

May Flowers from April Showers

We certainly didn't escape a wet April but the May weather is shaping up to be beautiful. All the greens were punched (finally) and are healing nicely—just in time for the summer play. All the fairways are also drying out which allows us to mow, mow, mow. There is still some longer rough than we'd like to see, as well as a bit of "hay" hanging around but we're getting it all ironed out. We have been able to ease the "cart path only" restriction; allowing a 90 degree rule as we begin May. We have new, noticeable wooden signs for those areas where we need the carts to stay off. Please observe, and obey, all signage. Surveillance will continue on the course throughout the summer. If you have questions or concerns, let us know. It is with the help of all our golfers that the course will continue to improve.

Speaking of improvements, did you see the article in the Curry Coastal Pilot by sports writer, Mathew Brock? It was a nice write up about the course, the changes and improvements as well as amenities some people may not be aware of. We appreciate the positive focus on the course as we are entering the busy season. Take advantage of our new tee time reservation policy: people can make tee times 2 weeks in advance—this applies to call in or on line.

Although we are 0-2 on weddings and weather, Salmon Run is a beautiful venue for your special event. Not only are tournaments a lot of fun here but retirement, anniversary and graduation parties are scheduled throughout the summer.

We love seeing junior golfers on the course and have our Junior Camps set for the summer. Under the direction of our teaching pro Jim Barnes these are fun events where the kids learn about golf, etiquette and the life-long sport of golf. Some of our high school golfers will also be helping with these camps so encourage your children, grandchildren, neighbors and friends to get signed up!

As always, we appreciate the extra help and dedication of several members and friends who helped during the Salmon Run High School Tournament. We are off and running for summer... Gary & Val

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Bruins golfer Cameron Kime

What's Happening: May 2018

- May 5—Pelican Bay Athletic Organization scramble tournament—9 AM shotgun start
- May 21—Azalea Middle School Advanced PE Golf Introduction Day 9 AM—2 PM
- May 22—Business League introductory sign-ups & free play night
- May 29—Business League Play begins!

"DEALS"

MAY DEALS—Mention you saw them here.

- May 18—Appreciation Day! All green fees \$10 (does not include cart)
- Thrifty Thursday—Twilight rates \$20 per player including cart!

Business League

It's that time when our business league begins. We'll have the introductory meeting, rules and free play night (\$5 cart) on **May 22nd** followed by league play on **May 29th**. Business League meets every Tuesday with a shotgun start at 6 PM. We play every week; one week on the front 9, one week of the back 9, until all teams have been in competition together. Play-offs begin at the end of the preliminary rounds. \$150 buy in for the business and \$5 per player each week (plus green fee/cart). Teams of 4 primary players as well as 4 alternates make up the roster. All weekly money goes into the winning pot to be divided between the top 3 teams (or more) with another prize for the sportsmanship team. Get your group together and have fun! For more information please contact Val.

Junior Camp is coming!

June 25-29, July 9-13, July 23-27

4 DAYS INSTRUCTION & ONE PLAY DAY

2 age group brackets:

3-11 (2:45—4 pm) & 12-17 (4:00—5:30 pm)

Cost: \$50 per session or \$135 for all 3. Instruction by Jim Barnes with assistance by BHHS Golf Team.

Brookings Harbor Bruins Golf

The Brookings Harbor Bruins Golf team hosted the Salmon Run Invitational tournament on April 30. A total of 8 schools competed with 3 boys teams and 8 girls teams! After a 10 AM shotgun start, all the high school golfers made their way around the course with the help of volunteers who "shuttled" them on the legendary hills of Salmon Run. At the end of the day, Bruin Bret Darger posted the low round with an 85 and the Bruins Boys captured a win for the team. With only 2 girls playing on the Bruins Girls team they were not in the running for a team score but both girls played well on their home course.

Thank you to the dedicated volunteers who helped make this day successful and encouraged our next generation of golfers to have fun! Bruins coach Gary Early said he was proud of the example his golfers provided to the other young golfers and appreciated all the support of his assistant coaches, Jim Barnes and Morgan Early.



Bret Darger

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