

Bon Air Country Club

Newsletter

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From the President of the Board of Directors...

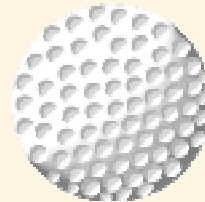
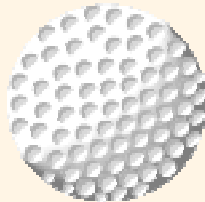
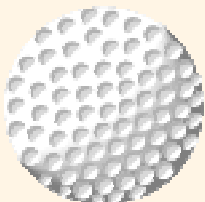
Eric Porter

I am continued to be amazed at the quality of the course after we experienced such a difficult weather season. Our Course Superintendent, Butch; and his assistant, Larry, along with the maintenance staff have done a phenomenal job in giving our members maximum return on investment. I would also like to complement the "summer help", most of who have left for college, for being not only hard working, but both friendly and polite...great job!

Our membership has held steady over the summer with around 350 golf members, the increase in membership has allowed us to work within our budget and be able to plan for some future improvements, without an assessment, as we continue to provide a great golf facility. But we cannot rest on our laurels relative to membership; again I believe that Bon Air is a great value based upon return on your investment. Please continue to tell your friends, neighbors, and business associates about your Club; "word of mouth" advertising returns the biggest bang for the buck; Bon Air has much to offer and the cost is very reasonable.

In that the Board of Directors is charged with a fiduciary responsibility to the membership we are keeping track of our accounts receivable. Our Business Manager is responsible with enforcing the Financial Rules stipulated in the By-Laws and BACC Rules. If you find that you are going to be late in making a payment please contact Wayne Burgess so that we can "work with you"; the alternative is for notice of suspension to be issued. Your understanding and cooperation is appreciated.

There is still much golf left in the season, tournaments are upcoming, great social events are planned; Bon Air is your Club, support it, enjoy it!





From Your PGA Professional....Ryan Paucek

It is hard to imagine that the summer is nearly over and we are approaching some of the best golfing opportunities as fall approaches. Vacations are over, school has started, the weather is moderating, and the amount of play starts to diminish. I encourage all to take advantage of the next few months and enjoy golf at Bon Air.

This year has been a good year as I am finishing my third year as your head PGA Professional. I believe I have risen to the occasion providing services and merchandise to the members. I too am also learning from both positive and a few negative experiences; it is my expectation that I will continue to grow both personally and professionally that will enable me to further raise the bar.

I believe the single most significant event that has resulted in improved service in the Golf Shop was having Travis come on board as my assistant. Travis has demonstrated that he is both willing and capable of providing all aspects of service as a golf professional. He will be formally entering the PGA Apprentice program this fall which will enable him to further his career.

We had a Junior Program with 80 participants, a record number that culminated in the Junior Club Champion being Caleb Bryant who scored a very respectable 86! Our men's Club Champion was again Bobby Stiffler; with the ladies Club Champion being Betty Winner after a rain delayed match continuation the following weekend.

Several upcoming tournaments include the one day Fall Member-Guest on September 24th and the Closing Day Cross Country Scramble on October 29th. Other events are included in the 2011 pocket calendar and can be found on our web site www.bonaircc.com.

Please stop by the Golf Shop and check out the new merchandise that is arriving for the fall season. Remember to use your Golf Shop credit while selections are high. If you don't see what you want I can special order; or consider using credit for a lesson.



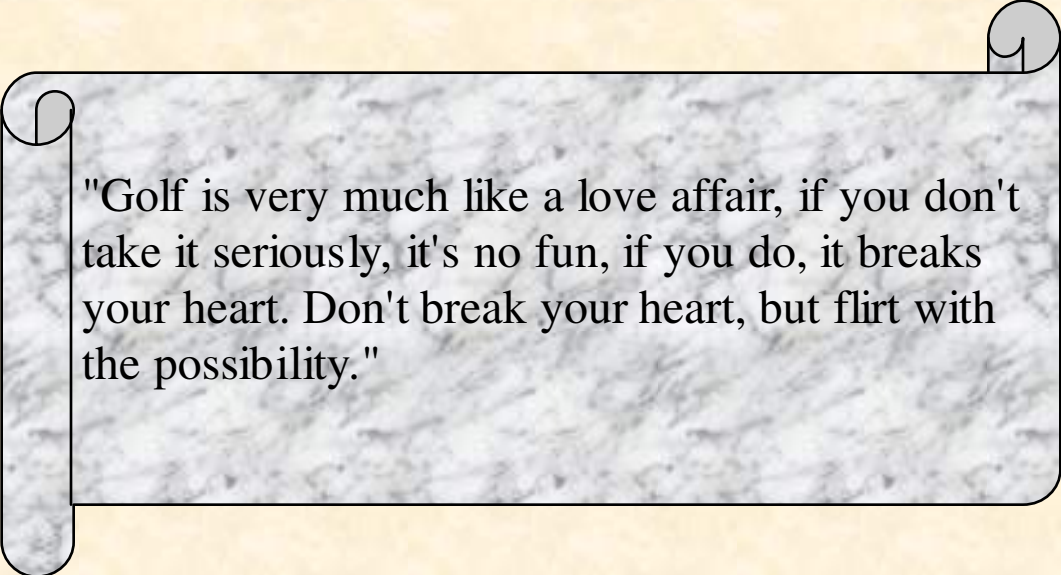


From the Grounds Department Butch Howard

As Robert Burns said...“the best laid schemes of mice and men oft go awry”. For those of you that missed the sight of the piece of heavy equipment tilting 45 degrees in the trench between #3 green and #8 tee, thank you! As Robert Burns said things went awry, fortunately the mishap did not result in any personal or equipment damage...though our ego did suffer a bruise. Ironically, the project of burying the drain line was complete and some “touch up” grading was being finished, when fate struck.

As we continue to plan for the “little” projects that lay ahead we will be working on the drainage issues in #9 fairway. Of course “Irene” introduced some additional work that was not planned. With staffing at a reduced level the workload was even more of a challenge. The ponds on #2 and #8 had been replenished as a result of both replacing a defective pump on #8 and the abundance of rain over the recent month. Because of the tropical storm we had to delay aerification; greens were done on September 12 and 13; fairway aerification is now under way.

With the later sunrise please remember that the course does not open for play until 7:00 am on weekends and holidays; this allows the maintenance staff time to get the course ready for the day. Also, Frost Delays are just around the corner, which will impact play. Being patient with delayed starting is helping to maintain the condition of the greens; per the USGA, on average foursome takes about 5,000 footsteps on the green surface, it is important to remember the effects those footsteps have on the green! As always your cooperation is appreciated.



"Golf is very much like a love affair, if you don't take it seriously, it's no fun, if you do, it breaks your heart. Don't break your heart, but flirt with the possibility."

*BACC 2nd Annual
Breast Cancer Tournament*

"Couples for a Cure"

Bon Air

Sunday, October 2, 2011

1:00pm Shot gun start

Four person Scramble format

Entry Fee \$40.00 per person

Sign up & cancellation by September 26th

Please join us for a fun filled day of golf to benefit the Susan G. Koman Breast Cancer Foundation. All are invited to participate...not just for couples!

Wear your pink!

Sponsorships needed

\$75.00 Premium Gold Sponsorship

**Custom BACC Greens Flag, embroidered
with sponsor name to fly in Tournament**

\$30.00 Select Silver Sponsorship

Custom BACC Tee Box Sponsor Sign

Accepting Silent Auction Donations

Contact Kathy Fox, kfox31@comcast.net or Mary Lu Mixon, mlmixon@comcast.net

Please contact Pro shop for sign up @ 717-235-2091

Women's Action Sub Committee Events...

The WASC has held three successful events so far this year.

The "Murder Mystery" 9 hole Scramble was the latest, held on June 26, 2011. We had 28 brave participants that were given the task of solving the murder of

our very own Golf Pro, "Ryan RadiCul"! Clues were available on nine holes to open and read for

foursomes that pored the hole. As always in our formats, mulligans were a big hit! Prizes were given

out for "Closest to the Body" on hole number 4, where our

grounds crew constructed a 25' chalk body outline. While all the teams

cleverly attempted to solve "Who Dun it", the result ended in a "Sudden Death Putt-Off"!! Holly Del

Pino sunk the putt for her team. Great job! The best detectives were:

Holly Del Pino, Sue Ward, Kristina Jones, and Cathy Dolan. Awesome day!!



WASC UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2011

Sunday, October 2 – "Couples For A Cure"

Breast Cancer Tournament

You don't HAVE to be a couple! Just bring, invite, or drag someone along to help us raise money for a cure for breast cancer. Four-person scramble will be a hoot! Mulligans and skirts will be sold...many great prizes!

Look for more information from the Pro shop.

SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE.



Sunday, October 30 – Ladies 1st Cross Coun-

You wanted it, you got it...the FIRST ever, Cross Country Event for the Ladies! Join us for an "interesting", fun golfing experience!



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The WASC events are designed to reflect a golfing opportunity for all Ladies of BACC. We strive to promote a fun-filled, relaxed, no-pressure golf experience, highlighting "socialization".

From the Social Committee...

A very big "Thank you!" to all who participated in the BACC Crab Feast in July! It was a very fun evening, complete with a DJ who rocked the crowd 'til late into the night!

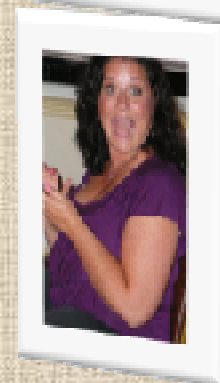
Upcoming events in the planning from the Social Committee:

September 22nd, Girls Night Out!

October 28th, Family Halloween Party

November 6th, Bull & Oyster Roast

December 8th, Girls Night Out - Cookie Exchange and Topiary Workshop



From the Mens Golf Committee... Antonio Prezioso

Tournament participation has been strong. Thanks for your support! All proceeds are redirected to club projects and our scholarship fund.

Scholarship:

Congratulations to Haley Garrison, this year's 4 year scholarship winner. It was an easy decision! The MGC would also like to congratulate Joe Haas who was awarded a 1 year additional scholarship. We are proud of them both. Please pass on your congratulations when you see them around the bag room!

Handicap:

Please be sure to turn in all group play score cards with member names and numbers. We are checking to make sure scores are posted!

We ran into some issues for the on-line posting. We do want to start it but there are some costs associated. We are reviewing our system and other available systems before we spend the extra money. More to come!

Upcoming Tournaments:

9/24 Fall Member Guest

10/8&9 Jr Sr Cup

10/29 Closing Day Cross Country 10:00 shotgun

Tournament Results:

Senior Cup

1st	Fred Noble	62	\$96.00	
T2nd	Tom Fielder	63	\$81.00	
	John De Beaumont			
4th	Glenn Pepper	65	\$72.00	
5th	Joe Allulis	69	\$62.00	
	Fred Brehm			
	Mario Cieurca			
8th	John Lowder	70	\$22.00	continued...

Senior Club Championship

Overall Champions

Gross – Bruce Mickey

Net – Tom Fielder

Championship Flight

Gross – Jay Campbell

Net – Rick Thomas

1st Flight

Gross – Jack Kyle

Net – Charlie Batzer

2nd Flight

Gross – Tim Holmes

Net – Bruce Atkinson

3rd Flight

Gross – Jake Fousek

Net – Dick Connelly

2 Day Member-Member

(2 Man Scramble)

Adam Grove / Peter Grove 30.25 \$50.00 ea.

(Better Ball)

Jeff Champlin / Jason Minacci 29 \$50.00

(Alternate Shot)

Adam Grove / Peter Grove 32.5 \$50.00

(Aggregate)

Patrick Fendick / Ken Mistovich 68 \$50.00

Overall

1st Derek Madsen / Jay Campbell 171 \$177.00 ea.

2nd Patrick Fendick / Ken Mistovich 173.37 \$152.00

3rd Adam Grove / Peter Grove 173.75 \$142.00

4th Craig Saxon / Michael Weaver 174.50 \$130.00

T5th Tom Gentzler / Rob Gentzler 174.87 \$103.50

Jeff Champlin / Jason Minacci

7th Sam Martin / Jarrett Bolten 176.87 \$87.00

8th Tom Fielder / Max Mosner 177 \$76.00

9th Fred Brehm / Tim Holmes 178.62 \$65.00

10th Doug Knox / T.J. Knox 179.37 \$55.00

Presidents Cup

Individual Net vs. Par

1st	Jarrett Bolton	+4
T- 2nd	Bobby Stiffler	+3
	Craig Saxon	+3
	Bill Alt	+3
T- 5th	Derek Madsen	+2
	Greg Anderson	+2
	Withers Davis	+2
	Ted Truman	+2
	Charlie Batzer	+2
	Joe Gibbs	+2
T- 11th	Doug Knox	+1
	Andres Delpino	+1
	Rick Fava	+1
T- 14th	Bruce Atkinson	0
	Bill Bavis	0
	Ed Myers	0
	Dan Gartrell	0
	Eric Porter	0
	Patrick Fendick	0
	Jim Williams	0
	Jeff Champlin	0
	Bob Humphreys	0
	Tom Gentzler	0

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Club Championship

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT:

CHAMPION:	Bobby Stiffler	153
RUNNER UP:	Jay Campbell	156

1ST FLIGHT:

CHAMPION:	Tim Garrison	156
RUNNER UP:	Marc Moyer	165*Match of Cards

2ND FLIGHT:

CHAMPION:	Charlie Batzer	166
RUNNER UP:	Al Taylor	167

3RD FLIGHT:

CHAMPION:	Andres Del Pino	176*Play Off
RUNNER UP:	Jay Smith	176* Play Off

4TH FLIGHT:

CHAMPION:	Bruce Stackhouse	191
RUNNER UP:	Jake Fousek	194

Congratulations to all of our tournament winners!

We are currently looking at several course / club improvement projects that we are excited about! More info to come.

Please remember that you are obligated to post all scores both at BACC and away golf courses. If you only play 9 holes you can post a 9 hole score. If you play a round you picked up on a couple of holes take your max score on those holes and post. If you were in a match and putts were conceded because it was irrelevant take what you think you would have gotten on those holes and post. If you play 15 holes and get rained out take the score on the remaining holes based on your handicap and the handicap of the remaining holes. Anywhere you would get a stroke take bogey or where you would not get a stroke take par. These postings are not optional and you do a disservice to yourself and others you play with if you do not post all of your scores. If you have questions pertaining to this feel free to consult with Ryan or Travis.

Women's Golf Committee

2011 Bon Air Club Championship

And the 'Winner' is...



2011 Bon Air Women's Club Championship Betty Winner

Pictured with Head Pro Ryan Paucek & Asst. Pro Travis Contres Betty receives her Championship trophy



Championship Flight—Betty Winner & Donna Ensor



2nd Flight—Lindy Sweeney & Pat Fielder



Donna Ensor Championship Flight Runner Up

1st Flight Champion - Kathy Fox

1st Flight Runner up - Pat Lowder



Pat Fielder 2nd Flight Winner



Lindy Sweeney 2nd Flight Runner Up

Hello Bon Air Ladies,

Fall is fast approaching and I want to remind everyone to mark their calendars for closing day, Wednesday October 19th. Further information and sign-up will be posted later in September. I would also like to take this opportunity to remind you that our fall meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 26th.

I want to take this opportunity to say that it has been a great spring and summer at Bon Air. It was great to see so many members come out on Monday nights for the twilight ladies, and on Wednesdays for the 18 hole ladies. A special thanks to the ladies that coordinated and planned the Ladies Night Out events, it was a great to be able to come out and socialize with many members of Bon Air.

Carol Seitz

Chairlady

Bon Air Ladies Golf Association

Upcoming Events **Bon Air Country Club**

September 12 Monday Night Ladies Golf, 6:00pm. Every Monday.

September 18 Twilight Couples, 4:00pm. Covered dish after golf.

September 22 Thursday evening "Girls Night Out!", 6:00pm – 9:00pm
Hosted by the BACC Social Committee

September 24 MGC Fall Member – Guest, 1:00pm SG

FRIDAY NIGHT COUPLES

- ◊ Play 9 holes of Golf in a Relaxed Format (e.g. scramble, etc.)
 - ◊ Every Friday - 6:00 p.m.- Reservations are not required
 - ◊ Arrive at the Club by 5:45 for pairings and socializing
- No Partner ~ No Problem

If you enjoy Good Food, a Cold Beverage & Great People,
Friday Night Couples Golf is for You!



ATTENTION ALL LADIES

~Monday Night Golf / Social Time ~

Looking for ladies to play 9 holes on any Monday night you are free.

All skill levels are welcome!

Foursomes are created based on arrival time between 5:15pm and 5:45pm tee offs. Afterward, join us for a light meal or appetizers at a local restaurant or at someone's house for fun and socializing. Hope to see you there!

Twilight Couples Golf

Reminder. Twilight golf is winding down. Only two more events.

Third Sunday September 18. 4:00 PM. Sign-up sheet at foot of stairs

We meet the 3rd Sunday of the month starting at 4 p.m., play 9holes some type of a scramble but always with a "twist", always for fun, some ladies who only golf occasionally just prefer to putt only, We have a covered dish/pot luck meal afterwards and bar is open.

Arrival time is 3:30 p.m. for pairings
cost is \$10 per couple.

Pool News

The Swimming Pool closed for the season on Labor Day, September 5th. We currently have in excess of 60 people on the waiting list for a pool membership. Current pool members will be sent bills for the 2012 season in late March; dues must be paid by May 1, 2012 in order to renew your membership. Those on the waiting list will be contacted the first week of May.

We have openings for lifeguard positions for the 2012 season; however, applicants will only be given consideration if they are able to work from Memorial Day through Labor Day. Lifeguards will be required to have certification prior to May 15, 2012. Contact Wayne Burgess if you are interested in working as a lifeguard.

A census of pool use has been maintained for 2011; we will be using this information as a criteria to restrict guest access at certain times during the season. During the off season repairs will be made to correct leaks that have been identified; the pool will again be painted in the spring in preparation for the 2012 season.

We are always trying to improve your experience at Bon Air, if you have any suggestions please contact Wayne Burgess, 717-235-2091.

There's an old saying, 'It's a poor craftsman who blames his tools.' It's usually the player who misses those three-footers, not the putter."

Membership Update

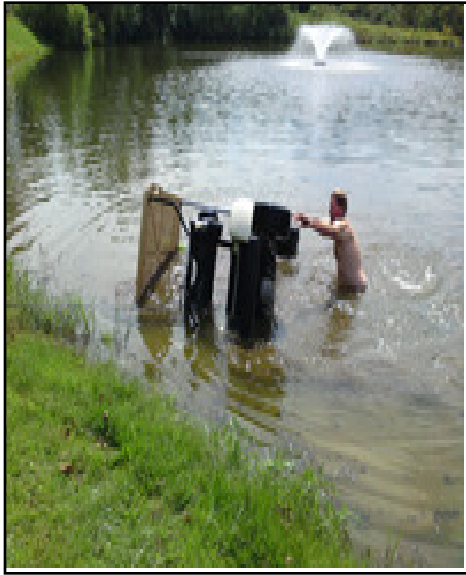
Our membership cap is 375; we currently have 349 members. If you are aware of anyone thinking about joining Bon Air please tell them that now is the time to submit their application. Applications can be obtained in the Golf Shop or from the web site www.bonaircc.com



Reciprocal Clubs and Information

CLUB	PROFESSIONAL	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	PM WEEK-END	GUEST FEE	Payment(s) accepted
BERKSHIRE CC	BARRY ADAMS	AFTER 1PM	BEFORE 11/ AFTER 2	BEFORE 11/ AFTER 2	BEFORE 11/ AFTER 2	YES	\$75.00	Member Charge
BLUE RIDGE CC	PETE MICKELWIRGHT	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	BEFORE 12PM	YES	\$40.00/\$45.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
BON AIR CC	RYAN PAUCEK	AFTER 10	AFTER 11	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$35.00/\$40.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
BRANDYWINE CC	GEORGE McNAMARA	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$65.00/\$75.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
BROOKSIDE CC	RYAN BREIDEGAM	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$55.00/\$60.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
CARLISLE CC	CHIP RICHTER	AFTER 12	AFTER 11	AFTER 10	ANY TIME	YES	\$45.00/\$55.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
CHAMBERSBURG CC	JAMESON WALLACE	AFTER 12	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$75.00	Credit Card only
COATESVILLE CC	JOE VIGORITA	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$75.00	Member Charge Only
COLONIAL G&TC	RICK GIBNEY	AFTER 12	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	BEFORE 10/ AFTER 2	AFTER 1PM	\$50.00/\$75.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
CONESTOGA CC	ROBERT LEEMAN	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	AFTER 1PM	\$54.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
HARRISBURG CC	TONY GREIDANUS	AFTER 9	AFTER 9	AFTER 9	AFTER 9	NO	\$65.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
HEIDELBERG CC	MIKE GRABOSKY	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	AFTER 10	ANY TIME	YES	\$79.00	Member Charge, Cash or Credit Card
LEBANON CC	SEAN SMYTH	AFTER 2	AFTER 12	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$57.00/\$63.00	Member Charge
MEDIA HEIGHTS CC	MARK WILEY	ANY-TIME	AFTER 11	ANY TIME	AFTER 11	YES	\$50.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
OUTDOOR CC	RICK PROUGH	AFTER 11	AFTER 11	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	AFTER 2PM	\$66.00	Credit Card only
REGENTS GLEN CC	DON DIMOFF	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$50.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
SCHUYLKILL CC	LARRY BORDEN	AFTER 12	ANY TIME	BEFORE 11/ AFTER 1	ANY TIME	YES	\$50.00	Credit Card only
SILVER CREEK CC	RAY SILNIK	AFTER 12	ANY TIME	AFTER 12	BEFORE 11/ AFTER 2	YES	\$55.00	Credit Card, Cash or Check
SPRINGHAVEN CC	JAMES NEWLON	AFTER 1	AFTER 1	ANY TIME	AFTER 11	YES	\$65.00/\$75.00	Member Charge Only
SUSQUE. VALLEY CC	GREG FELTY	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$50.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges
VALLEY CC	CLARK LUIS	AFTER 1	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$40.00	Cash or Member Charge
WAYNESBORO CC	ROB BOSTIC	AFTER 11	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	SAT. ONLY	\$55.00	Cash or Member Charge
WOODSTONE CC	KEVIN EDWARDS	ANY-TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	ANY TIME	YES	\$60.00/\$65.00	Credit Card or Cash, no Member Charges

DON'T LET THIS BE YOUR CART, CLUBS, CELL PHONE, GPS!



WHETHER ON LEVEL GROUND OR AN INCLINE, WHEREVER YOU PARK YOUR CART, MAKE SURE THAT THE BRAKE IS REALLY SET AND THE WHEELS TURNED TOWARD THE GRADE. WE RECENTLY HAD AN INCIDENT WHERE A CART ROLLED DOWN THE HILL FROM THE CART AREA ABOVE #1 GREEN INTO THE POND. OUR SUPERINTENDENT BUTCH HOWARD WENT BEYOND THE CALL OF DUTY, STRIPPED TO HIS TROUSERS AND RESCUED TWO SETS OF CLUBS, A GPS, CELL PHONES, ETC. THEN DIVING EVEN DEEPER ATTACHED A CABLE TO THE CART AND RETRIVED IT FROM 8 FEET OF COOL WATER!



**Watch for
more details**



Family Halloween Party At BACC

When: Saturday—October 22nd

Time: 5pm -- 8pm

There will be:

- ♦ Kid Friendly Fare
- ♦ Trunks of Treats
- ♦ Games & Crafts





Bon Air Snack Bar and Food Service

THE SNACK BAR IS OPEN DAILY
THROUGH FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 30TH!

THE HOURS OF OPERATION ARE:

WEEKDAYS 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM

WEEKENDS 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM

***OCTOBER 1ST – 30TH ***

FRIDAY 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM

SATURDAY & SUNDAY 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM



WEATHER CONDITIONS MAY AFFECT HOURS OF OPERATION!

If your group/committee would like to submit material for the NewsLetter,
send an e-mail to Paula Haas at pdjmhaas@comcast.net



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The Bar in the ballroom is currently open as follows:

Wednesdays and Fridays 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Saturdays and Sundays 11:00 am – 6:00 pm



Weekday hours will be evaluated to determine if there is sufficient business to warrant being open. Any change in hours will be posted and communicated.

We have quite a few Ballroom rentals over the next few months, watch for signs being posted regarding the bar being closed because of private rentals.

Only Alcoholic beverages purchased from the Club are permitted on the golf course. Bringing coolers stocked with your own alcoholic beverages is not permitted.