



# Newsletter August 2019

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# The Creek

## NOTES

### Friday Night Social

Our newest social league has been a tremendous success. and we've had upwards of 45 people playing each Friday night! If you haven't checked it out, please get signed up in the Pro Shop sometime before Friday. This league will be running until the end of August so be sure to stop by and join us for the fun!

### Do you struggle with chipping, putting or sand shots? This clinic is for you! - Members Golf Clinics

Instructor: Chance MacIntyre Date: Friday August 23rd @ 10:00 AM

Short Game Clinic (Open to first 4-8 Students)

- \$10 Per Person  
These clinics are designed to help improve KEY FUNDAMENTALS of the short game.
- Personal & Affordable
- 1 Hour Session

To sign up contact Chance: [cjmacintyregolf@gmail.com](mailto:cjmacintyregolf@gmail.com)



# Turf News

The past month has brought a lot of stressful conditions to the course with high winds and relatively dry conditions. The course has held up very well through out and seems to be primed for the fall golf season.

Aeration and topdressing is underway on the tees that received the most damage from the summer stress. A combination of aeration, seed and sand with constant watering should restore the playing conditions and have a solid foundation to go into the winter months.

It's hard to think about the winter months with the weather we have been having but they are fast approaching. Aeration will continue in certain areas hopefully reducing impact to the play.

I hope everyone is enjoying the playing conditions and I am always open to discussing our maintenance practices with you. I hope every one is getting dialed in for the Club Championship and as always go low.

Graham Wieja, Superintendent



# Cheers & Jeers

## MEMBER HAPPENINGS

We would like to wish the best of luck to our very own Myrna Millar as she heads out West on Friday to participate in the Senior Championship in Osoyoos, British Columbia!

Best of luck also goes out to our Junior Team as they head into the final match of their junior league match-play next Sunday at Belvedere. They currently have a two point advantage over Belvedere, Fox Meadow, and Brudenell

## Golf Trivia

Q: Which golf course and where is it located is the highest above sea level in the world?

Be sure to check out next month's newsletter to find out the answer. New for this month: The first person to either email or stop in at the Shop with the correct answer will win a little prize!

## INTERCLUB MATCH-PLAY

Andersons Creek plays in the final match tomorrow at Eagles Glenn versus Green Gables. If successful, this would be back-to-back interclub titles for the Andersons Creek team. Best of luck to Captain Chance MacIntyre and the rest of the squad.



## HOLE IN ONES

There are currently 286 members of our hole in one club! If you are lucky enough to be a part of this exclusive club you deserve a pat on the back.

Congrats to Curtis Martell who joined our hole in one club with an Ace on #10 last month! Way to go Curtis.

# From the Pros

## Play For More Break, Not Less

Have you ever heard the saying, It's always better to miss it on the pro side of the hole? How about, Never up, never in? In case you haven't heard these sayings, what they mean is quite simple. Better players know that, no matter how well you judge the speed and break of a putt, if you consistently miss on the low side of the hole, you're never giving yourself a real chance. (The low side, by the way, refers to the side of the hole that's actually lower than the hole.) Since golf balls don't roll upwards naturally, unless you hit the putt from below the hole up the hill, the ball has no chance to go in.

On the other hand, if you tend to miss more often on the upper side (the pro side) of the hole, once in a while, the ball may actually find the hole. The key is speed. Having the right speed, even if you aim a little high and for a little too much break, the ball actually may slow down more and start to break into the hole even though you were a little off with your aim. Better players understand this (whether they're aware of it or not) and generally miss to the higher side of the hole rather than the lower side. They also cite speed as more important than direction, for this very reason.

That said, next time you practice, find a breaking putt to the right, and then one that breaks to the left. Practice on both holes until your misses start trending toward the pro side of the hole. Of course, the goal is to make more than you miss, but with the right kind of misses, you may find yourself making a few more putts, as well!



# Upcoming Events

## Club Championship August 24 & 25 @ 7 AM

Join us on August 25th and 26th for our annual Club Championship! The Club Championship will be a two-day stroke play event for Men, Women and Senior Members, Juniors will have a 1 day division on Saturday. \*\*New this year will be a 1 Day 2 Person Team Scramble Division on Saturday.\*\* Members must have a valid handicap card. Open to all member types excluding social and one-day a week members. Divisions will be based on the number of entries.

- **August 24 & 25 2019 @ 7:00 AM**

- Drink Tickets

- Steak Dinner

- Prizes for Net & Gross Scores

**\$60 per team - Scramble Play**

**\$40 per person - Stroke Play (Multiple Divisions)**

## Golf Fore the Cure September 24 @ 9 AM

Join us at Andersons Creek for our annual Golf Fore the Cure event. This event is to support Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation. It's a great way to support a fantastic cause while having a fun time with friends. Prizes will be awarded for best dressed team, on-course competitions, and top groups. Wear pink/yellow to support this cause!



**Entries by Donation**

# Pro Shop



**SPECIAL OFFER**

**30% OFF**

## Shoe Sale

Purchase our Footjoy Shoe of the Month and receive 30% off any Footjoy/Titleist apparel!

## POLO SPECIAL!

All men's and ladies **Under Armour** polo golf shirts are now 30% off until August 24th!



**UNDER ARMOUR**

## BALL SPECIAL!



Callaway Chromesoft Dozens are now \$49.99! This offer also includes Callaway's Truvis (soccer ball).  
\*While quantities last.

## Golf Pride®



**Super Stroke**  
PLAY BETTER GRIPS.

## GRIP SPECIAL!

Free installation on all grips purchased before August 31st. Don't miss out on this great deal!!

# Club Contact Information

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