



Around THE Club

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Happy new year to you all!

December saw us complete the men's Crown Cup match play tournament with Jim Rice taking the crown! Congratulations Jim on a well earned victory.

With the holidays now in the rear view mirror, its time to get our season into full swing, remember tee times will be a bit harder to get over the next 3 months so please be patient. Our golf course is in the best shape of any course in the area, which means everyone in the area will want to play here. I fully expect a record breaking season for overall play.

Sign up for member guest started on Jan 1 for equity members, beginning on Jan 16th all other members may sign up. As of today (01/05) we have 16 men's teams and 4 women's teams signed up so there is still plenty of room

MMGA – Gary Ritchey

Well gentlemen, we aren't keeping up with the ladies! I have no eagles or holes-in-one to announce. Maybe next month will be better.

Our group continues to grow. We would like to welcome our newest members, Ralph Stone and Joe Maiorana. Welcome guys.

Congratulations to Jim Rice, Crown Cup Champ



Jim Rice-2020 Crown Cup Champ

The Monarch Member/Member will be held on February 10 and 11. Check with the Pro Shop for details/signup. We are also having a joint MMGA/MWGA event on February 17. Mixed Team Chicago will be the game. Should be a great time!

Don't forget that 2021 MMGA dues are due. It will be \$35 again for this year. Please drop off a check at the Pro Shop.

The MMGA welcomes all male members of the Monarch Golf Club to join our organization. Come and join us for some great golf and great times.

Gary Ritchey. 303.887.2256

Men's Match Play-Vince Laverghetta

The winter session of Men's Match Play will begin on Monday, January 4th. We will be teeing off in the afternoon shotgun at 1 pm, much to the delight of the members who prefer to sleep in and enjoy the warmer weather.

We have 20 teams signed up, which is the highest total in many years. The teams will

compete in two divisions during the 9-week schedule. In addition, players will compete individually in our weekly skins game. The skins game allows players to compete in two flights based upon their handicap and score some cash by scoring the lowest score on a hole. Just ask Jack Scappaticci how the game works! Jack has won the most cash in recent sessions.

We welcome new member Doug Simpson, who will be teaming up with Henry Maguire.

Cost is \$35 for the session which includes \$20 for prize money, \$12.50 for the awards luncheon and \$2.50 for raffle gifts.

Please contact Vince Laverghetta at vincelaverghetta@gmail.com for sign up details and information on the league.

MWGA – Esther Patterson

Happy New Year to Everyone!

We are excited to start 2021 with our new and returning Board members:

Lisa Ritchey, President
Reka Reaktenwalt, Vice-President
Linda Carey, Secretary
Carolyn Case, Treasurer
Evelyn Weasner, Director



Evelyn Weaner, Lisa Ritchey, Linda Carey, Carolyn Case, Reka Reaktenwalt

Just a reminder that if you haven't paid your dues yet, deposit your check for \$35.00 in the mailbox near the bulletin board. Sue Scappaticci and Esther Patterson are in charge of the games again this year, and I am sure they will have some fun ones for us. Our first day of play will be Thursday, January 7th - 8:00 a.m. shotgun. As voted on at the annual meeting, we will be charging \$3.00 instead of \$2.00 for each weekly Thursday game (charged to your account).

Our Closing Meeting was held on Wednesday, December 16, at the Crown & Shield at 9:00 a.m. Due to Covid concerns and in the best interest of our members, there was no holiday dinner this year. We had a great time though, and the following individuals received awards:



Betty Danish/Francis Traviolia (tie): **Most Participation**
Francie's photo below.



Reka Reaktenwalt:
President's Cup, Ringer Board, Most Birdies



Sandy Bryan:
Most Improved Handicap



Francie Traviolia:
T-Cup

Winners of the 2 Day Ringer Tournament held December 3 and 10 are as follows:

Flight 1

Carolyn Skorich (61)
Reka Reaktenwalt (65)
Linda Carey (66)
Karen Kozlowski (67)
Evelyn Weasner (68)
Francie Traviolia (68)

Flight 2

Diane Christie (60)
Judy Taylor (67)
Regina Johnson (67)
Linda Hodgson (68)
Cookie O'Rourke (68)
Betty Hudi (70)
Donna Laverghetta (70)

Flight 3

Sandy Cookson (65)
Marie Marvil (65)
Carolyn Case (66)
Connie Ortvals (71)
Peg Johnson (71)
Carol Smith (71)

Our Thursday games for the month of January will be:

1/7: Low Net

1/14: Mutt & Jeff (Net score on Par 3's and 5's)

1/21: Par 4's

1/28: Team Scramble with Luncheon

Mark your calendar for our Member-Member Tournament on February 11th, and the ever popular Beat the Pro Tournament on March 4th.

Well, we had our last day of Match Play on December 15th, followed by lunch.

There were 15 of us who stayed afterwards and it turned out really nice with everyone ordering off the menu when they arrived.

Congratulations to Linda Hodgson and Karen Kozlowski - 1st Place winners, who kept their lead by tying the last match! And congratulations to all of our other winners. Thank you to everyone for playing.

Our next session of Match Play starts Tuesday, January 5th - 1:00 p.m. shotgun start.

We have moved this to the afternoons for this session to try to avoid some of that northern wind and cool temperatures. Cost is \$20 per person charged to your golf account. We have 8 teams ready to play, but if you would like to be a sub, please let Esther know.

We welcome all lady members of Monarch Golf Club to join our organization and play and socialize with us on Thursdays (8:00 AM shotgun start). If you have any questions, get in touch with Lisa Ritchey or any one of the Board members.

Terry Stephenson – Superintendent

On behalf of the maintenance staff, I would like to thank all the members for the wonderful Christmas gift. It is truly appreciated.

- We are continuing to put pine straw in the beds.
- We have sprayed the tees for nematode control twice and will continue every month for the next 3 months.
- We will be edging the cart paths and bunkers this month.
- We will be putting out some additional Coquina in spot areas.
- Thanks to some of the members for the help with cleaning up the acorns around the course. This really helps the course look better.

Hope everyone has a very Happy New Year and a great 2021.

Holes In One



Pam Angeline #8 – 12/4/20



**EAGLES ARE
FLYING**



Cookie O'Rourke #8-12/16/20



Carolyn Skorich #7 – 12/8/20

2020 HOLES IN ONE

Men:

Rick Mason-#8-1/16/20

Chuck Hill-#13-3/7/20

Mike Kowalski- #8-3/21/20

Steve Pierce - #8-4/9/20

Joe Maiorana-#11-5/29/20

Keith Patterson-#13-7/22/20

Bob Keating-#11-8/24/20

Bob Collins-#8-9/10/20

Terry Neikirk-#3-9/11/20

John Padula-#13-10/5/20

Tom Suzda-#11-10/21/20

Ladies:

Jan Dubsy-#13-1/7/20

Esther Patterson-#13-3/7/20

Carolyn Skorich-#11-3/31/20

Karen Brondyke-#11-5/30/20

Sis Harder-#11-7/14/20

NEW

Pam Angeline-#8-12/4/20

Cookie O'Rourke-#8 – 12/16/20



CROWN & SHIELD RESTAURANT

Our hours of operation for December

Monday thru Saturday 11:00 am to 7:00 pm.

Sunday 7:30 am to 2:00 pm for breakfast and lunch.

The bar and dining room will remain open till 6:00pm.

A limited snack menu will be available for dine or take out between 2:00 pm thru 6:00 pm. Pizza orders need to be place by 5:30 pm

Sunday Snacks 2-6

Pot Sticker- 6 deep fried pork pot stickers served with soy sauce. \$8.99

Basket of Fries – Enjoy a basket of sweet potato or regular fries. \$3.99

Basket Chips – Deep fried and seasoned potato chips served with your choice Of dipping sauce. \$3.99

Onion Rings – Crispy on the outside, tender on the inside served with our kicken Bayou sauce \$6.99

Buffalo Chicken Tenders – Mild, Medium, or Hot served with celery & carrots. \$8.99

Chef Salad – served with your choice of dressing. \$11.50

Pecan Crusted Chicken Salad – crunchy pecan crusted chicken breast over a mix of fresh greens, mandarin oranges, c'raisins and bleu cheese crumbles. \$11.50

Hole in One Sandwich – Homemade chicken or tuna salad with your choice of bread served with one side. \$9.99

Club Sandwich – Select your choice of bread, served with one side \$11.99

Coconut Shrimp Basket – 5 shrimps served with fries. \$11.99

Our seating capacity is still at 50% or 62 people, so reservations are suggested for dinner. Our full menu and pizza menu are also available for takeout during our normal business hours excluding Sundays. You can find all our menus posted on the Monarch Golf Club website.

Thank you for your continued support
Lisa Applewhite, Food & Beverage Manager
Crown & Shield Restaurant

JANUARY, 2021 Crown & Shield Restaurant
Ann Carter – Communications Chair

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ITEMS OF INTEREST:

The Crown & Shield is open 7 days a week and take out, curb service and delivery will still be available.

No Dinners on Sunday, open for lunch & snack

CALL FOR DINNER RESERVATIONS

Dinner Specials for January

Sundays' – Served with your choice of a cup of soup, or dinner salad

January 3 – Snack Menu from 2-5 pizza's till 6 placed by 5:30

January 10 – Snack Menu from 2-5 pizza's till 6 placed by 5:30

January 17 – Snack Menu from 2-5 pizza's till 6 placed by 5:30

January 24 – Snack Menu from 2-5 pizza's till 6 placed by 5:30

January 31 - Snack Menu from 2-5 pizza's till 6 placed by 5:30

Mondays' – Served with your choice of a cup of soup, or dinner salad

January 4 – Beef Brisket served with French fries & Coleslaw \$15.99

January 11 – Birthday Bash Restaurant closes at 3:00 pm

January 18 – All you can eat Mussels \$14.99

January 25 – Lobster Mac & Cheese \$15.99

Tuesdays' – Served with your choice of a cup of soup, or dinner salad

January 5 – Liver & Onions served with mashed potatoes & vegetable \$12.99

January 12 – Salisbury Steak served with mashed potatoes & vegetable \$12.99

January 19 – Prime Rib served with baked potato & vegetable \$19.99 King \$22.99

January 26 – Eggplant Parmesan served with spaghetti \$13.99

Wednesdays' – Served with your choice of a cup of soup, or dinner salad

January 6 – Crab stuffed Haddock served with potato & vegetable 14.99

January 13 – Corned Beef & Cabbage served with boiled potato & vegetable \$13.99

January 20 – Chicken Marsala served with potato & vegetable \$14.99

January 27 – Beef Tenderloin served with baked potato & vegetable \$16.99

Thursdays'- Dinners – Served with choice of a cup of soup or dinner salad

January 7 – Chicken Stir Fry served over rice \$13.99

January 14 – Spaghetti & Meatballs \$12.99

January 21 – Meatloaf served with mashed potatoes & vegetable \$12.99

January 28 – Stuffed Peppers served with vegetable \$12.99

Fridays' – Dinners – Served with choice of a cup of soup or dinner salad

January 1 – Fish Fry served with French fries & coleslaw \$13.99

January 8 – Seafood Combo served with rice & vegetable \$18.99

January 15 – Surf & Turf served with baked potato & vegetable \$18.99

January 22 – Seared Scallops served with potato & vegetable \$18.99

January 29 – Seafood Scampi served over spaghetti \$16.99

Saturdays' – Served with your choice of a cup of soup, or dinner salad

January 2 – Apple Raison Pork Loin served with potato & vegetable \$14.99

January 9 – Pot Roast served with boiled potatoes & vegetable \$14.99

January 16 – ½ Rack Ribs & Pulled Pork served with French fries & coleslaw \$16.99

January 23 – Pork Chop served with mashed sweet potatoes & vegetable \$14.99

January 30 – Apple Cornbread stuffed Chicken served with mashed potatoes & veg \$14.99

January Lunch Specials

Serving 11 to 4

Monday's only – Pizza, Wings and Pitcher of Beer. Ask server for details. Dine in only

1. Chicken wing combo \$10.99

6 fried wings and side of fries or 12 wings alone \$12.99

2. Beer Battered Chicken Sandwich \$10.99

Fried beer battered chicken breast. Served on a Kaiser roll w/lettuce, tomato & 1 side.

3. Ground Beef Taco Salad \$11.99

Mixed greens, cheese, tomato & ground beef in a fresh Taco bowl. Served with sour cream, salsa & jalapenos.

4. Turkey Bacon Swiss Melt \$10.99

Served on white sourdough with 1000 Island dressing & 1 side.

5. Prime Rib Cheesesteak \$10.99

Served w/peppers, onions & mozzarella cheese. Comes with 1 side.

6. Bratwurst \$9.99

On a hoagie with peppers and onions. Served with 1 side.

7. Bread bowl of Soup and side salad \$9.99

Bread bowl of Soup & side salad w/choice of dressing.

