## Oronoque Links

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## From the General Manager

Jason Waters, PGA

General Manager, Oronoque Country Club / Orchards Golf Club

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It has been wonderful getting to know many of you over the past few weeks. I am looking forward to seeing more of all of you in the near future. You have all made me feel at home and I truly appreciate this.

I wanted to spend time on this week's note to highlight the Food & Beverage team. Our executive Chef, Thomas Kelly and our Sous Chef, LeAnn Battey have put in a lot of thought and effort this winter to come up with ideas that we hope the membership will enjoy. Our spring menus have been offered for the past month and I have heard a number of positives coming from the selections offered. New this year is a weekly specials menu. This menu includes weekly sandwich, salad, appetizer and entree specials. It also highlights a special sandwich daily for \$5.

An additional adjustment to this year's Food & Beverage service is our "At the Turn" service. A sandwich board is being placed on the 8<sup>th</sup> Tee during the weekends with the menu and our daily sandwich special. You call the number, place your order and when you finish #9, your food is ready for you to go to the back nine. This will give us the opportunity to provide you with more options as well as help with pace of play.

Just this week, we have created a Beer and Wine list. A number of new wines have been introduced and all of our beer options are now available in print. We plan to evaluate these offerings and make adjustments as the season progresses. We also have a "To Go" menu. We enjoy having you dine with us, but when you can't, we can make it and have it ready for you to take with.

Our goal here at the club is to provide amenities and services that all members would enjoy. Every department strives to achieve this goal and works to make every day better than the previous day. Your opinions matter and please feel free to share them with me. While I might not be able to act on every item, I promise to listen and take under consideration all ideas, thoughts and comments.

Now that golf has started, please think of us when thinking about who you would like to join the club. Two certificates have been mailed to you to give to those candidates to apply to the initiation. A great benefit of those certificates is that dues will not start for them until June 1st. The sooner they join, the better benefit for them. When you make the referral, please let myself or Liz know so we can help you get them enrolled in to your club.

As always, if there is anything I can do for you, please let me know. Thank You.

Jason Waters, PGA General Manager, PGA



## **Upcoming Events**

Contact Liz Shaw, Membership Director, for Member Event Reservations, 203-375-4293, x 18

Friday, April 24 9 & Dine, 5:30pm

**Thursday, April 30** Pasta & Prime Rib Night, 4-7pm

HIGHLIGHT EVENT: Friday, May I "Pre Opening Day Celebration"

beginning with Demo Day at 3pm, Happy Hour at 5pm, and Jazz Night at 5:30pm

Saturday, May 2 Opening Day Tournament

Wednesday, May 6 Wednesday Night Game

Thursday, May 7 Ladies Golf Clinic

Sunday, May 10 Mother's Day Brunch



#### **ORONOQUE LADIES**



Wednesday, May 13th, 2015

5:30 - 6:30 COCKTAILS

(Happy Hour Pricing)

**Antipasto Cups** 

#### **6:30 BUFFET DINNER**

Salad Bar

Extensive Ingredients Offered

#### **Buffet Includes**

Rolls and Butter Stuffed Shells Grilled Hot Vegetables Lemon Chicken Salmon En Croute

#### **Dessert**

Make Your Own Sundae Bar Coffee and Tea

Thanks to Executive Chef Thomas Kelly, All Inclusive Pricing is \$23.00!

## PLEASE EMAIL KATE LAYMAN - <u>KLAYMAN@CENTURYGOLF.COM</u> OR CALL HER AT (203) 377-1453, WITH YOUR RESERVATION BY MAY 6<sup>TH</sup>, 2015

We welcome all female members to attend this informal evening to meet and greet our staff, see friends we have not seen this past winter and form new friendships.

If you would like to offer a door prize for this evening





SAVE THE DATE! FRIDAY, JULY 10

8:30am Shotgun 7:30am Breakfast \$90pp Entry Fee

Invitations coming soon!

## **Event Highlight**

For Reservations, please contact Liz Shaw, Ishaw@centurygolf.com



## Food and Beverage

Thomas Kelly, Executive Chef

LeAnn Battey, Sous Chef



## dining specials

#### appetizer

#### Mushroom & Goat Cheese Flatbread

\$10.95

our flatbread topped with mushrooms, chicken, goat cheese with drizzled balsamic glaze

#### sandwiches

#### Grilled Caprese Sandwich

\$8.95

fresh sliced mozzarella and sliced tomato, with basil pesto, on your choice of bread—served with a side

#### Grilled Chicken Cordon Bleu Wrap

\$8.95

grilled chicken, with sliced ham, Swiss cheese, mustard mayo blend, wrapped in a tomato wrap and pressed on the panini—served with a side

#### salad

#### **Broccoli Apple Salad**

\$7.50/9.50

chopped broccoli topped with grated carrots, apples, onions, craisins and walnuts and choice of dressing

#### entrees

available after 4pm

#### Lemon Ricotta Pasta

\$15.95

penne pasta tossed in a lemon ricotta sauce, with spinach and red peppers

#### **Grilled Trout \***

\$17.95

grilled trout, seasoned and served with French fries and a dinner salad

\*gluten free option—substitute French fries for Chef's selection of vegetable

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\$18.95

a 10 oz ribeye grilled to your liking, topped with gorgonzola cheese, and served with a dinner salad

#### \$5 daily sandwich specials

#### Wednesday

sloppy joes—simmered ground beef with spices and peppers and onions on a toasted Kaiser roll

#### Thursday

turkey on rye bread or toast, with lettuce and tomato

#### Frida

chicken salad on wheat bread or toast, with lettuce and tomato

#### Saturday

corned beef Rachel on grilled rye, with Swiss cheese, coleslaw, pickles and mustard

#### Sunday

egg salad on white bread or toast, with lettuce and tomato

### drink specials

\$2.50 blue moon bottle • \$3.00 yuengling lager draft \$5 Drink Specials: grey goose flavors, l'orange, la poire, and cherry noir

#### **CLICK HERE FOR A PRINTABLE VERSION**

## Food and Beverage

Thomas Kelly, Executive Chef

LeAnn Battey, Sous Chef

#### **DINING SPECIALS**

#### **THURSDAY**

Pasta & Prime Rib Night 4—7pm

#### CLICK HERE FOR MENU

#### **FRIDAY**

Happy Hour 5—8pm

#### SATURDAY/SUNDAY

Breakfast beginning at 8:30am

#### WEDNESDAY-SUNDAY

\$5 Sandwich Specials

TO GO MENU NOW AVAILABLE!!

**CLICK HERE** 



#### **TRADITION'S GRILLE APRIL**

open Tuesday—Sunday

Tuesday—Thursday I I am—7pm
Friday I I am—8pm
Saturday 8:30am—8pm
Sunday 8:30am—7pm

## **Golf Shop News**

Dustin Haddad, Head Golf Professional

## Just a couple of reminders for the weekend:

First—we still have a spot for a twosome as well as a couple of openings for singles if anyone would like to play in this evenings 9&Dine at 5:30. The format is a scramble and the cost is \$35 with all the money going towards a fantastic dinner as well as great prizes for the top Gross team and the top 2 net teams. With that being said the first tee will close today at 3:45 in order to clear room for the shotgun, however, we will still be able to accommodate anyone not playing in the event by utilizing the back 9. If you do wish to join the event please call us in the golf shop as you won't be able to sign up on Foretees the day of.

Also for this weekend we are bumping the first tee time up to 7:30am but beware of a possible frost tomorrow mornina temperatures are supposed to dip below 32 tonight. We will post an update in the morning so as soon as we know, you'll know. Also a reminder that golf carts mandatory on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays before noon time. The only exception to this rule is if we are experiencing a cart paths only day. If we are cart paths only, you may walk during those times. We are going to continue this weekend with the \$50 guest special so please feel free to friends, colleagues relatives out to see our beautiful golf course at a great early season discount.

You will also notice the driving range will be on the grass this weekend and it will be our goal to be on the grass as often as possible so long as weather and turf conditions allow us to do so. You

will notice a number of new targets on the driving range which really enhance your ability to practice with more purpose rather than just using the range as a warm up. We are working on getting some signage out there as well so you will know the distances to the new targets but for now I would say bring your Bushnell Range Finder out there to get dialed in. Wait. what's that you say? You don't have a Bushnell Range Finder well luckily your fully stocked golf shop has all the latest and greatest from Bushnell and as members you'll receive the best prices in the country on such items.

There are also some spots remaining for the MGA Opening Day Spring Shamble on Saturday May 2nd at 12:30pm for any MGA Members. This will be a fantastic tournament with a great lunch at 11:00, golf at 12:30, open bar, dinner and Kentucky Derby themed menu and prizes as well. Please remember a couple of things, if you are signed up and haven't paid your MGA dues by Monday the 27th you will be removed from the event and also if you'd like to join the MGA there is still plenty of time to do so and join the first of many great fun golf events we have in store for you this year.

## **BRIDGESTONE**G O L F





#### **OPENING WEEKEND EVENTS!**

FRIDAY, MAY 1

Callaway, TaylorMade and Ada Demo Day 3—7pm

SATURDAY, MAY 2
Opening Day
Call Golf Shop for Details

SUNDAY, MAY 3
Bridgestone Ball Fitting & Club Demo
9am—1pm

Interested in coming to the the Opening Day Dinner?

\$30 MGA Members \$60 Non-Members (inclusive)

MUST RSVP BY WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29

MGA, 18-Hole Golf Event 12:30pm Shotgun Start Sign-up on ForeTees.com

\$80 inclusive

# DRENING DAY

SATURDAY, MAY 2

### 11:30am LUNCH

New England Clam Chowder
House-made Coleslaw
Orzo Salad
Deli Board: Turkey, Roast Beef & Ham
Tuna Fish Salad
Tom's Chicken Salad
Assorted Breads
Lettuce, Tomato, Onion & Pickles
Cookies & Brownies
Coffee & Tea

Complimentary Beverage Cart
On Course

### DINNER

Following Golf

Cheese ,Vegetable & Antipasto Display
Cocktail Franks
Boneless Bourbon Bites
Carved Prime Rib & Bourbon-Glazed Turkey
Glazed Carrots & Trio Roasted Potatoes

Chef's Salad Bar:

mixed greens, grape tomatoes, cucumbers, red onion, roasted red peppers, carrots, black olives, crasins, snap peas, croutons, feta, gorgonzola, pecans & walnuts

> Penne Bolognese Tortellini Aglio Olio Hush Puppies & Cornbread Peacan Pie & Chocolate Cake Coffee, Tea & 2 Hour Open Bar Mint Juleps at Score Board

Liz Shaw, Membership Director

#### **WELCOME OUR NEWEST MEMBERS!**







Mr. Dan Tucci

Mr. Carroll, with son, Justin Carroll

Mr. and Mrs. Deluca

#### Have you handed out your certificates to your friends, family members and co-workers?

Yes, you read correctly—NO DUES UNTIL JUNE 1!! There has NEVER been a better time to join your club! Take advantage of this opportunity before it's too late...

AND, remember, the more new members you sponsor, the better chance you have at winning an all expenses paid trip to PGA National for the Partner's Invitational in November!

Please contact Liz Shaw, Membership Director at **203-375-4293 ext. 12**, to redeem this certificate and apply for Membership.

Haven't received your certificates in the mail? Let us know so that we can get them out to you

right away!

\$2,500

Towards a Full Golf Membership
Plus Complimentary Monthly Dues Until June 1, 2015.

Authorized by Jason Waters, General Manager

This certificate fully satisfies the current initiation fee of \$2,500 for a new Membership.

This certificate retains no cash value, may only be used towards the purchase of a new Membership and cannot be combined with any other offer.

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	THURSDAY	<b>2</b> Pasta / Prime Rib 4-7pm	\$ \$5 Sandwich Specials Pasta / Prime Rib 4-7pm Golf Shop Sale	16 \$5 Sandwich Specials Pasta / Prime Rib 4-7pm	<b>23</b> \$5 Sandwich Spec Pasta / Prime Rib 4-7pm New Member Welcome 5:30pm	30 \$5 Sandwich Specials Pasta / Prime Rib 4-7pm
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	SUNDAY	29	<b>5</b> Easter Brunch 11am-2pm	12  8am Breakfast \$5 Sandwich Specials Golf Shop Sale	19 8am Breakfast \$5 Sandwich Specials	<b>26</b> 8am Breakfast \$5 Sandwich Specials