



"Golf is a game of grace and gratitude- and this season has been full of both." - Unknown

Dear Members and Friends,

October has arrived and she has not been shy about it! The air is crisp, the leaves are turning, and the island is settling into that peaceful off-season rhythm. We are in the final stretch of the 2026 season, and while there is not a packed calendar to report this week, there is plenty of warmth to share as we prepare to close up for the winter.

Welcome, Mike and Nina!

ICC is pleased to welcome Mike Parker as Vice President and Nina Arnett as Secretary of the Executive Committee. They each bring experience and expertise to their roles, and we are so grateful for their willingness to step up and serve this club. Thank you in advance, Mike and Nina- your time and energy mean the world to us. We appreciate you!

Last Day of the Season - Monday, October 12th

Mark your calendars- the last day the clubhouse will be open for the 2026 season is Monday, October 12th. It is coming up fast, so if there is anything you have been meaning to do, see, or pick up before we close, now is the time! We will be back before you know it, but until then- make the most of these final days.

Frost means FREEZE!

It is vital that we do all we can to maintain the health and integrity of the course- to that end, playing (walking or driving) is not permitted on frosted grass. This includes the putting green, tee boxes, greens, and fairway. Even footsteps on frosted grass that has not gone through the first hard freeze can leave lasting impressions.

A reminder that no play is permitted before 8am. With the later sunrise, the grounds crew needs that time to work safely, and we appreciate your cooperation in giving them the space to do so.

Last Call for Lost and Found!

Before you head out for the season, please take a moment to check the lost and found bin in the pro shop. You never know what might be in there waiting for you! If you cannot stop in before closing day, give us a call at (207) 348-2379 and staff will be happy to look for you.

Stay Warm in ICC Style!

With the October chill firmly in the air, there is no better time to grab an ICC jacket or sweatshirt. Supplies are limited, so do not wait too long! We are also offering a special deal on bulk purchases of soft drinks- ask Willow for details on what is available.

What a season it has been. From a brand new putting green to pickleball courts, from pizza parties to tournament wins, from new members to cherished farewells- the 2026 season at ICC has been one for the books. Thank you for being part of it. We will see you in the spring!

"Autumn is a second spring when every leaf is a flower- and every round of golf is a gift." - Albert Camus, adapted

Best regards,
Island Country Club

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