

## President's Message



Well summer is upon us and I am happy to report that the club has continued to make strides throughout the spring and into summer. We have had great success in our net operating income through operational changes and increases in member participation.

May continued what has been a successful and busy Spring for Ellendale Country Club. Between the ECC Four Ball and Houma Oil Invitational events we have had tremendous activity at the club. These events continue to receive outstanding member participation and are successful events for the club financially. A special recognition is due to: Chris Smart, Jared & Shelly Toups, Kurt Charpentier, Wade Johnson, Rory Oncale, Neal Theriot, Preston Borne, and Troy Cunningham for their efforts in both events and supporting our great club.

Our goal of holding an event each week specific to members has met with great success. Including our 2nd installment of Wing Night with over 50 members attending, to our first ever 4-Course Wine Pairing including wines from Italy, Spain, France & Argentina. Please reference our Facebook page, or entries into the Next Door App for upcoming events and specials.

If you missed on any of these events please make time to attend our upcoming Trivia Night on 6/6, Steak Night 6/21 & Wing Night 6/13.

The Pool is open and we have added some new amenities with cushions and new umbrellas and chaise lounges. The pool is **swim at your own risk** on **Tuesday and Wednesday** and Lifeguards on duty Thursday-Sunday. Food and beverage delivery service is available Thursday-Sunday at the pool.

We are also pleased to announce our push for more Junior Executive members is gaining momentum with 20 new members signed up in the month's of April and May. If you know of anyone 33 years of age, or younger, please encourage them to experience all our club has to offer.

### Financial Report—April 2018

Income from Operations: \$237,944    Expenses: \$197,700    Net Income before Depreciation: \$40,244

Membership Count: 353

## Member News

There is an exciting calendar of events coming your way for the month of June & July. We appreciate all of our members that have joined us at our events in May. Please reach out to Devin Thomas, General Manager to share ideas for events and insights into what activities you would like to see.

### Member-Guest Tournament

The member-guest tournament is back on the schedule after a several year hiatus. The event will be held on July 28-29. We are adopting a team match play format this year with the event. The cost for the event is \$250 per team. We will have a shootout on Friday before the event and a pairings party & closest to hole contest from the back porch to #18 Green first prize is \$100. Prizes will be awarded in each flight with an overall winner decided by shootout. To enter download or get an entry from the golf shop. For questions contact Devin Thomas, PGA (985) 209-9535 or devin@ellendalecc.com

### Junior Executive Membership

We have had great success with the Junior Executive Membership with an additional 20 new members added since April 1st. We appreciate your support as members in reaching out to these young professionals and educate them on the benefits to their family and businesses that comes with membership at Ellendale.

Thank you, **Devin Thomas—ECC General Manager**

**WINGIN' WEDNESDAY**

**\$.70 WINGS  
NAKED OR BREADED**

**TRADITIONAL BUFFALO  
SWEET & SPICY ASIAN  
CAROLINA BOURBON BBQ  
CAJUN DRY RUB**

**Wednesday June 13th  
5:30-8:00PM**

**TEAM TRIVIA**

**FORM YOUR TABLE TEAM  
OF 6-8 PLAYERS**

**COMPETE FOR PRIZES!  
SPORTS \* HISTORY  
POP CULTURE & ....**

**SELECT MENU & SALAD BAR  
Wednesday June 6th  
6:30-8:30pm**

**TACO TUESDAY**

**"BUILD YOUR OWN"  
BEEF OR CHICKEN  
TACOS**

**\$2.00<sup>ea.</sup>**

**Tuesday June 26th**

Commercial    Residential    Marine

**Fennis LeBlanc Tile, Inc.**  
Ceramic—Marble—Granite  
238 South Hollywood Rd. Suite 100  
Houma, LA 70363  
Bus. 985-851-6092 Fax 985-876-6429

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announce that**

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**TIP FROM THE PRO...**  
*Playing out of bunkers.*  
Here at Ellendale we have beautiful white bunker sand. However that comes with a price, softer sand. Try this out next time. Widen your stance to a 3-wood width (wide!) Place the ball an inch or 2 forward of middle. This will allow your approach into the ball so you splash it out instead of blasting it out. Open your stance for shorter shots and stay square for longer shots. Try it out and let me know how it goes. **Devin**

# Club News

## MGA Results

The ECC Four-Ball Championship was held on May 5-6th. There were a total of 64 teams and 5 flights. The Championship Flight was won by Cade Hebert & Dustin Harris with 13 under score of 131. Winners from Ellendale included (Champ Flight) Mark Leblanc & Brett Casey 140. (First Flight) David Tate & Peyvand Maghsoud 143 and Jay Halverson & Chris Smart 144. (Second Flight) Ernie Bennett & Ernie Bennet II 142, Kevin Faulk & Bennett Folse 144. (Fourth Flight) Kurt Charpentier & Henry Kimble 159. Luckily the event was not interrupted by weather. Thanks to Preston Bourne & Troy Cunningham for all their hard work before and during the tournament.

The June schedule for the MGA includes the Triple Play 6-6-6 format event on 6/23. Blind draw partners 6 holes Best Ball, 6 Holes Scramble & 6 Holes alternate shot. The registration list is posted in the golf shop next to the Match Play results through the 2nd Round.

## Match Play Results

**First Round Winners:** Jack Heidenreich, Chris Dubois, Johnny Glover, Kevin Faulk, Raymon Peeples, Troy Cunningham, Tristan Rogers, Scott Gauthreaux, John Rhodes, Bret Cuneo, Mark Welch, Randy Deroche, Gordon Doiron, Braden Eschete, Jimmy Randolph, Tony Bianca, Joe Waitz, Phil Cooper, John Leblanc, Marshall Faulk, Robbie Breaux, Beau Martin, John Provost, Timmy Deroche, Wade Johnson, Jay Halverson, Tom Gaudet, Robbie Naquin, Eddie Evans, Danny Lirette & Mike Ledet.

## Greens Report

Greens conditions were excellent going into the ECC 4-ball. The out of town players were blown away by how good our greens were especially coming out of the winter that hurt so many courses in Louisiana. We heard many comments of how the greens are back to what Ellendale is know for across the state.

Aerification was completed on May 21st and the greens were running 9.5 stimp after 7 days. We will continue to roll and topdress the greens over the next several weeks so we can get them back up to near 10.5-11 speed conditions. You will see hand-watering throughout the summer months so please be patient with staff as they may have to get in between groups to accomplish this process.

We begin on May 1st an **adopt a hole program** for members based on the beginning letter of the last name. We ask members to fix 4 additional ball marks on their hole and fill an additional 4 divots in the fairway of their designated holes.

# STEAK NIGHT

**SIRLOIN KABOBS \$13.95**

**RIBEYE STEAK \$18.95**

**FILET \$22.95**

Meals Served with House Salad, Grilled Vegetables & Baked Potatoes  
*Optional Home Made Dessert!*

**Thursday June 21st**

**6:00 & 6:45 SEATINGS**

**CALL TO RESERVE YOUR TABLE!**

***INVITED GUESTS ENCOURAGED!***

**RSVP WITH [NIKI@ELLENDALECC.COM](mailto:NIKI@ELLENDALECC.COM)**

## **Junior Golf Camps**

Junior Golf Camps for kids 5-14 are now booking. We have brochures available at the clubhouse and golf shop. The camps run 8:30-3:30 Monday-Thursday for \$125. The dates are June 18th, July 9th, July 16th & July 30th.

Basic golf fundamentals will be taught in the morning and will conclude with an on course tournament each Thursday. The kids will eat lunch and then swim during the heat of the afternoon.

We will provide lunch each day. Pack Sunscreen & a towel each day as well as a refillable water bottle.

**Email [devin@ellendalecc.com](mailto:devin@ellendalecc.com) or call 209-9535.**

## **Tennis Camps**

Tennis Camps will be held on June 4th, 11th & 18th. They will be Monday—Thursday form 8:00—12:30 and include lunch. The cost for the camp is \$175 per student. **Contact Meenakshi @ [cetennis@gmail.com](mailto:cetennis@gmail.com) or Cell 830-624-5895**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>JUNE</b>					1 <b>TIKI PARTY</b> Burgers, Dogs & Snow Cones @ The Pool	2
	3	4	5	6 <b>Trivia Night &amp; Dinner</b> <u>RSVP Required</u>	7	8 <b>Happy Hr. 6-9pm</b> \$3 Shrimp Tacos \$2 Ultra/Yeungl. Draft
10	11	12	13 <b>Winging ' Wednesday</b> \$.70 Wings	14	15 <b>Happy Hr. 6-9pm</b> \$5 Quesadillas \$2 Ultra/Yeungl. Draft	16
17 <b>Father's Day Brunch</b> 11-2pm	18	19	20	21 <b>Steak Night Dinner</b> <u>RSVP Required</u>	22 <b>Happy Hr. 6-9pm</b> \$3 Fish Tacos \$2 Ultra/Yeungl. Draft	23 <b>MGA Triple Play 6-6-6 Format</b> 8AM Shotgun
24	25	26 <b>Taco Tuesday</b> \$2 Steak or Chicken Tacos	27	28	29 "Erma Bombeck" Dinner Theatre 7PM Open Event	30 "Erma Bombeck" Dinner Theatre 1PM & 7PM Open Event