

September 2024

Signal Mountain Golf and Country Club



President's Message	2	SMLGA News	6
From the Clubhouse	3	Book Club / Announcements	7
Golf News	4	Calendar of Events	8-9
Putts from the Fringe	5	Club Information	10

www.smgcc.org

President's Message

Dear Members,

September is upon us and it's the season of kick offs, cooler temperatures, and family fall activities. We plan on having a little of each this coming season starting with our Labor Day Pool Cookout. In addition to several tournaments this month, I want to congratulate our Haskew Cup qualifiers and encourage everyone to come out September 21-22 to support our team.

Our beautiful course only gets more picturesque as the leaves start to change, so I hope you all will take advantage of everything our facility has to offer this season. Whether it's a casual round of golf, dinner or drinks on the patio, or a brisk morning warm-up on the driving range, we want to thank you for being such a vital member of our Signal Mountain Golf and Country Club family.

Please also join me in welcoming the newest members of our family: Thomas and Melissa Sherbakoff and their two children.

Respectfully,
Alan P Kelley

President's Message





From the Clubhouse

Clubhouse Newsletter September 2024

Coming up next is the Labor Day Cookout at the Pool on Monday September 2nd and our first ever “**Oktoberfest**” on Saturday October 19th featuring “**THE HAUPTSTRASSE POLKA BAND**”. I’ll be sending out an eblast for the event and a link to a site where you can purchase **Oktoberfest** wear and bling. The Chef and Tina will be featuring German foods, wines and beers for the celebration. Have your dancing shoes ready and Polka the Night Away!



UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

Wings and High Noon Special \$12

Wednesday Night is \$10 off Clubhouse Selection Wines
Cabernet, Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinot Grigio and Sauvignon Blanc

- **Monday September 2nd Labor Day Poolside Cookout**
- **Saturday October 19 “Oktoberfest”** Look for the eblast that will have all the details and where you can purchase **Oktoberfest** wear and bling online.

See you at the Club,
Joe Fidelibus, Clubhouse Manager

From the Clubhouse



Golf News

August was the calm after the storm. With the Mountaineer under our belt, we enjoyed a little bit of the slow down but are looking forward to finishing out the year with a bang. We still have a ton of events to come along, with some of the best weather of the year. Here's to hoping we can finish out the year with a bang.

The Malarkey Cup is around the corner. We have decided to move the 2-day event back to Saturday and Sunday, October 26-27. We will be changing up the format slightly along with how team's are chosen. The field will be limited to the first 72 players to sign up. Please watch your email for details once they are finalized.

Thank you to all of our members that attempted to qualify for this year's Haskew Cup team. We had a record number of qualifiers and built a team that should compete strongly on the mountain this year. Signal will go for its first ever three-peat in the event. We encourage members to come out and support the team September 21-22.

There has often been confusion on when the driving range closes and we hope to have clarified this issue with a new policy in place. Our Cart Attendants will be pulling the range boxes off the driving range teebox at 7:00. They will leave balls for anyone on the range at this time to continue to hit for a while. Any members arriving at the range between 7:00-7:30, will need to stop by the cart barn to get a half a basket of balls for the cart attendants.



Upcoming Schedule

- September 2: Labor Day Tournament / Shootout #4
- September 15: Parent-Child
- September 19: St. Charles Invitational
- September 21-22: Haskew Cup @ SMGCC
- September 25: One Day MM/MG
- October 3-4: Kistler Cup Finals
- October 5: Superintendent's Revenge / Shootout Finale
- October 23: Member & 3
- October 24: Ladies Closing Day
- October 26-27: Malarkey Cup
- November 2: Fall Putting Tournament



Putts From The Fringe

Fall!! And a busy Fall! We wrapped up another successful aeration with beautiful dry weather and the greens are healing up nicely. By the time you are reading this I think they will be rolling great for a busy golf schedule.

We have received our first shipment of material for our irrigation renovation, I expect the contractor to be on site by the middle of the month with the first heads being put in the ground in early October. You may have already noticed some contractors working on the back 9 to make repairs to the town's sewage system. They will likely be in and out over the coming weeks and months. In my experience working with municipalities making sewage repairs, it is best to try to let them do their thing and they are typically very good about making the golf course whole and working around our golf schedule. The reality of having a golf course in a residential area is that sometimes we need to give access to the sewer people.

Very excited for the fall golf season with the tournaments we have and with the improvements to the golf course. Pray for some rain before the irrigation project, enough to keep us green but not so much that it slows us down.

Thanks!
Tyler



SMLGA News

The fun continues for the ladies of the LGA! After a blind draw to select 2 person teams, 24 ladies competed in a 9 hole Putting Tournament. Many thanks to Tyler Guy & his crew for getting the back 9 ready for us by cutting challenging pin placements, similar to those in the ever popular club wide Putting Tournaments.

Congratulations to the winning team of Deedee Raulston & Judy Field. Second place, after a scorecard playoff, went to Karen Burns & Maryellen Cook, followed by Michele Purchase & Linda Davis. We look forward to making this an annual event as a great time was had by all!

Keep swinging,
Maryellen



Winners Deedee Raulston & Judy Field





SMGCC BOOK CLUB

Thursday, Sept 19th 6:00PM

Finding Grace by Gary Lee Miller

Mr. Miller will join and lead our discussion of his book.

Thursday, Oct 17th 6:00PM

TBA

The “Lit Ladies” meet monthly on the 3rd Thursday at 6 PM to discuss & rate the current book. We have dinner afterward. All Ladies of the Club are welcome. Please text or email Trenea Smith 423-785-7470 or squirtzer@aol.com.

Come join us for an evening of fun!



September 2024

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
1	2 Club Closed Labor Day Poolside Cookout Labor Day Tournament/ Shootout #4	3	4 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines	5	6	7
8 Sunday Brunch 9am – 2pm	9 Club Closed	10	11 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines	12	13	14
15 Sunday Brunch 9am – 2pm Parent-Child Tournament	16 Club Closed	17	18 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines	19 St. Charles Cup Book Club	20 Haskey Cup @ SMGCC	21 Haskew Cup @ SMGCC
22 Sunday Brunch 9am – 2pm	23 Club Closed	24	25 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines One Day MM/MG	26	27	28 Middle Creek Band – Live Music
29 Sunday Brunch 9am – 2pm	30 Club Closed					

October 2024

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
	Club Closed	1	2 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines	3 Kistler Cup Finals	4 Kistler Cup Finals	5 Super- intendent's Revenge / Shootout Finale
6 Sunday Brunch 9am – 2pm	7 Club Closed	8	9 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines	10	11	12
13 Sunday Brunch 9am – 2pm	14 Club Closed	15	16 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines	17 Book Club	18	19 Oktoberfest
20 Sunday Brunch 9am – 2pm	21 Club Closed	22	23 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines Member & 3	24 Ladies Closing Day	25	26 Malarkey Cup
27 Sunday Brunch 9am – 2pm Malarkey Cup	28 Club Closed	29	30 Wine Wednesday \$16 House Wines	31		



Clubhouse Extensions:
(423) 886-5767

Ollies
Press: 0

Pro Shop & Tee Times
Press: 1

Head Golf Pro, Paul Helle
Press: 2

To-Go Orders & Reservations
Press: 3

Main Bar
Press: 4

Men's Card Room
Press: 5

Business Office
Press: 6

Controller & Office Manager
Press: 7

Course Superintendent, Tyler Guy
Press: 8

Club Manager, Joe Fidelibus
Press: 9

Administrative Fax
(423) 886-2879

Golf Shop Hours

Tuesday - Sunday
7:30am - 6:30pm
(shop will close at 5:30pm after
DST)

Range

Tuesday - Sunday
8am - Dusk

Main Dining Room & Bar

Tuesday - Saturday: 10am - 8pm
Sunday: 10am - 7pm

Men's Card Room

Tuesday - Saturday: 10am - 8pm
Sunday: 10am - 7pm

Pool (Memorial Day - Labor Day)

Tuesday - Thursday: 10am - 8pm
Friday & Saturday: 10am - 9pm
Sunday 12:30pm - 8pm

Reservations & Party Inquiries

jfidelibus@smgcc.org

Signal Mountain Golf & Country Club

Board of Directors 2024

OFFICERS:

Alan Kelley, President
Greg Russell, Vice-President
David Marks, Secretary
Nick Carden, Treasurer
Chad Sikes, Past-President

DIRECTORS:

Andrew Guth
Beau Wells
Grayson Garrett
Ryan Frame
Maryellen Cook
Andrew Holt

MANAGEMENT STAFF:

Tyler Guy, Golf Course Superintendent
tguy@smgcc.org
Paul Helle, Head Golf Professional
phelle@smgcc.org
Joe Fidelibus, Club Manager
jfidelibus@smgcc.org
Katherine Powers, Accounting
kpowers@smgcc.org

www.smgcc.org