



"The most rewarding things you do in life are often the ones that look like they cannot be done." -Arnold Palmer

Welcome to another wonderful week at the Island Country Club!

Summer is in full swing and there is plenty happening around the club. From rousing golf competition and ladies' play to social gatherings, bridge, mahjongg, and exciting facility improvements, there is something for everyone to enjoy. Thank you to all of our members, volunteers, and staff who continue to make ICC such a special place.

Golf

Scrambles

Reported by David Greiwe

At the Friday morning Scramble, June 19th, we had 4 teams. Low gross was won by the team of Mark Sterritt, Lyn Hoopes, Ross King, and Inese Moore coming in with a team score of three under par 31. In second place, by a card play off, the team of Stephen Moore, Bill Whitman, Carol Shaw, and Lisa Haynsworth finished with a team score of two under par 32. Low putts was won by the team of Jack Shaw, David Greiwe, Ed Black, and Kathleen Greiwe-Crandell with 11 putts.

Ladies Golf

Reported by Anne Douglass

On a beautiful Tuesday morning, we had 24 players. The enthusiastic crowd welcomed both returning and new players. Everyone played a regular nine hole game.

First Place Tie Alexa D and Lyn H with a score of 44

Second Place Mikey B with a score of 45

Third Place Pam F with a score of 46

Putts

First Place Su O with 14

Second Place Mikey B with 16

Third Place Four way Tie Anne D, Donna D, Eliza C, and Jean H with a score of 17

Twilight League

1st Jim Twitchell and Jim McDonald 41 pts

2nd Mark Sterritt and Jerry Gray 38 pts

3rd Myron Curtis and Mike Bloy 34 pts

Blue Tee Pin Winners

- Hole #3
- 1st Steve Stone 10'10"
- Hole #4
- 1st Jack Shaw 19'5"
- 2nd Bryant Ciomei 21'6"
- Hole #6
- 1st Jim Twitchell 12'
- 2nd John Thompson 23'6"

White Tee Pin Winners

- Hole #3
- 1st Vern Seile 30'5"
- Hole #4
- 1st Richard Eaton 12'10"
- 2nd Greg Aldrich 17'9"
- Hole #6
- 1st David Greiwe 11'1"
- 2nd Myron Curtis 17'5"

Trifecta Tournament this Saturday! The signup sheet is still on the tournament board in the Pro Shop so sign up before it's too late!

In other tournament news, there have been some changes to the summer tournament schedule:

- ICC Cup July 19th**
- Men's Club Championship August 1st and 2nd**
- Mason's Tournament August 16th**

Get Into Golf

Get Into Golf continues this Thursday at 1pm. This friendly group golf experience is designed for beginners and out-of-practice players alike- a relaxed, supportive environment to learn the game or find your way back to it. If you have been wanting to give golf a try or just need a little help getting back into the swing, this is the perfect opportunity. Advance sign-up is encouraged. Please arrive by 12:45 for introductions and instructions.

Tennis

Open Tennis continues every Wednesday from 9am to 12pm and every Sunday from 2 to 5pm. Check in at the clubhouse before heading to the courts, and remember the Find a Partner sheet is on the tennis bulletin board if you need a match.

A couple of reminders worth keeping in mind: discounted court rental rates are available every Friday, and children under 18 always play for free!

Bridge and Mahjongg

Bridge meets every Monday at 6:30 pm. New players are always welcome!

Mahjongg begins Tuesday from 2 to 4 pm and will continue every week for the rest of the summer. New players are welcome!

Wine Wednesday

"Our Welcome Back Wine Wednesday on June 17th was fun filled with about 30 people in attendance. The appetizers and desserts have been so tasty! Next week is a regular Wine Wednesday. For our July 1st social, our theme is Red, White, and Blue. Feel free to dress up and bring a treat in these colors. We hope to see you there!!" -Heather Geike, *Social Committee Chair*

The Fairway Cafe is off to a strong start and we're excited to announce that, starting tomorrow, the menu will be greatly expanded. Stop by Tuesday through Friday for sandwiches, wraps, salads, and food hot off the grill! All are welcome. Bring a friend!

It's official, we're on Golf.com! ICC has been added to the course finder section. Visit it here <https://coursefinder.golf.com/course-profile/4976-Island-Country-Club/#lat=44.197176,long=-68.702051,9z>

Pickleball Update

Weather permitting, line painting and surfacing is set to begin this week on the tennis and pickleball courts. We are hoping to be able to allow players out by July 1st. Stay tuned!

CENTENNIAL FUND

Pledges, Pavers, Benches, Plaques, oh my!
Recently a member asked a good question! If a member made a pledge to the Centennial Fund, can their purchase of a paver, bench or plaque be deducted from their pledge? Yes!
For example, if a member made a pledge for \$500, they already wrote a check for \$250 and now they buy a paver for \$250, then their balance is zero. Of course you can give more than your pledge if you like!
Some members did not make any pledges at all but have made generous contributions in the past and plan to make more contributions in the future. Whether you make a general donation and or buy a paver, bench or plaque, it goes to the Centennial Fund.
Thanks to people like you giving to the Centennial Fund, you can already see many improvements including the new putting green, new golf tee boxes, converted dual use tennis and pickleball courts and clearing for the new golf short game practice area.

Looking ahead to 2027, multiple golf greens and Hole #3 will be substantially renovated while the courts' fencing will be improved.
As a reminder, when you donate to the Centennial Fund, you may allocate to where it is most needed or you may direct it to golf, tennis and pickleball or a percentage of your choosing.
Please write on the memo line of your check one of the categories below:
Centennial Fund Most Needed
Centennial Fund Golf Improvements
Centennial Fund Tennis and Pickleball Improvements
Thank you for your continued support!

1st Putters Putting Green Grand Opening

If you, or someone you know, is a member who is 85 years or older and would like to be a 1st Putter at the Putting Green Grand Opening, please let Willow know by email at islandcountryclubmaine@gmail.com

JUNE 24 BOARD MEETING ALL MEMBERS WELCOME!

Meeting at 4 pm followed by Wine Wednesday at 5 pm.

On Wednesday, June 24th at 4:00 pm we will have the first board meeting of the summer. All members are invited to attend! Each Committee Chair shares an update on what they are working on this year. If the Committee Chair can not be at a meeting, then someone from their committee or the executive committee can read their summary.

The Board Meeting is a wonderful way for members to listen to each other and hear all the good work being done by the various volunteer committees at ICC. Members can also learn about the staff's activities on the golf course, tennis and pickleball courts and clubhouse.

Please see the attached draft agenda for the June 24th meeting. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Note: the September 2025 minutes can be found at <https://islandcountryclub.net/leadership>

Thank you for being part of the Island Country Club community. Enjoy the sunshine, enjoy the company, and we'll see you at the club!

"The true measure of a golfer is not how well he plays when he is playing well, but how he plays when he is playing badly."

Bob Rotella

Best Regards,

Island Country Club Staff

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