

Monroe Country Club Newsletter

May, 2008



ABCD Tournament:



All dynastys eventually come to an end as the 2 time defending Champs of Dix/Douthit/Parinelli/Gentile/Lee were taken down in a very closely contested match. Congratulations to Pat Welsh, Tim Brogan, Joe Krenski, Paul Leggett and John Wynne for winning MCC's season opening event by one shot. (Photos of Tim Brogan and Paul Leggett were unavailable). In a playoff for second place, the team of Rob Smith, Chris Miller, Dave Sheldon and James Morris came in second and the team of Pete Cassidy, Bill Coddington, James Smith, Pat Capolla and Tom Martino, Jr. finished third. With over 50 members participating, this was the highest turnout in recent memory. Thank you to all participants. By John Dix, Field Reporter

Paddy Creegan Memorial Outing:



Plans are being made to hold the 3rd annual Paddy Creegan Memorial Outing at the end of June. Details will follow shortly. Please look for information in the pro-shop or speak with Patty Lennon, Steve Douthit or Jim Varian.

We hope you'll all come out and join this fun tournament in Memory of Paddy.

June 14th (Saturday) "Nine & Dine". This is a 9 Hole golf



tournament (with cart) and a sit down dinner <u>for couples</u> (members and their guests). Open to golfers of all abilities. The Grand Prize??? **Bragging Rights".** If you'd like to join this fun event please sign up in the pro shop. \$30. for MCC Members and \$35. for guests.

Tee off is at 3:30 PM

Bridges:



The 4th of the 4 new bridges crossing Creegan's Creek has been completed by Nelson and crew. Plans are in effect to build two more foot bridges across the creek to

accommodate walkers.

Nelson has put

gravel at the base of each of the bridges and is making daily efforts to keep the gravel neat and in place. Please be careful with power carts not to "break hard" upon or otherwise abuse these gravel surfaces.... Thanks.

Chipping Green:



A new chipping green is being built by Nelson directly adjacent to our parking lot (near the practice net). It should be ready for use very soon. It's a great use of space on our course that has, in

the past, been seldom used.

Moreover, Nelson has been able to create this chipping area at no additional expense to our club.

New Course Sign:



Our new course sign has been installed just off Road. The Still "framing" sign was built and donated by Dave Sheldon and paint supplies and donated by Mark

Petersen. Nelson's crew did a very nice job of installing the sign and also placing flowers at its' base.



New Cartpath on hole #8/17:

Nelson and crew have re-made the cartpath on hole # 8 /17. Fine job guys.



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President's Cup Qualifying:

All of those who will be qualifying for the Presidents Cup must do so ONLY on May 16th, 17th, or 18th. If you have any questions or concerns, please speak with Peter Cassidy.

April 2008 - 50/50 Raffle:

Winners of the April 2008 50/50 Raffle are:

Lou Ciota, First Place

Scott Corneby, Second Place

Paul Cassidy and Rob McHugh, Jr. both came in Third Place

Congratulations to all.

Membership Drive:

We have been doing well this season gaining and retaining members. There's plenty of room for more....So please, be sure to tell your friends, who might be interested in joining, about our terrific club.

We have carried forward our discounted "New Membership" rates from last year.

- Individual Memberships \$800. + \$300. Bond.
- Husband & Wife Memberships \$1200. + \$300. Bond
- Family Memberships \$1500. + \$300. Bond
- **Under 30 Memberships \$600. + \$200. Bond**
- Junior Memberships \$500. No Bond Required
- Social Memberships \$200. No Bond Required

A membership package, detailing the "New Membership" programs and/or a one page brochure can be obtained at the course or at our website.

Golf Humor:

Two friends were playing golf one day.

They decided that they would adhere strictly to the rules with no improving their lie. After a few holes, one guy's ball landed on a cart path.

As he reached down to pick up his ball to get relief his friend said, "We agreed that we would not improve our lie." No matter how much the first fellow tried to explain that he was entitled to this relief, the second fellow would not allow it. So the man went to the cart to get a club. As he stood over the ball he took a few practice swings, each time scraping the club on the pavement, taking out big chunks of blacktop and sending out lots of sparks! Finally, after several practice swings he took his shot. The ball took off and landed on the green about 6 feet from the pin.

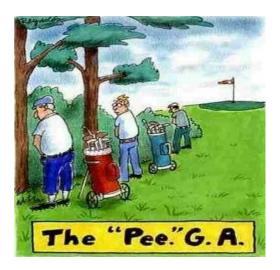
"Great shot!" his friend exclaimed. "What club did you use?"

"YOUR 7-iron!" he replied.

Upcoming Events:

- May 18th, MGA Met/Net Tournament
 May 24th, 25th & 26th, President's Cup Tournament
 June 7th, Member/Guest Scramble Tournament
- June 14th "Nine & Dine" Couples Tournament
- June 16th VFW Outing. Course closed, except leagues
- June 21st & 22nd, Team Championship Tournament
- June 23rd Fr. Casella Outing. Course closed, except leagues
- June 30th Orange Cty. Liquor Auth. Course closed all day
- July 4th and 5th, MCC's Mystery Tournament

Sign up in the pro shop for MCC events.





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