

CLUBHOUSE NEWS

Putt Putt was a huge success! A big "Thank you" to Todd and Brent for putting on such a fun event!



The Club welcomed over 200 members and guests for the three seatings for Easter Brunch. Thank you to our kitchen crew and wait staff (and the Easter Bunny) for making everything special for us.

Painting with Panache Thursday, April 21st @ 5:30, \$40.00 at the door



Painting with Panache will be on Thursday, April 21st @ 5:30 sharp. The price is \$40.00 at the door and includes a glass of wine and all art supplies needed. It's a great night to gather your friends and join us for a fun and festive evening.

GOLF UPDATES

NEWS FROM WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION

The 2016 season of Big Creek Women's Golf starts on Tuesday, April 12th at 9 AM. We are looking forward to an exciting year with a few new twists. Opening day Todd will enlighten us on the proper method to extricate our ball from the sand bunker. Afterwards, we will play nine holes, most likely put his teaching to the test, and have a lunch meeting. The first very important change this year is that we will have shotgun starts. With this type of start, we can finish at the same time and have lunch together. Secondly, in an effort to make all teams equitable we are requesting members sign up in the pro shop by Sunday for the Tuesday event and be at the staging area 30 minutes prior to tee time. This new strategy will give the pro shop time to pull bags, have cards for the event on the carts, keep play moving at a better pace, accommodate late arrivals and still keep teams in the ABC format. We will again stagger our tee times during the summer months. Check the bulletin board for weekly games and any date or time changes.

Just starting golf, getting back into golf, or missed Tuesday? Try our Thursday afternoon nine hole group that plays a Super Ball format at 5:30. Any member of the Women's Association is welcome. Sign up in the pro shop.

Big Creek is hosting two handicapped state events this year. Because we have the home course advantage, let's sign up and keep the trophies at Big Creek. More information will be posted in the locker room.

For new members wishing to join the Women's Association dues are \$45. \$40 for dues and \$5 for a hole-in-one club. Make checks payable to Big Creek Women's Golf and give to our treasurer Martha Sanford. You must be an association member to participate in the opening day clinic.

Research shows we burn about 825 calories playing golf....so come on out and burn some calories, make new friends, play competitive golf and win that pair of socks!!

Good golfing,

Wanda Kelley, Events Chairman

NEW MEMBERS:
Ms. Renae Schocke
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gale
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Neilson
Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Acin
Mrs. Wilma Stockton

Wednesday, April 27th

Book of the Month *Collector of Secrets* by Richard Goodfellow



A riveting debut thriller about an American in Japan who comes upon a mysterious decades-old diary, and ends up caught in a web of global espionage he cannot possibly fathom.

Wine of the Month

Shannon Ridge
High Elevation Collection
Petite Sirah, Lake County

Colors of black plum and garnet. Aromas of ripe black fruits, espresso bean and sweet vanilla. Flavors of blueberry pie, cracked pepper and toffee notes lead to a mouth-coating, rich and balanced finish.



\$7 glass/ \$26.00 bottle

BIG CREEK

GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

UPCOMING EVENTS



Beginning Sunday April 10th. The Sunday brunch will be from our new menu, only with breakfast and lunch selections. Please join us 11:00-2:00 for a wonderful Sunday breakfast!



Big Creek's Summer-long Junior Golf Academy Signup Is here! This program is open to any area junior golfer age 7-13, whether their family is a member or not. The academy runs April 12-August 6, 2016. The cost is \$250.00.

There will also be two separate three-day junior golf camps with dates in June and July to be announced later. For more information, call Big Creek at (870) 425-0333.



This year's Ozark Cup is May 21 and May 22. The Ozark Cup is a Ryder Cup-style match between Big Creek Golf Club and Harrison Country Club. Each team is comprised of 14 members and the golf professional from each facility. Team tryouts are underway and we will be cheering on Big Creek May 21 and 22.



Don't miss our first open tournament of the year: the 2016 Bomber Booster to benefit the Mountain Home High School Athletic Department on April 9th. Details and entry for below as well as at our website:

<http://bigcreekgolf.com/golf-course/tournaments/>
