



## **November 2014**

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### **Golf Shop News**

It has been noticed that many players have been hitting balls on the driving range that are not on the range plan. Beginning on November 1<sup>st</sup> we will begin charging any member the full \$20 range plan if you are seen hitting range balls. Whether you are hitting balls from the side as you wait on #1, or hit your own shag balls from the tee, you will be charged. There are many costs associated with the range including balls, mowing, picking, spraying and topdressing. Players have the option of purchasing a bucket of balls as they wish, or being added to the \$20 unlimited range plan. Please understand that if you are seen hitting balls and have not partaken in either of these, your account will be charged the full \$20 rate. Thank you for your understanding.

Members you can now book your tee times online. Simply go to our website and click on 'Book a Tee Time' and go to 'Member Tee Times'.

Congratulations to Albert McBrayer who won both the Men's and the Senior Club Championship in 2014. This was the second

year in a row that Albert was victorious in both the Men's and Senior division. Congratulations Albert!!

New Member Special!! Do you have a friend or family member who has been thinking about membership at Elm Lake? If so, now is the perfect time. Any new member who signs up by December 31<sup>st</sup> will receive free dues in the months of May, June and July of 2015. Please see the signs in the clubhouse or see Joseph for further details.

Elm Lake will again be offering our 10 round pre pack this winter. Please watch your e-mail for details on the 10 round pack.

### **Clubhouse**

The Elm Lake Holiday Bazaar will be held for the second year on Saturday, November 1<sup>st</sup> from 8am-3pm. Tables/spots will be rented out for \$15 each. For information on this event please stop by the clubhouse or email [yvonne.barron123@yahoo.com](mailto:yvonne.barron123@yahoo.com). Due to the Bazaar the Elm Lake Grill will also be open for breakfast on November 1<sup>st</sup> and will set up a breakfast buffet.

The Elm Lake ladies group invites you to join them! The ladies group will be meeting at 6:00pm on the third Thursday of each month. Due to the holidays, the next meeting will be on Thursday, January 15<sup>th</sup> and the Elm Lake Grill will be open for the event. Please welcome a friend or neighbor to join you. Participants do not need to be golfers or homeowners at Elm Lake.

With the weather getting cooler come try out PICKLEBALL!! Pickleball as a low impact sport that mixed tennis and ping pong. Check out videos of this sport online and e-mail

[barrond8047@yahoo.com](mailto:barrond8047@yahoo.com) if you need someone to play with or introduce you to the game.

Elm Lake is now offering Associate/Social Memberships for residents who do not play golf. Associate Memberships are \$50 per month. Please see Joseph for further details and a list of benefits. Elm Lake really needs all residents to help support the club to ensure our financial stability. Please do all that you can to help get involved in your community and encourage your neighbors as well.

### **From the Course**

With the colder temperatures the grass is beginning to lie down and lose some of its green color. We have had an excellent fall so far and we hope this means good things for a pleasant winter. Nonetheless the crew will be putting out the black tarps in the coming weeks in case we do need to cover the greens.

The crew will also be trimming many trees around the course this winter so please pardon our mess as we are doing this. We have concentrated on cleaning up the creek line the past 2 years and have neglected trimming the Bradford Pear trees that need it.

PLEASE remember to fill divots and fix ball marks at all times. Even when the grass is dormant this will ensure the course is ready and healthy in the future. It IS every players responsibility to fill divots and fix ball marks.

### **From The Grill**

Elm Lake Grill is open:

Tuesday – Saturday 11am – 7pm  
Breakfast Buffet Saturday November 1<sup>st</sup>  
Stop by or call to check on DAILY SPECIALS.