

March 2024

ORANGEBURG COUNTRY CLUB

CURRENTS



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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Please join us in welcoming our newest members!

Alan Beatty

William Jackson

Hogan Marshall

Dan Snelgrove

HOURS OF OPERATION

All Club facilities are closed on Monday unless otherwise noted.



GOLF

COURSE, DRIVING RANGE, PRO SHOP*

Tuesday - Friday
8:00am - 5:30pm

Saturday-Sunday
7:30am - 5:30pm

**Beginning March 10, the Golf Course, Golf Shop and Driving Range hours change and will be open until 7:00PM.*

CLUBHOUSE

BLACKWATER GRILLE

Lunch

Tuesday - Sunday
11:00am - 3:00pm

Dinner

Wednesday - Saturday
5:00pm - 8:00pm

BAR

Lunch

Tuesday - Saturday
11:00am - 3:00pm

Anytime Menu

Sunday
11:00am - 7:00pm

Dinner

Tuesday
5:00pm - 7:30pm

Wednesday - Saturday
5:00pm - 9:00pm

TO-GO

Lunch

Tuesday - Sunday
11:30am - 2:00pm

Dinner

Tuesday
5:00pm - 7:30pm

Wednesday - Saturday
5:00pm - 8:00pm



ORANGEBURG COUNTRY CLUB

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Calendar of Events

March 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
25	26 Club and Course Opened	27 10 am LGA Golf	28 10 am Sr. Golf Blitz 12 pm Golf Blitz	29 1 pm LGA Golf	1 10 am Sr. Golf Blitz 12 pm Golf Blitz Prime Rib Night	2 MGA Partners 6-6-6
3 11am Sunday Brunch	4 Club and Course Closed	5 10 am LGA Golf	6 5 pm Pasta Night 10 am Sr. Golf Blitz 12 pm Golf Blitz	7 7 pm Trivia 1 pm LGA Golf	8 10 am Sr. Golf Blitz 12 pm Golf Blitz Prime Rib Night	9 TaylorMade® Fitting Day 9:30 am Golf Blitz
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Updates from the Pro

by **David Lackey**, *Director of Golf*

Our spring golf season is knocking on the door. Even as I write this, in mid-February, it is a nice 65-degree day. Much planning has gone into the 2024 tournament season, and there are still some t's to cross and i's to dot. The golf staff builds each year's events based on feedback that we receive, so please keep the feedback coming in. The biggest adjustment that has come from feedback, including a survey of 2023 participants and the Men's Golf Association (MGA) Roster, is moving the Annual Men's Golf Association Member-Guest later in the fall, to September 27-29, 2024. The response has been overwhelmingly positive with the move to cooler weather. Another tweak to the schedule is to have more club-wide events, not just



2023 MGA Member-Member

MGA events. The 2024 Member-Member will be open to all members over the age of 21, not just MGA members, as will several of the Saturday morning tournaments.

Speaking of the MGA, It is a great way for OCC's men to meet other golfers and compete in some different formats. The annual dues of the MGA subsidize the MGA events throughout the season and assist in keeping the entry fees for the events low. Since those dues contributed to the events in 2023, if you have competed in an MGA event in the past year, you will be automatically added to the MGA roster. Also, if you are interested



2023 MGA Member-Guest

in assisting in shaping the MGA events, there is always a need for Committee members. The commitment is very minimal, and the input and guidance would be greatly appreciated. If you are interested in joining the MGA Committee, please let me or JP know.

One of the most popular additions in 2023 was night golf. Glow Vibe Golf does a fantastic job of providing all of the LED lighting on the course and also setting up the course. Our first night golf of 2024 will be conducted on Saturday, May 4. We are working to find another spot on both the OCC and Glow Vibe calendars to add a second event.

Finally, if you are not receiving the weekly OCC eblast, please let Kelli or the golf staff know so that you can begin receiving those. This is the most timely way to receive updates. Upcoming events, such as vendor demo days and tournaments, are always in the eblasts, and where applicable, links for sign-ups. On high-demand events, such as night golf, a date that entries will open will be provided, and on events with lots of information needed to conduct the event, such as the MGA Member-Guest, the entry opening date and sign-up link will be included.

I look forward to seeing you at OCC!



Glow Vibe Night Golf



Michelle and Jay Harvey

Sweetheart Scramble

10 of OCC's couples gathered for the Annual Sweetheart Scramble, a 9-hole 2-person scramble. The field was lively and laughter was everywhere. A big thank you to all who supported the event. After the competition, everyone gathered in the bar for some beverages and the awards. Betsy Harvey claimed the Ladies Long Putt on #3 while Eddie Brown collected the winnings on #6 for the men. In the tournament, we had a 3 way tie for 4th with a score of 39, and after a match of cards,

2-time champs Bruton and Larry Watt took the prize. Next, we had a tie at 37 which also was broken via scorecard playoff. Finishing 3rd was Mary and Eddie Brown, with defending champs Mindy and Tim Pope in 2nd place. Finishing 1st with an even-par 36, the winner's of the cherished Walter's Crystal Goblet, our **2024 Sweetheart Scramble Champions are Michelle and Jay Harvey**. Congratulations!

MGA Blue / Red Matches GA Golf

April 27 and 28

Registration is underway for the annual bragging rights, otherwise known as the Blue / Red Matches. If you've participated in the matches previously, then you are already on a team. If you are a first-timer, you will be assigned to a team. On Day 1, partners from each side square off in the 6-6-6 Match Play format with 1 point awarded for each format. On Day 2, the format is Singles Nassau Match Play with

1 point awarded for the front nine match, 1 point for the back nine, and 1 point for overall.



Fitting Days

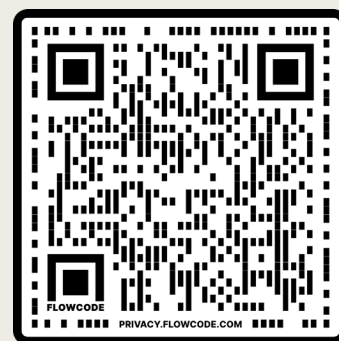
Cleveland/Srixon® Fitting Day
Friday, March 22
11 am to 3 pm

What do you get when you take the forgiveness of the Cleveland Launcher and add Srixon's MainFrame technology? More. More distance, more forgiveness, more consistency. And the ability to hit bombs with the all-new Cleveland Launcher XL2 driver. Or is it found in the new Launcher XL irons? Come see for yourself. Or maybe you need help around the greens. Cleveland has long been an industry leader in wedges. Whether it's the RTX-6 ZipCore wedges or the more-forgiving CBX-4 ZipCore wedges, they have a solution for you.

Callaway® Fitting Day
Friday, March 29
11 am to 3 pm

Using data points gathered from thousands of fittings, plus the technology of AI, Callaway has improved the golf club with the new Paradym AI Smoke. By creating sweet spots all across the face, Callaway has created its most forgiving driver...ever!

Call (803) 534-6069, scan the QR code below, or visit the Golf Shop to reserve your fitting appointment.





The Greens Report

by **Alex Tolbert**, Greens Superintendent

March marks the beginning of the season for the golf course staff. With the growing season right around the corner, we will begin to prepare the turf to thrive. Since the turf endured a volatile winter, we would welcome an early spring.

To get ready for the season, we will apply fertilizer, pre-emergent, and fungicide this month. The fertilizer applications will also carry the first

of two pre-emergent applications. Applying fungicide will help stop summer disease before it occurs.

Although the greens are susceptible to cold weather damage from the winter's fluctuating temperatures, we have taken every precaution to protect them. To get a sneak peek at what we might face this spring, we have cut plugs from a few greens and brought them inside

to break dormancy. The plugs have been a little slow in breaking dormancy. But once they break, everything is fine.

Please ask if you have any questions or concerns about the golf course or grass in general.

See you on the course!

Time Changes for Spring

Spring Forward!

Daylight Savings begins on **Sunday, March 10**. This is when we "**spring forward**" so remember to set your clocks **AHEAD** 1 hour when you go to bed on **Saturday, March 9**. With the extended daylight hours, the Golf Shop and Driving Range will close at 7:00pm to better serve you.



Senior Golf Blitz

The Senior Blitz moves from its 11am winter start time to 10 am on Wednesdays and Fridays beginning on Friday, March 1.

2024 Golf Events

April 6

OCC Partners- Modified Alternate Shot

April 21-23

SAC Championship

April 27-28

MGA Blue / Red Matches

May 3

TaylorMade® Fitting

May 4

Night Golf
Cleveland® / Srixon® Fitting

May 10

MGA 1-Day Member/Guest

June 1-2

Member/Member

June 5-9

CGA SC Match Play Championship

June 10-11

Greens Aeration*

June 29

Superintendent's Revenge

July 4

Annual Flag Tournament

July 22-26

Aerate Tees, Fairways, Approaches

July 27

Parent / Child Tournament

July 28-29

Greens Aeration

August 3

OCC 3-Club Tournament

August 17-18

Men's Club Championship

September 2

Labor Day – Course & Club Open

September 7

MGA 1-2-3

September 27-29

MGA Annual Member/ Guest

* Weather permitting.

Events will be added as they are confirmed.

CLUB EVENTS

2024 Events

April

Sunday Brunch (1st Sunday)
Around the World Food Tour

Ireland

Live Music
National Beer Day (Tasting)
Trivia

May

Sunday Brunch (1st Sunday)
Around the World Food Tour

Mexico

Mother's Day Brunch
Pool Opens (Memorial Day)
Sip & Smoke (Cigar Night)
Night Golf
Trivia

June

Sunday Brunch (1st Sunday)
Around the World Food Tour

Greece

Father's Day
KE Kids Camp
National Blood Drive Day
Pool Party
Mixology Class
Trivia

July

Sunday Brunch (1st Sunday)
Around the World Food Tour

Japan

KE Kids Camp
Junior Cooking Class
Golf Cart Parade
Trivia

August

Sunday Brunch (1st Sunday)
Around the World Food Tour

China

Live Music
Family Game Night
Trivia

September

Sunday Brunch (1st Sunday)
Around the World Food Tour

France

Pool Closes (Labor Day)
Trivia
Craft Night
Football on the Big Screen
Cigar Night

October

Sunday Brunch (1st Sunday)
Around the World Food Tour

German

Scary Costumes Days
Pumpkin Patch
Trivia

November

Sunday Brunch (1st Sunday)
Around the World Food Tour

Brazil

Thanksgiving Buffet
Cornhole Tournament
Trivia

December

Santa Brunch (Dec 8)
Ugly Sweater Days

All events subject to member participation

CLUB EVENTS

Sunday Brunch Buffet

Blackwater Grille and Ball Room

Sunday, March 3 • 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Adults ~ \$33 | Children 6-13 ~ \$15

Children 5 and under ~ FREE

Our regular lunch menu will not be served. Our **Anytime Menu** will be available in the Bar from 11:00am-7:00pm.

Reservations strongly suggested and are required for parties of six or more.



Prime Rib Fridays

Blackwater Grille

Every Friday • 5:00 - 9:00 pm

\$55 per person

After a long week, unwind with a relaxing mouthwatering meal at Blackwater Grille!

We prepare only the best slow roasted prime rib. Juicy, tender, and full of flavor, you're sure to savor every bite!

Served with your choice of two sides, au jus and creamy horseradish sauce.

Reservations suggested.

Trivia Night

Bar

Thursday, March 7 • 7:00 pm

Join us in the Bar for Trivia night and compete against your fellow members and friends. \$1 off drafts will be available.

Reservations suggested.





Easter BUFFET

Sunday, March 31 | 11:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.

Adult - \$35 | Children 6 - 12 - \$18

Children 5 - under - free

Make Your Reservation by Tuesday, March 26

See Kelli, or call 803-534-5988

Event will include the following

Photos with the Easter Bunny | Kid's Beverage Station
Easter Egg Hunt

Carving Station

Oven Roasted Prime Rib
(Au Jus and Horseradish Cream Sauce)
Honey Baked Ham

Salads & Starters

Build-Your-Own-House Salad
Deviled Eggs | Sliced Fruit
Muffins | Biscuits | Rolls
Coleslaw | Tomato Pie | Pasta Salad

Buffet

OCC Fried Chicken | Feta and Herbed Salmon
Mac & Cheese | Wild Mushroom and Truffle Risotto
Broccoli Casserole | Mashed Potatoes and Gravy
Fried Garlic Parmesan Brussels Sprouts
Sugar Snap Peas | Roasted Root Vegetables
Country Style Green Beans

Desserts

Carrot Cake | Key Lime Pie
Chocolate Cake | Whiskey Bread Pudding
Banana Pudding | Strawberry Cheesecake





March Cocktails

- Tequila Refresher:** Blanco Tequila®, Lime Juice, Agave muddled: Cucumber, Celery, Lemon, and Lime
- Sunset Sippin':** Bacardi Rum®, Malibu Coconut Rum®, freshly squeezed Orange Juice, Cream of Coconut, Pineapple Juice, and Egg Whites
- Blackberry Buzz:** Crown Royal Apple®, fresh Blackberries, and Lemonade
- Kiwi-Tini:** Ketel One®, fresh Kiwi muddled, Simple Syrup, Lime Juice, and Pineapple Juice

New Member Rates as of April 2024

OCC always strives to maintain exceptional levels of service and we work hard to ensure each member's experience exceeds expectations. However, the Club continues to face significant inflationary pressures. Ongoing increases to our operating costs have forced us to adopt a new

pricing structure effective April 2024.

We value your membership and will continue to offer world-class cuisine, amazing service, beautiful special event venues, fun social activities, and of course, a meticulously maintained,

championship golf course. Together we will ensure OCC remains the premier country club in the Midlands.

Membership Levels

General	\$395
Non-Resident	\$210
Junior	\$230
Racquet Sports	\$350
Social	\$185

Cart Fees

18-Holes	\$25
9-Holes	\$15
Accompanied (Tuesday-Thursday)	\$65
Accompanied Friday-Sunday, Holidays)	\$75
Unaccompanied	\$80
Reciprocal	\$50

(All guest fee rates are shown with cart fee included)



ORANGEBURG COUNTRY CLUB

Register for Camp Orangeburg!

Registration is open to Club Members on February 1 at 10am,
followed by Non-members on March 1



Weekly Sessions June 11 - July 19

Tuesday - Friday
9am - 3pm
Ages 5 - 12

Drop-Off: 8:30am - 9am
Pick-Up: 3pm - 3:15pm



Weekly Tuition
Club Members, \$335
Non-Members, \$365

*A one-time non-refundable \$45
registration fee includes 2 camp shirts.*

Lunch and snack included with tuition.

Camp will be closed the week of July 2.



ENROLL AT: WWW.KECAMPS.COM





ORANGEBURG COUNTRY CLUB

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Monday unless otherwise noted.*

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(803) 534-5988

Private Event Coordinator

(803) 266-9896

Clubhouse Snack Bar

(803) 531-9680

Pro Shop and Tee Times

(803) 534-6069

DRESS CODE

General Dress Code

The Orangeburg Country Club expects both men and women to dress in proper golf attire. Men and boys (beginning at age 10) must wear shirts with collars – no tee shirts. Golf shorts (just above the knee) are permitted for men and women. Short shorts, jogging shorts, bike shorts, athletic shorts, coaching shorts, cut off jeans, tank top shirts, halter tops, and swim suits are not permitted in the Clubhouse, on the golf course, or elsewhere on the Club premises. Blue jeans with no visible rips are allowed in the dining room. Exceptions are the appropriate

attire for swimming and tennis complexes; however, such attire is restricted to those areas.

Blackwater Grille

General dress code applies. Caps and hats are prohibited for gentlemen.

Clubhouse Bar

Golf and tennis attire are permitted in the Bar. Swimming attire is not allowed in the Bar.

Tennis Attire

Accepted tennis clothing and shoes are required. Prohibited clothing includes shoes not made specifically for wear

on tennis courts, blue jeans, ragged sweat suits, cut-off jeans, etc. Shirts without collars are acceptable.

Swim Complex

Appropriate swimming attire is required. Please remember that swim attire cannot be worn other places on the Club premises. It is important to have shirts and shoes to wear elsewhere on the Club premises.