



Starkville COUNTRY CLUB

FEBRUARY 2008

NEWSLETTER

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

By a wide margin, the stockholders at the January 29 Annual Stockholders' meeting approved moving forward with a major capital improvement program in the coming year. Based on work started by the Long-Range Planning Committee last summer, the Committee and the Board of Directors will now move forward developing plans on how best to use \$500,000 of new money for the improvement of the club. Based on previous discussions of the Committee and the Board areas under consideration include payoff of short term financing on new cart sheds, swimming pool improvements, construction of a golf course superintendent's office, tennis court improvements and club house improvements and additions as well as several other possible projects. The Board will be working very hard to insure that the club realizes the most benefit to all members as the various projects are moved forward. I will try in my monthly newsletter to keep you informed.

NOW!

Friday night Dinner Club is open. We will be having Friday night Dinner Club on February 1, 8, & 29. Dinner Club is also scheduled for Thursday night, February 14, for Valentine's Day & Saturday night, February 23. In order for the SCC staff to provide expected service, reservations are strongly recommended. You do not have to actually place your order until you are seated. We will be making a few changes to the Dinner Club based on requests from the members who participated in January. These include adding a dinner salad and a couple of less expensive items to the menu. We will also accept check or credit card for those members who do not want to put the charges on their account. If you want to pay, please advise your server when you are seated. The last Friday in February, the Club has scheduled a "cook your own meat". In March, Dinner Club will move to Thursday nights so as not to compete with MSU home baseball games and will offer a little twist by being focused on a theme meal.

The social committee has set a tentative social calendar through early May. If you have any suggestions or would like to serve on the committee, give Scott a call. Continued on page 2

E-Mail Drawing

Congratulations

Pete Harvey!

Winner of
February 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 February 29, 2008.

Club Operation and Contact Information

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Pro Shop/Business Office	Tuesday – Sunday	8:00 am – 5:30 pm
Restaurant	Tuesday – Saturday	11:00 am – 1:30 pm
Advertised Sunday Buffets		11:00 am – 1:30 pm
Advertised Evening Dining		5:45 pm - 8:45 pm
19 th Hole	Tuesday – Sunday	8:00 am Until - Varies with Attendance

On the golf front:

- The new cart sheds are open for tenants. If you would like to rent or long-term lease one of the new units, please see Scott for information on availability.
- Check the enclosed calendar for a complete list of all of the various golf tournaments for this year and make your plans to participate. The schedule even includes a guy/gal for early spring.
- A big "THANK YOU" to the Men's Golf Association for funding the construction of the new sand storage facility. This structure will result in significant savings on our sand purchases for the golf course.

On the social/food front:

- **YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS: FAT TUESDAY** – We will be gathering at the Club beginning at 5:30 to celebrate Fat Tuesday. We will have seafood gumbo, crawfish etouffee, salad, garlic bread, banana foster bites, chocolate brownie bites and your favorite beverages. Come join in the fun, whether you want to wear your finest Mardi Gras attire or just come casual. Dinner will be served at 7:00.
- **BE SURE TO MAKE RESERVATIONS FOR VALENTINE'S DAY DINNER!**
- The Ladies Committee beginner and intermediate bridge lessons continue every Tuesday night and every Wednesday with lunch at noon followed by the lessons. The beginners are now ready to move up so watch for a new beginners group to get active soon and if interested, contact the club office or any of the bridge ladies.
- We are having Sunday buffet on February 10 & February 24. The detail menus can be found elsewhere in this newsletter.
- Plans have been made for a Winter Dance on Friday night February 22. Bill Thurlow will be providing the music. Light hors d'oeuvres and music will be provided for \$5.00 per person. Please sign up in the pro shop.

As of January 29, the club membership has remained steady at a total of 336. I continue to urge you to invite your friends that are not members of the club to come out and see all that SCC has to offer. At Starkville County Club, we offer a variety of membership classes to meet the needs of all of our potential members.

As we begin a new year, I encourage you to offer any suggestions which will help improve the Club experience for all members. I especially encourage you to consider offering your talents to one of our standing committees for 2008. If interested in serving, just let Scott know and he will do the rest.

We are continuing to work to improve the club for all of our members. If you have any suggestions or recommendations, please share them with the Board and the staff. Be assured that the staff and volunteer leadership of the club value your suggestions and input on how to take our club to the next level.

Until next month, SEE YOU AT THE CLUB! Keith Winfield

I would like to thank those of you who participated in our annual Stockholders' meeting on January 29, 2008. We had a quorum for the fourth straight year and the 2007 financials and accomplishments were highlighted. I would like to thank our 2007 SCC President, Keith Winfield, and welcome our 2008 SCC President, Keith Winfield.

SCC 2008 Officers are the same as 2007. President - Keith Winfield Vice President - Wayne Carver Secretary/Treasurer - Dave Holley

2008 SCC Tournament Schedule

April 5 & 6 – One Man Scramble
 May 3 – Guy / Gal Tournament
 May 24 & 25 – Men’s Super Senior Championship
 June 14 & 15 – Two Person Member Invitational
 June 28 & 29 – Men’s Senior Championship
 July 4 – Club Scramble
 July 12 & 13 – Men’s Championship
 August 9 & 10 – Three Man Scramble
 Women’s Championship – TBA
 October 4 & 5 – Handicap Match Play Championship

SCC Late Payment Policy

All statements are due upon receipt and are considered past due on the 20th of each month. A grace period will exist after the 20th 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.

Welcome New Members

Jim & Cindy Goetz
 David Hyde



**Board of Directors
 2008 -2010**

Wayne Carver 2006-2008
 Brent Deweese 2006-2008
 Keith Winfield 2006-2008
 Dave Holley 2007-2009
 Jim Latham 2007-2009
 Danny Lott 2007-2009
 Mike Couvillion 2008-2010
 Tom Deweese 2008-2010
 Jim Thomas 2008-2010

SCC Golf Guest Policy

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.

Sunday Buffet February 10

Carved Roast Beef
 Chicken Parmesan
 Scalloped Potatoes
 Green Bean Casserole
 Baby Lima Beans
 Deep Fried Corn on the Cob
 House Salad
 Broccoli Salad
 Chicken Salad
 Yeast Rolls
 Dessert
 Beverage

Children’s Table

Spaghetti with Meatballs

Sunday Buffet February 24

Baked Ham
 Fried Catfish
 Twice Baked Potato Salad
 Fiesta Black Eye Peas
 Green Beans
 Squash Casserole
 House Salad
 Corn Salad
 Cole Slaw
 Rolls / Cornbread Muffins
 Dessert
 Beverage

Children’s Table

Pizza Sticks
 French Fries

Tentative SCC Dinner Club Calendar

February 1 - Dinner Club
 February 8 - Dinner Club
 February 14 - Dinner Club
 February 23 - Dinner Club
 February 29 - Cook Your Own Meat
 March 6 - Italian Night
 March 13 - Dinner Club
 March 27 - Oriental Night
 April 5 - Crawfish Boil

Winter Dance

Mark your calendars for February 22, 2008. Plans have been made for a Winter Dance on Friday night February 22. Bill Thurlow will be providing the music. Light hors d’oeuvres and music will be provided for \$5.00 per person. Please sign up in the pro shop.

February 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 MSU Women's Club Dinner Club	2
3 Super Bowl Party	4 Rotary Club	5 Fat Tuesday Social	6 Intermediate Bridge 12:00 noon	7 MGA Poker Tour- nament LGA Meeting	8 Dinner Club	9
10 Sunday Buffet	11 Rotary Club	12 Beginners Bridge 5:30 pm	13 Intermediate Bridge 12:00 noon	14 Valentines Day Dinner Club	15	16
17	18 Rotary Club	19 Private Function 6:00 pm (ballroom only) Beginners Bridge 5:30 pm	20 Intermediate Bridge 12:00 noon	21	22 Winter Dance	23 Dinner Club
24 Sunday Buffet	25 Rotary Club	26 Beginners Bridge 5:30 pm	27 Intermediate Bridge 12:00 noon	28	29 Dinner Club "Cook Your Own Meat"	