to make an exciting announcement - we have a LOGO!


Our motto remains FOR LOCALS BY LOCALS. Hammock Dunes Cares' only job is to facilitate philanthropy in Flagler County. Communication with you is key. When we have information to share with you or need to make an announcement, our new logo will get your attention. This will help us grow our brand, be recognized, gain trust, and better serve our membership.

Debbie Ignatuk spent countless hours designing our new logo. Born and raised in Towson, MD, Deb attended Pratt Institute, Bklyn, NY on a full scholarship, worked at top advertising firms and then started her own firm - LaBean Advertising NYC for 25 years. A past President of HDLTA & HDLGA, she now does pro bono work and watercolor painting. Her talent and decades as a professional graphic designer really was a blessing for us and, consequently, all Hammock Dunes Club members. Debbie got it just right - after months of work. Thank you, Debbie!

This image represents the waves of kindness and generosity from Hammock Dunes Club members and our proximity to the ocean. On these waves, Hammock Dunes Cares reaches those in need within Flagler County. The logo is unique, easily read and just the right shades of blue and green.

Please join us for the charity golf tournament on November 11 dedicated to support Veterans, First Responders and their families in Flagler County.

Hammock Dunes Cares Board:
PJ Conniff, Ray Zukowski, Mary Betsill, Tensy Stewart,
Bob Bagdon, Jack Leckie, Mark Larmore and Nancy Yule



Tennis & Pickleball Shuffle

Come kick off your Labor Day with some of
your Hammock Dunes friends in our Labor Day
Tennis and Pickleball Shuffle!

Monday, September 4
8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Sign up today with Sandi
srosato@hammockdunesclub.com
or the Upcoming Events on the
Club App or Member Website



First Friday With Friends Golf Croquet Plus Wine & Wickets

August 4 ♦ 4 p.m.

Open to all Club Members
Want to Learn Croquet?
We'll lead you through several games
of Golf Croquet while you
enjoy complimentary
house wine during play!

ALL you need to do is arrive at 3:45 p.m. on the First
Friday of the month at the Links Clubhouse.
Guests are not required to wear all white clothing for
this event. Stay for happy hour and dinner.

Advance Reservations Required for Dinner

Kids Summer Sports Camp ≈ July





*Farewell and
Best of Luck
to our College
Bound Staff*

We're saying farewell and "we'll miss you" to our staff members who are off to college this month. Hope to see you on winter break or next summer!

Adin Aleman
University of North Florida
Criminology

Carolina Dancu
University of Michigan
Psychology

Sedona Dancu
Virginia Military Institute
Psychology

Katelyn Dosa
University of Central Florida
Marketing

Kaley Kasper
University of Central Florida
Environmental Science

Grace Lichtner
University of Central Florida
Criminal Justice

Haley Lockett-Ryman
University of Florida
Mechanical Engineering

Canon Mullen
University of North Florida
Biochemistry

Christina Nguyen
University of Central Florida
Molecular and Cellular Biology

Alyssa Rodriguez
University of Florida
Political Science/International Relations

Concierge Service!

Vvash Mobile Auto Detailing

Vvash Automotive Mobile Detailing...the Car Wash that Comes to You! Owned and operated by Guy Weiss, Vvash offers a variety of interior and exterior auto detail services from their self-contained mobile unit.



Our Club Members can call directly for services and either pay directly or bill to their member account. Visit their website for detail packages: www.vvashautodetail.com. Call for an Appointment 386-986-8942.

Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Saturday – Sunday 9:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Dryclean Express

For your convenience, dry cleaning and laundry may be dropped off at the dry clean room in the main clubhouse before 12 noon on Tuesdays and picked up on Friday. This service will be billed to your Club account. Questions? Call Doyle at 386-586-9319.

Mercedes Benz of Daytona Beach

Mercedes Benz of Daytona Beach Concierge Service is a free pickup and delivery using their personal flatbed for a multipoint inspection, wash and vacuum and a Mercedes Benz loaner vehicle. Contact: Joe Drewes "Certified Mercedes Benz Service Advisor" at 386-274-4775 (ext 5006).

"Looking for something else?" Let us know.
Call or email: 386-445-0747 or
reception@hammockdunesclub.com

PLEASE NOTE that all services are provided by third party vendors. The Club assumes no liability for the services provided to the members.

Ladies Social Group



Please make your Ladies Social Group Event reservations on the Club App or Member Website under Upcoming Events, or by calling the Reception Desk at 386-445-0747. *The Club's 48-hour Cancellation Policy Applies for All Ladies Social Events.*

BUNCO! Wednesday, August 2 at 7 p.m., in the Upstairs Library, cost \$10 cash

BUNCO! Let's give a nod to the Boys of Summer and bust out our best BASEBALL CAPS! Team, theme or patriotic, it's all good. BUNCO combines dice with Musical Chairs. So grab a glass of cheer and join us for a riotous good time. Bring \$10 cash for entry fee and prize money (exact change appreciated). Don't know how to play, no worries, we'll teach you!

Karaoke, August 12 at 7 p.m., in the Oceanview Ballroom, cost \$40 plus tax includes dessert and light snacks
This will be the event of the Summer: a Ladies Only Karaoke Night!!! We'll sing, we'll dance, we'll PARTY! Whether you sing solo or back-up, let your voice be heard. Or if laughing at the shenanigans is your thing, come just for the fun. You won't want to miss this! *Event Menu on page 7*



Summer Wine Tasting, August 17 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the Oceanview Ballroom, Cost \$35 plus tax
Let's see what wine goes best with the Dog Days of Summer. Come join us for our exclusive tasting. Light snacks provided and men are welcome.

The Prez Says: The Summer Sun may be blistering hot but our Ladies Events are cool. Come join us for some fun

*Ann Newsome, LSG President
609-751-4967 or AnnNewsome223@gmail.com*

Audubon...

Although Earth Day was celebrated in April, we can make every day Earth Day by doing simple things all year round. Examples include planting native plants, trees and wildflowers, provide a source of clean water in a bird bath, use less plastic and paper, and recycle cans and bottles. Pollinators are important for many plants to reproduce. Pollinator houses or Bee houses are a good way to help citrus trees produce abundant crops. They are similar to bird houses, but instead of attracting birds, they attract native solitary bee species, which are extremely docile and up to three times more effective as pollinators.



Watering at night is best all year round, before 9 a.m. and after 5 p.m.

*Marge Rooyackers
Petmom877@gmail.com ~ 386-793-2902*

Chess Club

The NEW Chess Club meets
at 6:30 p.m. in the Links Lounge.

NEW SCHEDULE! Meetings are held monthly on the
2nd and 4th Wednesday.

Upcoming Dates:
August 9 & 30
September 13 & 27
October 11 & 25
November 8 & 29
December hiatus

Email Joe Kolanko at
jkolanko@sgadvisers.com for more details!

Mahjongg

Summer Mahjongg at Hammock Dunes Club meets as follows:

Wednesday 1 - 4 p.m. Coquina Lounge
Thursday 1 - 4 p.m. Coquina Lounge
Lessons & Play
Saturday 1 - 4 p.m. Upstairs Card room

Beginner & Refresher Lessons - You are invited!! Come learn the game of mahjongg on Thursday afternoons in July. We will play in the Coquina Room downstairs.

Contact Tracy for more information 386-447-9189



Book Club

Book Club attendees have finalized our schedule for 2023-2024, with our first meeting in September.

If you have any questions, contact Julie Duffy, Claudia Pierce or Carol Swinburn.

Schedule

September 20, 2023
MAD HONEY - Piccoul
Susan Porter

October 18, 2023
RENT COLLECTOR - Wright
Meryl Shelko

November 15, 2023
LOVE, LIFE & ELEPHANTS - Sheldrake
Bonnie Lipomi

December 13, 2023
SECRETS OF A CHARMED LIFE - Meissner
Susan Rosenberry

January 17, 2024
LESSONS IN CHEMISTRY - Garmus
Marcia Vorholt

February 21, 2024
PACHINKO - Min Jin Lee
Abbe Hirschler

March 20, 2024
VIOLIN CONSPIRACY - Slocumbe
Carole Hellmandollar

April 17, 2024
COOKING FOR PICASSO - Aubrey
Bev Farber

May 15, 2024
HORSE - Brooks
Claudia Pierce & Carol Swinburn

June 19, 2024
THE GIRL WHO WROTE IN SILK - Estes
Julie Duffy

Winning Members

Keep an eye out...for your Member Number in each monthly Dunescape. If you find your number hidden somewhere in the text, call the office and let us know. We'll send the lucky winner a \$50.00 gift certificate.



Bridge

Monday Duplicate Bridge is open to all players, (8204) 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 Duplicate Bridge starts at 3:30 p.m. If you're staying for dinner after, please make your dinner reservations 7-10 days in advance. If you are interested in playing, please contact Bill & Carol Britton: 386-447-1979.

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

Thursday Duplicate Bridge contact Claudia Pierce: 386-446-7575 or Maureen Delk: 386-445-6427.

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



John & Eileen Alexon



David & Susan Bridges



Sandra Davis & Gordon Vadis



Mary & Mike de Castro



Joe & Maria Hinrichs



Nigel & Jacqueline Sopp

I'll Meet You at the Club Table...

The Club Table is a great way to meet your fellow members for food, fun and good conversation. Don't want to dine alone? Getting to know your new neighbors? Why not consider joining the Club table?

**Gather Saturday, August 19
in the Dunes Tavern
at 6:30 p.m.**



When making your dinner reservation, please let us know you'd like to be seated at the Club Table.

Have you Noticed?

The newest addition to the Palm Coast Arts Foundation Turtle Trail is GUSTAV the loggerhead turtle. Located near the Main Gate to Hammock Dunes Community, Gustav is #19 in this series of unique community art pieces. He was created by long time Hammock Dunes resident and Club member Judi Wormeck and is sponsored by the Arzonetti Family, also longtime residents and Club members, and is dedicated to the memory of Walter Arzonetti.



Membership Report as of June 31, 2023

Total Members: 725
FULL 509 ~ SPORTS 26 ~ SOCIAL 178 ~ NATIONAL 12

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Links Course Golf Shop ☞ 386-446-6222



August 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
		1 Kids Summer Program, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.
6 A la Carte Breakfast Links, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	7 Links Closed Fitness Center & Pool Close at 11:30 a.m. 	8 Jackson Family Wine Dinner, 6 p.m. Dinner Service Links, 5-9 p.m. 
13 A la Carte Breakfast Links, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	14 Links Closed	15 Prime Rib Night, 5:30-8:30 p.m.  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.
20 A la Carte Breakfast Links, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	21 Links Clubhouse, Golf Course, Fitness Center, Pool and Croquet Lawn CLOSED 	22 Links Clubhouse, Fitness Center and Pool CLOSED for Projects & Deep Cleaning  Golf Course & Ternstand will be OPEN
27 Links Clubhouse CLOSED for Projects & Deep Cleaning  Golf Course & Ternstand will be OPEN	28 Links Closed	29 Lobster Night, 5-8:30 p.m.  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Kids Summer Program, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m. Ladies Golf, 9 a.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. LSG: Bunco, 7 p.m. 	3 Kids Summer Program, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	4 Kids Summer Program, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m. First Friday w/Friends plus Wine & Wickets, 4 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. 	5 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.
9 Ladies Golf, 9 a.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Chess Club – Links Lounge, 7 p.m. 	10 "Around the World" Bingo, 4 p.m.  Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	11 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	12 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. LSG: Ladies Karaoke, 7-9:30 p.m. 
16 Ladies Golf, 9 a.m. Dog Days of Summer Bocce Socials – Ocean Court, 5-6:30 p.m. Dinner Service Links, 5-9 p.m. 	17 LSG: Wine Tasting, 3-5 p.m. Dinner Service Links, 5-9 p.m. 	18 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.	19 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Club Table – Tavern, 6:30 p.m.
23 Links Clubhouse CLOSED for Projects & Deep Cleaning  Golf Course & Ternstand will be OPEN	24 Links Clubhouse CLOSED for Projects & Deep Cleaning  Golf Course & Ternstand will be OPEN	25 Links Clubhouse CLOSED for Projects & Deep Cleaning  Golf Course & Ternstand will be OPEN	26 Links Clubhouse CLOSED for Projects & Deep Cleaning  Golf Course & Ternstand will be OPEN
30 Ladies Golf, 9 a.m. Opera Night, 4 p.m. Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m. Chess Club – Links Lounge, 7 p.m.  	31 Dinner Service - Links, 5-9 p.m.		

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.

Mark your Calendar

Friday	September 1	First Friday with Friends Golf Croquet
Sunday	September 3	Labor Day Clam & Shrimp Boil - Member Reservations open August 3
Thursday	September 7	Back to School Bingo - Member Reservations open August 7
Tuesday	September 12	Prime Rib Buffet
Wednesday	September 13	Boich Family Wine Dinner - Member Reservations open August 12
Wednesday	September 27	Lobster Night
Wednesday	October 4	LGA Opening Day + Cocktail Party
Saturday	October 14	Tunes on the Terrace
Tuesday	October 10	Cain Wine Dinner - Member Reservations open September 9
Tuesday	October 17	Prime Rib Buffet
Thursday	October 19	Fall Fling Bingo - Member Reservations open September 19
Saturday	October 28	Welcome Back Party - Member Reservations open September 28

With member feedback, the Food & Beverage committee recommended to Club Management a change to reservation policy for special events.

Beginning with August events, reservations for events will open 30 Days before the event and **ONLY** member reservations will be accepted for the first 20 days. Family & guest reservations will be accepted 10 days prior to the event, assuming there is no waiting list.

This policy will not apply to Holiday Buffets such as Easter, Breakfast with the Bunny, Thanksgiving, Santa Brunch or Mother's Day.