
Edelweiss Chalet Chatter

JULY 2010

NEWS FROM YOUR GENERAL MANAGER!

Welcome to July. Where has the summer gone? One minute it is snowing and the next we have fireworks in the sky. Why is it that summer is so short and winter is sooooo long? I guess it means you should make the most of it and come play golf while you can.

Well, I hope you are enjoying the great course conditions. Brian has the greens rolling great and everything else is in beautiful condition. We are in prime shape for our Member/Guest tournament on August 7th. If you have not played in the past, please make sure you bring a guest and show them how proud you are of Edelweiss.

We are running a promotion for the month of July. Any purchase of golf clubs \$199 and over will receive a FREE 30 MINUTE GOLF LESSON with PGA Professional, Darin Key. That includes: Drivers, Fairway Woods, Hybrids, Wedges, Irons, and Putters. Just spend more than \$199 and the lesson is yours.

Here are some upcoming dates for you to keep in mind. We try to provide you with the most up to date list of events. We do, however, have some outings that get bigger than what we anticipated. We will always do whatever we can to make sure you can play golf as often as you would like.

Thursday, July 8th - Limited Tee Times all day
Sunday, July 11th – Course closed at 1pm
Monday, July 12th – Course closed until 2pm
Wednesday, July 14th – FLOG
Thursday, July 15th – Wisconsin PGA Junior Tour –
Course closed until 3pm
Monday, July 19th – Course closed until 12pm

Tuesday, July 27th – Course closed until 4pm
**Saturday, August 7th – Member/Guest 12pm
Shotgun**

Wednesday, August 11th – Course closed until 3pm

Wednesday, August 19th – CERTCO

Saturday, August 21st – New Glarus Sports Boosters
– Course closed all day

Saturday, August 28th – Club Championship

Sunday, August 29th – Club Championship

On June 23rd Edelweiss hosted a State Amateur Qualifier. We had 96 of the areas best golfers come down and try to qualify. The golf course was a great test of their ability. Everyone who played said what a great golf course we have. I was also proud of the 10 volunteers we had that came to donate their time and help us make the event even better. Craig Hodgson and Michael Oellerich both qualified and will now play at The Bull. Wish them luck the next time you see them.

We have started serving 2 dinner items on Friday nights, Deep Fried Cod or Pork Baby Back Ribs, both served with fries and coleslaw. Please stop by and give them a try. A 2 piece fish dinner is \$7.95 and a half rack of ribs is \$9.95. I am anxious to hear what your thoughts are.

I sure hope the summer continues to be as nice as it has been. Thanks for all your continued support.

Jeff

HAPPENINGS FROM THE BOARD

(This is a short synopsis of the minutes of the board meetings. A complete listing of the board minutes is posted on the bulletin board in the hallway by the restrooms.)

May 18, 2010

Some suggestions were made for improving customer service. Security in the cart sheds was also discussed. The system is working fairly well, but there still is room for improvement in the member's cooperation.

Pete told the board that our sales are up about \$10,900 over last year at this time. Our food and beverage sales are up considerably over last year.

Our beer lines are now working after installing a blender at a cost of \$450. Mark, who cleans our lines, will be doing the work for free until that cost, as well as the cost of four half barrels of beer, is reimbursed.

A report from the Course & Grounds Committee listed projects that will be undertaken this summer. Pete thought that members especially should be made more aware of replacing ball marks and divots.

Fish fries will begin on May 28. They will be served in the bar as a fish basket. A rib basket will also be offered.

Ben Jeglum and the Marty Andersen family were approved as new members. Eric Jenson, Randy Kubehl, Bruce Fischer and Don Root estate will all be reimbursed for their certificates since they are no longer members at Edelweiss. The following will be dropped as members since they have not paid their 2010 dues and have not responded to letters Pat has sent out: Pat O'Gara, Justin Sandlin, Julie Strickler, Butch & Diane Peschl, and Jackie Hennager.

A member has offered to purchase an additional TV for the bar if the club will purchase the other two. Fund raisers to raise the money for the TV's were discussed and at least one will be held this summer.

FROM THE OFFICE

The Fourth of July has come and gone – that means that the summer is flying by!!!! Hopefully you have had lots of time to come out and enjoy our beautiful course.

This is the time of year that it is difficult to find anything to write about in my article. Jeff wants to make sure that all of the members are aware of dates that the course will be closed to golf so I guess that justifies putting out a newsletter – even if there is not much else to tell you. With many of you receiving the newsletter via email, it does not cost us as much for postage to mail out the newsletter either. If you are not currently receiving the newsletter via email and would like to start getting it on your computer, please let me know.

We have had several wedding receptions this year with a few more booked. Next year is really beginning to fill up! The bar remodel allows us to accommodate more guests and that makes a difference!

I hope that all of you ladies have signed up to golf in the FLOG. Jane and her crew do a wonderful job of planning the evening and it is always a fun event. Besides all the fun, it is also a good fundraiser for breast cancer research.

Hope to see all of you out here golfing soon – enjoy our wonderful course!!!!

Pat