



# Newsletter March 2019

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# From The Creek

## NOTES

Can't believe another month has passed, getting that much closer to the season! Hope everyone has a great time celebrating St. Patrick's Day this weekend and the kids enjoy March Break next week! 49 days until opening but who's counting??

Don't forget about these important upcoming dates!

- Master's Party April 14 - The Factory in Charlottetown
- Andersons Creek Opening Day!!! May 3
- Andersons Creek Open House - lots of prizes, sales and refreshments! May 4
- Member Kickoff May 11

## UPDATE ON GREEN GABLES

As some members may be aware our operating contract at Green Gables Golf Course was fulfilled on December 31, 2018. **We have received the RFP and will be submitting our proposal before the April 5 deadline.** In the meantime if you have any questions please direct them to [kevinchampiongolf@gmail.com](mailto:kevinchampiongolf@gmail.com)



# Club Updates

## TURF NEWS

As mid March rolls around temperatures are on the rise and the hope of an early spring is becoming more realistic. Snow removal has started at green sites to expose ice coverage and clearing surrounds for surface drainage to exit the area. Once this has taken place, a dry bagged black sand is applied by a walk behind spreader to assist in the melting process.



We now look for the help of mother nature with above zero temperatures, liquid precipitation and long sunny days to rid what was given to us this past winter.

Robert McGregor, Superintendent



# CALLAWAY SPECIAL!



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# Events



**MASTERS PARTY**

PRESENTED BY:  
**GOLF MANIA**  
PEL.COM

2:00 PM  
SUN., APR. 14, 2019  
THE FACTORY

**FREE ADMISSION**  
VIEW THE MASTERS ON THE BIG SCREENS

- BK GOLF TRIVIA!
- ODYSSEY PUTTER CONTEST!
- CHIPPING CONTEST  
WIN A CALLAWAY WEDGE!
- DOOR PRIZES!
- BEER & BURGER LOVE!
- 2 FOR 1 GREEN FEE COUPONS!



# Cheers & Jeers



There is no shot so simple that  
it can't be messed up.

## Golf Trivia

Last month's trivia answer is:

**A) It has no bunkers**

This month's trivia question is:

**Q: Who is the only Masters champion to win in a sudden-death playoff with a bogey?**

Be sure to check out next month's newsletter to find the answer!

## CLUB HISTORY - HOLE IN ONES

*"I played golf... I did not get a hole in one, but I did hit a guy. That's way more satisfying..." - Mitch Hedberg*

We are going to be celebrating some amazing hole in one stories from our members over the next few months.

Remember the stat from last month the odds of two hole in ones in the same foursome on the same hole are 26,000,000 to 1? Did you know it happened at Andersons Creek!?! Let's let Ben tell you himself about his "favourite golf memory".

*"On June 11th 2008, Myself, Nevin Dunfield, Jock Allen, and Laura McCallum had planned a round of golf after working the shotgun tournament Andersons Creek had hosted that morning. We had a really tight knit staff that year, being friends on and off the golf course. That's what makes this story so special.*

*The start of the round was pretty standard. When we got to the 8th tee I had the honour. The pin was tucked partly up the slope in the front left corner of the green. AC member Greg Beirsto was quoted saying "Nobody will make a two here today". I hit my 52-degree gap wedge just a bit past the pin and it spun back down the slope... BOOM! My first hole in one! We were jacked up to say the least. After the round golfers from all over the course said they could hear my yelling. Once things had calmed down Nevin was next to shoot. He hit his wedge right at the pin, one bounce and gone! The ball disappeared into the cup! Back to back aces! What went on after that was incredible. We didn't really know how to react. There was lots of yelling, laughing and memories made, oh and maybe a couple pitchers of Clancy's in the lounge after the round. It was an incredible day and I was so lucky to be able to share it with great friends. "*

*- Ben King*

Wonder what the odds are of getting a hole in one at your club on opening day? Stay tuned next month for another amazing story!

# From the Pros

The season is fast approaching, but there is still time to get some practice in before you are back on the course!

## Winter Tips – You Can do At Home

Imagery and visualization are very important, yet a lot of people overlook them. Even taking a few minutes out of your day while the kettle is brewing, - picturing five great shots at the beautiful Andersons Creek, or playing a hole well, has an impact on your overall game over time.

This time of year it's tough to get to a range but there are a few things we can work on at home. Stretching in the off season is a great way to avoid injury and ensure good mobility when the golf season does finally show up.

Click the link below to watch a video with some great golf related stretches!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E3AbOdV21tE>

You can also work on swing movements at home with or without a golf club. Putting practice can be done at home too, it's fun and it uses your imagination. It could be something as simple as having a tee stood up on its end and trying to knock it over three times from three feet, five feet, seven feet and so on. Imagine how many tee pegs you can knock into a hole. Once you get confident knocking a tee over the hole will look like a bucket when you get to the course.

It goes back to the adage: train hard, play easy. Most people do the opposite train easy and play hard.

## Plan your practice and practice in smaller chunks!

This season look at it and say 'I am going to put x amount of time in a week'. If it's two hours, it's a lot easier to find four chunks of 30 minutes than two chunks of one hour.

It doesn't matter what caliber of player I work with, I always want them to work in smaller chunks of time. Just do 20 minutes of high focus. That's better than an hour of 20 minutes high focus, the next 20 minutes so-so focus and the last 20 of beating the balls and getting out of there.

Chance MacIntyre - PGA of Canada



# Membership Opportunities

## **Full Membership \$1100 + HST**

Full playing privileges at Andersons Creek. Five day advanced booking, two guest passes.

## **Couples Membership \$2000 + HST**

Full playing privileges at Andersons Creek. Five day advanced booking, four guest passes.

## **Family Membership \$2100 + HST**

Full playing privileges at Andersons Creek for two adults and two children 18 years of age or under.  
Five day advanced booking, four guest passes.

## **Monday- Friday Membership \$925 + HST**

Full playing privileges at Andersons Creek anytime Monday- Friday. Five day advanced booking, two guest passes.

## **Shoulder Membership \$575 + HST**

Playing privileges at Andersons Creek anytime before June 15 and after September 23 and after 4 pm between June 15 and September 23. Five day advanced booking.

## **U25 Membership \$575 + HST**

Full playing privileges at Andersons Creek, Five day advanced booking. Must have valid ID. Under 25 as of May 1, 2019.

## **Junior Membership \$375 + HST**

Full playing privileges at Andersons Creek. Five day advanced booking. Must be 18 years of age or younger.

## **One Day A Week Membership \$450 + HST**

One standing tee time per week at Andersons Creek. Available Monday-Thursday anytime, Fridays before noon, and Sundays after 1 pm.

Power Cart Seat \$500	Range Membership \$75
Pull Cart Membership \$100	Club Cleaning/Storage \$200



# Club Contact Information

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