



# Starkville COUNTRY CLUB

**DECEMBER 2006**

**NEWSLETTER**

## **LETTER FROM THE MANAGER**

Where has the year gone? I find myself asking this often as the days fly by. We have had a great deal of activity at the Club this past year and will finish it with the annual New Year's Eve Bash.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish each member a blessed and happy holiday. As year 2006 comes to a close, let us take time to count our blessings and remember the reason we celebrate this season.

All SCC Stockholders will find 2007-2009 Board of Directors Ballots enclosed. This is your opportunity to elect three new board members. Ballots must be submitted by December 19, 2006.

Merry Christmas,

### **NEW YEAR'S EVE BASH**

Plans have been made for the 2007 New Year's Eve Party. This event has become a huge success. Members are welcome to invite guests as in previous years. By the time this newsletter reaches you, we will have invitations available to send to your guests. If you would like to provide us with the names and addresses, we will be happy to send these out for you.

Music by Swing Shift

Heavy Hors d'oeuvres 7:30 PM – 8:30 PM

Dancing 8:30 PM until

Champagne at Midnight,

Couples-\$40 Singles-\$20

RSVP 662.323.1733



### **REMINDER! Golf Shop Credit is Expiring!!**

**Golf shop credit expires on December 31st. Any credit not redeemed will be lost. NO EXCEPTIONS!!**

### **Club Operation and Contact Information**

Starkville Country Club  
P.O. Box 226  
Starkville, MS 39760  
Phone: (662) 323-1733  
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www.starkvillecc.org

Pro Shop/Business Office	Tuesday – Sunday	8:00 am – 5:15 pm
Restaurant	Tuesday – Saturday	11:00 am – 1:30 pm
Advertised Sunday Buffets		11:00 am – 1:30 pm

### **E-Mail Drawing**

#### **Congratulations**

#### **Dawn Reynolds!**

Winner of

November Sunday Buffet  
Drawing

In order to be eligible for the drawing, you must submit your e-mail address to the Club to be added to the Club's address book. If you do not have an e-mail address, simply call and have your name added to the list. If you have submitted your e-mail address but are not receiving SCC notices, please call to verify your address. The next drawing will be held December 31, 2006.

### **Welcome New Members**

Vern & Terry Ammon



# FROM THE FAIRWAY

SCC maintenance staff has planted fescue on several areas of the golf course. Also, the driving range tee and target areas have been overseeded with rye grass. Please keep carts off these areas as they grow in. All members using the driving range are asked to hit inside the roped area.

All players are responsible for repairing divots with sand, repairing all ball marks and raking bunkers.

## SCC Golf Guest Policy

Effective October 1, 2006, any member who does not sign their golf guest in at the pro shop and pay guest fees will be charged double fees on their account and be taken to the Board for disciplinary action. No guests are allowed on Monday unless prior arrangements are made.

## SCC Golf Rules

**The golf course is available for Members and Member's out-of-town/county guests ONLY.** All members are required to check-in their guests in the Pro Shop.

All Members, please sign in at the Pro Shop prior to play. Please use the 90 degree cart rule and stay on carts paths around greens and tee boxes.

**During inclement weather, PLEASE use your best judgement and stay out of WET AREAS.**

## Rule 24 Obstructions

### Interference

Interference by an immovable obstruction occurs when a ball lies in or on the obstruction, or when the obstruction interferes with the player's stance or the area of his intended swing. If the player's ball lies on the putting green, interference also occurs if an immovable obstruction on the putting green intervenes on his line of putt. Otherwise, intervention on the line of play is not, of itself, interference under this Rule.

### b. Relief

Except when the ball is in a [water hazard](#) or a [lateral water hazard](#), a player may take relief from interference by an immovable [obstruction](#) as follows:

(i) [Through the Green](#): If the ball lies [through the green](#), the player must lift the ball and drop it without penalty within one club-length of and not nearer the [hole](#) than the [nearest point of relief](#). The [nearest point of relief](#) must not be in a [hazard](#) or on a [putting green](#). When the ball is dropped within one club-length of the [nearest point of relief](#), the ball must first strike a part of the [course](#) at a spot that avoids interference by the immovable [obstruction](#) and is not in a [hazard](#) and not on a [putting green](#).

## GOLF TIP OF THE MONTH

### Chipping

- Choke down on the club an inch or two for chips.
- Use a narrow, open stance. Open the clubface and keep it square to the target.
- For chips, raise your hands to get the heel of the club up and the toe down. This promotes crisp shots.
- Play ball off right foot, angle shaft toward target, open stance, let shoulders control swing, keep left arm against left side, let clubhead swing to left of target after impact.
- Don't rush the downswing.
- Make sure the shaft is leaning toward the target at impact.



**SUNDAY BUFFET WITH SANTA CLAUS DECEMBER 10**



- Carved Roast Beef
- Janice's Pork Chops
- Broccoli Casserole
- Sweet Potato Apple Casserole
- Squash Casserole
- Green Peas with Pearl Onions & Carrots
- House Salad
- Pasta Salad
- Chicken Salad
- Yeast Rolls
- Beverage

*Children's Table*

- Hamburgers
- Smiley Face Fries
- Hot Chocolate

Santa Claus is coming to the Club for Sunday Lunch December 10. Make plans to have lunch and visit with Santa. The Club will be providing photos of Santa and the children. You are also welcomed to bring your personal camera for photos.

**Home Made Desserts**

- Coconut Pie
- Pecan Pie
- German Chocolate Cake
- Banana Pudding

Adults	\$10.00
6 - 12	\$5.00
5 & under	free



**Recipe of the Month**  
**Christmas Egnog**

**Ingredients**

- 4 cups milk
- 10 eggs, separated
- 1-3/4 cups sugar
- 1 tsp. vanilla extract
- 1 cup whipping cream
- 1/2 tsp. ground nutmeg

**Instructions**

Heat milk in a heavy saucepan over medium heat until bubbles begin to form around the edges. Set aside. Lightly beat egg yolks. Combine yolks and sugar in the top of a large double boiler over simmering water. Gradually whisk in scalded milk. Stir constantly about 5 minutes until mixture coats a spoon. Remove from heat. Stir in vanilla and chill. Beat egg whites and whipping cream in separate bowls until stiff and fold into chilled custard. Add liquor, if desired. Chill several hours. Sprinkle with nutmeg.

**CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

December 25	Clubhouse Closed *
December 23-26	Restaurant Closed
December 24	Pro Shop 8:00 am - 2:00 pm Bar 8:00 am - 5:30 pm
January 1	Clubhouse Closed *

Inclement weather may alter holiday schedule

\* Note: Gate and Cart Sheds will be open

**SCC Late Payment Policy**

All statements are due upon receipt and are considered past due on the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. A grace period will exist after the 20<sup>th</sup> until the end of that month. Those bills not paid by the end of the month will be assessed a \$25 late charge and considered 30 days past due. If the bill remains unpaid the following month, the bill will be considered 60 days past due and assessed \$50 in addition to the previous month's \$25 for a total of \$75. All club privileges will be revoked at that point. Membership termination and forfeiture of club stock, if applicable, will be enforced at 90 days past due.

# December 2006

MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		SUNDAY	
4 Rotary Club	5 Private Function Ballroom/Bar Members requested to use old bar	6	7 Private Function Ballroom Only	8 Private Function Ballroom/Bar Members requested to use old bar	9 Private Function Ballroom/Bar Members requested to use old bar	10 Sunday Buffet with Santa Claus							
11 Rotary Club	12	13	14	15 Private Function Ballroom/Bar Members requested to use old bar	16	17							
18 Rotary Club	19 Private Function Ballroom Only	20	21	22	23 Restaurant Closed	24 Restaurant Closed							
25 Christmas Day Club Closed	26 Restaurant Closed	27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve Bash							