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Golf Shop News

Please join us in welcoming our newest golfing and returning member to Elm Lake, Jerry and Seth Harris.

Congratulations to the winners of the 2017 Elm Lake Clubs Match Play. Winners are:

Men's Club Champion – Martin Howard
Senior Club Champion – Albert McBrayer
Super Senior Champion – Bill Miley
Men's Flight Champion – Chad Bell
Senior Flight Champion –

In the coming weeks we will get the plaques engraved and get the new names on the wall for all to see. Congratulations to the winners and thank you to everyone for participating in our club events!

Thank you to all 37 members who played in the first annual BATTLE OF THE AGES event on August 19th. We hope you all enjoyed the format and were able to meet a new fellow member or two in the process. Congratulations to the 60's age group who won the inaugural competition.

The Hole-in-One pot has now increased to \$10 per entry instead of \$5. This will double the payout of the HIO club making the feat more prestigious in hopes of increased participation. Player must be signed up and have at least 2 witnesses to earn the HIO payout. See Joseph to enter the HIO Club.

With cooler temps and shorter days we are beginning to move back our beginning tee times. Beginning after Labor Day, weekend tee times are being moved to 7:30am start. By DST on November 5th tee times will start at 8:00am 7 days a week.

Here is a look at the remaining event schedule:

September 13 – PXG Fit Day 10am-4pm

October 7 – ATMAE Scramble @ 9am

October 27 – GTR HomeBuilders Scramble @ 9

New in the Golf Shop

Beginning on October 2nd all DEMO product from PING will be on sale. Drivers to be sold for as little as \$150 but not until Monday, October 2nd. Demo product is first come, first serve on Monday morning October 2nd!

Coming to the golf shop in September are shorts and polo shirts from Under Armour. Also caps from Ahead with 3 distinct logo styles. Be sure to check out these new items and show pride in your course and membership at Elm Lake.

Robert (Bob) Ford is a teaching professional that has been in the business for over 20 years. If you want to get better, get help from the professionals; call Elm Lake and Bob Ford today! (662) 295-4201 or coachrobertford@gmail.com

From the Course

September has arrived and it looks like it has brought in cooler weather. With that in mind we ask that you be mindful of cart traffic around the tees and greens. At this point in the season the turf will not recover if stressed from heavy traffic.

Also with cooler temps we will begin to raise the heights on our greens. This is necessary to ensure healthy turf throughout the winter and into next spring.

We were able to post-emerge most of the course for summer weeds this season and look to improve in this area next year. Soon we will be applying our fall pre-emerge to our short grass area (tees, fairways, collars) along with the rough around the greens.

From the Restaurant

Elm Lake Golf Course would like to offer a warm welcome to Daniel and Heather Doty, the new owners of Tee's Bar & Grill. The Doty family is tentatively scheduled to re-open Tee's for business on Wednesday, September 27th. Below is a message from the new owners.

Hello Elm Lake residents! We are very excited to be the new owners of Tee's Bar & Grill. We know that the Thomas family was a big part of the community spirit here at Elm Lake, and we are honored to have the opportunity to continue providing superior service and a comfortable environment for you, your family, and friends. We are busy with renovating the restaurant for you, and we're looking forward to meeting each of you personally. See you soon!

Heather, Daniel, & Olivia Doty