HIGHLAND COUNTRY CLUB NEWSLETTER- February 2007

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NOTICE- Members with Outstanding Balances- You will not be sent a 2007/08 membership contract until you are a Member in Good Standing as outlined in the Bylaws of the Highland Country Club. Please contact Brad Frank and take care of this detail. A list of members Not in Good Standing will be posted in the clubhouse.

2007/08 Membership and Cart Shed Lease Contracts- were due back on Jan. 31st. Please return these as soon as possible. Fill out all information requested or they may be returned for missing information. Contact Kevin Hemann if you have any questions or concerns.

<u>Clubhouse Entry and Bar Renovation-</u> the clubhouse will be closed from Monday, February 12th through Wednesday, February 28th. It will be closed every day, including the weekends while the renovations are in full swing. The clubhouse will reopen Thursday, March 1st (barring any delays or problems during construction).

Men's League Meeting- The kickoff meeting will be on Thursday, March 15th at 7pm. Deadline for registration is March 31st. Forms are available in the clubhouse. The cost of league, \$144 must accompany your registration form. Contact Mike Riffel for detail.

A Message from Mark- Please obey the cart path sign at the men's 1st tee, and also the roped areas on the course. During the winter freeze and spring thaw damage to the course can happen quickly. Due to the recent ice storm quite a few tree limbs have broken loose from the trunks of the tree, but have yet to fall to the ground. Be cautious while driving under the trees on the course. During the next few months we will be trimming trees and removing the hazardous branches.

Spring Membership Meeting- is scheduled for Wednesday, April 4th. Make plans to attend.

March Social- a social night is being planned for an evening in March. Watch for details in the newsletter, email, and the bulletin boards at the club.

Lifeguards- if you know of any girls or boys, 16 years of age or older, that would like to lifeguard at the pool this summer, have them contact Dan Rozum @ 654-5151. They must possess the Red Cross Lifeguard Certified, Red Cross CPR, and Red Cross First Aid Certificates. They do not have to members of the Highland Country Club!

Reminder- January, February, & March minimums of \$90 are in affect. Get your friends together and come out for lunch or dinner and make that minimum.

Aluminum Cans- \$46 was recently turned over to the Jr. Golf Program. Thanks to all that have donated their cans from home. Just drop them by the can receptacles at the cart shed. The Jr. Golfers thank you.

#7 Green- the green committee is working on the new layout, and would like you thoughts and input. Please email your opinions, suggestions or comments to redtruckwine@gmail.com. Here's your chance to have your thoughts duly noted.

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Info Wanted- the Club Championship plagues are being updated, and unfortunately the information for years 2004 & 2005 is not available. If you know of anyone who was a class champion during those 2 years, please contact Kevin Hemann.

Newsletter Items- are welcome. Please send the information to <u>redtruckwine@gmail.com</u>. We cannot post personal items to the website or in the newsletter.

HCC Memberships Available- if you have friends or family that would like to become members, please contact Kevin Hemann and an application will be sent to them.

<u>Cart Shed Doors-</u> the HCC Board request the last person to leave the cart shed packing lot close all the doors and turn off the lights for added security. Thank you!

FYI- any modifications or changes to any part of the clubhouse, pool, cart shed, lake, pavilion, or golf course grounds must be approved by the Board of Directors as outlined in the Bylaws of the Highland Country Club.

Clubhouse Hours- Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday- Closed all day. Thursday/Friday- Bar Open 10am-7pm, Kitchen 10:30am-2pm & 5pm-7pm. Saturday/Sunday- Bar Open 10am-7pm, Kitchen 10:30am-2pm & 5pm-7pm. Additionally, then clubhouse will be open during special events such as Optimist and BPW meetings on Monday evenings. Hours are subject to change depending on business conditions.

The board welcomes your comments and concerns. We are here to do what is in the best interest for all club members. If you have a concern, contact a board member or write and sign a note to the board with your concerns. Your concern will be discussed at the next board meeting. Better yet, we invite you to come to the board meetings. All members are welcome. The board meetings are held the third Wednesday of the month at the clubhouse starting at 7:00 pm.

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