

Hidden Valley Weekly Newsletter



Family, friendship, fun!

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From the desk of the G.M.

Welcome back to all of you and may you enjoy a great 2010 season at the Resort.

Ladies Golf Committee:

The new executive for ladies golf is excited to support the 2010 golf season.

President - Darlene Whitall, 177 Country Lane; **Club Captain** - April Von Platen, 244 Deerfoot Drive; **Secretary** - Donna Seamans, 41 Crowfoot Circle; **Treasurer** - Laurie Engels 292 Siksika Drive

Social Directors - Janet Antonishyn, 262 Deerfoot Drive; Joan Brooks, 301 Siksika Drive; Sherry Bignell, 10 Crowfoot Circle; Jane Swan, 231 Bow River St.; Monica Roberts, 53 Crowfoot Circle; Joanne Butts, 281 Buffalo Cres.

Thank you to our Past President Shelly Walper and the team that supported her for all their hard work over the last few years.

Our mission as the new executive is to ensure that all lady members of the resort, regardless of golfing ability, have an opportunity to enjoy the camaraderie and friendships as we play the game of GOLF.

A brief note of history, the first tournament of the year was changed and with that came a lot of controversy so a survey was conducted. The results are we are having the **WHITE ELEPHANT**. Mark your calendar for a day of **FUN**, May 15, 2010 registration at **11:00 a.m.** This day of fun is set up to allow all the women of Hidden Valley and their guests the opportunity to get re-acquainted, meet new cabin owners and have a Chinese Auction with a lot of LAUGHTER. Golfing ability is NOT judged. Sign up in the pro shop \$25.00 Members early bird, \$45.00 guests. Chinese Auction - you bring a wrapped gift from your cabin or home that you would be PROUD to receive (lets have class when we choose the right gift, no laundry lint, rocks, etc.). After our game of golf we will enjoy a delicious dinner, auction and laughter.

Babysitting services are available by many qualified, certified sitters on the Resort.

CPR/First Aid Training: We have arranged through Darlene Whitall, to have this training course on site. Our staff will take part plus there will be spaces available for cabin owners. This will be on a 1st come 1st served basis, so please contact the office. Cost is \$110/person. Date: May 17th and 18th from 9 am - 4 pm.

Updates and Advisories:

- 1) Be aware the **Boil Water Advisory** is always in effect.
- 2) Be very careful with any burning. Thank you for your cooperation.
- 3) Watering restrictions are discretionary at this time. Please no overwatering of lawns, and please fix all hose and stand pipe connection leaks.

Domestic Water: Was turned on with no major leaks. Thanks to the crew for a good blow out last fall. The lake water was turned on April 22nd. The golf course irrigation was turned on Monday April 26th with only a few minor leaks....thanks again to Darren and the crew.

Golf course: Because of storms we have lost five days of cleanup and preparation on the course, but the course opened at noon April 20th. Thank you for your understanding.

Leaves and branches: Will be picked up at the end of your driveway until the **end of May**.

River Permits: for river access, fishing etc. are available at the Siksika Administration office in Gleichen.

Clubhouse lower level: restrooms, showers, laundry, Treaty Room open from 7 a.m. - 9.p.m.daily.

Tennis Courts: Are ready, and new basketball nets are on their way.

Cottages for Sale: If you would like your cottage advertised in the list we provide at the office please advise the office. It is suggested that you also include your asking price to avoid wasting your time, and the time of potential buyers.

TIPI GRILL: Spring Hours:

Closed Monday and Tuesday.

Wednesday and Thursday 9:30 – 6:30

Friday 9:00 - 8:00

Saturday 8:30 - 8:00

Sunday 8:30 - 7:00

Weekend Specials:

Friday: Pepperoni or Hawaiian Pizza \$14.50

Saturday: Roast Beef, gravy, mashed potato, veggie, bun.

Sunday: Chicken Pot Pie, salad, garlic toast.

PRO SHOP: April 28th,

The Get Acquainted is this Saturday at **Noon** and it's supposed to be sunny and about 12 degrees. Please sign up by 12:00 Friday. New cabin owners come out to play. This is a no stress fun event no matter what level of golfer you are!!

Lessons & Clinics

I am planning to have a few beginner clinics with the first one starting May 2nd. Min of 5 and Max 8 people/class. Swing instruction and chipping, putting will be covered as well as rules, etiquette. Drop by the shop or call 403-734-3033 for more details.

Please call to sign up as it is this Sunday at 12:00 weather permitting.

The lesson will start at the driving range and we will finish up on the putting green.

Bag Tags

Just a reminder that you need to pick up your bag tags and we have a list of names who haven't paid you 2010 fees yet. If your name is on the list you can't get your tag or play golf so bring a cheque if you want to get out and play!!

Cart Numbers Please!!

Also we need to have everyone make sure your carts have their cabin number on them. There are numbers available at the pro shop. Even if they don't match your cart decor you need to put them on until you find something more fashionable.

Match Play was a success last year and I hope we can start that soon and get some more people entered. Sign up this weekend and we will try to get 64 players for the guys and maybe 32 for the ladies.

The Men's Chapman is only a week away so get your partner now. Min 25 combined hdcp. It's always a fun event!! Sign up by Wednesday night.

Tabs For those of you who would like to set up a tab you are welcome to do so. We do require you to bring your credit card in to set one up. Thanks

I look forward to a great season and I will strive to help you with all your golfing needs.

Jay MacLeod

Golf Tip

Check out your grips. Usually if you play quite a bit of golf(over 30 rounds per year) you should change your grips every season. If you have worn grips you will hold the club tighter than you should and tension actually slows your clubhead speed causing you to lose distance. Regripping only takes a day or two(sometimes same day) and will help your game. Check out the assortment of grips in the pro shop.

Upcoming Events:

Get Acquainted - Saturday, May 1st 12:00 P.M.

Men's Chapman - Saturday, May 8th

Ladies Welcome Tournament - Saturday May 15th

