



# Danville Golf Club 2024 October Newsletter

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*We want everybody to be in the know!*

If your spouse or if you know of Club members that have not been receiving emails from the Club, tell them to call the Club 434.792.7225 ext. 2 or email Shirley @ shirleywade@danvillegolfclub.com

**Thank you to our outstanding members who are sharing Danville Golf Club and helping us add to our Club Family. Let's welcome our newest members.**

There are a few spots available for Community Service Membership. The Club limits this special CSM membership to only (50) members. Until recently, we had a wait list for CSM. If you know anyone who qualifies for CSM, please have them contact Kathy asap as this special CSM membership will fill up fast! Please contact Kathy Nelson, Business Manager, for more information.

434-792-7225 ext 5

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## Clubhouse Dining Hours of Operation



**Sunday:** A La Carte 11:00am – 7:00pm

**Monday:** Club Closed /  
Club Office open 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Tuesday:** Lunch 11:30am – 2:30pm  
Dinner – Closed

**Wednesday:** Lunch 11:30am – 2:30pm  
Dinner 6:00pm – 9:00pm

**Thursday:** Lunch 11:30am – 2:30pm  
Dinner 6:00pm – 9:00pm

**Friday:** Lunch 11:30am - 2:30pm  
Dinner 6:00pm - 9:00pm

**Saturday:** A La Carte 11:00am – 9:00pm

# Welcome October

## President's Message

Hello fellow DGC Members!

And then it was gone! Not really a sad time for me, more like melancholy, I guess. Summer is always a fun time, if you can get past the heat part. Lots of things to do, places to go, people to see.

And then Fall comes. cool air, leaves turning brilliant colors, people out and about, and FOOTBALL! Fall is so great, but it just seems like it doesn't last long enough. Is it just me? My only wish is that Fall could hang around a few months like it is supposed to.

And what a great time to be at YOUR Danville Golf Club! Swimming may be over, but there is so much more to do. Golf, tennis, pickleball, wonderful dining, and of course the comradery. Sitting out on the back patio enjoying drinks with friends, and just enjoying life altogether.

So, enjoy the Fall and all it has to offer. Enjoy your Club! We are ready for you! Andrew, Craig, and the entire staff are prepared to make your time at the DGC a very pleasant experience. So please come out and enjoy what our Club has to offer.

Sincerely,  
George III, Club President



**SPECIAL REQUEST BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**Please remember to pay your Danville Golf Club statement promptly!**

**This will help us pay our bills on time! Thank you for your continued support of YOUR CLUB**





## THE MANAGER'S CORNER

Dear Membership,

Fall is here. The leaves are turning, and the weather is starting to get cooler making it the perfect golf or outdoor dining weather. We hope you've been able to enjoy our Prime Rib, Butcher's Block, or Oyster Nights as we aim to give our members an outstanding dining experience. If you were unable to make it to these special events, check out what special events we have in store for your family this month. Mark your calendars for Prime Rib night on Friday, October 4th, Oyster Night on Thursday, October 17th and the always popular Butcher's Block on Friday, October 25th. Our annual Trunk or Treat will be Sunday, October 27th at 4p.m. and this year we are offering a hayride. If you would like to decorate a trunk, please contact Shirley.

We have started to book Christmas parties and have over eighteen booked already. We have plenty of dates still available if you would like to book your party. Christmas is an amazing time of year for your Club. We love the decorations, warmth and fun holiday events. We will be hosting our Lunch with Santa on December 15th. Santa is very busy this year, but we were able to convince him to make a stop at the Danville Golf Club on his way back to the North Pole.



My life continues to be busy but blessed. Teagan is almost four and Kendall is one and a half. They are into everything and keeping mommy and daddy on their toes. I'm truly blessed to have an amazing woman by my side. My wife, Megan, is still doing excellent in her new career. We were able to get away to Myrtle Beach for a couple days towards the end of September for a much-needed mental health vacation. We created great memories with the kids and the in-laws. I thank God every day for my health, my family and my job as your Club Manager

Sincerely, Andrew Walker  
Club Manager



# hello OCTOBER

## ENTERTAINMENT/POOL/SPORT COURTS/FITNESS NEWS

October has snuck up on us again!! Before another week or two passes, the leaves will be turning and falling, and Halloween will be upon us!! The days are getting shorter, and your Club will be a great place to spend some of those longer evenings. Invite other members and friends for a drink or a glass of wine and enjoy the fellowship of other members.

On Friday, October 25th, the Club will be having a New Member Mix and Mingle prior to the Butcher's Block. This is for all of the new members that have joined this year as a Thank You. There will be complimentary hors d'oeuvres and is open to the membership. Please make reservations so we can get a good count and then plan on staying and enjoying the Butcher Block following!!

On Sunday, October 27th, we will be having the DGC Trunk or Treat. This is a great opportunity to bring your children and friends to the Club on Sunday afternoon for a costume filled couple of hours. Plan to stay for an early dinner with a special kid's menu and then get them home and in bed for a school night!!

I will be presenting the Board with an idea that will be fun and exciting for the membership this coming Thursday night. Stay tuned!! Also, Pickleball continues on Tuesday evenings at 6:00 and will soon be under the lights!! How much fun is that!!

Have a good month and see you at the Club!!!

John Mason

Entertainment, Pool, Courts and Exercise Chair

## October Happenings

**PRIME RIB NIGHT**

*Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>*

**OYSTER NIGHT**

*Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup>*

**NEW MEMBER MIX AND MINGLE**

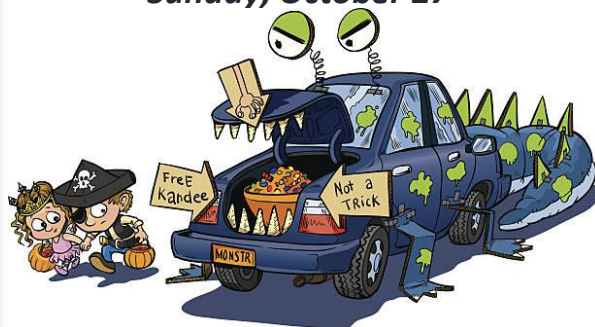
*Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup>*

**BUTCHER'S BLOCK**

*Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup>*

**TRUNK OR TREAT**

*Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup>*



*Watch out for more details on each event through our constant contact emails.*

## RESERVATIONS

To help provide you all with the best service and dining experience we are strongly encouraging reservations in the 19<sup>th</sup> hole. Reservations help us control staffing for a shift and even more they help us gauge how much food to prepare so we ensure your food is fresh and items were made to order. We will never turn you away for not making a reservation, but we ask that you help us control the outcome of your Club's bottom line when you can. Thank you so much for taking the time to read this and we wish you all an excellent October.



# THE GOLF

## PRO'S CORNER

What a great time of year to enjoy your golf facility! The DGC golf course is in great shape and the October weather is usually fantastic.

We just recently finished the Men's Member Guest tournament, and we were fortunate to have perfect weather. We hope that everyone enjoyed every aspect of the event, and it was great to see a full field of 36 teams. Congratulations to all the winners and thank you for your participation.



Winners are as follow:

**Smith Flight & Overall Winners –**

*Scott Wintrode & Lee Lovelace*

**Snead Flight –**

*Joel Johnson & Mark Hodges*

**Locke Flight –**

*Wade Collins & Andrew Collins*

**Mitchell Flight –**

*Carter Lewis & Retrac Lewis*

**Demaret Flight –**

*JT Scarce & Justin Scarce*

**Ross Flight –**

*Henry West & WC Brown*



We still have several events scheduled during the month of October. Our Men's Club Championship is scheduled for the **12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>**. Please call the Pro Shop to sign up.

**Columbus Day**, we host an outing beginning at 9am. (Mike Nicholas)  
Also, **Friday, October 18<sup>th</sup>**, we will host the **Chamber of Commerce** event. (DGC Golf Course will be closed to normal play).

The Match Play Championship is still in progress. Please try to get your matches in asap. We are within a few weeks of declaring a new Champion. Best of luck to everyone who is still alive. We plan to schedule the dates of the final match with an awards party.

**October Tee Times will begin at 9am due to the later sunrise. Please make plans accordingly. Range hours will be 9am – 6:30pm. Except Sunday & Wednesday the range will close at 5:30 in order to clean pick the balls for range maintenance.**

We have wrapped up the season for our Thursday evening Scramble, thank you to all the members that made this a successful year. Our participation has grown each year.

**Have a wonderful month and enjoy your golf!**



**Craig & Jason**



Dear Valued Members,

With Fall upon us, the growth of the bermuda grass will begin to slow down and soon become dormant. During the Fall, Winter and early Spring, wear and tear from cart traffic has a major negative effect on the turfgrass. To protect the turfgrass around and near the greens we will be installing signs anywhere from 20-50 yards in front of all Par 4 and Par 5 greens. The signs will direct carts to return to the cart path at that 90 degree point and stay on the path through the next tee box. Par 3s are always cart path only and we ask that when playing a Par 3 that carts always remain on the path. In addition, if you are playing a different hole and your ball comes to rest anywhere on a Par 3, please do not drive onto the Par 3 to retrieve or hit your ball.

If you are a passenger in a cart, help remind the driver of these cart rules if they are unaware or happen to forget. Handicap flags are available in the pro shop if you need special accommodations. These cart rules are common at most golf courses and by following them we will have higher quality turf in those areas throughout the winter and next year's growing season.

If you have any questions or suggestions, feel free to reach out at any time. Thank you for your continued support and encouragement.



Adam Rawley, Golf Course Superintendent  
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# WGA

## October News

September was an interesting month for the WGA. We had nice weather the first two weeks with several golfers enjoying the cooler temperatures. The third Tuesday was supposed to be our Member/Guest Tournament, but weather caused us to postpone until October 8. Hopefully, the weather will be beautiful, and I'll have lots of pictures for the November newsletter. The VSGA moved us to Thursday the last week of the month but the weather and (cart paths only) kept most away. Becky and Dale braved the conditions and walked 9 holes. October is the last month of our official golf season. Hopefully, we can enjoy some nice fall weather during our final weeks. Hope to see many of you on Tuesdays.

Becky Bolton  
President



Pam Pulley, Vickie Jones, Barbara Hopkins, Jane Murray, Dale Martin, and Kay Price



Dale Martin and Becky Bolton