



HERON LAKES  
COUNTRY CLUB

## Heron Lakes Country Club Newsletter

# January 2011

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### President's Letter

Dear Members,

November was another good month financially for the club. This was due in large part to your use of the club and our continued efforts to reduce expenses. While the final numbers for December are not in, if the number of cars in our parking lot, the party and activities schedule and the daily numbers are any indication, we should be in good shape there as well. I know that it is not all about the numbers and that what is most important at our club is the people, services, activities and entertainment. I talk about the numbers because in my opinion having a strong club financially leads to more of all of those good things and gives all of us confidence in your club.

The final big blow-out of the year is our New Year's Eve Party. We plan to have something for everyone with Good Food, Live Entertainment, Dancing and a Fun Casino Night. I hope everyone has a chance to stop by and sample some of Chef's creations and maybe have a refreshment or two.

We have a busy year planned for 2011. Inside this Newsletter, you can see some of the golf events planned for the year. Tennis teams have formed and leagues are starting. David Musial has hired a new assistant professional, Jordan Youngquist, and we are in the process of hiring a manager in Food and Beverage. Heron Lakes has some of the best Banquet Facilities in the City and should be the first choice for our members and their guests. We also plan a membership drive for the spring. 2011 promises to be a great year for Heron Lakes and I hope for each of you as well.

Happy New Year,

Phil Purpura  
President, Heron Lakes CC  
[phil@heronlakescc.org](mailto:phil@heronlakescc.org)

**HLCC 2011 New Year's Eve Party \* see page 2 for details!**

**Bring in 2011 with  
a **BLAST**  
at **HLCC!****



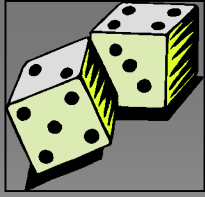
**PARTY STARTS AT 6 PM**

*Live Entertainment, Champagne  
& Party Favors*

# **Casino Night**

**7:30 pm to 11:30pm**

BLACK JACK,  
CRAPS, & ROULETTE



Carving Station

Cajun Fried Turkey

Glazed Ham with Pineapple Glaze with Rolls & Condiments

Fruit and Cheese Display

Assorted Chips/Nacho Station

(Salsa, Chili Con Queso, Chili, Jalapeno Peppers)

Buffalo Chicken Tenders with Blue Cheese Dressing, Beef Quesadilla  
with Guacamole, Baked Teriyaki Meatballs, Spinach Artichoke Dips  
with Assorted Bread

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

# 2011 GOLF SCHEDULE

(DATES AND TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

<b>Jan. 6 (Thu.)</b>	Mobile Seniors	8:30
<b>Feb. 13 (Sun.)</b>	Valentine Couples	12:30
<b>Mar. 11 (Fri.)</b>	Night Golf	
<b>Mar. 20 (Sun.)</b>	St. Patrick's Couples	
<b>Mar. 24 (Thu.)</b>	Southern Seniors	8:30
<b>Mar. 26-27 (Sat.-Sun.)</b>	Lite Scratch Tour	
<b>Apr. 11-12 (Mon.-Tue.)</b>	LGA Invitational	
<b>Apr. 28 (Thu.)</b>	AG Contractors-Crow Outing	9:00
<b>May 2-3 (Mon.-Tue.)</b>	Alabama High School-Sub state	
<b>May 10-11 (Tue.-Wed.)</b>	LGA Handicap and Club Championship	
<b>May 13 (Fri.)</b>	HLCC Senior Championship	12:00
<b>May 17 (Tue)</b>	LGA-AGC	
<b>May 25 (Wed)</b>	LGA Annual Luncheon	
<b>May 28-29 (Sat-Sun)</b>	Memorial Member-Guest-Member	
<b>May 30 (Mon)</b>	Memorial Day (Course open)	
<b>Jun. 2 (Thu.)</b>	Jimmy Green Jr. Tour tba	
<b>Jun. 7-10 (Tues.-Fri.)</b>	Junior Golf Clinic	8-9:00
<b>Jun. 21-24 (Tue.-Fri.)</b>	Ladies State Amateur Championship	
<b>Jul. 2-4 (Sat.-Mon)</b>	Beau Rivage Firecracker Invitational	
<b>Jul. 7 (Thurs.)</b>	Mobile Seniors	8:30
<b>Jul. 26-29 (Tues.-Fri.)</b>	Junior Golf Clinic	8-900
<b>Aug. 4 (Thurs.)</b>	HLCC Junior Golf Championship	
<b>Aug. 6 (Sat.)</b>	HLCC Parent-Junior Championship	12:30
<b>Aug. 26-28 (Fri.-Sun.)</b>	Men's Club Championship TBA	
<b>Oct.</b>	Fall Match Play Championship begins	
<b>Oct. 6 (Thu.)</b>	AG Contractors-Crow Outing	
<b>Nov. 20 (Sun.)</b>	Turkey Shoot— Couples Golf	

## Winter Invitational-Golf Winners

Championship Flight

Jim Martin and Robert Nelson

First Flight

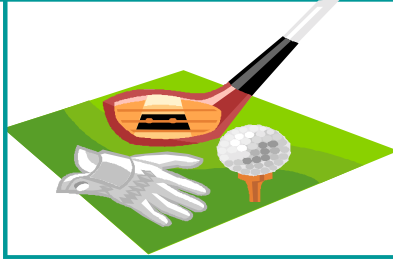
Rick Frzeman and Richard Sullivan

Second Flight

Rodney Summerford and Stacy Jones

Third Flight

Lamar Lee and Mike Dowling



## **Ladies Golf News**

### **HLLGA UPDATES**

**December 1st was the day the Heron Lakes ladies stepped up to the tee box and made a hole in one with their luncheon and auction. The festive event was held at Heron Lakes in the Ball Room. The auction results was a record Contribution to Penelope House and Child Advocacy. In addition to the wonderful luncheon and auction, it was the first performance of the HLLGA players in a version of the play Menopause. A great time was had by all and great big thanks goes to Lynda McDonald and all who helped.**

**In appreciation of the lady golfers who struggle through the weather, the putting, the long game, the what to wear, HLLGA held their Christmas fun day of golf on December 7th. Because of the difference in how scores were kept (those that cheat and those that don't), it was difficult to Determine a real winner, but everyone was a winner that day and had a great time. Thanks to Janice Vickers and Connie Brady for planning a great day of fun.**

**HLLGA WISHES YOU A  
MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR**

## January 2011 Newsletter:

### **MEN'S TENNIS PROGRAM**

**Saturday Clinic** 9 am-10 30am

**Men's Night** TBA, Wednesday 6pm

### **WOMEN'S TENNIS PROGRAM**

**2.5-3.5 Clinic** Tuesdays 6:30-7:30pm  
(please call to sign up)

**4.0-4.5 Clinic** Thursdays 9am-11am  
(please call to sign up)

**Cardio Tennis** (All levels) Fridays 9-10am  
(please call to sign up)

**Ladies Day** Friday TBA

### **JUNIOR TENNIS PROGRAM**

#### **Tiny Tots/Beginners**

3:30pm-4:30pm  
(4-7 years )

#### **Junior Academy**

4pm-5:30pm Intermediate/  
Advanced

#### **Tennis Shop**

New Tail apparel is for sale. **Holiday's SALE: 50% and 40% off** for the wide selection of merchandise. **Tennis rackets and Bags are 30% off** for the month of December and January.

HL Logo long/short sleeves are back in stock (more colors are available)

New styles of MAXX sunglasses are available for sale.

## **Upcoming Events**

### **End of Tennis Season Mixer**

Dec 29<sup>th</sup>, 6pm

**Ladies Mixer** TBA, Friday 9am

### **HL Junior Academy Tournament**

Feb 4-6 (USTA)

### **Heron Lakes Teaching Staff**

#### **TOMAS CATAR**- Director of Tennis.

Tomas is a world class tennis player and experienced tennis instructor. Tomas was a # 1 Junior in the world and won a European junior doubles championship, played the Davis Cup and Grand Slam tournaments such as Wimbledon, Australian Open, and French Open. Best ATP ranking 225 in the world.

Teaching experience: Director of Tennis-Mirror Lake Racquet Club, Head Tennis Pro-Dothan Country Club, Teaching Pro-Lagoon Park in Montgomery, Assist. Tennis Coach Univ. of South Alabama. He coached professional players and top junior players in the country. Tomas is PTR Certified, Professional level.

#### **WILBERT COOLEY**-

Is our full time assistant professional. He has been with us for over two years now. He has been a great help to our junior program. Wilbert played college tennis for ASU. He trained with Venus and Serena Williams in West Palm Beach. He is a native of Mobile.

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 Men's Tennis Program 9 to 10:30 am
2 Sunday Brunch	3 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> Tennis & Fitness Open	4 <b>FAMILY GRILL CLOSED</b> Women's Tennis Clinic 2.5-3.5 (6:30-7:30 pm)	5 <b>FAMILY GRILL CLOSED</b> Texas Hold 'em Prime Rib/ Fine Wine	6 Women's Tennis Clinic 4.0-4.5 (9-11 am) Mobile Seniors Golf Outing	7 Cardio Tennis 9-10 am	8 Men's Tennis Program 9 to 10:30 am
9 Sunday Brunch	10 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> Tennis & Fitness Open	11 Women's Tennis Clinic 2.5-3.5 (6:30-7:30 pm)	12 Texas Hold 'em Prime Rib/ Fine Wine	13 Women's Tennis Clinic 4.0-4.5 (9-11 am)	14 Cardio Tennis 9-10 am	15 Men's Tennis Program 9 to 10:30 am Chefs Table
16 Sunday Brunch	17 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> Tennis & Fitness Open	18 Women's Tennis Clinic 2.5-3.5 (6:30-7:30 pm)	19 Texas Hold 'em Prime Rib/ Fine Wine	20 Women's Tennis Clinic 4.0-4.5 (9-11 am)	21 Cardio Tennis 9-10 am	22 Men's Tennis Program 9 to 10:30 am
23 Sunday Brunch	24 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> Tennis & Fitness Open	25 Women's Tennis Clinic 2.5-3.5 (6:30-7:30 pm)	26 Texas Hold 'em Prime Rib/ Fine Wine	27 Women's Tennis Clinic 4.0-4.5 (9-11 am) Wine/Imported Cheese Tasting 19th Hole 6:30 pm	28 Cardio Tennis 9-10 am Family Grill "Catch of the Day"	29 Men's Tennis Program 9 to 10:30 am
30 Sunday Brunch	31 <b>CLUB CLOSED</b> Tennis & Fitness Open	<p>The Family Grill will be closed Jan 4 &amp; 5 to prepare for HLCC Annual Inspection. Family Grill will re-open on Jan 6 resuming standard hours and service. The 19th Hole will offer Soup &amp; Sandwiches during the Family Grill closing.</p>				



## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Please visit our website for all the latest information

## HOURS OF OPERATION

### FAMILY GRILL

Tuesday	11:am— 3:00pm
Wednesday—Friday	11:30am — 8:30pm
Sat. Sun.	6:30am — 3pm

### Nineteenth Hole

Tue, Fri, Sat, Sun	11am - 7:pm
Wednesday	11am-10pm
*Texas Hold 'em Every Wed 7pm-10pm	
Thursday	11am-8pm

### GOLF SHOP

Tuesday—Friday	8:am — 5:pm
Saturday	6:45am— 4:45pm
Sunday	7:30am — 5pm

### TENNIS SHOP

Monday—Thursday	8:30am- 7pm
Friday	8:30am-6pm
Saturday	9:00am-4pm
Sunday	12:00pm — 6:pm

### FITNESS CENTER

Monday—Friday	5:30am — 9:00pm
Saturday—Sunday	8:00am — 5:00pm

### CLUB TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Main	666-7040
Golf Shop	666-7070
Tennis Shop	666-7665
Banquets	666-7040ext.1001
Main Fax	660-2526
Golf Course	660-2529
19th Hole	660-2524

### ONLINE BILLING PAYING

Members can now pay on line at <http://www.heronlakescc.org/payments.html> via ACH/EFT  
No Processing fee applied

### Credit card Policy

Members using VISA, MASTERCARD, OR AMERICAN EXPRESS as a method of payment will be charged additional \$15.00 credit card processing fee.

**Heron Lakes is now on**  
**FACEBOOK!**