



## April 2021 NEWSLETTER

QUARTERLY DUES OF \$250

PAYABLE January 1st, 2021

April 1st, 2021

July 1st, 2021

October 1st, 2021

YEARLY DUES OF \$1,000 Fee of \$25 per quarter

You can now pay your dues and cart path fees through the website.

Visit the Membership Information tab at [maplelanecountryclub.org](http://maplelanecountryclub.org)

### ADMINISTRATION:

Brandon Burwell, President

Tom Conklin, Vice President

Brook Bolton, Secretary-Treasurer

**Golf:** Jason Wake and Mike Mercer ([golf@maplelanecountryclub.org](mailto:golf@maplelanecountryclub.org))

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**House and Grounds:** Jenni Case and Greg Carter

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**Social:** Greg Dawson and Tom Conklin ([social@maplelanecountryclub.org](mailto:social@maplelanecountryclub.org))

## GOLF NOTES

Please check the calendar for outing dates which kickoff with the Memorial Day 4-player scramble on Monday, May 31. Deadline to sign up is 7:45 am with a shotgun start at 8 am. Cost is \$20 per for members, \$40 for guests. Other outings currently being planned for June are a Couples Scramble June 12 and Night Golf June 26. Angie will blast out sign up information so please check your email.

### **ETIQUETTE CLASS / DATES COMING SOON**

MLCC will be hosting an Etiquette Class for all golfers 14 and younger. The Course will be required for all those golfers 14 and younger to be permitted on the course without an adult. Course safety, on course behavior and general golf rules will be addressed. Kids and parents can sign up for one of two classes being offered this spring. Instruction will be provided by EHS Golf Captain & MLCC's own, Charlie Wake. Dates will be blasted and sent out as soon as schedules are finalized.

15 & 17

The new tee box on No. 15 will be closed until Memorial Day, which also is the intended date to open No. 17 green. Please keep an eye out for an announcement as to when those areas will be open for play.

### **CLINICS**

Tim Peterson will once again be offering clinics and lessons for golfers of all ages and skill levels. On Tuesday, May 11 there will be 2 sessions for beginners focusing on basic skills, stance, grip and swing. Each session will run an hour and be limited to 8 people at a cost of \$25 per person. Session 1 runs from 5pm / 6pm with Session 2 running from 6:15pm / 7:15pm.

Tim will be hosting another clinic on Tuesday, May 18 with Session 1 running from 5pm / 6pm concentrating on the short game and Session 2 6:15 pm / 7:15pm focusing on driving. Those sessions are also limited to the first 8 to sign up at a cost of \$25 per.

## **JUNIOR LESSONS**

Tim Peterson will be hosting Junior Lessons for those young golfers between the ages of 6 – 18. Lessons will be on the practice area on June 8, June 15, June 22 and June 29 and cost \$75 per golfer.

Times for kids between the ages of 6- 8 will be 10am / 11am; For kids 9 -13 will be 11:15am / 12:15pm; and for kids 14-18 from 12:30pm / 1:30pm. Please contact Angie to get your youngsters signed up!

Golf Co-Chairs

Mike Mercer & Jason Wake

## **POOL NOTES**

### **POOL MANAGER**

Elmwood's own Annie Bybee returns to Maple Lane this summer to assume the role of Pool Manager. An ESH graduate, Annie previously worked as a guard for MLCC and we are thrilled to have her join our team. Please welcome Annie back to Maple Lane next time you sign in at the pool house.

(To see more about Annie and all of this summer's guards, please check out the Pool page on our website: <http://www.maplelanecountryclub.org/>)

### **WORKDAY MAY 8**

All members are welcome to help on Saturday, May 8 as our crew will begin the opening sequence of draining and cleaning the pool. Please keep an eye out for email blasts on potential updates but if you're interested plan to join us at Maple Lane at 8 am.

### **MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND**

Looking forward to a warm start to the summer and hoping to see everyone on Saturday, May 30 at 11 am when we kick off summer with our Memorial Day Weekend festivities. Please check Angie's email blasts for updates.

Golf Co-Chairs

Brook Bolton & Kristin Jackson

## **HOUSE & GROUNDS**

### **SAME DECK / NEW LOOK**

Prior to the wedding of Rhett and Madyson Fink in early April, the Deck got a fresh coat of stain to help accent the design touches that provided a stunning backdrop for the new couple.

The wedding was beautiful and the couple actually had their ceremony in the Stillson Room due to rain. The bride and groom and their families enjoyed the night and had nothing but great things to say not only about how beautiful the venue is, but how great Angie was with helping them make their special day unforgettable!

### **PLAYGROUND**

The pea gravel has been replaced with recycled rubber mulch and the equipment also got a fresh coat of stain. Please take advantage of the playground and bring your kids and grandkids to enjoy the property.

Just remember, to keep on the kids and we want any youngsters under the age of 12 to be accompanied by adults.

House & Grounds Co-Chairs

Jenni Case & Greg Carter



Susan Smith Elliott

April 14 at 11:39 AM · 🌐



I would like to give a shout out to Angie that works at the Maple Lane Country Club!! Our granddaughter's wedding was planned a year or more ago. 3 months ago it all started to fall apart. The wedding ended up at the Club and Angie was a true professional, friendly and a jewel to work with. She worked with us to make the bride's dream come true and the club was truly transformed! The wedding was to be outside at a different location and due to heavy rains we scrambled that morning to move all the table and chairs and bring in the arch. Angie went above and beyond! Then of course it all had to be moved back after the ceremony, and there she was helping! I watched her through out the night always working away. You made our lives easier and a bride and groom's wedding awesome! You were the true wedding whisperer! Again THANK YOU! (I can't believe I never caught your last name)



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## SOCIAL NOTES

### EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA

Our Easter Egg hunt was a huge success with more than 40 kids enjoying a fast and furious egg hunt and refreshments afterwards! Club would like to offer a special thanks to the Mercer, Cantorna, Conklin and Johns kids for filling and hiding the eggs.

### MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

We have 7 new full members and 9 trial members! Facebook and *Weekly Post* have been very helpful, but the best way to recruit new members is "WORD of MOUTH!" Please let your friends know about the Membership Promotions detailed below:

***Membership Promotions until June 1, 2021***

*Full Membership* – (Age 30 and over) \$900 to become a full voting member. This includes \$400 that goes towards the initiation fee and \$500 pays for your 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarter dues. So for \$900 you can be paid up for 2021 and start paying dues in 2022! Normal Full membership is \$500 initiation fee and \$250 per quarter.

*Starter Membership* – (Age 29 and under) \$700 to become a full voting member. This includes \$400 that goes towards the initiation fee and \$300 pays for your 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarter dues. So for \$700 you can be paid up for 2021 and start paying dues in 2022! Normal Starter membership is \$500 initiation fee and \$150 per quarter. Once the oldest adult in the starter membership turns 30, the member converts into a full membership and will start paying full membership dues.

*Trial Membership* – (one time option) \$500 receives a trial non-voting membership from Apr 1 to Sep 30.

#### **NEW IN 2021**

*Non-Resident Membership* – For \$500, any resident who lives more than 35 miles from the clubhouse and gets a non-voting membership good through Dec 31, 2021.

Social Co-Chairs  
Tom Conklin & Greg Dawson

## **ADMINISTRATION NOTES**

### **CARTS ON COURSE**

As we are getting ready for golf season to be in full swing, please remember to purchase your 2021 sticker and display on your cart. Angie has the stickers in the Pro Shop and the fee for this year is \$100. Those proceeds, along with cart storage fees of \$100, go directly to the golf improvement fund and are critical for the long-term investment for the course. As a reminder, the only carts allowed on the property are those owned and registered by Membership or Club Carts available for rental use. All drivers must be 16 and have a valid driver's license.

### **ACCESS FROM HURFF DRIVE**

With the temperatures warming up, activity around the Club is increasing and more members are entering the property through the cart entrance from Hurff Drive. Please “slow down” and use caution when driving onto the grounds as there are some blind spots to be wary of, and especially as the pool starts to get busy, watch for swimmers walking to and from the Club.

### **BRING A GUEST**

Among the many great things about Maple Lane is its affordability. One of the best ways to grow our Club is by introducing the property to potential members. If you do bring a guest to spend a day at the pool or play a round of golf, please remember to sign them in. If no one is available at the time of your visit, just let Angie know how their experience went when you connect with her to pay for their guest fees. Or if you would rather just do it before you forget, you can use PayPal. Angie can set you up if you need help.

### **LAKE**

Just a reminder, the lake is for “fishing”. Only golf carts rented from the Club or registered to Members are permitted in the area. Those under the age of 12 are not permitted on the property without a Member over the age of 18.

### **THANK YOU SHERRY!**

In closing, I speak for the entire board at Maple Lane in expressing our sincere gratitude and thanks for many years of dedicated service to Sherry Swindler. Sherry will be retiring from her duties at the end of April. Countless times during the past 4½ years I have been on the board, I've

been asked a question or  
needed a tidbit of information that we couldn't track down – with one-third of the board turning  
over every year, that isn't that unusual. "Check with Sherry" was usually the response, and  
virtually every time the answer to the question was provided shortly thereafter.

Sherry, Thank You for Everything! Maple Lane appreciates all you have done for every member  
over the years!

Brandon Burwell