

Course News November 2018

The course survived the sweltering heat of summer quite well. The growing season is nearing end, but thanks to Gary and his crew's painstaking maintenance the course will be in good condition through the cold weather months. Late-year fertilizer has been applied, and the greens have been treated with fungicide and, according to program, for nematodes.

In preparation for those cold, frosty mornings of winter Gary has acquired a number of greens tarpaulins which will be used to cover the greens most susceptible to freeze damage. The threshold for their use is overnight temperatures predicted to be in the mid- to high-20s. It's quite the chore to spread and remove them so we may need to be considerate and patient some days as he and his crew go about their work.

Feel good – play The Creek!

Beginning Thursday, November 15th, and until further notice the Men's Dogfight will play off tee times beginning at 8:20 a.m. The Thursday Ladies will follow at their normal time.

The Fall Trifecta tournament is scheduled as usual the day after Thanksgiving (23 November). The two-person event for both ladies and men is played as six holes scramble, six holes better ball and six holes alternate shot. Registration will soon be open at the pro shop.

Speaking of the pro shop, have you noticed all the new fall and winter merchandise? There's a large selection of everything for ladies and men to stay warm (and look good!) on the course. Check out the bargains on summer wear, too.

The Cedar Creek Living magazine sponsored community scramble scheduled for November 10th sold out in a hurry! Thanks to all those who signed up; the magazine staff appreciates the interest and participation.

Looking ahead, the Cedar Creek Club Championship will be played on Saturday and Sunday, December 15th and 16th. It's a bit late in the year, but summer and fall events and activities conspired to keep pushing it down the road. The club championship is open to members of The Aiken Golf Club who hold dual memberships as well.