



Around THE Club

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Memorial Day Tournament

Thank you for playing in your 2023 Memorial Day Tournament. Your participation is what makes The Monarch a special place to be a member. We had some incredible scores and a lot of FUN to go with it.

CONGRATULATIONS! To all participants and to the top 4 teams:

1st Place



Ernie & Karen Weicht and Regina & Bonus Johnson

2nd place



Selden & Beth Skelly and Joan & Harold Beasley

3rd place



Randy & Debby Beck and Kim & Wendell McDannel

4th place



Craig & Pam Moore and Anita & Bob Price

Men's Tilton Match Play League

Vince Laverghetta

Here are the winners in the Bob Tilton Men's Match Play league early spring session:

Nicklaus Division

1st Place

Henry Maguire and Jim Layne

2nd Place

Vince Laverghetta and Terry Maciolek

3rd Place

Bob Keating and Rick Mason

4th Place

Dave Kozlowski and Denny Walden

5th Place

Dan Brennan and Selden Skelly

Wendell McDannel and Randy Beck

Bill Ortvals and Bob Price

Bob Price has the low net round with an amazing 64. Bob Keating shot the low round of the session with a 3 under par 69.

Vince Laverghetta was the leading money winner in the skins game with Bob Keating and Bob Price in close pursuit.

The spring session of Men's Match Play began on Monday, May 22nd and will conclude on July 31st.

Men's Match Play is a member only league sponsored by the Monarch Men's Golf Association. The cost is currently \$35 per session, which includes \$20 for prize money and \$15 for the luncheon and raffle prizes.

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

Wendel McDannel-Building & Grounds

Correction



Yvonne Parker & Craig Simpson

Unfortunately, there was a little mix-up in the thank you last month.

We would like to thank **Yvonne Parker and Craig Simpson** for donating the \$450 worth of paint that was used for the course restrooms.

Their generosity is appreciated and the restrooms are a "must see" attraction for our members and outside players.

MWGA-Terry Pollard

We enjoyed the MMGA "Red, White and Blue" event on Wednesday May 31 with Chris Crawford scoring an EAGLE on hole 17; and during the May 17 Flighted Skins play we had Mark Meador, Denny Walden and Terry Pollard score Eagles.

Also, Congratulations to the winners of May 31st play:

1st place (Two-Way Tie): -12

Keith Beile, Terry Pollard, Dan Brennan, and Mike Kline

Mark Meador, Rick Nelson, Tom O'Rourke and Dave Race

3rd place: -7

Don Tubbs, Dave Maki, Roy Bowen and Selden Skelly

Closest to The Pin

#4 Keith Beile 5'10"

#8 Roy Bowen 13'2"

#11 Roy Bowen 14'4"

#13 Keith Beile 16'

50/50 winner

John Wassenaar—Our newest member

Come join us on Wednesdays for games such 1-2-3 Red, White & Blue, Best Ball Scrambles and Flighted Skins.

The MMGA welcomes all male members of the Monarch Golf Club to join our organization. We currently have over 100 members in the MMGA. Come and join us for some great golf and great times.

Craig Shelton – Maintenance

Since this is my first article, I would like to thank Terry for all his support these past two years. It has been a privilege to serve this club under his leadership. Terry you will be missed by one and all. I would also like to thank Luis, the Board, and you the members for the opportunity to serve as your superintendent. I look forward to working with all of you to make Monarch the best it can be.

ON THE COURSE:

As everyone knows we are currently going through transition which occurs every year

coming out of winter overseeding. The entire course has been spiked. As I write this, greens are being sprayed weekly with liquid fertilizer, fertilized bi-weekly with granular, spiked weekly, and top-dressed frequently. Bulk application of fertilizer going out on fairways and rough wall to wall. We have also begun treating weeds with pre and post emergent herbicide. Thanks for all your support.

MWGA-Connie Ortvals

As we head into June and bid farewell to the last of the Snowbirds, we still have so many exciting events happening.

The Spring session of Match Play ended on May 23. The winners were:

1st Place

Sue Scappaticci/Mary Clemens

2nd Place

Evelyn Weasner/Linda Hodgson

3rd Place

Linda Carey/Cookie O'Rourke

4th Place

Francie Traviolia/Molly Ryan

5th Place

Lisa Ritchey/Connie Ortvals

Only 24 points separated Team 1 from Team 6 – It was a close-fought contest. Congrats to all the winners.



Winners – L to R: Linda Hodgson, Evelyn Weasner, Sue Scappaticci, Mary Clemens, Linda Carey, Connie Ortvals, Francie Traviolia, Lisa Ritchey, Cookie O'Rourke, Molly Ryan

(BUT THE REAL QUESTION IS, WHO LOOKS BETTER IN THAT OUTFIT, ME OR COOKIE???)

There were three qualification rounds for the Ladies' Shootout in May and early June. The competition will be held on Sunday, June 11th, at 1:00 pm. This is always a fun event, with lots of spectators. Bring your golf cart to the Monarch Golf Club and follow along with the contenders. Competing that day will be: Linda Carey; Diane Christie; Debby Beck; Lisa Ritchey; Donna Laverghetta; Nancy Beighley; Molly Ryan and Karen Kozlowski. The alternate is Bonnie Rex. Who do you want to win? Come out and cheer for your favorite.

The Summer Session of Match Play commences on Tuesday, June 13th. Seven teams are signed up to compete. There is still time to join – if you are a MWGA member grab a partner and sign up in the Pro Shop. If you desire to play but do not have a partner, sign up anyway! We will do our best to pair you up with someone. You will be challenged by Match Play competition, but you will also have a great time.

It is a marvel how Esther Patterson and Sue Scappaticci keep the Thursday games interesting, challenging, and fun; but they do it week in and week out. The May winners were:

May 4, 2023 – Low Net on Holes Starting with S and T

Flight 1

1st Place

Christa Bowen

2nd Place

Sue Scappaticci

3rd Place (Tie)

Carolyn Skorich, Evelyn Weasner

Flight 2

1st Place

Cindy Hendricks

2nd Place

Kim McDannel

3rd Place

Donna Laverghetta

Flight 3

1st Place (Tie)

Molly Ryan, Carolyn Upchurch

2nd Place

Betty Gibson

3rd Place (Tie)

Barb Kowalski, Carol Smith

May 11, 2023 – Individual Even Holes

Flight 1

1st Place (Tie)

Lisa Ritchey, Francie Traviolia, Dot Vieira

2nd Place (Tie)

Debby Beck, Sue Scappaticci

Flight 2

1st Place

Diane Christie

2nd Place

Carolyn Upchurch

3rd Place

Donna Laverghetta

4th Place (Tie)

Barb Kowalski, Carol Smith

May 18, 2023 – Individual Low Net

Flight 1

1st Place (Tie)

Christa Bowen, Carolyn Skorich, Bonnie Rex,
Debby Beck

Flight 2

1st Place

Nancy Beighley

2nd Place

Lisa Ritchey

3rd Place

Francie Traviolia

Flight 3

1st Place

Diane Christie

2nd Place

Cookie O'Rourke

3rd Place

Molly Ryan

May 25, 2013 – Best 9, Front or Back

Flight 1

1st Place (Tie)

Debby Beck, Lisa Ritchey

2nd Place (Tie)

Linda Carey, Esther Patterson, Sue
Scappaticci

3rd Place

Marge Parkinson

Flight 2

1st Place

Carolyn Upchurch

2nd Place

Betty Gibson

3rd Place

Diane Christie

4th Place

Cookie O'Rourke

An invitation to each MWGA member is sent out each week. Look for yours on

email, and plan to join us for some great competition, fun, and camaraderie. The MWGA charges \$3 for each weekly Thursday game (charged to your account). For special events, the cost is \$8. Note: After Thursday golf, MWGA members often retire to the Crown and Shield for lunch. See you there.

2023 HOLES IN ONE

Men:

Harold Beasley #13 2/9/23

Charlie Wolff #8 2/17/23

Jim Rice #13 3/4/23

Henry Maguire #13 3/27/23

John Buono #11 3/30/23

Herb VanBenthuyzen #11
4/8/23

Ladies:

Linda Carey #11 3/18/23

Bonnie Rex #13 4/15/23

Bobbie Iredale #13 4/23/23



EAGLES ARE FLYING



Keith Beile - #16 05/02/23



Steve Edelman #6 May 5, 2023



Terry Pollard #9 05/17/23



Dick Therrien #10 5/5/23



Dennis Walden #17 05/17/23



Mark Meador #18 05/17/23



Chris Crawford #17 5/31/23



Chris "in action"

Entertainment

Mark your calendar for upcoming entertainment events:

Barry & Nancy, Name That Tune – August 9

Lisa Coan – November 8

Dr. Dance – January 10, 2024

Playing Card Bingo

There was another very successful Playing Card Bingo on Monday, May 8th

The King was Ralph Beighley & the Queen was Brigitte Stump.



King Ralph Beighley, Queen Bridgett Stump

The next Card Bingo is taking place on Monday, June 12 which will be an Italian Buffet. Sign up is underway.

Note: Card Bingo is the second Monday of each month (except December)



CROWN & SHIELD RESTAURANT

Our hours of operation

Monday 11:00 am to 2:00 pm bar to 6:00 pm.

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

Sunday 7:30 am to 6:00 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

Basket of Fries – Enjoy a basket of sweet potato or regular fries. \$4.99

Basket of Chips – Deep fried and seasoned potato chips served with your choice of dipping sauce. \$4.99

Onion Rings – Crispy on the outside, tender on the inside served with our kicken Bayou sauce \$7.99

Pecan Crusted Chicken Salad – crunchy pecan crusted chicken breast over a mix of fresh greens, mandarin oranges, c'raisins and bleu cheese crumbles. \$12.99

Hole in One Sandwich – Homemade chicken or tuna salad with your choice of bread served with one side. \$10.99

10 Wings W/Fries -choose from mild, hot, garlic parm, or BBQ \$12.99

Big Bogey Pretzel - served with beer cheese \$11.50

Fried Pickles – served with our signature boom boom sauce \$7.99

Trio Salad Served W/Fruit -chicken, tuna, & egg salad on a bed of greens \$11.99

Dinner Salad W/a scoop of chicken or tuna - \$10.99

Pizza and pizza flatbreads are also available till 6pm order by 5:30

All for dine in or take out

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 Ann, F & B Manager

June, 2023 Crown & Shield Restaurant

ITEMS OF INTEREST:

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

No Dinners on Sunday, open for breakfast & lunch

CALL FOR DINNER RESERVATIONS

Dinner Specials for JUNE, 2023

Sundays'

June 4 – Breakfast until 2 Lunch 11-5 Pizza Ends at 6 placed by 5:30

June 11 – Breakfast until 2 Lunch 11-5 Pizza Ends at 6 placed by 5:30

June 18 – Breakfast & Lunch to 1 pm only Private Lunch Function

June 25 - Breakfast until 2 Lunch 11-5 Pizza Ends at 6 placed by 5:30

Mondays' - Dinners –

June 5– Restaurant & Bar Open to 6 pm Lunch Menu Available

June 12– Restaurant closes at 3pm Italian Bingo

June 19 – Lunch Menu to 6 pm Snack Menu to 7 pm Karaoke to 9 pm

June 26 – Restaurant & Bar Closes at 1 pm Private Function

Tuesdays' - Dinners – Served w/ soup or salad & dessert

June 6 – Liver & Onions w/ mashed potatoes & vegetables \$17.99

June 13 – Beef Stroganoff over noodles \$19.99

June 20 – Mongolian Buffet \$20.99

June 27 – Taste of Italy \$19.99

Wednesdays' -

June 7- Restaurant open Full Menu is available.

June 14 - Restaurant open Full Menu is available.

June 21 - Restaurant open Full Menu is available.

June 28 - Restaurant open Full Menu is available.

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

June 1 – Prime Rib with baked potato & vegetables \$22.99

June 8 – Coconut Chicken w/ mashed potatoes & vegetables \$16.99

June 15 – Veal Piccata w/ starch & vegetables \$19.99

June 22 – Meatloaf w/ mashed potatoes & vegetables \$16.99

June 29 - Prime Rib with baked potato & vegetables \$22.99

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

June 2 – Seafood Platter w/ fries & coleslaw \$20.99

June 9 – Potato crusted cod w/ rice & vegetable \$18.99

June 16 – Dover rolled stuffed sole w/ potato & vegetable \$20.99

June 23 – Surf & Turf w/ potato & vegetables \$22.99

June 30 - Fresh Cedar Key Clams over pasta \$18.99

Saturdays' –

June 3 - Restaurant open Full Menu is available.

June 10 - Restaurant closes at 3 pm Private Dinner Function

June 17- Restaurant closes at 3 pm Private Dinner Function

June 24 - Summer BBQ Please inquire 5-7 \$15.00

JUNE EVENTS:

Saturday June 10th Restaurant Closes 3 pm Private Dinner Function

Sunday June 11th Ladies Shootout – 1 pm

Sunday June 11th Restaurant closes 2 pm Private Lunch Function

Monday June 12th Restaurant Closes 3 pm Private Dinner Function

Saturday June 17th Restaurant Closes 3 pm Private Dinner function

Monday June 19th Karaoke 6-9 Snacks only to 7pm bar open for its duration.

Saturday June 24th Summertime Series BBQ w/ entertainment

Please call for details RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

Monday June 26th Restaurant & Bar Closes 1 pm Private Function