

NOVEMBER 2025 NEWSLETTER FOR WINDYKE COUNTRY CLUB

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Thank you for the great turnout at Fall Fest! We hope you and your families had as much fun as we did. Our next big event is Pasta Night, scheduled for Friday, November 7. This evening is always a favorite, featuring a live chef station on the patio and the wonderful smell of garlic permeating the clubhouse. We still have some table space available, so if you're interested in attending, please reach out to events@windyke.com.



Our Thanksgiving Lunch also has limited availability remaining. Let us take care of the cooking and cleaning so you can enjoy more family time. For those who prefer to stay home, Chef Keith has prepared several takeout specials that are perfect for an easy, delicious meal at home or to bring along to a family gathering. We continue to offer Friday night dinner service each week in the Grille; however, please note that on **Friday, November 7** (Pasta Night) and **Friday, November 28** (the night after Thanksgiving), we will offer only the After 4 Menu. Chef Keith has published the Brunch with Santa menu, scheduled for Saturday, December 13, and Sunday, December 14. We will begin taking reservations on Monday, November 3, at 8:00 a.m. by email only. Last year's event sold out in less than 10 minutes, so be sure to review the reservation form in this newsletter and email events@ windyke.com at 8:00 a.m. on November 3 to reserve your spot.

The early November weather looks great for golf—perfect for that favorite sweater vest or pullover—and the courses remain in top condition. If you're looking for a new piece of outerwear, Brent has selected some excellent items to choose from. The golf staff works hard to ensure we offer top-quality products at the best prices, so make a point to stop by the shop next time you're here.

We do want to take a moment to remind everyone of two small but important things that make a big difference: fix your ball marks and rake your bunkers. Windyke would be an even better place if every member did these two simple things. This isn't just a request—it's a condition of membership and a key part of respecting the traditions of the game. We know we mention this often, but we're committed to keeping Windyke at its best. Help us make that happen and, hopefully, help us stop writing about it every month!

As we approach the end of the year, we want to say thank you for your continued support and for recommending Windyke to your friends. Our club is great because of members like you. We value your feedback and take your suggestions seriously as we plan for the year

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ahead. Please let us know what you've enjoyed this year, what could be improved, or what new activities you'd like to see added to our programming

in the future.

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KNOW? IF NOT. THEN GET

SIGNED UP FOR OUR WEEKLY

EMAILS. WE HAVE LOTS OF

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WHOLE

FAMILY. STAY UP TO DATE!

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GOLF SHOP HOURS FOR NOVEMBER

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 SHOP OPENS
 SHOP CLOSES

 WEEKDAYS
 8:00 a.m.
 7:30 a.m.
 6:30 p.m.

 WEEKENDS
 7:30 a.m.
 7:00 a.m.
 6:30 p.m.

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MEMBERSHIP@WINDYKE.COM
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Weekdays: 7:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Weekends: 7:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Range Closes at 4:30 p.m. on Mondays FULL MENU SERVICE IN THE BAR & GRILLE: SUN.- THUR. 10:30a.m. - 4:00pm. FRIDAY 10:30a.m. - 8:30pm. Saturday 8:00a.m. - 4:00pm.

Bar & Grille

DRINKS SERVED IN THE BAR AND GRILLE: SUNDAY - THURSAY 10:30a.m. - 6:30pm. FRIDAY 10:00a.m. - 9:30pm.

SATURDAY 8:00a.m. - 6:30p.m.

COME IN AND TRY OUR "AFTER 4 MENU"!

SNACK BAR HOURS: WEEKDAYS 7:30A.M. - 4:00P.M. WEEKENDS 7:00A.M. - 4:00P.M.



TATE QUARLES 10-2 WEST #13 153 YARDS 71
JIMMY DARR 10-12 WEST #17 142 YARDS 81
SCOTT BROTHERS 10-19 WEST #17 154 YARDS 71

OPEN HOUSE DEC. 7

IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN! OUR ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE SALE IS SUNDAY DECEMBER 7 FROM 1:00pm to 5:00pm. If you are new to the club or have never come to our annual holiday party then we would love to see you and your family attend. The party centers around lots of free wine and food, free gift wrapping and many more holiday specials. During the sale hours we also will be giving an extra 10 percent off the low marked price of any apparel item in the golf shop. As always, we appreciate your business and look forward to seeing you and your families at windyke.

~ JIMMY RAINWATER





SAVE THE DATES

Thanksgiving Lunch November 27th
Pro Shop Open House December 7th
WLGA Christmas Luncheon December 9th
Brunch with Santa December 13th & 14th
New Year's Eve Dinner December 31st

Just a Walk in the Park

Whispers of leaves in the gentle breeze, Amidst the stillness, time seems to freeze. Lingering moments, thoughts intertwine, Kaleidoscopes of nature, a solace divine. In this sacred space, our spirits unite, Nestled in shadows, where dreams take flight. GREETINGS FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS



John D. Duncan 2025 Board President

-Contemplative Strolls, Author Unknown

I hope you and your family and friends enjoyed the Fall Festival recently! There's nothing that trumpets Fall like this signature Windyke event. The hay rides, haunted house, games, fire pit, with the smell of great food wafting through the air in our beautiful park-like setting is something magical, memorable.

I love this time of year, especially at the club. I usually walk more in the Fall when I play. The par three course becomes a unique stroll as well. Night tennis with a sweatshirt to keep you warm

is therapeutic. Fire pit gatherings with your favorite elixir calm the spirit. Soups and chili hit our menu again as those Fall lunches just hit different, especially with the Italian Melt! The Fall clothing line in the shop encourages wardrobe upgrades coupled with Christmas gift ideas. As they would say on SNL, "...it's sweater weather!!"

It's that time of year when we show our appreciation for the hardworking staff at Windyke. All members will see a \$20 charge on their statement this month for our Employee Appreciation Fund. This fund is a way to thank all of our dedicated staff—both those we see every day and those who work tirelessly behind the scenes—to make Windyke the wonderful club we all enjoy. Please note that participation is optional. If you prefer not to contribute, simply deduct \$20 from your payment and include a brief note stating that you do not wish to participate. Your account will be adjusted accordingly. Thank you for helping us recognize and reward the amazing team that makes Windyke such a special place!

Enjoy this special time of year with family and friends at the park... I mean, The Club.

See You at the Club!

KEEP CARTS
20 YDS
FROM GREENS AND TEES.
FIX YOUR
BALL MARK
AND AT LEAST ONE OTHER.
KEEP SEED & CIGAR
ASHES OFF THE GREENS.
FLACE
THOSE BUNKERS!

NATALIE IS BOOKING CHRISTMAS, HOLIDAY AND YEAR END PARTIES FOR DECEMBER RIGHT NOW. DATES ARE FILLING UP FAST SO DON'T DELAY!

CONTACT HER AT EVENTS@WINDYKE.COM OR 754–1888 TO GET COMPLETE INFORMATION.

WE WOULD LOVE TO HOST AN EVENT FOR YOU.

TIP FROM THE PRO

BROCK SHAFER
DIRECTOR OF INSTRUCTION
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PRO SHOP (901) 755-3160
BROCK@WINDYKE.COM



I was bantering with one of my students last month about some classic players that utilized a swing method that doesn't always get much attention these days. Am I 'old school'.... you bet! Here are four classic players who utilize this unique technique from oldest to youngest: Bobby Jones, Ben Hogan, Payne Stewart, and Colin Montgomery. All of these players had a distinct flow like rhythm. They truly swung the club.

How can one swing the club from a static start at the ball? After all, the swing must get started with some energy before the swinging motion can really get going, right? Can we just use our wrists to get the club into a swinging position? What is the key to getting this rhythmic swing motion started?

The key is to get the handle to move first in the backswing. By doing this, the club can swing itself to the top of the swing! Another great benefit is that when the grip moves first in the backswing, it usually moves first in the downswing. This is another key to a powerful, rhythmic downswing.

Come on out and take a lesson this fall. The swing I am describing is the most powerful swing, especially as one is aging. I would love to help you with it!



Seasonal Special

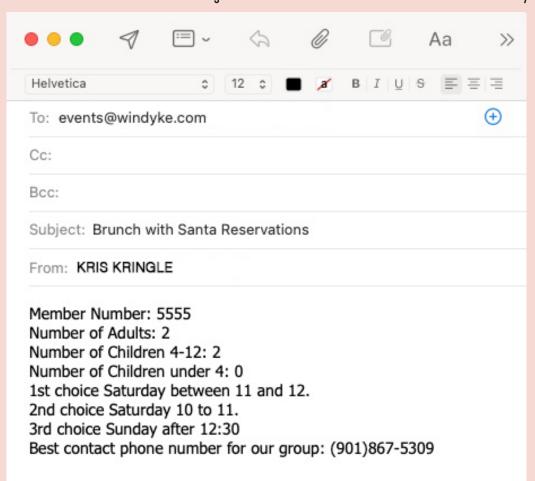
Have any of your friends or family been considering joining Windyke? This unique special allows your family and friends to join Windyke from November 1 to March 1 and defer the initiation fee until March 1. It's a great value for prospective members to try out The Club and make the decision to join our Windyke family.

Don't forget about our referral program! Members receive one month's dues credit on their credit book for new member referrals once the initiation fee has been paid.

Now is the perfect time to try out Windyke this fall!



We will accept emailed reservations starting on Monday, November 3, at 8:00 a.m. Last year it sold out in less than 10 minutes. Please review the form below and email us at events@windyke.com but not before 8:00 a.m. on Monday, November 3. In order to ensure your reservation please make sure to have total adults and kids, your member number and your preferred day and time. A second day and time is preferred. We will record reservations in the order received as correct information is given. Please make sure to list all of the below information in your reservation.





The 2025 Tournament season comes to an end with the Turkey Day Scramble. This event is a four-person scramble that allows you to pick your own playing partners because of our popular handicapping formula.

Guidelines are as follows:

• Four-person scramble format

• Make your own teams or sign up as an individual and we will pair you

• Members and family member guests only, all players must have a GHIN Number.

• Each team's handicap is based on the following formula using each players' handicap index:

Add up the total points and subtract 10. That will be the team handicap or starting position.

Joe Smith 3 = 4 points
John Smith 6 = 3 points
Jared Smith 12 = 2 points
Jim Smith 20 = 1 Point

Total Points 10 – 10 = 0 Handicap

Max Adjustments +4/-3

Tees: Seniors 75 plus play Red tees

Seniors 60-74 play White tees Juniors 13 and under play Red tees

Female players with a 7.5 index and below play White tees Female players with a 7.6 index and above play Red tees

Players play Gold tees EXCEPT those with 0.9 indexes and below will play Blue tees

Entry Fee: \$160 including cart (per player). Paid by check, cash, or member charge. Players who withdraw after Wed., 11/26 will be charged for their entry fee.

Points Formula:

+.1 & below = 5 Points 0 - 3.0 = 4 Points 3.1 - 8.9 = 3 Points 9.0 -14.9 = 2 Points 15.0 & above = 1 Point

Approximate Payout Based on 136 players:

Low Total	\$1400 Per Team
2nd Low Total	\$1100 Per Team
3rd Low Total	\$800 Per Team
4th Low Total	\$700 Per Team
5th Low Total	\$600 Per Team
Low Front/Low Back	\$500 Per Team
2nd Low Front/Low Back 3rd Low Front/Low Back 18 Individual Contests	\$400 Per Team
3rd Low Front/Low Back	\$300 Per Team
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Pasta Night

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH 5:30 - 8PM

ADULTS \$33 124UNDER \$20

there will be a separate children's area reservations open October 14th at 8am by email only

events@windyke.com.

CANCELLATIONS MADE WITHIN 48 HOURS OF EVENT WILL BE SUBJECT TO A CHARGE OF FULL DINNER PRICE.

Build Your Own

PASTAS

Linguine Rigatoni Cavatappi Gluten Free Fettuccini

SAUCES

Alfredo (GF) Bolognaise (GF) Marinara (GF) Pesto Basil (GF)

PROTEINS

Chicken Ground Beef Italian Sausage Shrimp

TOPPINGS

Roasted Mushrooms,
Diced Onions, Grape Tomatoes,
Spinach, Black Olives,
Sun-Dried Tomatoes,
Sweet Peppers, Bell Peppers,
Parmesan Cheese, Romano Cheese

Built for You

Chicken & Vegetable Tortellini

Caesar Salad

Vegetable Lasagna

Traditional Meatballs

Creamed Spinach

Garlic Bread

DESSERTS

Tiramisu Carmel Cheesecake

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We will have a kids' area with a kids' buffet, crafts, a movie, and two attendants. It is limited to the first 25 kids signed up. Children must be 3 years old or older, pottytrained, and able to follow instructions. Parents must attend pasta night and stay on the property.





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FRIDAY, NOV 28 RACE STARTS AT 8AM

\$15 per person

Run, walk, and make special memories with your family the day after Thanksgiving by joining us on our second-ever race through Windyke's East Course! You will have the option to run (or walk) the front 9 for 2 miles or the entire course for 4 miles. Medals for finishers plus raffle prizes! Complementary Bloody Mary or Mimosa and light breakfast. Registration is online, email events@windyke.com for more information!



Thanksgiving To-Go Orders

We will begin taking Thanksgiving to-go orders on November 3rd. Please call the Snack Bar at 901-754-1844 to place your to-go order. Orders must be in by November 23rd and picked up by November 26th at 5pm.

1/4 pan is 8-10 servings, 1/2 pan is 15-20 servings; full pans is 30-40 servings.

Protein

Turkey and Gravy \$10 lb Honey Ham \$9 lb

Sides 1/4 1/2 **Full Pan Garlic Mashed Potatoes** \$35 \$65 \$120 **Cornbread Dressing** \$30 \$55 \$100 **Sweet Potatoes** \$30 \$55 \$100 Carrots \$25 \$45 \$80 \$55 \$100 Green Bean Casserole \$30 **Squash Casserole** \$30 \$55 \$100

Dessert

Sister Schubert Rolls

1/4 1/2 Full Pan
Bread Pudding \$30 \$60 \$120

\$8 for 10 rolls



CONGRATULATIONS 2025 CLUB CHAMPIONS!

WOMEN'S DOUBLES MARY ELLEN MATHEWS, JENNY WEBSTER

MEN'S SINGLES HAMILTON JACKSON

MEN'S DOUBLES TYLER DARBY, TIM MYRICK

MEN'S 3.5 DOUBLES DOUG WILSON, DAVID VAN HORN

LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD MEN...
WE WANT TO CREATE A SUPER SENIOR GROUP FOR WEEKDAY INDOOR DOUBLES. CONTACT THE TENNIS SHOP, 754-2430 FOR DETAILS.

EXTENDED SHOP HOURS START NOV 3 M-F: 8:30-12:30, 1:30-4:00

SAT: 8:30-12:30 SUN: 2:00-5:00

ASK ABOUT OUR NEW CONCIERGE STRINGING SERVICE

STRING AND GRIP PACKAGES FROM \$30

INDOOR SEASON HAS BEGUN...
SEE WINTER OPPORTUNITIES FOR TENNIS AND PICKLEBALL

- CLASSES/LESSONS
- DAILY COURT AVAILABILITY
- SEASONAL CONTRACT TIMES
- LEAGUES AND OPEN PLAY SESSIONS
- SPECIAL EVENTS

FIND DETAILS IN COURT RESERVE APP OR SCAN OR