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MARCH BULLETIN 2012

General Manager's Report

Here we go for 2012. Historically the course has opened mid-March. The last few years it has been 3/19, 3/24, 3/19 and as late as 4/2 in 2008. We will send out the alert the minute Superintendent Ned Giles places the pins.

Lunch service will resume Monday, March 19th. The hours will remain the same of 11:30 to 1:30 Monday through Friday. We hope to see you back soon.

Included in this bulletin is a fee sheet for our recreational services. Please submit a sheet when you sign up for one or all of the services. We won't assume your choices from last year will be the same for this year.

Notice the information from the Golf Committee that includes a reduction in prices for daily green fees and cart rentals. Also included is a schedule of golf events for the entire year.

Finally now is the time to start our efforts to increase membership. Every year we lose members for many different reasons. Generally we have been fortunate enough to keep our membership numbers stable. Although this year we slipped to less than 600 members for the first time in the nine years I have been here.

We have plans to contact those former members who have left in the last few years and ask them to consider coming back. We will highlight many of the improvements made in the Lodge and on the course and at the pool. We also offer to waive the \$100 reinstatement fee.

And once again we offer the "Three for Free" incentive for our members who are able to recruit new members; details are listed later in this bulletin.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone back soon.

St. Patricks Day Breakfast

It is time again to celebrate the wearing of the green. Join us Saturday, March 17th from 7 to 9am and enjoy scrambled eggs, hash browns, sausage and sweet roll all for nothing. It's free for our members and families.

Secretary's Report

The following was proposed for regular membership in Lodge 590 at the 2/16/12 meeting:

Layton Olson by Kurt Kimmerling

The following have been nominated for the Lodge 590 offices for the 2012/13 year:

Exalted Ruler	Lucas Haldeman
Leading Knight	Mike Morony
Loyal Knight	Matt Devery
Lecturing Knight	open
Tiler	Bryan Dietz
Secretary	Tim Putney
Treasurer	Roger Beyhl
Trustee	open

Nominations for the open positions can be made at the 2/20/12 meeting.

The following were elected to office for the 2012/2013 year:

Exalted Ruler	Lucas Haldeman
Leading Knight	Mike Morony
Loyal Knight	Matt Devery
Lecturing Knight	Jason Tjarks
Secretary	Tim Putney
Treasurer	Roger Beyhl
Tiler	Bryan Dietz
Trustee	Don Sharp

Flag Sponsors

We currently are asking for members to purchase a flag for the Lodge. We hope to get twelve sponsors so the price of the flags would be less than \$200 each. If you are interested in sponsoring a flag call Kevin at 351-3700. We will put a notice in the bulletin when your flag is hoisted and you can designate someone you would like to honor with the flying of your flag.

LUNCH RETURNS
MONDAY, MARCH 19TH

Three for Free

The Board of Directors have once again approved the "Three for Free" membership program. Any current member who proposes three new members will receive their membership for free. If you get three new social members, you get your dues paid. If you get three new golf members, you get your golf free, likewise for pool membership. The catch is those new members need to be paid in full and have attended an initiation ceremony. Remember new members can be initiated at any regular Lodge meeting; they do not have to wait for a formal invitation. Also your new recruits will receive \$200 of their \$250 initiation fee back on their Elk account once they have attended the initiation ceremony. Applications for membership are available at the Lodge as well as at our website, www.elks590.org.

Budget Available

The budget for the 2012/2013 fiscal year has been set and approved by the Board of Directors. Copies of the budget can be picked up or viewed at the Lodge office. A vote to approve the budget will be taken at the regular Lodge meeting on Monday, March 19th.

Firewood Available

We have to lower our wood surplus to make room for another season of dead and fallen trees. It is cut and split and is a variety of mixed hardwoods. There is also lots of wood around the property for anyone how wants to cut. Contact Ned 325-3614.

Tee It Forward

To help golfers enjoy the experience the PGA and USGA have partnered to support "TEE IT FORWARD" a new initiative that encourages golfers to play the tee most suited to their abilities. Of the nearly 1,923 courses that tried the promotion 86% are going to continue in the future. 70% found golf more enjoyable. 90% say they played faster. 91% say they would recommend it to a friend. 62% said they would be likely to play more golf.

We hope the new tees on holes 1, 2, 5, 6 and 8 will accomplish this for our golfers. Play faster, score better, loose fewer balls, have more fun with your friends, be competitive in tournaments. We will establish new course records from the new tees. GO FOR IT! Ned Giles, Couse Supt.

News From The Golf Committee

New for 2012! New set of tees has been added. There will be four sets to choose from (Black, Gold, White and Red). The course is rated from all tees now. This should make the course more enjoyable for everyone.

New Daily Fees for 2012!	Cart Fees
9 Holes - \$15.00	9 Holes - \$9.00
18 Holes - \$25.00	18 Holes - \$14.00

Don't forget about signing up for Thursday night league. League will be starting April 12. Come on out to the Elks on Wednesday, March 21 to sign up for league and have dinner.

Watch your e-mail or check the Pro Shop for Golf Course Spring Clean up day.

Watch for upcoming events starting in April.

2012 Elks Club Golf Event Schedule

April 7	Master Pick A Pro (YC)
April 21	Spring Kickoff Golf/Dinner (Open to all Elks Members and Guest)
May 5	Derby Days (YC)
May 8	First Super Tuesday of Season
May 19	2 Man Open (Open to anybody)
May 25	Honor Our Vets Best Shot (Friday)
June 3	4 Man Best Ball (A,B,C,D,E) (YC)
June 5	2nd Super Tuesday
June 16	Junior Club Championship - 1pm Tee Times
June 23/24	Men's Club Championship (YC)
June 26	Women's Club Championship
July 10	3rd Super Tuesday
July 14	Hits and Giggie Couples Golf Event
July 22	Shamble Yoder Cup Event (YC)
August 2	Senior Best Shot Event (Open to the Public)
August 6	Hospice Golf Tournament
August 7	4th Super Tuesday
August 12	Calcutta Event (YC)
August 25	Ryder Cup
September 4	Final Super Tuesday
September 16	Final Yoder Cup Event - Stableford Point (Handicapped) (YC)
October 6	Chili Open
October 21	8 Inch Cup Event (Open to anyone over 16)
November 4	Frostbiter - Cross Country Event (Open to anyone over 16)
November 12	Veterans Day Event

Season Long Men's Match Play - Sign up in April (YC)

YC = Yoder Cup, Men's

Thursday Mens' League (20 Weeks) April 12 thru August 23

Tuesday Ladies' League May thru August 28

Friday Morning Seniors

Trustees/House Committee

MINUTES 2/6/12

- I. General Manager's Report
 - A. Approximately 34 invited for initiation. About six have responded
 - B. Need to decide on dining room carpet. Would like to install before lunch opening
 - C. Aim to reopen Monday 3/19 for lunch
- II. Treasurer Report
 - A. Have had some success on past due, remainders will be contacted again
- III. New Business
 - A. None
- IV. Old Business
 - A. Budget work continues. Will meet 2/13 to continue work
- V. Attendance
 - A. Present: Jeff Johnson, Ron Kramer, Mick Potter, Mike Morony and Matt Devery
Absent: Mike Lehman, Mike Stibal, Matt Zacek and Lucas Haldeman

MINUTES 2/20/12

- I. General Manager's Report
 - A. Applications being taken for summer staff
- II. Treasurer Report
 - A. Past due were discussed
- III. New Business
 - A. Golf Pro compensation discussed
 - B. Daily green fees to be reduced
 - C. Tournament income and expenses discussed
 - D. Tournament schedule presented
 - E. Budget ready for approval
- IV. Old Business
 - A. Cell tower offers being reviewed
- V. Attendance
 - A. Present: Ron Kramer, Mick Potter, Matt Zacek, Lucas Haldeman, Mike Morony and Matt Devery
Absent: Mike Lehman, Jeff Johnson and Mike Stibal



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MARCH 2012

- Luncheons
- Dinners
- Private Parties
- Meetings
- Members / Guests

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
				1 Pro Shop 11-4	2 Prime Rib Every Friday Dinner 5:30-9 Pro Shop 11-4	3 Pro Shop 11-4
4 Closed	5 Lodge Meeting 7pm Pro Shop 11-4	6 Chick Lits Pro Shop 11-4	7 Dinner 5:30-8:30 Pro Shop 11-4	8 Pro Shop 11-4	9 Crab Legs Dinner 5:30-9 Pro Shop 11-4	10 Pro Shop 11-4
11 Closed	12 Pro Shop 11-4	13 Pro Shop 11-4	14 Dinner 5:30-8:30 Pro Shop 11-4	15 Pro Shop 11-4	16 Beef Tenderloin Dinner 5:30-9 Pro Shop 11-4	17 Private Party St. Patty's Breakfast 7-9am Pro Shop 11-4
18 Closed	19 Lodge Meeting 7pm Lunch 11:30-1:30	20 Lunch 11:30-1:30	21 Texas Hold 'Em 8pm Dinner 5:30-8:30 Lunch 11:30-1:30	22 Lunch 11:30-1:30	23 Walleye Dinner 5:30-9 Lunch 11:30-1:30	24 Pro Shop 8am
25 Pro Shop 8am	26 Lunch 11:30-1:30	27 Ducks Unlimited Lunch 11:30-1:30	28 Dinner 5:30-8:30 Lunch 11:30-1:30	29 Lunch 11:30-1:30	30 BBQ Ribs Dinner 5:30-9 Lunch 11:30-1:30	31 Pro Shop 8am



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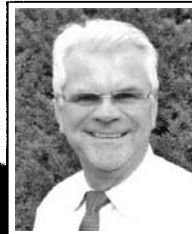
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Name _____ Spouse _____
 Member # _____ Home Phone _____
 Email Address: _____

Children:
 _____ Age _____ _____ Age _____
 _____ Age _____ _____ Age _____

Member's Signature _____

1 Family Golf Membership	\$950.00	\$ _____
USGA Certified Handicap	\$20/person	_____
<small>(Please indicate for which family member you desire a handicap)</small>		
2 Single Golf Membership	\$675.00	\$ _____
USGA Certified Handicap	\$20/person	_____
3 Junior Golf Membership	\$250.00	\$ _____
USGA Certified Handicap	FREE	_____ \$0.00
4 Family Swimming	\$350.00	\$ _____
5 Season Cart Rental	\$495.00	\$ _____
6 Cart Storage <small>(includes gas and electricity.)</small>	\$300.00	\$ _____
7 Trail Fee	\$100.00	\$ _____
<small>(Privates carts not stored on Elks Property)</small>		
	Subtotal	_____
	7% Sales Tax	_____
8 Locker Rental		
Annual Locker Fee	\$75.00	\$ _____
10 Year Locker Fee	\$500.00	\$ _____
Lifetime Locker Fee	\$750.00	\$ _____
	Subtotal <small>with Sales Tax</small>	_____

Elks Membership Dues		\$242.00
or		
Life Membership Dues		\$42.00
Due April 1, 2012	Total Due	<u>_____</u>

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