

Course News October 2019

The course is in great condition in spite of the heat of summer and now autumn (!) along with a lack of rainfall. With October now upon us the growing season will soon be nearing end. Now is also a good time to be particularly conscious about filling fairway divots and repairing ball marks on the greens. We'll have much better playing surfaces during the cool (cold) months ahead with a little extra care, and the course will rebound and be in better condition come spring.

Feel good – play The Creek!

Kathy Cornforth and Art Schuenemann captained the Redcoats team to a convincing victory in the 2019 Crystal Cup match. The Redcoats jumped out to an early and sizable lead in the four-ball and modified alternate shot matches only to see Donna Hunkele and Rob Rosche push the Bluejackets to a comeback charge in the singles matches. Unfortunately the Blues fell short of a win, and the Redcoats now lead the series 7 wins to 4.



2019 Redcoats



Redcoats Captains Art Schuenemann & Kathy Cornforth



Bluejackets Captains Donna Hunkele & Rob Rosche



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The Aiken Golf Club championship is scheduled for October 26th and 27th. All Cedar Creek members are eligible to participate. The event will be contested with three divisions: Open (any age) playing from the medal tees, Senior (55+) playing from the mid tees, and Super Senior (70+) at the fore tees. Net prizes in addition to gross will be awarded in all divisions proportionate to the number of entries. (A current USGA handicap index is required to be eligible for net prizes.) Registration is open at the AGC shop with fees \$64 with cart and \$40 walking and tee times beginning at 9 a.m. on Saturday and 11 a.m. on Sunday. Deadline for signup is Tuesday, October 22nd.

The Cedar Creek club championship will follow on November 23rd and 24th. Details will be forthcoming.

Cedar Creek will host events on Saturdays October 5th and 12th. Consequently tee times will not be available until about 11 a.m. Please plan your play on those dates accordingly.

The pro shop is well stocked with new merchandise. Get an early start on your Christmas shopping! And check out the sales rack while there – 50% off on many items!

Questions have arisen regarding out of bounds to the left rear of the 14th green where the approved landscaping for the newly constructed home extends onto golf course property. OB stakes are now in place. The OB line stake-to-stake crosses the newly sodded area thus putting a small portion of it in play. One should be mindful, however, that if playing from the area to repair any damage to the property owner's turf.

As was reported earlier, a fire occurred in the course maintenance barn early on this past Sunday morning causing major damage to the structure and equipment. While course maintenance will be affected for some days every arrangement possible will be made to keep the course in playable condition. Bear with us!