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## Mark Your Calendar

### June

- Friday, June 2 - Casual Dinner Night
- Thursday, June 8 - County Golf Association
- Friday, June 9 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, June 16 - Casual Dinner Night
- Saturday, June 17 - Cheeseburger in Paradise Party
- Friday, June 23 - Low Gross/ Low Net
- Friday, June 23 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, June 30 - Casual Dinner Night

### July

- Tuesday, July 4 - Flag Tournament
- Friday, July 7 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, July 14 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, July 21 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, July 28 - Low Gross/ Low Net
- Friday, July 28 - Casual Dinner Night

### August

- Friday, August 4 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, August 11 - Casual Dinner Night
- Saturday, August 12/13 - Summer Classic
- Tuesday, August 15 - Aerification / Club Closed
- Friday, August 18 - Casual Dinner Night
- Friday, August 25 - Low Gross/ Low Net
- Friday, August 25 - Casual Dinner Night

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# CLUB NEWS

By Clay Thomas  
General Manager

We are sprinting into June full steam ahead to keep on top of our greens re-grassing project. You will see a great deal of prep work going on around the course right now. June 12th is fast approaching, and we'll be ready to move efficiently to keep the project on schedule. Sean and his crew have done a great job prepping the temporary greens and I will say that these greens are looking really good. We are committed to doing everything that we can to help our members have an enjoyable summer of golf. To that end, we have made special arrangements for our Golf members:

**Reciprocal Clubs:** The Bayou Club, The Vinoy, Isla del Sol and St. Petersburg CC. To arrange golf at one of our reciprocal clubs, please contact the SLCC Golf Pro Shop 7 days in advance. Our staff will coordinate your reciprocal rounds.

**Golf at SLCC** during the time of re-grassing: 18-hole cart fee-\$11.00, 9-hole cart fee-\$5.50. Walking: free. Guests of Golf members will get 50% off guest fees.

**Driving Range:** free use of driving range for Golf members. Monthly charges for range plans will be suspended for the months of June-August and those who have paid for an annual range plan will be credited for three months.

**Paradise Golf Membership:** SLCC has purchased a Paradise Summer Golf Membership for all of our dues-paying Golf members. The program offers deeply discounted rounds to 50+ area clubs. Please go to the SLCC website under the "Members" tab to find the link to sign up to receive your Paradise card.

We are excited to get underway on this transformational project for our Club. Be on the lookout for special events through the summer to keep the fun up around the Club.

We'll see you all around the Club soon.



# GOLF NEWS

By Mark Codianna  
Head Golf Professional

As all of you know by now, we will be resurfacing the greens starting June 12th. We will also be expanding some of the greens and possibly doing some slight reshaping of a couple of the surfaces if time permits. We will have temporary greens and there will be some changes to the golf course. The temporary green on hole 8 is in front of the pond and due to how much that shortens the hole, we will be moving the tee boxes back. Otherwise, we will leave the tee markers in their current locations. We will leave it up to the individual groups to decide if they want to move back a set or two of tees or if they will just play a shorter golf course. From the research I've done so far, it appears the black tee yardage will be close to the current white tee yardage when the temporary greens are open. I am also in the process of creating a scorecard that will be used during the three months. I will include the yardages from the tees to the center of the temporary greens and the full course yardages to help you decide what distance course you would like to play. On the par 4's and 5's the card will have the distance to subtract from the sprinkler heads and yardage markers to get you the correct distance to the center of the temporary greens. We are closing the 16th hole to expand and flatten the front tee box. When you get to 14 tee you will hit two tee balls. The first one will be to a par 3 green (temporary hole 14) and the second shot will be played to the fairway beyond the par 3 temporary green and eventually to a temporary green by the current green (now temporary hole 15). Hole 15 will become temporary hole 16 and then things will resume their normal order after that. The temporary scorecard will keep the holes and pars in the temporary order.

Due to this massive temporary change in the setup of the course, you will not be posting scores for rounds played at Seminole Lake. In fact, the FSGA has disabled the ability for scores to be posted from June 12th through September 15th. The rates for golf will be half-price for riding and free for walking for golf members. The range will also be free for golf members during those three months. If you are a golf member and have an unlimited range plan you will not be charged for that plan for three months. For those with the annual range plan, we will be issuing a credit for the three summer months. We will keep you updated on the progress of the resurfacing throughout the summer.





# COURSE NEWS

## Green Side UP

By Sean Carlton  
Head Greens Keeper

Anyone who's been around the last few weeks can see there's a lot going on in preparation for the upcoming greens re-grassing. At this point we're frantically trying to prepare the ground on which the sod we take from the greens will be placed. There are a few greens that we are expanding slightly. Many of these areas have been sprayed out with Roundup. You'll see dashes of white paint which frame the new shape of the greens that we are expanding. You'll also see solid white stripes where we plan resod. These areas are mostly, but not exclusively, focused on bunker edges.

We will also be resodding many fairway bunker edges and a few tee boxes.

On June 12 we will begin sod-cutting greens and transplanting the grass from the greens to those areas prepped to receive the grass. The crew will be divided into teams working to keep the project moving efficiently. As a green gets stripped, we will follow behind adding in a custom sand mix, which will be rototilled and shaped to match the original green contours.

We have a good schedule laid out for the work and a solid plan to execute. If the weather cooperates, we should have all of the grass planted on the greens before the end of June. From there we can count on a nine week grow-in period. Again, weather can play a factor in the timeline, but we are planning for opening in the early part of September.

We're looking to recruit member participation to help spread the sprigs on the greens on June 28th (that date is subject to change). The job involves hand spreading the plants on the greens. We will all meet at the putting green at 7 am and give you direction for how to spread the sprigs. We will divide the members into teams of six and move around the golf course in carts spreading the sprigs. We will wrap up the morning with lunch in the clubhouse for all of those who help us out. This is a chance to have fun being a part of this special project.

Finally, I would like to introduce our new Assistant Golf Course Superintendent Travis Woods. Travis is a highly-qualified superintendent having been a head superintendent for over 25 years. We are excited to welcome him to our team. He will be an integral part of pulling off this summer project.

See you on the course



# MEMBERSHIP NEWS

By Stacy Perdue  
Membership Director

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

## Golf

- Sean Aubry
- Jason Balk
- David Cole
- Jane Donoghue
- Tom Edmiston
- Preston Emery
- Richard Faris
- Keith Foburg
- Blake Garrison
- Joseph Greenlee
- Charlie & Zee Knight
- Steve LaPlante
- Jacob Naumann
- Jason Parker
- Peter Petrovitch
- Frank Reilly
- Michael & Nora Schmidt
- Charles Sheppard
- Kordell Seidler
- Madison Swartz
- Clayton Tieman
- Paul Wilson

## Tennis

- Cody & Lindsey Bekemeyer
- Austin, Keith, and Priska Carbonneau
- Nessie Haideri
- Cindy Kobeda
- Samir Mohan

## Social

Anna & Tom Rogers



# CHEF'S CORNER

By Chef David Justice

**Do you know the hours of our dining room?**

## *Breakfast*

### *Saturday*

9am - 11am

### *Sundays*

9am - 1pm

## *Lunch - Daily*

11am - 3pm

*or for Fridays...*

## **CASUAL DINNER NIGHT**

JUNE 2ND

JUNE 9TH

JUNE 16TH

JUNE 23RD

JUNE 30TH



# SOCIAL NEWS

By Kelly Vaughn Williams  
Director of Sales and Marketing

We had a delightful brunch on Mother's Day celebrating the wonderful women in our lives! A sincere thank you to those who joined us for this event.

The month of June presents an excellent opportunity to partake in Friday dinners at the club! Stay updated on our weekly emails for dinner specials. Our casual dinners will be held on the 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, and 30th of June. Please contact the dining room at (727) 410-1976 to make your reservations. And don't miss the Cheeseburger in Paradise Party on June 17th (flyer below).

Father's Day falls on the 18th of June. If you're wondering what to get Dad, why not consider a gift certificate to our golf shop?

We are constantly on the lookout for amusing photographs taken at the club, which we could feature on our newsletter or Facebook page. In case you have any pictures to share, please send them to [kvaughn@seminolelake.net](mailto:kvaughn@seminolelake.net).







# TENNIS NEWS

By Erick Chall  
Director of Tennis Operations



Congratulations to member, **Rome Baror**, who was a finalist in our Level 6 Boys 12 USTA tournament.

School is out and Summer Camp is in session May 30 thru August 11. Register your child asap. Spots are filling up.

(Please go to the website [seminolelakefamilytennis.com](http://seminolelakefamilytennis.com) for more information)

Our popular Doubles Academy is starting June 6th, Tuesdays and Wednesdays 9am-11am until June 28th. We will be covering all aspects of doubles combing through the basics to more advanced strategies.

Our Spanish exchange program is back. We are looking for host families. See flyer below!

**Doubles Academy**

Intense & Focused Doubles Training  
Excellent prep for upcoming league seasons  
Strategy, Positioning, Proper Point Set-up  
Perfect way to keep your skills sharp over the break!

Every Tuesday & Wednesday  
June 6 June 28, 9am-11am  
2 days of power packed clinics each week

\$80 per week or \$45 per day  
Must pay in advance to hold your spot. Email ([info@seminolelakefamilytennis.com](mailto:info@seminolelakefamilytennis.com)) or call (727-394-1733) to reserve your spot. (limit 12 players)  
Members receive 10% discount

## HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

### SEMINOLE FAMILY TENNIS'S PRESTIGIOUS SPANISH STUDENT PROGRAM IS BACK!!

Come and join us in our 15-year program that has made memories of a lifetime! For 3 or 4 weeks in July, We will be welcoming 10-12 Spanish students from all different parts of Spain to Seminole, Florida! They are coming to live with your family to experience American family life. Your family gets to know someone from a different country (who are really friendly) and learn about them. Over the years, several of our host families have maintained their relationships with their guests from extra visits to celebrating college graduations and weddings. Join us to welcome and house these players. We have excellent communication and a team effort to make this an enjoyable experience for you.

What to expect:

- In the month of July, host 1 of the students (ages 12-18) (who do speak English) for 3-4 weeks (some come 3 weeks, some come 4 weeks)
- You will receive around \$500 to go towards food and such
- They will have chaperones who will:
  - pick them up on weekday mornings and bring them home in the evenings with the following weekly schedule:
    - tennis 9-12 pm
    - lunch
    - English class 2-4
    - experience American culture 4-6 pm
    - Drop off at your house
  - help communicate and coordinate any other needs
- Weekends are for fun with the family and/or the other host families
- End of July "See you later" celebration to see them off to Spain

**HURRY NOW** if you are interested as we have a few left who need homes. --you must have kids 10-18

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**Member Rome Baror**

