

CLUBHOUSE NEWS

Wine of the Month DaVinci Chianti 2013

Our pool will close for the season sometime in September after Monday, September 5. If the weather stays hot and members are using it, we will keep it open. We are planning to remove all of the trees inside the pool fence this winter because their debris has caused numerous issues in keeping the pool clean, especially after storms.

Book of the Month



Wednesday, September 28th

Everything I Never Told You

by Celeste Ng

The novel examines the Lees, a middle class mixed-racial family in suburban 1970's Ohio.

Meeting last Wednesday of every month at 10:30 AM.

New members are always welcome!

The town of Vinci is home to the world class wines of Cantine Leonardo Da Vinci, a cooperative of over 200 individual growers. Nestled between Florence, Pisa and Siena in the Chianti Region of Tuscany, Cantine Leonardo Da Vinci produces outstanding wines from hillside vineyards tended for generations.

Expertly crafted Da Vinci Chianti is crimson red with intense aromas of ripe fruit and flavors of fresh strawberry and plum.



\$5 glass/ \$20.00 bottle

Painting with Panache

Thursday, September 15th
@ 5:30, \$40.00 at the door



Art with a twist.
\$40.00 a person includes all supplies and a glass of wine. Don't forget to invite a friend!

Your club is happy to announce the return of our original Chef, John Sutton. John has been back since August 1, and is busy preparing brand new menus for us as well as taking over the busy summer cooking duties. We also have hired a new F&B Manager, Troy Campbell, to supervise the dining rooms. More info in next month's newsletter, as well as details about John & Troy's plans for an Oktoberfest dining event on Saturday, October 22.

Run To Remember 5K

It's time to register for the Run To Remember 5K race at Big Creek on Saturday morning, September 10, at 7:30AM to benefit the local Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) Lodge #45. Entry fee is just \$20 (\$25 day of the race) and is a great way to show your support for the men and women in uniform that protect us day and night. Every registrant gets a free t-shirt. Always a great race, and the FOP uses all proceeds for scholarships to graduates of Mountain Home, Norfolk, and Cotter high school. Visit Big Creek's facebook page for an entry form or email bcorbett@mtnhomepolice.com.

GOLF UPDATES CONT.



Congratulations to Janet Wood for winning the 2016 Big Creek Ladies Handicap Match Play. Janet bested Julie Bramlett 2&1 in the final. Wood defeated Nancy Brentlinger 2UP to reach the final, and Julie got by Lori Frasier 2&1 in her semi-final match. Congratulations to Janet Wood for winning the 2016 Big Creek Ladies Handicap Match Play.

The Jonesboro High School Hurricane boys and girls team each won their division of the 2016 Ultimate Ford HS tournament that concluded on August 9th at Big Creek. The Mountain Home girls finished 2nd, and the Mountain Home boys finished 7th. Jonesboro's Will Gibson was the medalist for the boys w a 71-67--138 and Sydnie Gamble from Greenwood HS was the medalist for the girls w a 73-76--149. Christen Dykes from Marion HS also made a hole-in-one on #4. Thanks to all of the players, coaches, and families for coming to Mountain Home for this event. And thanks to MHHS coaches Dell Leonard and Lou Wood along with our key golf staff, PGA Pro Todd Dunnaway and Superintendent Brent Edens, for making everything run smoothly. See you all next year.

BIG CREEK

GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

GOLF UPDATES

The Mountain Home High School Golf Coaching Staff (Dell Leonard, Lou Wood, and Todd Dunnaway) along with the Lady Bomber Golf Team, would like to extend a very sincere "Thank You" to the Big Creek Women's Golf Association for purchasing the White Nike Skorts the girls are wearing in the team picture. This very generous gesture by the Women's League has allowed each player on the Girl's Golf Team to be equipped with a very nice, top of the line uniform. The coaching staff and the players are very thankful.



Boys pictured back row (left to right): Jackson Steiner, Luke Jackson, Gage McClain, and Hunter King
Front row: Kendall McKanna, Bradley Ludwig, Landon Crider, and Billy Knox



Girls pictured left to right: Emma Martin, Sydney Czanstkowski, Kenzie Collins, Vinessa Daniel, Korie Schaufler, Kennedy Wyatt

Congratulations to Mark Allenspach of Clayton, Missouri and Tanna Richard of Ft. Smith, Arkansas for winning the Arkansas sectional qualifying spots for the USGA US Senior Amateur and US Senior Women's Amateur, respectively.

Allenspach's 2-under-par 70 edged out Christopher Moore of Memphis by a stroke. Moore is the first alternate. The second alternate is Richard Simpson of Little Rock, Arkansas who shot a 74.

Allenspach scored birdies on the par-3 fourth, the tough par-4 ninth, and the par-3 13th along with a sole bogey on the par-4 15th to win on a day that heavy rain threatened but didn't materialize until the field was nearly through. Allenspach will compete for the national title September 17-22 at Old Warson Country Club in St. Louis near his hometown.

The last time Big Creek hosted the US Senior Amateur qualifier in 2011, Louis Lee of Heber Springs won the national title after claiming the spot here in Mountain Home.

Tanna Richard defeated Erica Chappell of Nashville, Tennessee with a par on the second playoff hole to take the qualifying spot in the United States Golf Association US Senior Women's Amateur Championship. Both women tied in regulation with identical 77s. Chappell is first alternate while Kathie Westlund of Ft Myers, Florida, won the second alternate.

Richard advances to her 50th overall national USGA amateur championship September 17-22 at Wellesley Country Club in Wellesley, Massachusetts.

