



TOMBALL COUNTRY CLUB

NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER & NOVEMBER
2023

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CALENDAR

OCTOBER 2023

UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS & EVENTS

Men's Golf Association-

Saturday, October 14 9:00am

Saturday, November 11 9:00am

Saturday, December 9 9:00am

Tomball Cup-

Saturday & Sunday, October 21-22

Annual Member Meeting Scramble

Saturday & Sunday, October 21-22

75th Anniversary Party & Golf

Saturday, November 11

Santa Jingle Bell Scramble

Saturday, December 2

NOTABLE EVENTS

- **Footjoy Shoe Sale**
October 18-31

- **Thanksgiving**
November 23
Course Closed

- **Christmas**
December 25
Course Closed

75th



Tomball Country Club

Anniversary Golf & Party

11-11-2023



Tomball Country Club

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

As we come out of a very hot and dry summer your Board is working hard on finalizing the 2024 budget ahead of this month's stockholders meeting October 28th.

We have three great Board Members that will be finishing their 3-year terms at the end of the year. Erich Schneider, Ken Ryan and Dale Coleman have been instrumental in the growth and prosperity of the Club. Thank you for all you have done for the Club!



As we get closer to 2024 we couldn't be happier with the path that we are on the future at TCC is bright!

The Board

Ballots have been delivered for the three open Board members positions-

Nominees are-

Leon Brooks
Collin Castille
Bryce Hogan
Bill Honeck
Nick Hull
Jennifer Richbourg
Chet Tolbert

Projects Completed
2023

- Roof & AC repair over men's Lockerroom.
- Sprinkler System at Clubhouse
- New Toro fairway mower
- New greens mower
- New slope mower
- New range balls
- New on course trash cans

Board of Directors

DAVE GILBERT- PRESIDENT
LEO LEON- VICE PRESIDENT
COLLIN CASTILLE - INTERIM SECRETARY
KEN RYAN- FINANCE
JIMMY COX
ROB CONREY
DALE COLEMAN



THE GM Corner



Hello October!! What a great time to be a member at Tomball Country Club. Out with the hot and humid and in with the best weather of the year. I hope y'all are excited and ready to play some golf!

Kudos to the membership for doing a good job during the drought adhering to the cart path only policy, we should see the fruits of that labor bear out this fall with better growth in the fairways and throughout the course. Thank you all.

This year has flown by. Last month we had the Club Championships, this month we have The Tomball Cup and Annual Stockholders meeting, next month Thanksgiving, then in December the Santa Tournament and Christmas- 2024 is right around the corner. Crazy! Did y'all know that this year celebrates the 75th anniversary of Tomball CC? We are planning a celebration on November 11th so mark it on your calendar.

Lastly, I hope y'all enjoy the new look of the newsletter and the new and exciting additions. If you have any questions, concerns, or thoughts you would like to share my door is always open and I'm here pretty much every day. See you at the Club!

Jeff Rutherford

Make sure that you are included in the TCC texting alert system. These alerts go out sparingly based on abnormal course conditions (cart path only, etc.) reminders regarding tournaments and club operations. Responding to the alert is not available so it is a one-way alert. Text Tomball to 38316, if you need help, please contact the Clubhouse

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TCC EVENTS

TOURNAMENTS

EVENTS

FAMILY



**CLUB CHAMPION
KEVIN KOTCHAVAR**

The TCC Club Championships were held on September 16th & 17th. Over 40 competitors competed in a total of five different flights in hopes of eternal glory. Congratulation to Kevin Kotchavar for winning the overall Club Championship. Kevin was three shots back heading into Sunday and fired a 73 to take the Championship by a shot. Great playing by all, but special shout outs go to Allie Hensley (H.S Sophomore) Zoe Hobbs (H.S Senior) and Rex Rodgers (H.S Sophomore) for competing in the Club Championship flight and playing great! Rex and his dad Brad finished T3, Zoe was only six shots behind the champion finishing in seventh and Allie beat her Dad finishing T9. A bright future for these great young golfers!

Congratulations to Jennifer Richbourg for winning the Ladies Club Championship. Jennifer played great; this was her first Club Championship win but the way she played it will be hard for anyone to dethrone the “Queenie” next year!

On Saturday, Paul Wisdom made a hole in one on number 9 and never looked back. Paul cruised to the victory, winning the Senior Club Championship by 18 strokes! Men’s Flight Champion Jack Benton had a tournament low 71 on Sunday to engineer an incredible come from behind win. Jack was five shots back heading into Sunday’s final round and ended up winning by three. Super Senior Club Champion Rob Conrey shot a smooth 79 on Sunday to secure a hard-fought victory. Congratulations to all of our 2023 Champions!



**LADIES CLUB CHAMPION
JENNIFER “QUEENIE”
RICHBOURG**



Congratulations to Nick Hull for winning the 2023 Match Play Championship. The Championship began May 10th and concluded September 3rd with a hard-fought win over Tommy Landreth. Both Nick and Tommy had to go through four worthy competitors to meet up in the Championship where Nick, with some timely shots prevailed 4&3. Congratulations on your first Championship Nick!

Rocky Zapata, CGCS

We are all so glad that our brutally hot summer has come to an end, and although it's faint, you can feel the seasons changing with slightly cooler mornings and just a hint of lower humidity. It was a long summer for the agronomy department, but our team did a great job managing the courses in the face of record heat, extreme drought, and more than a few hurdles to negotiate. But in the past few weeks, we have been blessed with some timely rain, and we are very grateful for that.

This time of the year is critical for agronomy as we apply several key pre-emergent herbicides to the courses. These applications will be crucial for us in our war against winter weeds and providing the best course conditions possible. We began the applications in September and will continue them through November. Currently we are battling an aggressive weed called goosegrass that has infected multiple greens on the course.

Normal fertilization continues with products designed to provide nutrition throughout the cooler months. Overseeding of the greens along with the par 3 tee boxes will start at month's end. This year we will be using a 3-way blend of perennial ryegrass. As always please sand your divots and repair your ball marks. Thank you!

Water

Did you know.....

To water all fairways, tee boxes and greens it takes a full 8-hour non-stop cycle. That means that first green that gets watered won't get water again for at least 7 1/2 hours.



Goosegrass



Overseed
OCTOBER
30th

Winter Pojects-

- Cart path repairs
- Tree trimming
- Tee box prep for sod



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LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION

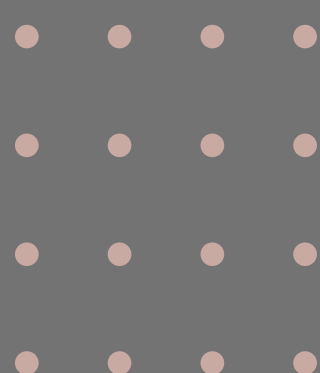


Tomball CC Ladies Golf Association (LGA) invites you to come play golf Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:30. We also play cards on Friday after golf. Come join us, we love meeting new members!



UP COMING EVENTS-
DATES YET TO BE ANNOUNCED.

It is with sadness we announce the death of Ed Cowell, husband of our beloved LGA member, Mary Cowell.



Ed and Mary were long time members of Tomball Country Club. We will all miss his jovial greetings and friendly smile.

Mary is our baker extraordinaire and those who have been lucky enough to have tasted her cakes can attest to that. Mary Cowell is shown here with a birthday cake she made for Barb Kevil.



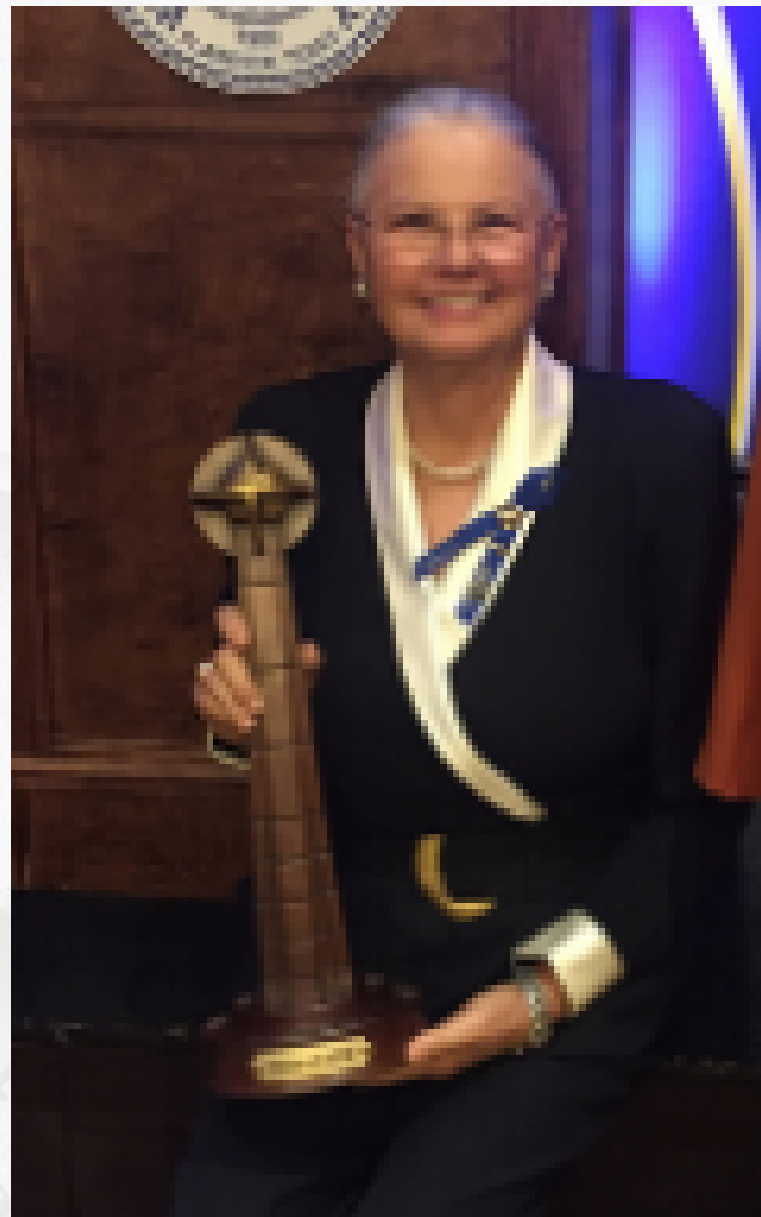
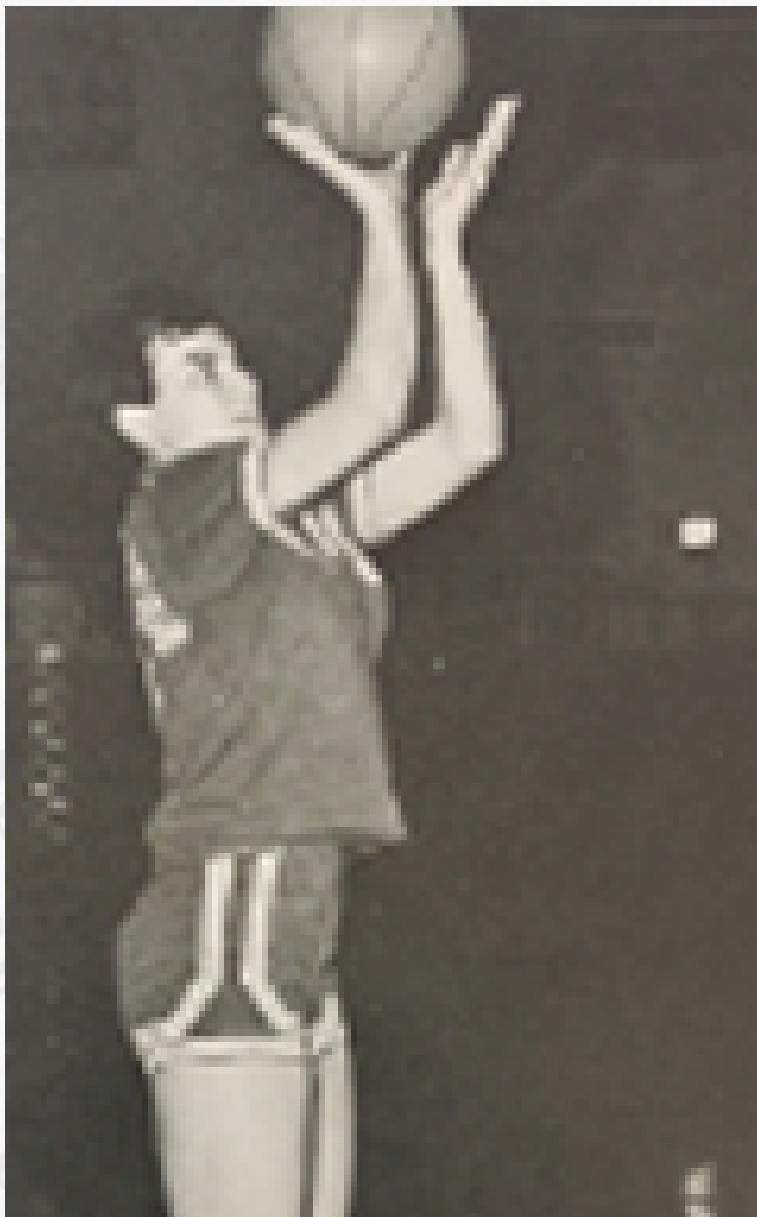
LGA ANNUAL SCRAMBLE
CHRISTMAS PARTY
FELLOWSHIP GETAWAY

PRESIDENT
MARY LOWMAN
VICE PRESIDENT
AMANDA HILL
TREASURER
HOLLY HALL-
SECRETARY
LYNNE CONREY



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

DIANA LEWIS



Diana and her partner Laura have been members at Tomball CC for about 10 years. She has seen a lot change in that time and has also been a part of that change. Diana was part of the long range planning committee and helped shape the Club to where it is today. Diana is about as competitive as they come, and her golf game only magnifies her drive and focus.

Diana was in the education and coaching field for over 50 years. After retiring she started riding horses and got into team roping. She placed third at the National Finals, and has won saddles and buckles.

Diana received a scholarship to Wayland Baptist University and play basketball on the Flying Queens from 1965-1969. During her time on the court the team won 4 national Championships. Diana was enshrined in the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame as part of the Wayland Baptist University Flying Queens. The program was inducted on the strength of its history, impact on the game and continued success over a long period of time.



Pretty cool that TCC has a member in the Basketball Hall of Fame! We are lucky to have you as a member Diana, thank you.

Special Edition

BREAKING NEWS

FOOTJOY SHOE SALE

FootJoy will be leaving sample shoes at Tomball CC between October 18th & 31st for a special shoe sale. We will be getting tournament discounting on every style they carry- men's and ladies.

This type of sale will not happen again for a long time so make sure you take advantage! All orders will be held until October 31st and all will be placed at the same time to qualify for the discounted pricing.

A price sheet will be available in the Shop October 10th. Call Jeff if you have any questions.

MEN'S &
LADIES
STYLES



A GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFT



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TCC MARKETPLACE



WELCOME TO THE TCC MARKETPLACE. THIS PAGE IS FOR MEMBERS ONLY AND FOR GOLF RELATED ITEMS ONLY. TO REQUEST YOUR ITEM BE LISTED PLEASE EMAIL A DESCRIPTION OF THE ITEM AND A PICTURE TO JEFF.TOMBALLCC@GMAIL.COM. NOT ALL REQUESTS WILL BE ABLE TO BE POSTED. FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT JEFF.

4-Cart Tires- \$400



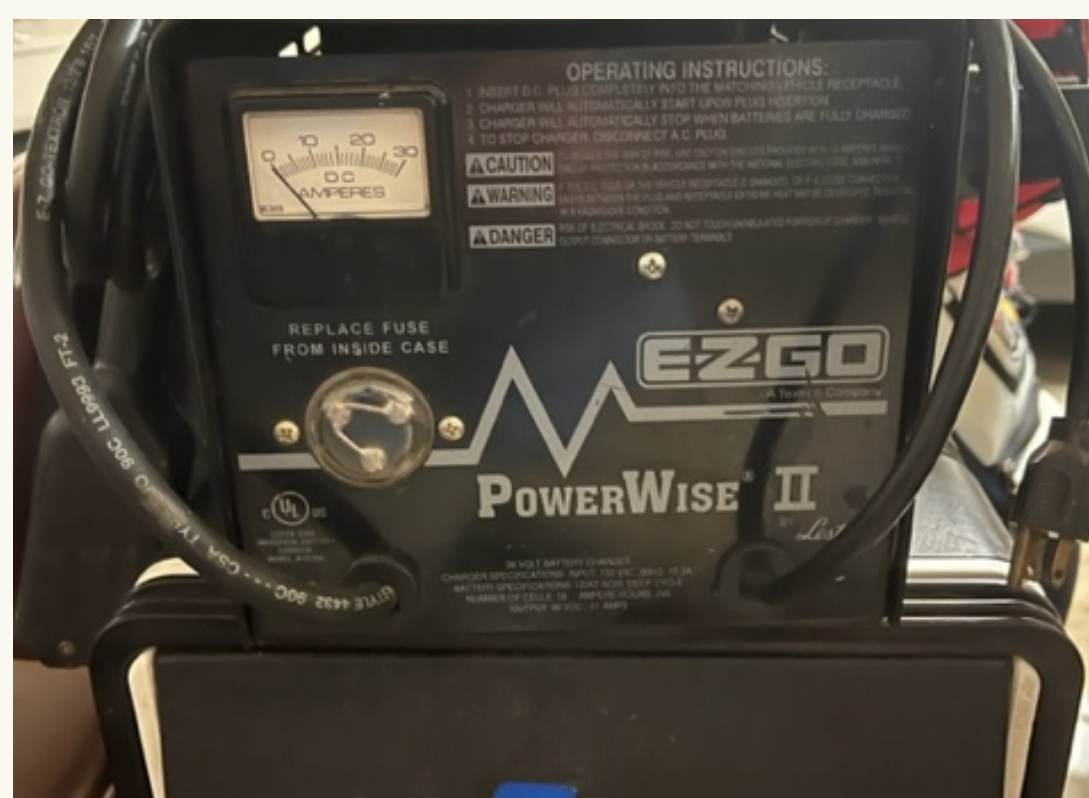
[Chet Tolbert- 713-205-6397](tel:713-205-6397)

2007 Club Car President- \$3,500.00



[Buddy Hall- 713-854-7402](tel:713-854-7402)

EZ- Go Battery Charger- \$150



[Chet Tolbert- 713-205-6397](tel:713-205-6397)

BE SOCIAL! JOIN A GROUP

TOMBALL COUNTRY CLUB— GROUPS—GAMBLING— FRIENDS

WANT TO MEET NEW PEOPLE?
JOIN A GROUP THAT PLAYS REGULARLY?
FIND A SOLID MONEY GAME?
TOMBALL COUNTRY CLUB HAS YOU COVERED.

“THE RACK” -

THE RACK IS A TEAM GAME THAT IS RUN EVERY SINGLE DAY AT TCC.
TUESDAY—FRIDAY & SUNDAY 12:30 START TIME, SATURDAY 8:30.
JUST SIGN UP IN THE GOLF SHOP AT LEAST 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO
THE TEE TIME AND YOU WILL BE PUT TOGETHER WITH A GROUP.
THE RACK PLAYS A TEAM GAMBLING GAME WITH THE MAX LOSS OF
\$23. COME MEET SOME AMAZING PEOPLE, PLAY SOME GOOD GOLF
AND HAVE A CHANCE TO WIN A LITTLE MONEY.

THE LADIES GROUP—

THE LADIES PLAY GOLF ON WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY
AND SUNDAY AT 9:30 AM. WE WELCOME ALL LADIES TO JOIN!

THE SENIOR GROUP—

WE HAVE A VERY VIBRANT SENIOR GROUP AT TCC AND
THEY PLAY TUESDAY-FRIDAY STARTING AT 8:30 AM.

“THE BIG GAME” -

ARE YOU A SINGLE DIGIT HANDICAP THAT LIKES TO PUT A LITTLE
MONEY ON THE LINE? WE HAVE THE GAME FOR YOU.
THIS IS A TEAM GAME THAT IS FREQUENTLY PUT ON AT THE CLUB,
NORMALLY THURSDAYS AND SUNDAYS AROUND 1:00.
THIS IS A \$100 TEAM GAME WITH A \$20 INDIVIDUAL SKINS GAME.
CONTACT THE SHOP IF YOU’RE INTERESTED IN PLAYING.





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GOLF SHOP

SUPPORT THE CLUB & LOGO UP!

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NEW FOOTJOY
APPAREL HAS ARRIVED



NEW FOOTJOY OUTWEAR
HAS ARRIVED!

EQUIPMENT NEWS

TCC has equipment accounts with- Taylor Made, Callaway, Titleist, Cleveland, & Srixon so instead of spending more (YES, I SAID MORE) at PGA Superstore or Golf Galaxy please get with Jeff so he can get you the right clubs or balls and save you some money.

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Callaway

SRIXON®

Titleist

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Shop

TOMBALL CUP 2023



TEAM CAPTAINS

T.RICHBOURG

VS

J.RICHBOURG

OCTOBER 21 & 22

SATURDAY, OCT 21ST

1ST ROUND- 9:00 SHOTGUN 18 HOLES

2 PERSON TEAM BEST BALL FORMAT- MATCH PLAY SCORING & LUNCH 1:00

2ND ROUND 2:00 SHOTGUN 9 HOLES-2 PERSON TEAM SCRAMBLE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22ND

3RD ROUND 10:00 SHOTGUN 18 HOLES INDIVIDUAL MATCH PLAY

2:00 SCORING AND LUNCH

EACH PLAYER RECEIVES TWO TEAM HATS AND LUNCH BOTH DAYS

\$60 ENTRY FEE

LIMITED AVAILABILITY- MUST SIGN-UP BY NOON OCT 18

TEAMS WILL BE MADE BY THE GOLF STAFF

CALL THE SHOP TO SIGN-UP OR SIGN-UP AT THE CLUB

ANNUAL MEETING

GOLF

TOURNAMENT



4-PERSON SCRAMBLE

29 OCTOBER,
2022

12:00 SHOTGUN

DINNER TO FOLLOW

75th
Anniversary

TOMBALL COUNTRY CLUB



Golf & Party

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A GOLF
TOURNAMENT FOLLOWED BY A
CLUB CELEBRATION
DRINKING- FOOD- MUSIC- DANCING

11 • 11 • 2023

_____ GOLF- NOON _____
PARTY-6pm to 10pm

GOLF \$20 / FOOD- \$10