



# Currents

ORANGEBURG COUNTRY CLUB

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## Happy Holidays

from our family to yours!

**OCC**  
THE  
CENTENNIAL



# Brunch — with — SANTA

It's almost time to close out the year, so join us for some holiday cheer,  
Make memories you'll surely hold dear,  
with food, photos, and fun while Santa is here!

**December 11, 2022 | 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**

## Carving Station

- Black Oak Ham
- Prime Rib

## Cold Buffet

- Muffins, Danish
- Sliced Fruit Display
- Mixed Green Salad
- Pasta Salad

## Hot Buffet

- Scrambled Eggs
- Bacon
- Waffle Station  
with toppings
- Stone Ground Grits
- Home Fries
- Green Bean Casserole
- Holiday Stuffing

## Sweets Table

- Decorate your own Christmas cookies!

Adult: **\$24.95** | Children 6-13: **\$15.95**

Children 5 and under: **Free**

Reservations requested by **Tuesday, Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>**  
Call 803.534.5988





# WE CATER

*to your needs*

View the catering guide on our website or call us at (803) 534-5988 for a custom menu.



## Drop-off catering.

The taste and quality you expect,  
delivered to your event.

- Menu planning
- Tables, chairs, and linens
- Floral arrangements and themed coordination
- 15 person minimum
- 2-week notice needed
- Available Tuesday - Sunday, drop-off only

## EASY TO-GO

Enjoy your club favorites at home with our  
convenient to-go service.

**CALL 803-534-5988 TO PLACE AN ORDER.**

### LUNCH TO-GO

Tuesday - Sunday from 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

### DINNER TO-GO

Tuesday from 5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday - Saturday from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

To-Go orders will count towards members' food minimum.

*Lunch/Dinner menu items may vary.*



## EASY AS 1-2-3

1. Call
2. Place Order
3. Pull up in the circle and we'll deliver your order to your car.



The Month Ahead

# DECEMBER 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div>27</div> <div>Golf Shop and Range Close 5:30 p.m. Tue - Sun</div> <div>Bar Kitchen Closes 7 p.m.</div>	<div>28</div> <div>Club and Course Closed</div>	<div>29</div> <div>LGA Golf   10 a.m.</div>	<div>30</div> <div>*Golf Blitz</div>	<div>** 1</div> <div>LGA Golf   1 p.m.</div>	<div>2</div> <div>*Golf Blitz</div> <div>Kids Corner</div>	<div>3</div> <div>Annual Golf Shop Sale</div> <div>Yoga 5:30 p.m.</div> <div>Golf Blitz 9:30 a.m.</div>
Blackwater Grille Inside Dining (WED - SAT) 5 – 9 p.m. Reservations Suggested						
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<div>11</div> <div>Santa Brunch 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.</div> <div>Golf Shop and Range Closes 5:30 p.m. Tue - Sun</div> <div>Bar Kitchen Closes 7 p.m.</div>	<div>12</div> <div>Club and Course Closed</div>	<div>13</div> <div>LGA Golf   10 a.m.</div> <div>LGA Christmas Party 12:30 p.m.</div>	<div>14</div> <div>*Golf Blitz</div> <div>Ugly Sweater Wednesday!</div> <div>Cigar Night 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.</div>	<div>15</div> <div>LGA Golf   1 p.m.</div>	<div>16</div> <div>*Golf Blitz</div> <div>Kids Corner</div>	<div>17</div> <div>Golf Blitz 9:30 a.m.</div>
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Blackwater Grille Inside Dining (WED - SAT) 5 – 9 p.m. Reservations Suggested						

\* Senior Golf Blitz 11:00 a.m. | Golf Blitz 12:00 p.m.

\*\*Golf course busy days

To make a reservation at The Blackwater Grille or to place a To-Go order, please call (803) 534-5988.

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## The Greens Report

It's hard to believe 2022 is coming to a close. Along with all the Club festivities this time of year, December also brings a host of winter projects to the golf course.

Because we didn't experience any challenges with the growing season last winter, the Bermuda is in really good shape going into the winter. The growing season lasted well into November this year and has been exceptional for the course.

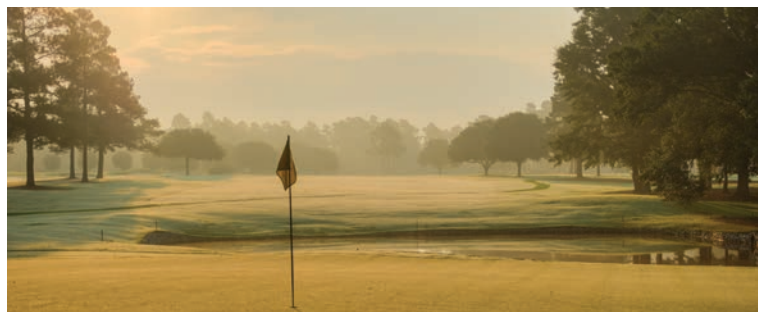
Since summer temperatures crept into November, we did experience some weed challenges in a few areas well past the normal windows. To mitigate any issues, we based our weed control program on past weather patterns and longevity of products.

In addition, we've changed our winter pre-emergent program back to one that succeeded in the past. This program requires a split application -- one application in October/November and a second application in the December/January time frame.

Other winter projects this month include drainage work and cart path repair. Although we will work on these projects throughout the winter months, most are out of the way. For the few projects in playing areas, we will take every precaution not to impact play.

I want to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season! If you ever have any questions about the golf course or your own yard, don't hesitate to call me. See you on the course!

See you on the course!  
Alex Tolbert  
Greens Superintendent



## The Club Happenings



*New wines have hit the club!*

Ask your server for more information.

Wine prices and selections are subject to change without prior notice.





# CIGAR Night

Bourbon, Whiskey, and Scotch are passions of taste and can enhance the flavors of your cigar. Includes pours of our hand-picked Bourbon, Whiskey and Scotch Double Rye.

\*If it rains we will be under our covered patio area.

6:00 P.M. -  
8:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY  
DECEMBER 14

\$30 PER  
PERSON

Cancellations made before  
December 13 will not be billed.

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## Annual GOLF SHOP Sale

ONE DAY ONLY

Saturday, December 3, 2022  
7:30 am - 7:00 pm

Join us for our annual sale! This is the day to purchase the bag, shoes, driver or other items you have coveted all year long.

**EVERYTHING** in the Golf Shop will be discounted. Complimentary gift wrap is available.

**Discounts apply to  
in-stock items only.**



### COME ENJOY THE CLUB'S NEW FIREPIT!

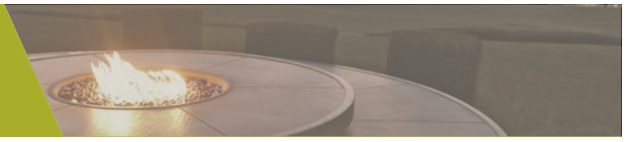
Nothing beats a crackling fire on a brisk fall night! Seating eight, OCC's newly constructed fire area overlooks the picturesque 18<sup>th</sup> hole.

Order a warm drink and we'll see you on the back porch! First come, first served...or call us at 803-534-5988 to book a small gathering.





# The Club Happenings



## DECEMBER DRINK SPECIALS



**CHRISTMAS EVE:** Whiskey, Fresh Lime Juice, Muddled Orange, Agave, Cranberry Juice, Topped with Ginger Beer

**DRUNK CHRISTMAS COOKIE:** Coffee, Cookie Dough Creamer, Vanilla Vodka, Shaken, and Garnished with Frosting and Sprinkles

**CHRISTMAMOSA:** Fresh Grapes, Apples, Cranberries, Prosecco®, and Sparkling Grape Juice

**JACK FROST:** Absolute Vodka®, Frangelico®, Coconut Cream, and Heavy Cream.

## YOGA *Relax. Replenish. Revive.*

Yoga builds strength, increases flexibility, improves balance, and boosts heart health. But the benefits extend well beyond the physical. Yoga also calms the mind and awakens the spirit.

The price of all future yoga classes is \$15! Please join us on the path of transformation and wellness with Brooke Clariday!



### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3 | 5:30 P.M.

- \$15 per person fee includes:
  - » Water provided during class
- Open to all ages and abilities
- Participants provide mats
- Class site to be determined based on the weather

Cancellations made before  
December 2 will not be billed.





## Golf Announcements

### GOLF INFORMATION

#### BUSY DAYS

- Thursday, December 1
- Tuesday, December 6
  - » 10:00 golf outing – course re-opens: 3 p.m.

**SENIOR BLITZ** moves from 10 a.m. on Wednesday and Friday to 11 a.m., continuing through the month of February.

### LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION

**LGA CHRISTMAS PARTY** – The LGA will hold their Christmas Party on Tuesday, December 13 at 12:30 in the Covington Room. Please call (803) 534-6069 or come by the Golf Shop to sign up.



### ONLINE TEE TIMES

#### ONLINE TEE TIMES & PAIRINGS OF SINGLES/TWOSOMES

Online tee times are a convenient and fast way of reserving a time at the course. When making an online tee time for a single or twosome, please look at the tee times that are close to your desired time and see if you can fill out a foursome. If a pair of twosomes are back-to-back on the sheet, the Golf Staff will pair the twosomes when they arrive at the course. On one busy day this week, there are 3 twosomes within 40 minutes of each other, all holding a tee time. Not only does this unnecessarily waste tee times, but the pace of play is also not compatible as the twosomes will be much faster than the groups ahead. Everyone's help in making the tee sheet more efficient is greatly appreciated.

Even if not using the online tee time system, groups of less than 4 will be paired at the discretion of the Golf Shop.

### HOLIDAY GOLF HOURS

#### CHRISTMAS:

Christmas Eve (Sat)	Close at 3pm
Christmas Day (Sun)	Closed
December 26 (Mon)	Closed

#### NEW YEARS:

New Years Eve (Sat)	Regular Schedule
New Years Day (Sun)	Regular Schedule
Jan. 2 (Mon)	Closed

### ANNUAL GOLF SHOP SALE DAY

Saturday, December 3 is the Annual Golf Shop Sale. This is the day to purchase the bag, shoes, driver or other items you've coveted but couldn't pull the trigger on yet. **EVERYTHING** in the Golf Shop will be discounted for 1 DAY ONLY! Complimentary gift wrap is available. Discounts apply to in-stock items only.



### LOST AND FOUND

**LOST AND FOUND GOLF ITEMS** – If you have lost or misplaced your favorite headcover, golf towel, or club, please come by the Golf Shop before the end of the month to see if we have your missing item. After the first of the year, the lost and found items will either be donated or trashed.



# Holiday Hours

## ❖ Christmas Eve ❖

December 24, 2022

Golf Course

7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Blackwater Grille

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

## ❖ Christmas Day ❖

December 25, 2022

CLUBHOUSE AND GOLF COURSE CLOSED

## ❖ New Year's Eve ❖

December 31, 2022

Golf Course

Open

Blackwater Grille

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

Dinner - 5:00 P.M. - 9:00 p.m.

Bar

11:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

## ❖ New Year's Day ❖

January 1, 2023

Golf Course

Open

Blackwater Grille

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

Bar

11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.



Fun for everyone!

# KIDS CORNER



**WHAT'S BETTER THAN PUTTING A SMILE ON A CHILD'S FACE, ESPECIALLY DURING THE HOLIDAYS?**

**Bring your Kids to the Club for some Holiday Fun!**

Friday Nights in December | 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. | \$30 Per Child\*

We've planned a variety of festivities for Kids of all ages

**Holiday Movies - Snowflake Crafts - Build Gingerbread Houses**

**Decorate Cookies - Enjoy Grinch Juice and Hot Chocolate  
and more!**

Mark your Calendar!

\*Parent or Guardian must be on property.



## Break Out your Festive Attire!

Every Wednesday in December, don your ugliest Christmas sweater or most festive holiday attire. Get into the spirit of this fun time of year and earn an OCC holiday "treat"!

Kid and adult goodies available.

## DRESS CODE REMINDER

The Orangeburg Country Club expects proper attire for both men and women on the course and in various facilities. No T-shirts, athletic shorts, hoodies, or ball caps are not permitted in dining area. Please refer to the Club's Rules and Regulations for complete details on appropriate attire throughout the Club.



# PickleBall

If you haven't played pickleball at the Club, now is the time to get started! Check with the Golf Shop, (803) 534-6069, for details on team play, matches, clinics, or to borrow pickleball paddles and balls free of charge. Also, you still have time to do some holiday shopping for the pickleball enthusiasts on your list!

## LEARNING THE BASICS – TWO-BOUNCE AND NON-VOLLEY ZONE RULES

Last month, we discussed the serving sequence. In this issue, we talk about two common rules – the two-bounce and non-volley zone.

Volleying the ball simply means you hit the ball before it bounces on the court. In pickleball, you cannot volley until the ball has bounced twice after a serve.

So, when the server serves the ball, the receiving team must let it bounce before they return the serve. Then, the serving team must also let the returned serve bounce before hitting it back to the receiving team. The ball must bounce once on each side of the court before players can volley.

The non-volley zone rule prohibits volleying in the “kitchen” part of the court. The kitchen refers to the seven-foot area on both sides of the net.

This rule prevents players from smashing the ball when so close to the net and helps extend rallies. You can play within the kitchen zone, just not volley.

Any rule violation results in a fault and play stops. For example, if you volley the ball and step in the kitchen, you incur a fault. It's a fault even if you step on the line or anything you're wearing or carrying touches the non-volley zone.

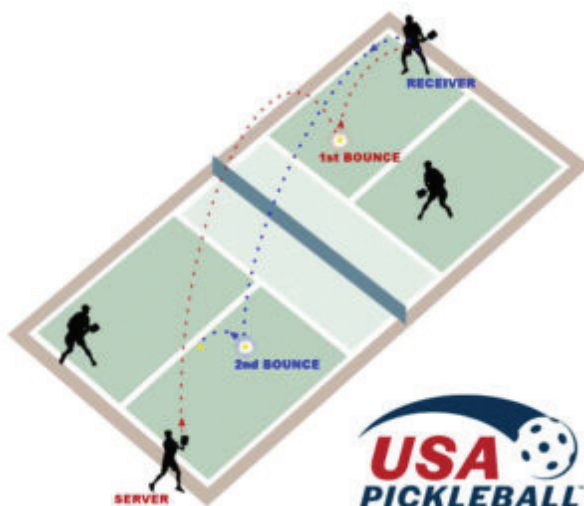
If the receiving team faults, the serving team receives a point. A fault by the serving team means the server loses the serve.

In terms of line calls, a serve falling within the non-volley zone or on the non-volley zone line is a fault. A ball can hit any part of any line and is considered within bounds, except for the non-volley zone line on a serve.

Look for pickleball news and events in upcoming issues of Currents. Next month, we'll continue with pickleball basics and discuss how to score. If you have any questions or suggestions, please call the Golf Shop at (803) 534-6069.

*Diagram credit: USA Pickleball*

(<https://usapickleball.org/what-is-pickleball/how-to-play-old/basics/rules-summary/>)





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## HOURS OF OPERATION

### BLACKWATER GRILLE

Lunch Dine-In ..... Tue - Sun 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Dinner Dine-In ..... Wed - Sat 5:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
Dinner (To-Go) ..... Tue 5:00 - 7:30 p.m. | Wed - Sat 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

### BAR

Lunch (first come, first served) ..... Tue - Sat 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Anytime Menu (first come, first served) ..... Sun 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
Dinner (first come, first served) ..... Wed - Sat 5:00 - 9:00 p.m.

### To-Go

Lunch (To-Go) ..... Tue - Sun 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Dinner (To-Go) ..... Tue 5:00 - 7:30 p.m. | Wed - Sat 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

### GOLF COURSE AND GOLF SHOP AND DRIVING RANGE

Tue - Fri ..... 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
Sat and Sun ..... 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

## OCC PHONE NUMBERS

Accounting | Member Services ..... (803) 534-5988  
Reservations | Curbside Pick-up ..... (803) 534-5988  
Private Event Coordinator ..... (803)-531-9675  
Snack Bar ..... (803)-531-9680  
Golf Pro Shop (Tee Times) ..... (803) 534-6069  
Fax ..... (803) 535-8943

We appreciate and thank you for your help in ensuring the health of our team and fellow members at Orangeburg Country Club.

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## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

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