



## Mark Your Calendar

## IN THIS ISSUE

### DECEMBER

- Thursday, December 1 - County Golf Association
- Friday, December 2 - Casual Dinner Night
- Saturday, December 3 - Rotary Toy Drive
- Saturday, December 3 - 4 - USTA Level 6
- Friday, December 9 - Casual Dinner Night
- Sunday, December 11 - Christmas Shamble
- Thursday, December 15 - County Golf Association
- Friday, December 16 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, December 16 - Tennis Santa Slammer
- Sunday, December 18 - Egg Nog Party
- Friday, December 23 - Low Gross/ Low Net
- Friday, December 23 - NO Casual Dinner
- Sunday, December 25 - **Merry Christmas!** - *Club Closed*
- Friday, December 30 - NO Casual Dinner

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### CLUB NEWS

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### GOLF NEWS

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### COURSE NEWS

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### NEW MEMBERS

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### JANUARY

- Sunday, January 1 - **Happy New Year!**
- Sunday, January 1 - Red Eye Tournament
- Thursday, January 5 - County Golf Association
- Friday, January 6 - Casual Dinner Night
- Saturday, January 7 – Individual Match Play Starts
- Friday, January 13 - Casual Dinner Night
- Thursday, January 19 - County Golf Association
- Friday, January 20 - Casual Dinner Night
- Saturday, January 21 – 22 Cunningham Cup
- Friday, January 27 - Low Gross/ Low Net
- Friday, January 27 - Casual Dinner Night

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### TENNIS NEWS

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### SOCIAL NEWS

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### CHEF'S CORNER

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### FEBRUARY

- Thursday, February 2 - County Golf Association
- Friday, February 3 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, February 10 - **Valentine's Dinner**
- Saturday, February 11 - 12 - Member Member
- Thursday, February 16 - County Golf Association
- Friday, February 17 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, February 24 - Low Gross/ Low Net
- Friday, February 24 - Casual Dinner Night

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### MEMBERS PHOTOS

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# CLUB NEWS

By Clay Thomas  
General Manager

As I reflect on the year 2022, it seems like The Club marked its 60th Anniversary in style with a grand celebration. To start the event we gathered at the site of the original cabin on the property around the fountain that predates the opening of the golf course. A great number of our members enjoyed each other's company on the back lawn of the Club with the Chef's great food and the fantastic music of the Danny Bubb Combo. It was a memorable evening in the extraordinary life of our great Club.

We finally received our new fleet of golf carts and they are spectacular. This fleet of Club Car vehicles has lithium batteries which are warranted to last five years. So we are particularly pleased that batteries will not be a concern with this fleet.

Chef Dave and his staff hosted a full house for a great Thanksgiving feast... And now we are looking forward to December 18th when the Cunningham Family welcomes all of our Seminole Lake members for the Annual Egg Nog Party. If you have yet to experience the event, it is a showcase of wonderful food laid out for our members. There is also a huge sale in the golf pro shop on the night of the Egg Nog Party. Members will have the opportunity to shop and pull a mystery discount of 10%-75% off of any items that they have brought to the counter. Hope to see you all there.



# GOLF NEWS

By Mark Codianna  
Head Golf Professional

The two-person match play tournament began on November 19th with 22 men's teams and 4 ladies' teams. Congratulations to Diane Herring and Nancy Hart for defeating Sally Mohr and Liz Krupitza 2 up in the ladies' finals. In the men's division, only three teams have been eliminated to this point. I will update you on the tournament next month. The two-time defending champs Kirk Barker and Dean Johnson won their first match to move to the round of 16.

This month we have rescheduled the Nite Lite Tournament for December 2nd. The field is full and it will be a really fun event. The Christmas Shamble sign-up is now open. We moved the event to Sunday, December 11th at 1:00. This is a four-person team event in which all four players on a team will tee off. After selecting the best tee shot, all four players then play their own ball in from there. The best two net scores of the foursome will be used for scoring. There will also be a dinner inside the clubhouse after the event. You can sign up for that event next time you are in the golf shop. We worked out a deal with Titleist and got the price on our brand-new TSi drivers from \$549 down to \$299! We have two 9-degree stiff flex drivers at that price in stock. They will go fast so if you are interested swing by the golf shop. We will have new men's and ladies' clothing from Puma arriving in January along with new styles of shoes from Footjoy and men's shirts from Footjoy.

The golf shop will bring back its annual Christmas sale during the Eggnog Party from 6:00 to 8:00 on December 18th. We will have a grab bag with random discounts from 10% to 75% off your entire purchase. Take this opportunity to stock up on golf balls, get that bag you have been thinking about or buy gifts for the golfer in your life.



# CHEF'S CORNER

By Chef David Justice



## Prime Rib Night

\$28.95

Friday, December 16, 2022

**RSVP**

**(727) 392-3008**

**WHY NOT HAVE DINNER  
AT THE CLUB?**

**CASUAL DINNER NIGHT**

**DECEMBER 2ND**

**DECEMBER 9TH**

**DECEMBER 16TH**



# SOCIAL NEWS



By Kelly Vaughn

Director of Sales and Marketing

We trust that everyone had a Happy Thanksgiving! Our Thanksgiving Buffet did not disappoint, and we had an excellent turnout. Thank you to all who joined us.

December 3rd we will be hosting Toys in the Trunk along with the Rotary Club of Seminole and Seminole Lake Country Club Estates HOA. Simply buy an unwrapped toy, place it in the trunk of your car and pull up to the clubhouse where one of our volunteers will safely remove it. All toys will be donated to the YMCA's neighbor-to-neighbor program and will be delivered locally to kids in need here in Seminole! If you would like to drop toys off early, you can find decorated boxes located in the dining room and at the Tennis office. Let's help those in need have a wonderful Christmas!

We have one special dinner this month... Prime Rib Friday! Yes, Chef David will be serving Prime Rib on December 16th. Please call the dining room for reservations, at (727) 392-3008. We will be having casual dinners on December 2nd, 9th, and 16th. There will be NO dinner on December 24th or 30th due to the holidays.

Grab the family and some decorations and join us and SLCC HOA on Saturday, December 17th at 5 pm for the Annual Christmas Golf Cart Parade! Don't have a cart? Come and borrow one of ours. Cart decorating starts at 4:30 pm, We will be parading ALL 18 holes of the golf course, so if you're not participating, be sure to watch! Please RSVP Alana O'Hanlan (727) 710-0480.

Our Annual Egg Nog Party will be on December 18th from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, hosted by the Cunningham Family. So...call a babysitter and please come dressed in Holiday Cocktail attire! This will be a complimentary buffet of hors d'oeuvres and desserts, including regular and spiked egg nog and a cash bar. Come mix and mingle with fellow members, staff, and the owners of SLCC. RSVP by Monday, December 13th. (727) 392-3008 (21 and over, please no jeans)

From all of us at the club, we wish you and your family a very Happy Holiday season!

## COURSE NEWS

### Green Side UP

By Sean Carlton  
Head Greens Keeper

November has brought some welcome, cooler weather, along with some familiar snowbirds. As the cooler weather slows the growth of the grass, it allows us to transition into other projects. We've been putting in time clearing out what we call the jungle surrounding the tennis courts, opening up the view of the mangroves, and a peek at the Bayou. Once properly cleaned up, we'll be maintaining the look with a new Bush hog throughout the year. The bridge on 12 that became mysteriously undermined after 15 years has been professionally repaired and is hopefully good for many more years to come. We continue to work on some of the thin spots on a handful of greens using plugs from the nursery green. Greens, like most things in life, get old, and increasingly difficult to manage at the level of its youth. Some lessons have been learned in dealing with this reality, and we'll be changing some maintenance practices to try to account for the new reality and stay ahead of the recent quirks and lessen vigor. One big thing we'll be changing next year is the timing of our core aerification from early June to late August. I think this will address some issues we've had the last couple of years late in the summer.

Hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving, and look forward to Christmas.

See you on the course.

Sean and Moxie



## MEMBERSHIP NEWS



By Stacy Perdue  
Membership Director

*Don't forget...*

Want a FREE month of dues?  
We have a great referral program at SLCC! If you refer someone to join us as a member for 6 months, we will credit you a month of dues.

**LET'S GIVE A BIG WELCOME  
TO OUR NEW MEMBERS!**

### GOLF

ALAN JAENICKE

JAMES KLOTH

JACQUE CASSIDY

JOHN MILLER

BERNARD & JEAN WITZKE

### SOCIAL

MARC HARPOLE

