

# Stamford Golf Club's



## TEE TIMES

May 2020



### President's Tee Box

**Hope everyone is staying safe and healthy.** Club activities are still very fluid due to COVID. We were open for a short time, forced to close, then open for walking only. We'll continue providing updates accordingly and hope for the best.

All May events have been removed from our activities calendar. At this time, we are definitely looking to re-schedule these events as opposed to cancel. We are still very much looking forward to introducing our new events: **Holes4Hereos** and the Utsay Cup (trademark pending☺)

Email subscribers receive *most* communications related to the club and tavern. Follow us on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram for full access and to receive ALL posted specials!

Welcome **NEW** Members:

*Donald Wood*      **Non-Resident**

*Jim Goetz*          **Family**

*Edwardo Pereira* **Non-Resident**

I really can't say enough about the contributions from **Jim Natale** – please buy that guy a beer the next time you see him – he's done so much for the club.

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### Tour Players: Quarantine

## MEET OUR STAFF:

### Greens & Grounds

### Food & Beverage

### Golf Shop

*Mike Faulkner*

*Rachel Brown*

*Brad Anderson*

*Jason Gregoire*

*David Houston*

*Pam Stock*

*Joe Lambert*

*Jaclyn Marra*

*Devon Tierney*

*Reese Chase*

*Serina Marsh*

*Nikki Stock*

*Joe Rohacevich*

*Roberta McDevitt*

*Jon Rohacevich*

Clubhouse is really coming together; thanks to all who've contributed. We're looking for golf-themed décor for interior design...

A personal note of gratitude to our amazing (and new!) tavern staff. Y'all have been outstanding so far and SGC is so lucky to have you.

I'd also like to thank Fred Bhend for all of his help and expertise jump-starting the tavern.

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### Golf Shop

Well, at least the snow has finally melted....again. Unfortunately the weather is not the only thing golfers are dealing with. This has been a challenging beginning to the year with the Corona Virus changing our way of life. While we are patiently waiting for the Governor's office to lift the ban on motorized golf carts, we are extending our \$10 walking green fee into the beginning of May. Everyone please call ahead for tee times.

The Stamford Golf Club appreciates your continued support. May everyone be safe and healthy as we hopefully see a return to normalcy in the near future.

--Director of Golf, Brad Anderson

Congrats to **Beau Ballard** on winning a **ROUND OF GOLF** for our social media giveaway



“I don't fear death,  
but I sure don't like those three-footers for par.”

- Chi Chi Rodriguez

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### [Golf Shop](#)

#### GOLF BALL PROMOTION

The Pro Shop will be running a golf ball promotion beginning May 4. Brands will include Titleist, Taylor Made, Callaway and Bridgestone.

In addition, we are continuing to offer the Titleist special through May 17. Purchase 3 dozen Pro V1, V1X or AVX and receive one dozen free, with free personalization, for \$155.00 including tax! Please call or email us with any questions.

#### *Rule of the Month:*

#### [Rates](#)

[5 Golf Rules Everyone Needs to Know](#)

#### [Course Information](#)

#### [Membership](#)

Delay in production of our new  
SGC Under Armour hats



### [Golf Slang](#)

***Hosel Rocket*** (<whispers> “shank”):

- When the ball is struck on the hosel of the club shooting it off typically to the right

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### Tavern 1897

The tavern is open and ramping up its takeout operation

Open Daily  
11am - 6pm



### Takeout Menu

Our new staff is rocking the kitchen

**Greg Funck** has been doing an amazing job on the smoker. Our pork dinner special **SOLD OUT** quickly and the Pulled Pork Sandwich on our takeout menu is one of the most popular items. We've already gone thru 16 shoulders!

### Did you know??

Our homemade **TAVERN SAUCE** has a comfortable lead as our best selling wing sauce!  
If you haven't tried it...

Delay in production of our Tavern signs due to COVID

Wings & 1897 Burger are **POPULAR!**

Daily / Weekly  
Specials

Next social media giveaway  
**\$25**  
Tavern Cash

Your group need a catered lunch or dinner?

Call 607-652-3380

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### Tavern 1897

## GOURMET TAKEOUT

### MOTHER'S DAY:

Mother's Day weekend is right around the corner. Let Tavern 1897 spoil the wonderful women in your life from the comfort of your own home. We're offering an amazing feast at an amazing price.

### PRIME RIB DINNER FOR 4:

- Prime Rib
- Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
- Green Beans & Candied Carrots
- Salad w/ Choice of Dressing
- Choice of Individual Dessert
  - Vanilla Chip
  - Lemon Raspberry
  - Chocolate Cookie Cake

**\$100**

+ tax & gratuity \$29.95  
single



Mother's Day  
Dinner

### FLOWERS by WADE'S

Arrangements starting @ \$15  
Increase in \$5 increments

Call 607-652-3380

Reserve by May 3<sup>rd</sup>

Pickup May 10<sup>th</sup> 12pm - 3pm

### TAVERN PROMOTION:

Extended 2 weeks  
(until May 15<sup>th</sup>).  
\$100 gets you \$125  
deposited to your house  
account. Credit is for  
the tavern only and  
there is a \$300 max.

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### Greens & Grounds

Well April has been a heck of a month – snow, warm and then snow again. The course is looking great and all areas have been cut except the rough. With the course being so wet it's been difficult to have all the grass manicured the way we'd like it. A word of thanks again to all the volunteer help. I can't wait for the weather to finally break for good, be open for all 18 holes, and be fully staffed to get the course in tip-top shape.

Our new mechanic Jason is doing an outstanding job with the equipment. Chemicals have been put down on the greens and fertilizers on the tees.

### COVID Response:

You'll notice cups are upside down for each hole as to not let the balls fall to the bottom. No ball washers, tee markers, garbage cans, water coolers. All rules mandated by the State. They want you to pick up your tees and take your garbage off the course (beer cans, wrappers etc); the Staff is not to have any contact with your personal items. The Driving Range is also closed until further notice.

Hopefully next month I get to play good cop.

Until next time...

*--Superintendent, Mike Faulkner*

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### Junior Golf

Junior Memberships are available for only **\$100** for the entire 2020 golf season – an amazing value for young golfers.

OR

**ALL JUNIOR MEMBERS RECEIVE**

**FREE CART WITH PAID ADULT**

**FREE** from July thru October when registering for one or more Junior Golf camps over the summer.

Each week is only \$50 per junior and includes daily instruction and lunch

Open to ages 6-17 for the following dates:

Week 1: June 29 – July 2

**BEST VALUE**

Week 2: July 6 – July 9

**Get ALL 3 weeks**

Week 3: July 13 – July 16

**for only \$125**

**\*and receive a special gift**

Register [HERE](#)



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### Memory Lane

On a cool Fall evening in October four years ago the stakes were set for an unforgettable showdown. We had just finished playing another memorable Barnes/ Jessen scramble. I'm not sure who won that year, but it was probably Dykle and Vinnie! It was still daylight and the always delicious smorgasbord of German fare was not quite ready, so a bunch of us decided to go back out and scramble for 5 more holes for our usual payout of fruit. The competition was fierce among the participants with plenty of banter and libations to go around. As I recall, the teams were divided as fair as could be after a LONG day of golf already and by the end of 5 holes there were two teams that were tied. Although quite dark by now (and we couldn't end this fiasco among these two outstanding teams with a tie), it was decided to play a sixth hole to decide the winners. We decided to play the par 3 14<sup>th</sup> back to the clubhouse to crown the victors. Now, for the two teams that were tied, BIG John Langer, Brent Bryan and I were one team and Jim Mullen, Neil Krick, Rick Cammer and John Cammer were the other team. As you can imagine through all this there were plenty of jokes, jabs and comments made and everyone was having a blast!...

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But we all know that this wasn't about the fruit in the end, it was all about the bragging rights! You can imagine by now it is pretty dark, barely able to see the green, yet a winner needed to be decided. I can't recall exactly who hit what shots but there were several balls on the green putting for birdie. The heat was on and Jimmy Mullen had just hit one tight - and when I say "tight" I mean probably within 2 feet of the pin. Everyone was sure that team Mullen had sealed the deal. But now it was BIG John's turn. He swaggered up to the tee and said (and I quote) "We're not losing to no stinking d@\*n Midget" (that was John's nickname for Jim). With that, and no hesitation at all, John stepped up and struck one pure, heading right toward the pin - hitting the most timely (and improbable) shot I'd ever seen. I looked at John and said "I can't believe it, you just got a hole in one!" The crowd of players went wild and the winners were crowned. I looked at Langer and told him it was a sign he needed to come back the following year and run the Pro Shop for the club. He did - prophecy fulfilled.

--Jim Natale

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

**[EMAIL THE CLUB](#)**