

# CCC News

Charleston Country Club

May 2022



## Eggstravaganza

Members and guests dine Sunday, April 17, at the club's Easter Brunch. More than 90 attended the brunch. Below, games and baskets were set up for children in the Vista Room. Bottom right, Kelsey and Kaden Hinds enjoy a game of checkers. If you missed this brunch, join us at our next brunch on Mother's Day May 8.



## 27 new members join club; 21 via member drive

Twenty-seven new members have joined the club so far in 2022, 21 of them during the spring membership drive, which runs to June 1.

"We are excited to have new members and hope they take advantage of everything the club offers," Interim President John Ryan said. "I know everyone will make them feel welcome."

Of the 27, seven are Class A members, 12 are junior members, six are social members and one is a non-resident member. In addition, one person has joined as a fellowship member. Three members have left the club and one switched from a Class A

to a fellowship.

"The 2022 Spring Membership Drive is going rather well," said Membership Director Katrina Butler. "We are two months into the drive and our members are doing an awesome job extending the invitation to new members." Under the spring drive, members receive a \$100 club certificate for bringing a new member into the club.

Most of the new Class A members will pay half-price dues for the first year. The junior members dues is discounted according to age, ranging from 23 to 39.

"There is still time to double these figures  
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## Tourney, summerfest planned for Memorial Day

A daylong kick-off summer festival is being planned for Memorial Day at the club.

A four-person Shining Star golf tournament will be held, the new pool and splash pad will be opened for the season and staff cooks will grill out for members and guests. Games for kids will be on hand. Drink specials and food specials will be offered.

"It's going to be the CCC's version of a summer-palooza," Interim President John Ryan said. "We're going to kick off the beginning of summer at the club with a daylong party."

The Shining Star golf tournament will be open to all golfers. The entry fee will be \$25.

Head Golf Pro Kee Fryxell said the club's golf program, Golf Genius, will

select teams electronically, placing golfers on teams according to their handicap and making the teams as equal in ability as possible. Each team will have an A, B, C and D golfer determined by their handicaps.

Shining Star is played with all team members teeing off and then the team selecting one player to play the hole  
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The Board of Directors meets at 6 p.m. the third Monday of every month.

## Breakfast start moved up

Breakfast at the Club will now run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sundays.

About 30 members turned out for breakfast or lunch on April 24, the first day for the new restaurant feature. After members requested an earlier start time, we moved the starting time up from 10 a.m. to 9 a.m. Hopefully more

members can now eat breakfast before their round and more people will be enticed to come out earlier.

## Parking lot moolah needed

Fundraising for the restriping and sealing of the parking lot stands at \$4,000 with \$10,000 still needed to cover the club's cost.

The restriping and sealing project will be completed in

May. Please consider chipping in some money for the betterment of the club. Give a check to Head Golf Pro Kee Fryxell or Bookkeeper Angie Miller.

## Pool set to open

The new pool and splash pad will open on May 30, Memorial Day, as has been our tradition. It will remain open until Labor Day unless the weather turns cool early.

## 27 members join club so far this year

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with a little more than a month remaining in the drive," Butler said.

New members so far this year include:

### Class A members:

- Juan & Becky Gutierrez
- Jeff & Julie Tomlinson
- Brad & Jeannie Taylor
- Kevin & Amber Blake
- Jack & Michele Corum
- Patrick & Jenna Easterday
- Jean Peters & Dave Ha-

worth

### Junior members:

- Alan & Sydney Colvis
- Brandon Spindler
- Chad & Angelia Burgett
- Cole & Evin Taylor-Bennett
- Kirk & Brooke Kepley
- Matt & Tracee Tate-Young
- Dennis & Chelsea Butler
- Bobby & Amanda Harvey
- Mark "Tate" Jackson
- Austin Nichols

■ Ian & Kayley Snowden

■ Jeff "Cabby" & Rhonda Caballero

### Non Resident member:

■ Mark & Kim Burgess

### Fellowship member

■ Joe Yakle

### Social members:

- Curt & Angie Buescher
- Heather Swango
- Mark & Mary Ellen Martin
- Michael Sanders
- Catherine L. Polydore
- Michael Mrkuicka

## Tourney, summerfest planned for Memorial Day

(Continued from page 1) alone while the rest of the team plays a scramble. Two scores are kept – an individual score and a team score. Going by handicap, the A player has to play six holes alone, the B player five, the C player four and the D player three. Strategy will be needed to select what golfer should go alone on what holes. Winning teams will be awarded 50 percent cash prizes and 50 percent Pro Shop credit. How many places will be paid out will de-

pend on how many golfers get in the tournament. The tournament will start at 9 a.m. and immediately following the last team off the tee, the course will be open for anyone not participating in the tournament to play. "We know Memorial Day is a day most members are off work, and we want to make sure everyone gets a chance to get in a day of golf either via the tournament or own their own," Ryan said. The pool and splash pad offi-

cially will open at 11 a.m. on Memorial Day. Lifeguards will be on duty. "We're hoping the weather will be warm enough for everyone to enjoy our new pool facilities," Pool Director Paul Kolling said. Games for children will be available all day. Food and drink specials will be offered to go with the summer picnic theme. "Plan on making the club part of your day on Memorial Day," Ryan said.

**For the record:**

**Welcome new members:**

**Class A**

Brad & Jeannie Taylor  
 Kevin & Amber Blake  
 Jack & Michele Corum  
 Patrick & Jenna Easterday  
 Jean Peters & Dave Haworth

**Junior**

Dennis & Chelsea Butler  
 Bobby & Amanda Harvey  
 Austin Nichols  
 Mark Jackson  
 Ian & Kayley Snowden  
 Jeff & Rhonda Caballero

**Social**

Catherine Polydore  
 Michael Mrkuicka

**Membership #s**

Class A/Promo A = 150  
 Social = 90  
 Seniors = 46  
 Junior/Jr. Promo = 46  
 Fellowship = 10  
 Non-resident = 10  
 Student = 4

**Special thanks to:**

John Robinson and NeCo Asphalt for paving the west side of the parking lot.

**Women's league:**

Women's begins May 4  
 Callaway Demo Day, 10-2 p.m. May 12  
 Three-man Scramble, May 15  
**Sign up in Pro Shop**

**Club's #: (217)-345-6603**

# Much to do in May at club

May is going to be a great month at the club. Make plans to join in on the fun.

**May 7:** We'll kick off the month with a Kentucky Derby Party starting at 4 p.m. Saturday, May 7. Wear your best Derby attire and cheer on your favorite horse.

Compete in the Best Hat Contest, participate in our Derby games and sip a drink special in the bar area.

**May 8:** Come out for our Mother's Day Brunch from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, May 8. It will be as good or better than our Easter Brunch, which was delicious.

Reservations required. Cost is \$16 for adults, \$10 for children 5-18 and children under 5 free.

The menu will be similar to our Easter Brunch, which included scrambled eggs, bacon, hash browns,

biscuits and gravy, chicken and waffles, chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, ham, au gratin potatoes, green beans, salad bar and desserts.

**May 19:** Meet new Eastern Illinois University Football Coach Chris Wilkerson and his staff from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday, May 19.

Pilson Auto Centers will sponsor the meet and greet and appetizers will be served.



**Keep gets PGA card, featured at reception**

*Head Golf Pro Kee Fryxell holds up his PGA Pro card he received in early April. On Saturday, April 23, about 60 club members came out to meet and socialize with Kee at his official welcome to the club.*

## Meet CCC staffers: This month Jaycie

**Name:** Jaycie Roy

**Position:** Bartender/Server

**Months/years at club:** Three weeks

**Home town:** Neoga

**High School/College:** Neoga High School, Lake Land and B.A. in Communications from Eastern

**What I like about my job:**

Getting to hang out with club members

**When not working, I like to:** hang out with friends and walk my dog.

**My dream job would be:** to own my own spa.

**Favorite vacation place or place to visit:** Golf Shores, Ala.

**One thing no one knows about me:**

I played college basketball at Lake Land.

**When I grow up, I want to:** be a business owner.



**Jaycie Roy**