# Danville Golf Club 2024 November Newsletter

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We want everybody to be in the know! If your spouse or if you know of Club members that have not been receiving emails from the Club, tell them to call the Club 434.792.7225 ext. 2 or email Shirley @ shirleywade@danvillegolfclub.com Thank you to our outstanding members who are sharing Danville Golf Club and helping us add to our Club Family. Let's welcome our newest members.

There are a few spots available for Community Service Membership. The Club limits this special CSM membership to only (50) members. Until recently, we had a wait list for CSM. If you know anyone who qualifies for CSM, please have them contact Kathy asap as this special CSM membership will fill up fast! Please contact Kathy Nelson, Business Manager, for more information. 434-792-7225 ext 5

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## Clubhouse Dining Hours of Operation



Sunday: Lunch 11:30 am – 2:30 pm Dinner – Closed Monday: Club Closed / Club Office open 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Tuesday: Lunch 11:30am – 2:30pm Dinner – Closed Wednesday: Lunch 11:30am – 2:30pm Dinner 6:00pm – 9:00pm Thursday: Lunch 11:30am – 2:30pm Dinner 6:00pm – 9:00pm Friday: Lunch 11:30am – 2:30pm Dinner 6:00pm – 9:00pm Saturday: A La Carte 11:00am – 9:00pm

### RESERVATIONS

To help provide you all with the best service and dining experience we are strongly encouraging reservations in the 19<sup>th</sup> hole. Reservations help us control staffing for a shift and even more they help us gauge how much food to prepare so we ensure your food is fresh and items were made to order. We will never turn you away for not making a reservation, but we ask that you help us control the outcome of your Club's bottom line when you can. Thank you so much for taking the time to read this and we wish you all an excellent November.



Happy Thanksgiving Everyone!

Yes, it's that time of year again. Fall weather, beautiful leaves, football, and a great time to be outdoors with family and friends, especially at your Danville Golf Club. It's a perfect time to give thanks for all the many ways we have been Blessed. And it's a perfect time to think about those that are going through troubling times as well. The war in Ukraine, the tragedy in Gaza, and the food shortage in Haiti, remind us how truly fortunate we are as a nation.

And we are also mindful of our neighbors in Florida, Georgia, North and South Carolina, Va and Tennessee, that have suffered through Helene and Milton and the devastation left in their wake. I know many of you have contributed to the relief of those affected. Our nation and the world thank you for your generosity and support.

Yes, we have lots to be thankful for. The wonderful climate we have in central Va with our moderate weather, the freedom we hold so dear, and the beautiful facility we have where we can get away from our day-to-day challenges and just relax.

So, Happy Thanksgiving fellow members. Have a great time with those that you love and be mindful of others around you that may not have the good fortune that you do. Show them compassion as well! Remember that being Blessed means sharing God's unconditional love with everyone!

Sincerely, George III, Club President





SPECIAL REQUEST BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS Please remember to pay your Danville Golf Club statement promptly! This will help us pay our bills on time! Thank you for your continued support of YOUR CLUB



Dear Membership,

I hope everyone has been able to visit the Club recently to enjoy the great dinner specials and superb patio cocktails. This weather will not last long, but it's perfect right now.

Chef Ron and Chef Jon have been working on new menu creations and we will be ready to release a new menu by the end of the month. If your favorite dish is removed, we apologize, but please let me know so I can run it as a daily special. We appreciate your support in the 19th Hole for your lunch and dinner gatherings.

As you may have heard or seen, we had a large oak tree fall at the pool and crush the pergola and fencing. We had a crew out in less than 48 hours cleaning it all up.

On a better note, we are currently getting a new roof installed, so please excuse any extra vehicles present in the parking lot. We will have the new roof completed and all debris removed promptly. As soon as the job is completed, we will be replacing a few ceiling tiles and touching up a few blemishes here and there.

A special thank you in advance to the ground crew and Adam Rawley as they are currently and will continue to spend half the day mowing and removing leaves from all around the property. You guys do a great job and even though the parking lot is full of new leaves at 6 p.m. for the dinner crowd, they don't stand a chance when your guys arrive in the morning.

I was able to take a three-day fishing trip with my brother and my dad to Morehead City, NC. We had an amazing time creating memories we will never forget. The weather was good, but the fishing was even better. We caught multiple large Flounder, Blue Fish and Trout. Blessed to be able to celebrate my dad's 73rd birthday in such an amazing way.

Sincerely, Andrew Walker, Club Manager



# Danville Golf Club Traditional Thanksgiving Day Buffet

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Thursday, November 28, 2024 12:00 noon – 2:00 pm

Thanksgiving dine-in reservations are required and must be made by 5:00 pm on Tuesday, November 26<sup>th</sup>.

### **Buffet Featuring**:

Baked Ham, Carved Turkey with Turkey Gravy Salad Bar, Green Bean Casserole, Turnip Greens, Mashed Potatoes, Sweet Potato Casserole, Baked Macaroni and Cheese, Stuffing, Cranberry Sauce, Hot Rolls Desserts: Pumpkin Pie, Apple Cobbler, Cookies/Brownies Kids: Chicken Tenders, Corn Dog Nuggets, and French Fries

Adults \$31/++ Kids (5-12) \$16/++ Kids 4 & under Free

# Our Thanksgiving Buffet is also available for Carry-out.

Thanksgiving to-go orders must be placed by 3:00 pm on Tuesday, November 26. Pick up time will between 11:30 am and 12 pm on Thursday, November 28th.

Family Bundle \$125/+ (Feeds 5-6 people) Adults single \$28/+ Dessert: Choice of Pumpkin Pie or Apple Cobbler (Salad Bar will not be available with Carry out order)

## Note: Club closes @ 3:00 pm

# ENTERTAINMENT/POOL/ SPORT COURTS/ FITNESS NEWS

Happy November and the beginning of the Holiday Season!!

Danville Golf Club constantly tries to have events of interest several times a month. Whether it's a special dinner night or a golf tournament or an event at the pool. We want to create interest for the membership, both young and old and newer and older members. This month, we will be having a special event for all of the new members that have joined us at DGC during the past year!! On Thursday, November 14th, we will be having a New Member Mix and Mingle in the Main Ballroom. The entire membership is invited to this event to meet and greet the newer members of the Club and to let them get to know those of us that have been around for a while. We will be offering free Draft beer, wine and hor d'oeuvres. While the entire membership is invited to this Club event, the emphasis is on meeting and recognizing the newer members. Please make plans to attend the Club that night and make plans to stay for dinner afterwards.

Also, please make plans to attend the DGC Annual Thanksgiving Buffet. We continually run out of reservations, so call Shirley or Kathy to reserve your time and table.

Your Board has approved a monthly event that will be announced in the December Monthly newsletter, so be on the lookout for that news!!

The courts are under lights on Tuesday evenings for Pickleball. If you have not tried this fun and social game, you are missing it!! Come join us on Tuesdays under the lights beginning around 5:30 p.m.

Have a great month!! John Mason



Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>

New Member MIX and Mingle Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup>

BUTCHEL'S BLOCK Saturday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>

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**OYSTER NIGHT** Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup>



#### LUNCHEON BUFFET WITH Santa December 15<sup>th</sup>

#### NEW YEAR'S EVE FIVE COURSE DINNER December 31st



Although we have many Christmas Parties booked at the Club this year, we still have dates available to host your Christmas Luncheon or Christmas Dinner Party at the Club.

We have rooms available for Large, small, and anything in between for your Christmas events! All you need to do is invite your family, friends, or co-workers and leave the rest for us.

So call the Danville Golf Club Event Team asap to reserve your date and room. 434.792.7225

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Shirley Wade, Administrative Assistant..ext. 2 shirleywade@danvilegolfclub.com

# **Pro's Corner**

It is nearly impossible to believe that we are close to entering the holiday season. As we head towards cooler weather, that doesn't mean the golf season is over! We are hopeful that we will continue to have many pretty days ahead that will accommodate all your golfing desires. The course has been in fantastic shape, and we hope everyone has had the opportunity to get out and enjoy it. Going forward into the season, the days will be getting shorter as the time will change on November 3. We will be posting some adjusted hours for the Golf Shop and practice range. We had some newly crowned champions during the month of October. Our 2024 Club Champion was Chad Anderson with a score of 70-68-138. This is Chad's 2<sup>nd</sup> DGC Club Championship. Our Senior Division Champion was George **Willoughby** with a score of 80-73-153. George made a great comeback on Sunday to edge out Gary Thomson, who had a run of three consecutive birdies on hole 1,2 &3. Doug Kendrick, once again captured the Super Senior title with a score of 70-76-146. Doug has played some fantastic golf over the years. Thank you to all the participants as we continue to grow this event!

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## Congratulations! 2024 Men's Club Champions





Our Match Play event was completed this month and **Bill Hutcherson** was our 2024 Champion. **Bill & Richie Barrick** made it to the finals, and both played some exceptional golf to get there. We had great participation, and we want to thank all the players for scheduling their matches and getting them accomplished in a timely manner. We hope everyone enjoyed this event that has grown to 47 players, and we look forward to next year's Match Play Championship!



Way to go Bill!

As we have transitioned into the Fall of the year, we have had minimal rainfall. With the golf course being dry this time of year, it is imperative for us as DGC members and guests to follow the golf cart rules in order to minimize wear and compaction to our turf. These worn areas of turf usually don't heal until late spring or summer. We have cart signs on each hole, directing the cart traffic to exit 90 degrees to the cart path when approach the greens. We understand this may be an adjustment but it's all in the best interest of our golf course and playing conditions. Please understand that we are not trying to penalize anyone.

Once again, I would like to thank everyone who helped make it possible for me to compete in the national event in Oregon. I was overwhelmed by the support of the Danville Golf Club membership and was proud to be a representative of our Club as well as the Mid Atlantic Section.



Also, the Pro Shop

will be closed on Thanksgiving Day. Please plan ahead of time in case anyone needs anything from inside the Pro Shop. We wish all a great month of November and a Happy Thanksgiving!

All the Best, Craig & Jason

# WGA November News

October was a great month to finish off our WGA season. It started with our Sarah P. Robertson tournament with Pam Pulley as our winner and Sharon Whitt as runner up. Our Member/Guest tournament was fabulous with 32 ladies participating. This was followed by a delicious lunch where prizes were distributed. On the next to last week, we had 15 ladies enjoy the beautiful fall weather. Our season ends with a 9 hole Captain's Choice tournament and lunch where prizes for the entire season will be awarded. Ladies golf is very much alive at DGC and we appreciate all the support we get from Andrew and Craig.

> **Becky Bolton** President



# 🖤 2024 Member Guest Participants









Pam Pulley, Sharon Whitt

Kay Price, Bobbye Ray Womack

Dale Martin, Lucy Williams



Nancy Oakes, Kay Price, Sharon Whitt, Jane Pratt, Vickie Jones, Dale Martin, Pam Pulley, Connie Whitlow, Becky Bolton



Jan Sutherland, Jane Pratt



Nancy Oakes, BJ Chockley, Faye Doolin



Angela Blankenship, Debbie Thompson, Debbie Clayton