GREENCROFT CLUB



MAY 2024

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May Events

Albemarle Rotary Pickleball Tournament Saturday, May 4th

Artist ReceptionThursday. May 9th

Mother's Day Brunch Buffet Sunday, May 12th

Happy Hour Book Club Wednesday, May 15th

Closed to Members for Lunch Thursday, May 16th

Alzheimer's Association Pickleball Tournament Saturday - Sunday, May 18th - 19th

> **Annual Meeting** Wednesday, May 22nd

Groovin' at Greencroft with Jimmy O
Thursday, May 23rd

Wine Dinner
Thursday, May 24th

Prime Rib Dinner Friday, May 31st

Coming Soon!

Our very own Courts Café

We are extremely excited to announce that a brand-new Courts Café will be opening in late May. This beautiful open-air, covered facility will be located on the hill just above the pickleball courts to include a Tiki Bar and tables. We will feature a new lighter fare menu with full food and beverage service throughout the day.

Construction has already started, so please stay tuned for our grand opening date announcement.

President's Message

As we embrace the warmer weather and the opportunity for outdoor activities, I extend my warmest greeting to all of you.

Swing a paddle on one of the courts, swim in the pool, sip wine and dance at Groovin', and savor the food. There are so many ways to take advantage of the Club.

Happy Mother's Day to all the Moms!

Be sure to treat all those special mom's by making reservations for a delicious Mother's Day Brunch at Greencroft. In addition, be sure to take a moment to honor those who gave their lives in serving our country this Memorial Day.

I'm truly excited about the vibrant atmosphere and sense of community that awaits us this season. I look forward sharing many memorable moments together at The Greencroft Club

Racquets at Greencroft

May is another great month to get outdoors and be active with your family. We offer lessons, clinics and socials for Members to enjoy. We are excited to have a couple fundraising events this month as well. Kids Swing is the Albemarle County Rotary Club Annual Charity Fundraiser to benefit the Love No Ego Foundation and Scholarships to area high schools and PVCC. The event is Saturday, May 4th from 9:00AM - 1:00PM.

We are also hosting the 3rd Annual Alzheimer's Pickleball Tournament on Saturday, May 18th and Sunday, May 19th. Men's and Women's doubles on Saturday and Mixed

Doubles on Sunday.

Drink and Dinks
Friday, May 10th from 5:00PM - 7:00PM
Friday, May 24th from 5:00PM - 7:00PM

CLUB NEWS

Gallery at Greencroft

Kelly Wilkinson Coffin is a native Virginian and graduate of the University of Virginia (Col "88). She returned to Charlottesville, VA to open her own studio after completing three years of full time study at the Ingbretson Studio of Drawing and Painting, an atelier in the tradition of the Boston School, which combines the drawing and discipline of the Academies of 19th Century Paris with the color and light effects of the impressionists. Additionally she completed a semester studying portraiture and figure painting at the Charles Cecil studio in Florence, Italy. Prior to pursuing painting full time she served on Active Duty as a Naval Aviator for 10 years and later flew as a First Officer with US Airways while continuing to serve in the Naval Reserve.

Kelly is married to Tad Coffin and lives on a farm with her family in Ruckersville, Va.

"I hope to celebrate all that I love about nature and my fellow beings through my painting. I am most taken with the painters of the Boston School Tradition and am very grateful for the painting education I received along those lines. Not a day goes by that I am not mindful of my instructor Paul Ingbretson's advice "to paint what one is passionate about."

The Greencroft Club and our talented artist will be hosting a welcome reception from 5:00PM to 7:00PM on Thursday, May 9th. Enjoy complimentary refreshments as you peruse the gallery and meet Kelly.

Albemarle Rotary Pickleball Tournament

Saturday, May 4th

Kids Swing is the Albemarle County Rotary Club Annual Charity Fundraiser to benefit the Love No Ego Foundation and to fund scholarships to area high schools and PVCC. This year's event will be a Pickleball Round Robin!

Proceeds Benefit Love No Ego Foundation and Albemarle County Student Scholarships.

Contact Jason for more details or to sign up!

Jason@greencroftclub.net

Pool Grand Opening

Saturday, May 4th, 2024

Pool hours Monday through Sunday, 8:00AM-8:00PM.

Lifeguards are on duty Saturday and Sunday starting Memorial weekend, weather permitting. All other days and times are swim at your own risk.

We will have one dedicated lap lane set up at all times. Additional lap lanes may be set up as needed.

Food and beverage service will be available at the pool Sunday and Tuesday 11:30AM-2:00PM and Wednesday-Saturday 11:30AM-7:30PM. No outside food or beverages will be permitted. Orders can be placed by calling the Club at 434-296-5597 or by ordering directly from our café attendant.

Swim lessons with our head lifeguard, Maddie Green, will be available all season! The cost is \$35 per hour for a private lesson. You can contact Maddie directly for individual or group swim lessons at madsgreen03@gmail.com

Celebrate your special occasion poolside and reserve our pergola for your group. Contact Katy Kirby at Katy@greencroftclub.net for more information.

Come out to the Club and enjoy a fun Summer by the pool!

Alzheimer's Association Pickleball Tournament

Saturday - Sunday, May 18th - 19th

In addition to weekly play, sign up today to compete in our third annual tournament supporting the Alzheimer's Association.

Saturday, May 18th, 2024 Men's Doubles Women's Doubles

Sunday, May 19th, 2024 Mixed Doubles

Entry Fee is \$150 per team of 2 and includes: 3+ hours of play time on the day of play, boxed lunch, entry to the Friday night Social, complimentary beer from Blue Mountain Brewery, snacks, and beverages throughout the day. Fill out an online registration form found on our website and Facebook page or contact Jason to sign up (434) 296-5597, Jason@greencroftclub.net.

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Mother's Day Brunch

Sunday, May 12th
Reservations available 10:30AM - 1:45PM
\$50 per adult | \$25 per child (excludes tax and gratuity)

Carved Ham and Turkey

Garden Salad

Plank Salmon

Fried Oysters

Spoonbread

Shrimp Pasta Salad

Roasted Potatoes

Fresh Vegetables

Fruit and Cheese Board

Assorted Quiche

Scrambled Eggs

Bacon and Sausage

Pancakes with Strawberry Topping

Danishes and Mini Muffins

Assorted Desserts

*Menu is subject to change based upon availability

Happy Hour Book Club

Wednesday, May 15th 5:00PM

Come join in a fun and lively book discussion! Our May book is Hello Beautiful by Ann Napolitano.

Questions, please contact Deb Reynolds at rynldsdeb@gmail.com

Annual Meeting

Wednesday, May 22nd 5:30PM

Please join us for the Greencroft Annual Meeting on Wednesday, May 24th, at 5:30PM to hear about the Club's performance during 2022 and to elect three new Board Members. Also, if you would like to see last year's financials before the meeting, please call or email John. A supplemental email and letter will be sent out later this month listing all of our nominees.

Don't forget to make your reservations for dinner following the meeting!

Groovin' at Greencroft with Jimmy O

Thursday, May 23rd

Doors Open at 5:30PM | Music Starts at 6:00PM

Bring your chairs and blankets and listen to the tunes of local musicians. Our fabulous culinary team will be manning the grill. Icy cold beverages will be available during the evening. Reservations are required for patio seating. Weather cancellations will be made on the day of the concert by 2:00PM.

May Wine Dinner

Friday, May 24th 6:00PM

\$65 per person (excludes tax and service charge)

Theme and Wines are to be determined. Please see our e-blasts and website for updated Information.

Prime Rib Night

Friday, May 31st Starting at 5:30PM

\$60 (excludes tax and service charge)

In addition to our a la carte menu, Chef Chris will prepare a 4 course Prime Rib Dinner for in Club dining or to go.

First Course Shrimp Cocktail

Second Course
Choice of Soup or Salad

Third Course
12oz Prime Rib

cooked to your specification and served with mashed potatoes and seasonal vegetables

Dessert Cheesecake

Reservations required no later than 2:00PM on Wednesday, May 29th. 48 Hour Cancellation Fee applies

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Dining Room Hours of Operation Lunch 11:30AM-2:00PM Dinner 5:30PM-8:00PM						
Last Reservation 1:45PM	Last Reservation 7:45PM					
MondayCLOSED TuesdayLunch only	SaturdayLunch & Dinner SundayLunch only					
WednesdayLunch & Dinner ThursdayLunch & Dinner FridayLunch & Dinner	Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday (434) 296-5597 9:00AM-4:00PM					

Sun

Mon

Tue

Club Bridge meets Wednesday, May 1st

Members enjoy bridge and lunch from 10:30AM until 2:30PM.

1st, 2nd, and 3rd -place prizes!

For more information, please call Kathy at the Club, (434) 296-5597.

Club Contacts

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