



## STOUGHTON COUNTRY CLUB NEWS

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### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

*By: Ted Waskowski*

Earlier this year, the Board created a priorities list for capital improvements and ranked the priorities. With the patio, windows and doors on the west side of the clubhouse done, the next three priorities in order are addressing plumbing issues in the bathrooms, building a shelter on the back nine and replacing the badly deteriorated windows on the south porch. We hope to take care of the windows and plumbing yet this year. Planning is underway for a shelter. Please feel free to share with us what other priorities you think should be high on the list in the next few years.

Let's hope the beautiful weather holds. Bring a guest to enjoy our beautiful club!

### GOLF SHOP NEWS

*By: Steve Hlavacek*

The "Serious Golf Tournament" was held here on Saturday September 28th. Jerry Norsman finished in first place firing a net 67, followed by Jim Schmahl in 2nd. Peter Foy and Ron Ritchie finished in third place.

The annual "Hole in One" club will hold its yearly party on Sunday, October 27th at 3:00. Free drinks and Hors d'oeuvres for all hole in one club members.

October 10th is our Men's Fall Bash Event. The day's events include the "Yellow Ball Tournament", flag prizes, steak dinner and

annual awards banquet. Sign up in the golf shop. Event price is \$50.00 and includes "The Big Raffle".

October 31st, is the Turkey Open. Sign up in the golf shop, tee times fill up fast and guests are welcome. Turkey Bowling and complete turkey dinner with all the fixin's make this something you won't want to miss.

Our golf season isn't over yet, the leaves are just starting to give us our fall colors so there is lots of golf yet this year. Please remember your golf etiquette when you are on the course. Slower groups should **ALLWAYS LET FASTER GROUPS PLAY THROUGH.** If there is a hole open ahead of you, that is a good indication that you are playing slower and you should let the group behind you play through. If the course is full and the group behind you can't go anywhere, playing through is not necessary. When the course is not busy, courtesy should be your hallmark, not allowing faster players through is contrary to the etiquette of golf.

### MANAGER'S MEMO

*By: Steve Hlavacek*

Chef Dutch has been getting great reviews by our members and guests. Friday night dinners will continue on the patio until the weather forces us indoors. Please remember to make a reservation on Friday nights, walk in reservations will be handled

as soon as possible but could result in a wait to be seated. Bring your friends on Friday Nights and show off your club. Our staff is looking forward to serving you.

The bar and restaurant are closed on Mondays for the remainder of the golf season.

### **SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

*By: Mark Livingston*

Fall is here and with it comes the best weather of the year in my opinion. Cool evenings and comfortable daytime temperatures with little if any humidity are just what the doctor ordered to help the turf repair itself after the summer months. Please be aware that this is also the time of year when we experience frost. Frost covered turf is very susceptible to injury. Driving a cart, walking, or any traffic whatsoever can damage the plant, sometimes even killing it, when it is covered with frost. It is important to always check in with the pro shop prior to teeing off to make sure it is ok to go. For those of you living on the course please use roads to get to the clubhouse if you are not sure if there is frost on the course.

The greens are all healed up now from being aerated. It takes a while for the all the holes to heal up and for the excess sand to be worked into the surface. The extra sand is what causes the biggest headache as it quickly dulls our mowers and makes a mess when it accumulates on the tires of the mower and falls off leaving little piles around the collar. We attempt to apply to exact amount of sand needed to fill the holes as well as give the greens a heavy topdressing to smooth them over. I appreciate your patience during this and I assure you that it is what helps make our greens as good as they are the rest of the year.

Enjoy the fall. It is a mystery as to how the Packers and Badgers will end up but let's hope for the best. I will see you on the course.

### **LADIES AUXILIARY**

*By: Marge Gerber*

There were two meetings of the ladies auxiliary during the month of September. It was evident that it was the start of football season. Hostesses Marian Rambo and Barb Entwistle shared a Badger theme with many red and white decorations. Gloria Murray and Shirley Erickson were hostesses with a Packer format. There was an abundance of green and gold everywhere. Go Badgers! Go Packers!

**Please join us for this Golf Outing to Help Stop  
Hunger and Provide Needed Supplies to our  
Community Children!**

Date: Sunday, October 20, 2013

Location: Stoughton Country Club

Check-In: 8:00am (Coffee, Donuts & Muffins Provided)

9 Hole Scramble Start: 9:00am

Cost: \$25 per person for Country Club Members

\$50 per person for Non Members

(Golf Carts Included in both prices)

**100% of all Dollars raised will be donated to our Elementary, Middle  
and High School, to be disbursed through our district social workers  
to Students & their Families!**

**3 Ways to Contribute!**

**1) 9 Hole Golf: A Fun Outing, Plus Great Raffle & Prizes!**

If you would like to participate, please fill out this form and Mail

to: [Monique Olson @ Preferred Title, 2728 Coho St, Madison, WI 53713](mailto:MoniqueOlson@PreferredTitle.com)

Deadline for Registration is October 15, 2013

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone#: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Members: \_\_\_\_\_

\$25 for SCC Members \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$50 for Non-Members: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**Payments are made payable to: Stoughton Area School District  
(Raffle Prizes after the Golf Outing Delicious Lunch Specials Available not  
included with Golf Cost)**

**2) Be a Sponsor:** You can help through a Sponsorship at the Golf Outing.

This includes your Business Name at a Hole, Recognition at our Registration/Event and s.

**Investment: \$50** (Checks Made Payable to Stoughton Area School District)

**Business Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(print as it should be listed on signage)

**Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City:** \_\_\_\_\_

**State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**3) Donate A Giveaway:** Your gift will be given away at the golf outing.

**Registration Bag.**

**Business Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gift:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Value:** \_\_\_\_\_

**We Thank You so much for your  
Involvement!**

**Questions? Please call Chris Kotlowski: 608-444-5500 or Monique Olson: 608-469-3535**

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Club House</b> <b>(608)873-7861</b>  <b>Golf Shop</b> <b>(608)873-8464</b>						
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>  <b>Member Dining</b>	<b>5</b>  <b>Hefter Reception</b>
<b>6</b>  <b>Hold em Tournament/ Packer party</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> <b>Euchre Marathon</b>  <b>Oregon Town &amp; Country</b>	<b>9</b>  <b>Ladies Auxilary</b>	<b>10</b>  <b>Men's Bash</b>	<b>11</b>  <b>Member Dining</b>	<b>12</b>  <b>Reception</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>  <b>Member Dining</b>	<b>19</b>  <b>Uniroyal Dinner</b>
<b>20</b>  <b>Chip in for meals golf outing</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>  <b>Ladies Auxiliary</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>  <b>Member Dining</b>	<b>26</b>  <b>Birthday Party</b>
<b>27</b>  <b>Hole in One party</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>  <b>Turkey Open</b>		



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