# TRAIL'S **END**



January 2024 f 💆 🖾











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ear Member,

I sincerely hope you all had an amazing Christmas and New Years...Here is to a great 2024 and beyond!

Now that the hustle and bustle of the holidays is over, we are all settling back in here at the club and picking back up with all of our Capital Projects.

For those that are not aware, we have been diligently been working behind the scenes, since our capital budget approval, this last fall...and there are several exciting projects that I wanted to keep you all abreast of. We have been working with Cathy Hotchkiss from our House - Social Advisory Committee as well as several other committee members and members at large.

The first capital project I would like to update you on is what we all call FF&E, which stands for Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment...and what this directly pertains to is the majority of interior dining furniture that we have in our beautiful clubhouse. This furniture has served us well; but is tired, cushions lack the support needed and overall is starting to look worn.

We are in the beginning stages of working through our designers on the following:

- -New, as well as additional high boy tables for the bar area
- -New barstools for the bar area and high boy tables as well
- -New seating configuration for the wine room, including tables and chairs
- -New tables and chairs for the conservatory
- -New chairs for the mixed grill

We are also looking at many other critical points as we work through the process, but not limited to:

- -Comfortability
- -Flexibility... as we know we will have to periodically move furniture to accommodate club and special events and need to take this into consideration
- -Lumbar and side support in all chairs
- -Size and bulkiness of chairs
- -Barstools with ¼ backs that provide needed support, but also aid with the ability to be serviced
- -Aesthetics... color, fabric, wood grain, nails, stitching etc....
- -Furniture that fits with our overall design and décor needs

As you can tell, there are many factors and points that need to be addressed in order for all of us to be comfortable with our selections and recommendations and this will take some time...in addition we are resolute and unwavering in that all of these items need to be bespoke to The Club and are all made in America.

Lastly, and probably most important...we will have samples of all chairs and tables made, so we can "test fit" many different body types and assure we are moving in the right direction...

All in all, not a short process, but one that will ensure we are able to enjoy these furnishings for many years to come. Our initial timeline has this project being completed midsummer 2024, and we will keep you updated on any changes to that schedule.



Our next Capital Project that again, we just embarked on, is the Ladies Locker Room...we have enlisted Studio V, to assist with this project as they are the same design firm that did the plans for the Card Room and Buffet areas in the Ladies Locker Room several years ago...and is important that we maintain a sense of synergy and aesthetics, and using Studio V, allows a better opportunity to do so.

Again, we are in the very beginning stages of this project and are garnering, from many members, what are our current issues in the Ladies Locker Room, big and small...and ultimately what is the End Goal or Outcome. If you have any commentary or suggestions for the Ladies Locker Room, please feel free to email me at <a href="mailto:mgallaudet@ccdcranch.com">mgallaudet@ccdcranch.com</a>, and I will make sure that they get into the correct hands.

We certainly are aware of some glaring issues already with the Wet Areas, Showers, Lighting etc....but also want to hear back from the ladies that use these facilities on where we can improve.

We have met with the designers and done our initial "Walk-Through" of the space and have asked them too, for their perspective as well; in regards to the space and opportunities where we can improve.

The timeline for this project is similar to that of the FF&E for the Clubhouse, but depending on the scope and availability of materials, maybe be pushed back a bit later in the summer. We will keep you updated as we proceed.

The remainder of projects are a bit smaller in stature, but important none the less.

- -We have secured Forty (40) new space heaters for the clubhouse and pool and will be a nice addition to the existing heaters for some Winter/early Spring Al Fresco Dining
- -New chaise lounge covers for the pool have been ordered and anticipate delivery in the next 3-4 weeks
- -Golf operations has received their new loft and lie machines, so if you are in need of a little "Tuning Up", please see any of the Golf Professionals in the pro shop
- -New furniture for the practice park will be arriving in the next few weeks, so be on the lookout for that
- -Additional furniture is also being looked at to finish complementing the new courtyard as well as updated seating areas in the fitness and racquet centers
- -Necessary updates to our elevator is also in the works, and will ensure that we are exceeding code and safety protocols for our members and staff

Thank You for patience and understanding as we work through these capital and smaller projects to better improve and beautify your club.

Best Regards,

Mark A. Gallaudet General Manager / COO



# Dana Parish | Director of Agronomy and Grounds 480.707.3568 | dparish@ccdcranch.com

#### **Holiday Greetings from your Golf Course Agronomy Team**

It is hard to believe that 2023 is already behind us, and what a year it was! We continue to be very pleased with this year's crop of overseeded turf and the playing conditions this season. This is the time of year when temperatures drop into the low 40's and sometime 30's and we start to see frost forming on the plants. Sun angles also change throughout the year. With the winter solstice just behind us, you would have noticed the trees and how they shade the turf. Fall and winter sunlight is crucial to the hardening process of the plants, and some of the trees were not causing shade problems a few months ago. Turf that is shaded in the fall is weaker entering the winter, essentially guaranteeing that it also will emerge from winter in a weakened state. Do not forget that there is a strong correlation between winter shade and winter injury. More light often translates to better winter survival.

The frosty mornings can be a very stressful time for a golf course superintendent as traffic on frozen turfgrass will crush them; it is as simple as that. If you want healthier turf, keep traffic off your turf when it is frozen. As we wrestle with frost delays here at the club, take note that the weakest and most problematic turf usually is in the areas that experience the most frost. Tree work around critical turf areas can help minimize frost or speed up the thawing process. More sunlight helps the turf too. The damaging effects of traffic accumulate when turf growth slows or stops. It is not so much the number of rounds per day that is cause for concern, it is the total amount of traffic that the turf receives between the time growth slows and resumes as temperatures increase. Limiting golfer traffic in areas during the winter reduces wear during a time of year when turf cannot readily recover from damage. Being proactive with traffic management now can make a big difference later. This is the reason you have continued to see more green stakes around the course recently.

We have continued to hear many positive comments regarding our course conditions from the members and are looking forward to providing even better conditions throughout the remaining months of the season. We take great pride in providing the best conditions day in and day out and I always make sure to pass your comments to each member of our staff.

I would like to offer these reminders for continued enjoyable and playable course conditions:

- 1. Please do your part in repairing ball marks on greens.
- 2. Please enter and exit at low areas of bunkers.
- 3. Please fill all divots with the sand/seed mix provided.
- 4. We would like to keep cart traffic 90 degrees to your ball and then continue driving in fairways until you exit back onto the cart path.
- 5. Please keep push carts in designated areas.

Thank you all and have a wonderful holiday season!

Dana Parish, Director of Agronomy and Grounds



It is that time of year, DC Ranch golfers, when you are hoping Santa Claus has a brand new set of golf clubs under the tree for you.

Just so you know, there are many brands coming out with some terrific products, which might not be seen until after the annual PGA show in Orlando which runs January 23<sup>rd</sup> through the 26<sup>th</sup>.

We as a club will be lucky enough to host for our membership a pre launch of the newest TaylorMade products on January 10<sup>th</sup> as we have done in years past.

This is three weeks before the rest of the industry which should also mean we place first orders for the latest and greatest drivers, irons and woods and some of the best wedges on the market today.

Please look for information soon as to how to reserve a fitting time that day. TaylorMade has assured us we will have some of their best club fitters at the club to help you out that day.

We should also tell you we will continue to have as many demo days as possible with as many manufacturers as possible. I have said for many years that when you buy a set of clubs off the rack, you are getting a generic set of clubs and one size fits none. Please do yourself a favor by getting fit by one of our staff professionals as soon as the new products come to market in January.

Please be on the lookout in the next few months on Foretees for the member guest dates, which the ladies will once again be the Desert Diamond Classic in March, the Round Up in April and the Stampede in May.

My column will be short this month as Jeri and I will be taking our two grandsons on a mini vacation to the nearest place we can show them SNOW. That should be an adventure, which us luck!

I wish you all Happy Holidays to all of our families at the club.

We will see you after the New Year.

Fairway, Greens and snowballs!

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Dick Hyland

<b>Event Name</b>	Sign Up
	Available
All Club Championships	January 2nd
Quick Draw	February 1st
Desert Diamond Classic	February 1st
The Round Up	February 16th
The Stampede	February 16th



# Jason Walter | Director of Golf Operations 480.342.7211 | jwalter@ccdcranch.com

ear member,

We want to thank all of you for coming to the golf shop on Friday, December 8, for the holiday sale. We had a great day of sales, and it was great to see everyone supporting the Golf Shop! We hope you all had a chance to find something for yourself or as a present.

We have been very busy since the beginning of the season working through our calendar of events. We just recently hosted the Reindeer Classic, and we wanted to thank everyone for joining us for a great afternoon of golf and social camaraderie with your fellow members. It was great to see everyone dressing up in their holiday gear, supporting the club, and having a great time together.

Please let us know if we may be of assistance, otherwise we wish you and your family a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We look forward to seeing you throughout the holiday at the Club.

Fairway & Greens!

Jason Walter and Your Professional Staff

## 2023 Reindeer Roundup





# DID YOU KNOW?

- We are quickly approaching sign up dates for some big events
  - All Club Championships open January 2nd
  - Quick Draw opens February 1st
  - o Desert Diamond Classic opens February 1st
  - The Round Up & Stampede open February 16th

# **UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS** & EVENTS

- Steeplechase
  - o January 29th
- Couples Club Championship
  - o February 3rd & 4th
- Valentines Day Couple
  - o February 18th

# **WASTE MANAGMENT**

February 5th-11th

Happy

# SUPERBOWL

February 11th

## MONDAY COURSE CLOSURES

- **January 22nd**
- February 26th

# HOURS

#### Golf Shop

- Tuesday Sunday
  - o 7:00am 5:00pm
- Monday (when open)
  - o 9:00am 5:00pm

#### Course

- Tuesday Sunday
  - o 8:00am 5:00pm
- Mondays (when open)
  - o 11:30 5:00pm

#### Practice Park

- Tuesday Saturday
  - o 7:00am 5:00pm
- Mondays (when open)
  - o 9:00am 5:00pm
- Sundays
  - o 7:00am 2:00pm
  - o Horseshoe opens @ 3pm

### CONTACT US FOR MORE INFO

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e first want to congratulate you on this new season. It was surely a hot summer and now we are approaching some of the best weather in the country. I feel that each day brings a new opportunity to not only enjoy life, but also to get healthier, stronger, and happier! For the start of the new year the Fitness and Wellness department will have new programs available for members to take advantage of to kickstart their health! Let's Thrive Together! At Country Club at DC Ranch, your well-being is our top priority. We're committed to guiding you along your health journey, and our ultimate aim is to see the entire community flourish. Remember, just as many paths lead to the mountaintop, there are numerous ways to attain optimal health. We're with you every step of the way.

#### **Climbing the Health Mountain**

Embarking on your health and wellness journey involves understanding your unique needs and limitations. Together, we'll craft a personalized plan of action tailored to your individual starting point. No guesswork – just a well-designed roadmap to your best self.

#### **Our Five-Part Health and Wellness Program:**

- #1) Exercise and Movement: Enjoy studio exercise classes, bootcamps, private training, yoga, Tai Chi, and more tunleash your body's potential.
- #2) Manual Therapies: Experience rejuvenation with sports massage, acupuncture therapy, cupping, and other expert treatments.
- #3) Diet and Nutrition Coaching: Learn how to fuel and nourish your body for vitality and longevity.
- #4) Vitamins and Supplementation: Enhance your well-being from the inside out.
- #5) Yoga, Breathwork, and Meditation: Find balance and tranquility in your busy life.

**Tailored Just for You**: Our goal is to design a customized plan that suits your unique needs. This is a journey with many starting points, and we'll map out the perfect route for you. Together, we'll climb towards a healthier and happier you.

**Kickstart Your Journey**: Our Kickstart Program is the ideal first step. It includes an initial consultation, a private workout session, a personalized exercise plan, and expert guidance. For just \$50, you'll be equipped to dive headfirst into your fitness journey. Let's conquer this together! Email <a href="mailto:fitness@ccdcranch.com">fitness@ccdcranch.com</a> to set up and appointment.

#### Better Your Body Wellness Challenge – Starts January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024

We want each member to thrive in health! This new year challenge is goal oriented and results driven. If you would like to get involved in the new program, we will be holding an introduction meeting on Wednesday January 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:00-5:30pm in the Studio to any who may be interested in starting. The Better Your Body Challenge consists an initial assessment, a medical InBody assessment which gives information about body composition, access to classes, and access to weekly workouts. Each week we will post workouts for you to use and over the course of the rest of Winter and Spring the workouts will progressively get more difficult. We recommend everyone start with a Kickstart training session so we have a starting point for everyone in the program and this will help us to make adjustments for the workouts we post. Come join us January 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm to learn more.



# Fitness & Performance Class Updates

#### **Class Schedule Update**

We always emphasize the importance of a well-rounded approach to fitness, restoration, and recovery. Incorporating cycles of strength weight training, cardio, mobility work, flexibility, and flow movement exercises into a complete and comprehensive program. This is the ideal way to organize your training, you have to do a little of everything. State your goals outright, and from there choose your training style. Our class schedule remains designed to provide you with a diverse range of options, catering to the community's various fitness levels and preferences.

#### **Aqua Fitness**

We have moved our Aqua Fitness classes an hour later in the mornings to 10am Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays to attempt to catch the sun in the morning so it is not too cold while we start our pool workouts. Water training is a great low-impact option for those looking to get in a great workout! Contact coach Mel for inquires.

#### **Golf Strength and Conditioning**

For longer drives and better golf performance, contact our head of Golf Strength and Conditioning, Tyler Vincent PGA, TPI, CPT for information about his golf strong class which meets 3x per week at 7:15am. Learn mobility and flexibility techniques that can be used to prepare the body before rounds of golf. Come train with us to get stronger for longer drives, better contact, and lower scores which have all been reported by those who come to our *Golf Strong*. Contact Tyler for more information about this course.

#### Mat Pilates – Mondays and Wednesdays at 12pm

Due to popular demand, we have added a second Mat Pilates class Mondays at noon. Join our new Pilates instructor Grace for a 60-minute mat Pilates class which includes standing and floor work with props, bands, and support blocks to strengthen your hips, back, and core!

#### **Restorative Exercise**

Rest, recover, train, repeat. Rest, recover, train, repeat. Train hard but never forget the other side of the coin. Always add restorative training courses such as *Yoga*, *Aqua Fitness*, and *Stretch and Recover* in between longer training days to enhance your recovery, reduce inflammation, reduce soreness, and to help you come back stronger the next day.

*Yoga* is gold when it comes to keeping the body healthy and limber. Use this in your training to improve flexibility and movement. This alone can help with the aches and pains that we are all riddled with in life. Our restorative wellness program is very attuned to getting the community stronger, moving better, pain free. Reach out if you have any questions about our restorative wellness program.

In closing, we want to express our heartfelt appreciation to everyone who participates in our program and use the facility, we are honored to be part of your health journeys. We look forward to working with you in all again in the coming months and beyond, as we all continue to strive towards optimal health and wellness.

The fitness and wellness center is staffed during the week from 6am-7pm and 7am-2pm on the weekends. We are ready for assessments for anyone who wants to get started in any of our programs. Please check the app for updates to our schedule. For those traveling for the new year, travel safe. Please feel free to reach out if you have any health questions! We are always here to help! Sincerely,



# Dave Moyer | Director of Racquet Sports 480.342.7240 | dmoyer@ccdcranch.com

appy New Year's DC Ranch tennis and pickleball members! We have had another great year in 2023 with continued strong tennis activity and steady growth in the pickleball program. Looking forward to 2024 and all that it will bring to the Racquet Sports program.

The most exciting news is the planned reconfiguration of our courts to allow us to have four stand alone pickleball courts facing north and south instead of our current four shared courts. The reconfiguration will allow us to continue to have six tennis courts which are vital to the program in addition to the permanent pickleball courts. We are continuing to work hard towards the goal of beginning construction in mid to late April with the plan of a grand opening in mid-September. I will continue to provide updates as they are available.

In the meantime, we are going to have a full slate of fun tennis and pickleball drills, events and open play. Please continue to check the calendar for additions to the schedule. Because court time is at a premium right now with tennis courts also being used for pickleball, please make sure to reserve your court on the court reservation page. Members who book courts online will always have priority over those that walk on to courts without reserving. Members are also required to add any guests to the reservation and check in to the shop if playing during business hours. There is a guest fee of \$10 per guest for both tennis and pickleball.

Have you tried one of the Pickleball Live Ball Drills? Each week, we will have 2-3 drills which are a fun way to hit a lot of balls, practice situational pickleball and learn new things in a live ball atmosphere. We can take up to eight players per drill so make sure to get signed up right away. These are not for beginner players but the level is lower intermediate to upper intermediate. We will continue to add beginner classes and you can always set up a group lesson that works in your schedule. Just grab 3-4 people and let's get it set up!

Thank you everyone for your participation in the racquet sports program. Let's have a fun 2024 on the courts!!

Sincerely,

Dave Moyer, Director of Racquet Sports

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Junior Tennis Schedule

Red Ball (ages 5-8)

Tuesday & Thursday: 4:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

**Orange Ball (ages 8-10)** 

Monday & Wednesday: 4:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 11:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Junior Academy—Green and Yellow Ball (ages 9-18)

Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday: 5:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

Saturday: 12:00 p.m.—2:00 p.m.

# Ladies Snowflake Mixer



# **BEST COSTUMES**



1st Place:

2nd Place:

3rd Place:

Kristin Romano & Laura Bowman

Brandi Okrasinski & Marianne Guenther Luna Horwitz & Marnee Medress



# Sharon Bishop Hall | Director of Catering Sales & Banquet Services 480.342.7208 | sbishop@ccdcranch.com

s we bid farewell to the past year, we reflect on the extraordinary moments that defined our journey. Each event and wedding hosted within our grounds was a testament to the uniqueness and beauty that unfolded. From the meticulously planned weddings that transformed our spaces into enchanting realms of love and celebration, to the lively events that brought our community together, every occasion carried its own special significance. As we look ahead, we're grateful for the privilege of being part of these remarkable moments and excited for the new memories yet to unfold at the Country Club at DC Ranch.

# **CATERING**

Look out for To Go offerings monthly so you can enjoy time with friends and family and not have to worry about the cooking or having to do all the work!

#### **Brunch Ideas**

Breakfast Charcuterie Boards



# TRENDS FOR 2024

 Exchanging Private Vows. Couples are exchanging vows in an intimate moment for just themselves. Many couples will then just do a quick mini exchanging at the altar!

#### Rehearsal Dinner Ideas:

- Pickle Ball Fun!
- Meet & Greet before Rehearsal Dinner for all guests at the hotel. It's very lowkey, and you can offer hors d oeuvres and a couple beverages.
- Meet & Greet for dessert. Invite all your guests for dessert after you have your rehearsal dinner.

# ROTARY PHONE

This is a fun idea— the rotary phone!

A phone that you can leave a message on for the wedding couple that they will have forever to listen to. A recording for all messages is given to the couple to cherish!



# Updates from the Clubhouse Food & Beverage Team



arm Greetings Everyone,

We are very excited for the New Year and all that it will bring!

<u>General Updates:</u> Moving into some general Clubhouse updates, we are very happy to be welcoming several new team members across a variety of positions and they are ready to be a part of the Family here at The Country Club at DC Ranch. Thank you for your feedback on our most recent Club Events and we want to thank all the members who came to enjoy those special days with us!

**Beverage:** Our beverage program has been expanded now as we began offering pre-selected flights in both The Clubhouse Bar and The Men's Grille Bar. Keep an eye on this program as its only expected to grow. In addition to our flight program, we will be seeing a change in our cocktail menu featuring classics with your favorite winter flavors and aromas as well as introduction of house made simple syrups. For those of you that enjoyed our specialty cocktails at the Santa Dinner, that was just a preview of what's to come. Don't forget to ask your server or bartender the next time in.

What's Upcoming: Expect to see your weekly favorites such as Comfort Food Wednesdays, Burger Night Thursdays, Prime Rib & ½ Priced Wine on Saturdays, and our New Mediterranean Night on Sundays. We will be continuing our Music Entertainment series both at the Ranch House and in Clubhouse. Stop by on Friday, Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> as The Dueling Pianos will be performing in The Clubhouse.

We will be hosting several Complimentary Wine Tasting events, including an Italian Wine tasting on January 12<sup>th</sup>, a Tequila tasting on January 19<sup>th</sup>, an Oregon Pinot tasting on February 2<sup>nd</sup>, and a Mollydooker Wine tasting on February 9<sup>th</sup>.

Make sure to sign up for the Spanish Wine Dinner that will be taking place on January 24<sup>th</sup>. Treat yourself and your special valentine to our Valentine's Day Opus One Dinner on February 14<sup>th</sup>.

To all the fathers and daughters, we have our Father Daughter Dance February 25<sup>th</sup>. Don't forget to dress to impress and bring your dancing shoes!

Men's Grille: Our Men's Grille had great success with its most recent addition of Football nights in The Grille on Mondays and Thursdays. This month we will be going back to normal operating hours and will be open until 5:00 pm on Mondays. Mark your calendar for Card Night in the Men's Grille for January 12<sup>th</sup> and a Cigar Dinner on January 19<sup>th</sup>. If you haven't met our new team member, Alex, make sure to stop by and say hello.

Happy Holidays Everyone!

Food & Beverage Team









# SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

# Thank You Notes



Katie Weber Ranch House Food Runner

# Student<br/>Spotlight

I am writing to express my deepest gratitude for the incredible OPPORTUNITY YOU HAVE PROVIDED ME THROUGH THE DC RANCH scholarship foundation. Your generosity and support have had a FOR THE CHANCE TO PURSUE MY EDUCATIONAL ASPIRATIONS. AS A FUTURE POSITIVE IMPACT ON INDIVIDUALS HEALTH. HOWEVER, DUE TO FINANCIAL CONSTRAINTS, I OFTEN DOUBTED WHETHER I WOULD BE ABLE TO AFFORD THE EDUCATION NECESSARY TO PURSUE MY DREAMS. THIS SCHOLARSHIP HAS ALLEVIATED THIS BURDEN AND GIVEN ME THE MEANS TO FOCUS ON MY STUDIES WITHOUT THE CONSTANT WORRY ABOUT FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS. This scholarship has not only provided me with the financial means to cover tuition fees, books, and other educational expenses, BUT IT HAS ALSO GIVEN ME A RENEWED SENSE OF HOPE AND MOTIVATION. Moreover, this scholarship has opened opportunities that I may not have had otherwise. This scholarship has made a tangible DIFFERENCE IN SHAPING MY FUTURE, AND FOR THAT, I AM ETERNALLY GRATEFUL. BEYOND THE FINANCIAL SUPPORT, I AM GRATEFUL FOR THE encouragement and belief you have instilled in me. I promise to MAKE THE MOST OUT OF THIS OPPORTUNITY BY WORKING DILIGENTLY TO achieve my academic and career goals.

As of December 27th, 2023, Alfredo Avila Jr. passed his Medical Board Exam from the University of Nebraska Medical Center and has been offered positions in both Denver and St. Louis to work in the field of Cytology. Alfredo has been a recipient of the scholarship foundation award for the past few years.



Thank you to everyone that attended or contributed to the Scholarship Foundation last Season.

Our goal was to reach \$1 Million help support the long-term sustainability of the Fund; and with your help, we did that, and more! Donations to the fund can be made anytime online at <a href="www.ccdcranch.com">www.ccdcranch.com</a> under Club info/Scholarship Foundation. You may also write a check to CCDCR Scholarship Foundation and bring it to the Club.

Save the date for April 26th for our next Foundation Dinner and Auction.



Thank you from the bottom of my heart to every single donor who has contributed to funding my future. I cannot say how much of a weight this takes off my shoulders as my end goal is to advance into getting my NP license. As that degree will cost additional money as well, I am incredibly grateful. Thank you again for this incredible opportunity and selecting me as a recipient. This will change my life in ways that most people will never know.

Tackie Burns Ranch House Server

I CANNOT EXPRESS ENOUGH HOW GRATEFUL I AM FOR THIS GENEROUS SCHOLARSHIP. YOUR INVESTMENT IN MY EDUCATION AND FUTURE GIVES ME EVEN MORE MOTIVATION TO WORK HARDER. I WILL MAKE SURE I HONOR YOUR SUPPORT BY MAINTAINING A HIGH STANDARD OF ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AND ACTIVELY PARTICIPATING IN THE ASU COMMUNITY. I WILL USE EVERY OPPORTUNITY I GET TO GO TO CAREER FAIRS TO NETWORK AND EXPLORE DIFFERENT INTERNSHIPS THAT WILL ULTIMATELY HELP ME POST-COLLEGE. ONCE AGAIN, THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND BELIEF IN MY POTENTIAL. YOUR INVESTMENT IN MY EDUCATION WILL HAVE A PROFOUND AND LASTING IMPACT ON MY LIFE.







Thank you so much for your overwhelming generosity!
Thanks to this scholarship, I will be able to continue
working 30-35 hours a week (instead of 40) while I am
going to school full time. These few extra hours are
precious when it comes to time spent on homework. A
few extra hours a week can mean the difference of
whether a person actually absorbs the information or
not. So thank you for helping me to get the most out of
my time in school by eliminating this huge financial
burden from me. It is so greatly appreciated!

Stephanie Perkinson Clubhouse Server

# Annual Holiday Santa Dinner



# Employees of the Month





Ernesto played a key role this year during our overseed, and as a first-year irrigator, he showed perseverance through the long hours and work that was required. Ernesto came in on his weekends off and stayed late to make sure all water was running smoothly on a daily basis. Thank you, Ernesto, for all your hard work this month and just an all-around good effort to learn the irrigator role this summer. You're the best!



The November Employee of the Month was Bryce Stewart.

Bryce's attention to detail and his willingness to see something through from start to finish is not only noticed by the staff that work with him, but the members and guests as well.

Thank you for creating a fun worn environment and an upscale, special experience for our members.



# Please welcome our newest Members



Sal & Amy Bauccio



**Dan & Penny Glass** 



**Todd & Laurel Hamilton** 



Dave & Jackie McLean



James & Sharon Abel



Karl & Rachel Koch



John Stanton & Nancy McNeilly

# SAVE THE DATE!

# **New Member Happy Hour**

Tuesday, February 13<sup>th</sup> 4:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m.

In the Clubhouse Bar

# Dining Hours of Operation



#### **Clubhouse Daytime Hours**

#### **Continental Breakfast**

Monday in the Locker Rooms Tuesday - Sunday in the Mixed Grill 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. (coffee ready at 6:30)

Lunch Service — Clubhouse

Daily 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**Clubhouse Dinner Service** 

Monday/Tuesday: Closed

Wednesday - Regular a la carte menu

5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Thursday - Burger Night plus the Regular a la carte

5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Friday - Regular a la carte

5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Saturday - Half priced wine & Prime Rib Special,

plus a la carte 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Sunday - 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. for Lunch

5:00 - 8:00 p.m. for Mediterranean Night

Happy Hour: Wednesday thru Sunday 4-6 p.m.

For Dining Reservations please call 480.342.7222 or online

www.ccdcranch.com

#### **Ranch House Restaurant**

Monday: Closed

Tuesday: 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Taco Tuesday 5:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m. in The Clubhouse for

January.

Wednesday 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. (4-6 p.m. Happy Hour)

Thursday - Saturday 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

(4-6 p.m. Happy Hour)

Sunday 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. All Day Brunch

3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Happy Hour

Juice and Smoothie Bar: 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

available for online ordering from the APP.

For Dining Reservations please call 480.342.7277 or

online www.ccdcranch.com

#### **Soft Serve Flavors:**

January: Strawberry Shortcake

February: Raspberry & White Chocolate

The Clubhouse will be closed for dining on the following Mondays when the Golf Course is closed for routine maintenance.

Monday. January 22nd

Monday, February 26th

Monday, March 11th

Monday, April 22nd



**Golf Shop** 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. Tues -Sun

Course

Monday 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Tuesday—Thursday 7:30 a.m. double tee start

Friday-Sunday 8-9:50 double tee start and Noon Single Tee

**Practice Park:** 

Tuesday - Saturday: 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sunday: 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Tennis Shop Tuesday - Sunday 6:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### **Fitness Center**

Monday thru Friday 6:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Saturday 7:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.; Sunday 7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Key pad entry is available 5:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. 7 days a week **Youth Programming** 

Tuesday - Friday 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Saturday 5 p.m. - 9 p.m.

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