

Stamford Golf Club's



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August 2020



President's Tee Box

Welcome **NEW** Members:

<i>Jason & Heidi Eisel</i>	Family
<i>Patrick Barnes</i>	Individual
<i>James Vlahakis</i>	College

Tiger Woods
TV Commercial

Thank you to **Katyanna Bagnardi** for beautifying the 10th hole tee box with painted rocks, and **Carl Bagnardi** for creating and deploying much needed hole signage.



A special thank you to **Liz Page** of the Mountain Eagle for her coverage of SGC, Tavern 1897, and SGC Junior Golf

188 Trail:

A reminder to get your punch card from the golf shop and complete the trail! Limited edition poker chip ball marker with 188 Trail logo awarded upon completion.

Tavern 1897: I wanted to personally thank all of you for your continued support of our restaurant/bar. The tavern is **100% owned and operated by the club** and SGC greatly appreciates each and every one of our patrons.

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Driving Range

TaylorMade Den Caddies: Used for our junior golf program, these caddies are a nice addition to the driving range.

Members Only section: As mentioned last month, a section of the range is for the exclusive use of SGC members. To improve the process and experience for our members, den caddies will be placed in this section with balls readily available. Non-members must purchase range balls from the golf shop and use the Guests section of the range (sign on the way). We're hopeful this honor system will work as it provides a nice perk for our members. If you witness any non-members using the Members Only section of the range (or grabbing free balls from the den caddies), kindly let them know the rules. We'll police this the best we can but we don't always have personnel out there. If you see something, say something.

Barber Poles: Installed and ready for target practice! 5 poles in total, ranging from 50-200yds

Rule of the Month: [Unplayable Ball in Bunker](#)

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Covid-19, Tavern 1897, and SGC

As of this writing, the current Covid-19 mandates require a mask to be correctly worn at all times on our deck, and inside the Golf Shop and Clubhouse, unless seated. Social distancing of at least 6' apart is also required of all tables. We ask our golfers to walk around the back of clubhouse to sign in, grab, and return carts.

Our carts are washed and sanitized throughout the day. One rider per cart, unless you are members of the same household, and/or have quarantined together.

Alcoholic beverages can not be served without a food order. Tavern 1897 has some special, low cost options for you to choose from. There is no standing allowed at the bar and seated patrons at the bar must remain at least 6' apart.

We may not agree with all of these mandates, but we do agree that they must be followed to maintain a safe atmosphere for our members, guests, and staff. We appreciate your understanding of these mandates, and your willingness to help us provide a safe dining experience.

Also, our deck is a "No Smoking Area". Smokers should be at least 50' off the deck.

Thank you

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[Golf Shop](#)

August Tournament News

Presidents Cup - We are nearing the finals in all divisions. Results can be found on the appropriate billboards

Men's Invitational - August 7, 8, 9. We have a full field with some of the best players in the area competing. The course will be closed for the tournament. Please call for a tee time to play other days that week as there will be many practice rounds taking place.

Club Championship Weekend - August 22 & 23. Gross and Net Prizes from all tee boxes, men's and women's division. For more information and to sign up, stop in the Golf Shop.

Monday Special - Effective Monday, August 3rd, 2020, SGC will offer the following Monday special for the remainder of the season (excluding holidays):

- 18 holes
- Golf cart
- \$10 Tavern 1897 food & beverage voucher (must be used same day)

[Course Information](#)

[Rates](#)

Help us spread the word about this fantastic offer!

"If you're caught on a golf course during a storm and are afraid of lightening, hold up a 1-iron. Not even God can hit a 1-iron."

- Lee Trevino

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Golf Shop

The Pro Shop held its first club raffle of the season in July. The grand prize winner was **Elaine Jaycox**! She was the winner of a new Taylor Made Spider Putter. Rumor has it that Elaine is draining putts like never before. Other winners were **Joe Temple** and **Nick Fallo**. Congrats! Make sure you check out our next raffle, which will begin on August 1st. Someone will be a lot happier "driving" around the golf course after this contest!

We have some great deals running in the shop right now. Stop in and get geared up with the latest equipment and apparel. Something you need that is not in stock? Ask me and I'll be more than happy to help. Special orders are available upon request, pending availability.

The beautiful weather has brought some much needed recreation to our members and guests alike. It has been great to see a full parking lot on a daily basis. I again would like to thank all of you for being welcoming and accommodating to all of the new and familiar faces this year at the club.

--Director of Golf, Brad Anderson

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Tavern 1897

HAPPY HOUR AND WEEKDAY SPECIALS
WILL CONTINUE THRU AUGUST



HAPPY HOUR!

Weekdays from 4-6pm

- ✓ \$1.50 off all draft beer
- ✓ \$4 well mixed drinks
- ✓ \$1 off all wine
- ✓ \$2 off "Under Par" Cocktails

Full Menu

TAVERN TUESDAY

\$10 Tavern Burger, Fries &
Bud Light Draft

\$12 Tavern Bacon Cheeseburger
Fries & Bud Light Draft

WING WEDNESDAY

\$8 for 10 Boneless Wings or \$4 for 5 Boneless Wings
\$2 PBR Tall Boys & \$2 Bud Light Cans

TACO THURSDAY

\$2 Street Tacos (Beef, Chicken, Pulled Pork, or Bean)
\$10 Corona Buckets (4)
\$5 Margaritas

\$5 APPS

- ✓ Jumbo Bavarian Pretzel
- ✓ Pickle Chips
- ✓ Breaded Mushrooms
- ✓ Onion Petals
- ✓ Mozzarella Sticks
- ✓ Loaded Tots

HOURS
Mon – Fri: 11am – 8pm
Sat/Sun: 7am – 8pm

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Tavern 1897

Weekend Dinner Specials:

Chef Paul and his team have been really showcasing their talent and creativity on the weekends. If you haven't dined with us for a weekend dinner – you're missing something truly fantastic! Stick around for a Sunday lunch special as well and see what surprise, off-the-menu item Chef is brewing back in the kitchen.

Music Trivia Night:

An absolute blast we're sure to re-visit. **DJ Pat Del** was excellent and we look forward to organizing other social events.

Mountain Eagle – Tavern 1897

Welcome new staff!

Leah **Hayden**

Kim **Zoe**

Lindsay **Katy**

Abigail **Zach**

Derek **Dan**

Staff is gearing
up for the
Invitational!



Farewell to Nick, Erin, and Seth, who all returned to school.

We hope to see you next season

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Tavern 1897

Dessert:

If you haven't tried the Churros/Funnel Cake Fries PLATTER yet....yum. Also checkout our tableside s'mores and whatever sweet treat Chef is offering up on the weekends.

INVITATIONAL WEEKEND: Thursday - Sunday (August 6-9)

- **Breakfast available starting @ 7am ALL 4 DAYS**
- **Beverage cart will be operational ALL 4 days**

Dink is back!

Warsteiner is temporarily unavailable from the distributor.

Members:

The tavern has a lot of new staff. Remind your server you're a member for the 10% discount!

**Custom SGC/Tavern
Masks and Koozies
Available**

**PGA Championship is the
same weekend as Invitational
TPC Harding Park
San Francisco, CA**

Golf Slang



Sunday Ball

- A "Sunday ball" is considered the same thing as a "Do Over" or a "Lunch ball", and similar to taking a "Mulligan"

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Greens & Grounds

Well where did July go, anyone????

The greens are rebounding quickly from the drought that came on fast. It's a difficult situation, do I water? (too much causes all sorts of diseases), or do I try to get through it and they dry right out. The water is lower in the pond than I can ever remember.

We starting cutting up a lot of trees, for a more friendly course, now that we have tall fescue areas. Getting ready for the Invitational, hope we can have the course in great shape. We just had our greens reels sharpened and serviced by Grasslands in Schenectady, they are cutting better than ever. Also bought reels and bed knives from R&R for our Fairway mower, what a difference on the Fairways WOW WOW....

Just a reminder, in this heat when we park carts too close to the Tees and Greens, the heat from the machine adds extra stress to the areas.

The Crew is working hard to make your rounds on the links enjoyable, hearing kind words always go a long way.

Have a great August --*Superintendent, Mike Faulkner*

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Junior Golf

Our 2020 golf camps were a huge success

Week 1: **58**

Week 2: **53**

Both Weeks: **41**

And, of course, our instructors who did an amazing job teaching more than 50 juniors each week:

Tom Phillion, Jim Lees, Brad Anderson, and Mike Faulkner

Mountain Eagle Junior Golf

SGC Junior Golf is looking into purchasing a shed to be placed on club grounds. As our program continues to grow, so too does the need for club and supplies storage.

SGC Junior Golf wishes to thank the following volunteers and mentors:

Richie Beers

Jim Adair

Wayne Lord

Gary LiCalzi

John Toroni

Neil Cunningham

Jon Barber

Nicole Axtell

Greg Funck

Linda Lord

Katie Myers

Luke Lamport

Brad Lord

Thanks so much to our hard-working, very patient **SGC Staff: Golf Shop, Greens & Grounds, and Tavern 1897**. It was a hectic two weeks and you all were amazing.

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Junior Golf

Golf Lessons:

Junior Golf camp have you motivated to keep the momentum going and improve your game?

Contact resident golf professional [Jim Schouler](#) to schedule a private 1:1 lesson.

JUNIOR LESSONS **ONLY \$20** for camp attendees (normally \$25)

Lou Gaeta Scholarship Award:

This year's scholarship in the amount of \$500 was awarded to:

Seth Wade – Jefferson

Jr Golf T-shirts: **\$12 or 2 for \$20**

Available for purchase in the golf shop, both junior and adult sizes, blue or maroon.

All proceeds benefit SGC Junior Golf.

A pin oak has been planted between holes 1 and 2 in honor of founding SGC junior golf board member, Steve DeGroat. SGC Junior Golf worked with the **DeGroat family** who generously donated the tree in Steve's memory.

Thank you to **Steve Hubbard** for planting.

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Memory Lane

I remember back when we had a “Cabin Fever” party at the Belvedere in Stamford. We were quite new to the club at the time. We knew no one, so we thought it would be a good opportunity to get to know some of the members, even though we were “down-staters”. Tony Michaelowski greeted us and was most welcoming – made us feel like part of the group. We will always be grateful to him for his act of kindness to two strangers.

--Judy Kramer

It was a beautiful day at Stamford. I was on the 4th green when along came a fox that thought he might like to steal my golf ball. He didn't succeed, but at that time I'm sure he could've carried the ball further than I could've hit it!

--Walter Kramer



**Have a memory
you'd like to share?**

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