

# FHCC NEWSLETTER



## GENERAL MANAGER

Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July! The golf course is in wonderful shape. I have been told by many long-time members that they have never seen the course in such good shape. Thanks to Sam and his staff for all their hard work and all the tender care they have put into the course this season.

Signature Oak Fund and the Board have approved three new projects to be completed this summer. We will be building a new Ladies tee box on #4 – we are going to move it back and make it much bigger. #10 tee box - we will be extending it out to the left and make it much bigger. We will also be cleaning up #11 ditch; we will take out the old bridge in the fairway, and take out the railroad ties and grass the ditch. This will help the water flow during hard rains, but most of all, it will beautify the complete look of the hole.

Please make sure all our members follow the rules of the club at all times. We have been doing really well, but still have a few things to work on.

- Please remember NO T-Shirts at the club, only around the pool area.
- All play Starts in the Golf Shop by checking in. Please do not start a round of golf without checking in. All play starts on #1 unless approved by the Golf Shop.
- Please make sure you check in all guests before starting your round.
- We have been having many complaints of golfers using the restroom on the course. Please remember that we have many homes close to the course. We have many women and children that are witnessing this happen. We do have two restrooms on the course, please use them.
- Children driving Golf Carts – Please remember that you must have a driver's license to drive by yourself, or be 15 with a learner's permit to drive with the supervision of an adult riding with you.

The Men's Member/ Guest and 3 Gal Scramble were a huge success, please see the results in the newsletter. Don't forget to sign up for the Couples Invitational July 9<sup>th</sup>10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> in the Golf Shop or Online.

All the Clubs in town have started the Springfield Area Team Challenge - Fremont Hills, Hickory Hills, Highland Springs, Twin Oaks, Silo Ridge, Millwood and City Courses. It will be a 36-hole stroke play event with 7 members and 1 professional from each club. We have played our first 18 of the match with the second to be in the Fall. Fremont is in 3<sup>rd</sup> Place behind First Place Hickory Hills with total 428 and 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Twin Oaks 437. Fremont 3<sup>rd</sup> Place 439 – Will Hogan 69, Brian Bennett 70, Matt Barner 73, Joe Atkisson 74, Jason Adams 76, Sam Taylor 77, Adam Sterling 79, and Tim Wagaman 79. There is a beautiful traveling trophy that will go to the winning club to keep for the year. Great job!! Way to represent our club with great honor. Thank you to Rivercut and Silo Ridge for hosting this year. All the clubs will get their chance to host at their Club.

I put the first team together, but in the future I will be taking the top 5 players from the Club Championship and the Club Champion will be the Captain of the Team. The Captain will have two picks to fill the team of 7 to represent the Fremont team at Silo Ridge this fall.

If any member has any questions about anything, please remember my door is always open, or feel free to give me a call 417-353-8434. Don't forget to read all your emails, fliers around the club, and your newsletter for all the exciting events coming up at your club for the rest of this season. You can also pick up a calendar in the Golf Shop, Café or Office with the entire years events to have at home.

See you at the Club,  
Dan Schumacher  
General Manager  
PGA Member

# COURSE PRACTICING

All Members and Homeowners,

I was on the golf course Wednesday Night. We seem to have a problem that is starting to show its ugly head.

I was on #5 and #6 Green and it's very clear that we have someone that is going out on the course late in the evening or possibly after dark and hitting many golf balls into both #5 and #6 greens. I would have to say it was close to a large bucket of balls and they didn't fix their ballmarks. Whoever is doing this, is doing a lot of damage to our greens, and it must stop.

Sam and his staff have been working very hard to get our course in excellent shape and we want to keep it that way. We are working hard to provide good greens to putt on. Please follow the rules of the club and use the Practice facility for major practice sessions.

I do understand if our members hit an Extra Tee Shot, a few Chips or Putts around the green, and even an extra shot into a green if you hit a bad one and you are out on the course working on your game during extremely slow times, and you are NOT holding up any groups behind you, but it is always mandatory for all members to fix all ballmarks, plus at least two others, properly on the greens and fill your divots with sand so all our grass can heal properly. This will allow our members to enjoy their course in its best possible shape.

Anyone that is a member here will be turned into the Board of Directors for disciplinary actions if they are caught for this violation.

We know this happened Tuesday night. I was on all the greens during Member/Guest Weekend and Sam personally mowed those greens himself on Monday and the greens looked great with normal ballmark traffic.

If any member or homeowner sees this happening on the course, please call me ASAP at 417-353-8434. Also, if you don't feel like you properly know how to fix a ballmark on the greens, please stop by the Golf Shop and one of our Professionals will teach you the proper technique.

Thank you very much for helping us with this problem and getting on track. Please remember to use the Practice Facility for all your major practice time and our course will stay in great shape.

Thank You,

Dan Schumacher

General Manager

PGA Member



# TOURNAMENTS

## Couples Invitational

Sat. and Sun. July 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>.

2-Person-Scramble

(Each player hits each shot and pick the best shot of the two)

Practice round is Friday the 9<sup>th</sup>

Horse Race starting at 3:00.

Cost: \$210/team

Time: Tee Times starting at 8:30am both days

This 2-day event is a fun event for everyone and competitive as well.



## Men's Stag Day

July 16th.

This month's stag tournament will be a modified Chapman format. Men only, guests are welcome, entry fee is \$35.00 per player.

Tee times run from 12:00 till 2:00.



## Club Championship

Saturday and Sunday July 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>.

This also includes the Senior and Super Senior divisions.

This event includes both gross and net scoring.

# LADIES LEAGUE

## SUMMER TIME IS TOURNAMENT TIME!

The months of June, July and August are busy tournament times for the lady golfers of Fremont Hills.

June ended with the two day Three Gal Scramble sponsored by the Club under the direction of Mary Angell. Nearly 100 players braved 100 degree heat for two days and enjoyed a great tournament.

July kicks off with the Member-1 Guest Tournament on the 6<sup>th</sup> with a 2 Gal Scramble format. *Celebrate America the Beautiful* is the theme selected by the committee headed by Donna Stewart and assisted by Marguerite Griggs, Pansy Lindsey, Barbara Porter and Karen Barnhart.

August 3<sup>rd</sup> will see another member 1-3 Guest Tournament hosted by the League. This guest day allows a League member to invite either one or three guests for a four person scramble format. *Glitz and Glamour on the Green* is this the theme. The committee is planning something special that will follow the scramble. League members on the committee are Lisa Floyd, Charlotte Ashcraft, Claudia Bess, Jennifer Blagg, Retha Clark, Linda Dawson and Nikki Thielmann.

Sonja Blow is Tournament Coordinator. This is a new League position created to give guidance as needed to the committees.

Dan and the entire Club staff are a great support to the committees in the planning process as well as on tournament day. Thank you from the League.

On Monday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, the Club will host the Children's Miracle Network Charity Tournament. The Ladies League will be providing at least 24 volunteers to help make this event a success.

Dona Elkins,  
Ladies League President

# PRO SHOP

To determine a winner, the Sweepstakes had to go into extra holes and the champs were the team of Mark Stalker, Gary Frazier Lonnie Marshall, Pete Wilson, and Jim LaVallee, defeating Duane Johnson, Rick Wood, Bob Littrell, Larry Batson, and Tonia Robbins in sudden death. Both teams had a two round total of 119. Third was Casey Moya, David Jackson, Steve Monnig, Don Patterson, and Karen Needham.

The Father's Day Scramble winners : Championship Flight Rick & Adam Sterling 60, A-Flight Scott & Miles Aduddell 68, B-Flight Joe & Michael Frazier 73, C-Flight Larry & Dustin Batson 78.

Flight winners from the 3-Gal Scramble were A-Flight Spangler, Alleman, Newbold : 131. B-Flight Haik, Coley, Freeman : 140. C-Flight Cross, Hall, Bingham : 146. D-Flight Sparks, Latimer, Miller : 156.

The Men's Member Guest was Won by Chad Schuchmann and David Cresup with a 36 hole total of 129. Flight winners are as follows: A-Flight Mahan-Harvey B-Flight Evans-Petty C-Flight O'Dell-Freeman D-Flight Mallonee-Bales. This years event was a well attended success. Congratulations to the winners and thanks to all who participated.

## Upcoming Events!

Ladies, mark your golf calendar for the Sadie Hawkins on Saturday, August 21<sup>st</sup>.

Remember, it is important that all members and guests check in at the pro shop to obtain the latest in golf course conditions and cart rules.

## New Arrival Sale!

All men's and ladies shirts and shorts are on sale. Buy one get 20% off, buy two or more and you can take 30% off each item. This sale does not include the Mrs. Golf Collection. All caps and visors, and yes we have a large selection, buy one get 20% off. Buy two or more and get 30% off of each. A large selection of both cart and stand golf bags by Taylor Made, Callaway, Ping, Titleist, and Mizuno are on sale at 25% off!

## Custom Fit Your New Equipment

The pro shop staff will be focusing on teaching and club fitting this summer. By utilizing a new Mizuno fitting tool, we will be able to determine your swing "DNA" and optimize your game. This computerized piece of equipment will allow us to determine the correct shaft, length, lie angle, and loft for you, based on your launch angle, club head speed, and your angle of attack. Call or stop by to make an appointment for club fitting.

With all of the internet sites and golf super stores it is sometimes easy to over look the pro shop. We want you as members to know that we will match and sometimes beat any fair price on golf equipment that you see advertised. Give us a chance; we want to be your instructors, club fitters, and the suppliers of your golf needs.

Now is the time to begin getting your game in order. Let us help you make your game plan now for the summer season by consulting with one of your PGA Professionals about improving your game. Whether it is the short game, a swing change, or a club fitting, ask a pro who is dedicated to making your golf game better.

Also, we are asking players that rent carts or are on the cart lease program to check in at the pro shop prior to the round to pick up the keys at that time. We would like to remind everyone as well that if you have a child that is not 16 years old with a driver's license; they are not allowed to drive the cart, even with you in it. That goes for personal carts and club carts. Thanks.

Have a great round,  
Mike Rifembark, Lyndsey Adams and Brian Bennett



## Signature Oak Fund



The Signature Oak fund has made many dynamic changes to FHCC in the last 6 years. As a way of saying thank you to the current Signature Oak Fund member they have been invited to a special complimentary dinner beginning with a cocktail hour on Sat. evening, July 17, 2010. This dinner is to highlight the accomplishment and promote Signature Oak Fund membership growth.

Following the meal there will be a brief presentation of the last 6 years accomplishments and possibly future plans regarding the course and facilities. The Signature Oak Fund Committee is excited to share some potential ideas the Fund may totally or partially support depending on available contributions. The funds received are used for some capital and Club beautification projects to improve the Clubs appeal to its members.

Current Signature Oak Fund members are encouraged to invite another potential Signature Oak Fund member as their guest. If any current FHCC members are interested in joining this Fund please contact one of the Committee members or Dan Schumacher, General Mgr.

Thanks to Cindy Hail, you can now view some of the accomplishment of the Signature Oak Fund on the FHCC website.

### THE SIGNATURE OAK COMMITTEE

Harry Blow, Chairman

Dave Callentine

Jim Eiffert

Cal Griggs

Cindy Hail

John Hail

# Pool News



Family Fun Night  
 July 23, 2010.  
 6-10 p.m.

Inflatable's, Music, Games, Prizes, Fun!  
 Buffet: Kids \$5 Adults \$10

Swim Team has been doing a great job! Lots of first place finishes and even more improved times. Greene County Championships, our biggest meet of the year, will be July 16. I look forward to reporting some great results!

We have had quite a group for water aerobics so far this summer. Come check it out every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday morning from 10 to 11. \$2 per class. Great exercise, no perspiration!

Happy Summer!  
 Amy Kelley



# Cafe

## July Weekly Specials

7/6 - 7/10

- Assorted Veggie Salad \$7
- Pizza Sub \$7
- Chicken Picatta w/ Pasta \$14

7/13 - 7/17

- Ham Salad w/ Fruit \$8
- Pork Sandwich \$8
- Shrimp Scampi w/ Bowtie Pasta \$14

7/20 - 7/24

- Taco Salad \$7
- Patty Melt \$7
- Meat Loaf \$12

7/27 - 7/31

- Italian Salad \$8
- Seafood Basket \$14
- Philly Experiment \$9



JULY 21ST  
 MEXICAN BUFFET



## Full 2010 Tournament / Event Schedule

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Tournament</u>
Tue-Fr	July 1, 2:	Junior Camp
Tue	July 6:	Ladies League Member / Guest
Fri/Sat/Sun	July 9, 10, 11:	Couples Tournament
Fri	July 16:	Stag Day
Sat/Sun	July 24, 25:	Men's & Senior/SS Club Championships
<b>Mon</b>	<b>July 26:</b>	<b>Children's Miracle Network</b>
Tue	August 3:	Ladies League Member 1-3 Guest
<b>Mon</b>	<b>August 9:</b>	<b>Nationwide Pro-Am</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>August 10:</b>	<b>Ladies Nationwide Tour Pro-Am</b>
Sat	August 21:	Sadie Hawkins
Fri	August 27:	Stag Day
Mon	September 6:	Flag Tournament
<b>Mon</b>	<b>September 13:</b>	<b>SGA Senior Men's Tournament</b>
<b>Sat</b>	<b>September 18:</b>	<b>JRA Tournament</b>
Tue or Wed	September 21 or 22:	Ladies Crystal Cup Matches
Fri	September 24:	Stag Day
Tue	September 28:	Ladies Fun Day
Sat	October 2:	Couples Shamble
<b>Fri</b>	<b>October 8:</b>	<b>MSU Tournament</b>