



RIO BRAVO COUNTRY CLUB

TEE TIMES newsletter

Upcoming Events

DAYLIGHT OPERATING HOURS

PRO SHOP & RANGE

Mondays 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday through Friday
7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays
6:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

GRILL

Mondays 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday through Thursday
7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Friday
7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Happy Hour 5 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays
7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

LOUNGE

Mondays 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday through Friday
7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sunday & Holidays
7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

BUSINESS OFFICE

Mondays 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Tuesday through Friday
8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Saturday Only
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

February 8, 2009

Couples' Valentine Tournament & Dinner. 12 p.m. Shotgun.

February 14, 2009

Valentine's Dinner & Dance at 5:30 p.m.

April 12, 2009

Easter Brunch

Happy Hour Menu

February 6, 2009

BBQ Ribs, Baked Beans, Whole Corn, Coleslaw, Salad Bar, Soup and Dessert.

February 13, 2009

Pork Chops, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables, Salad Bar, Soup and Dessert.

February 20, 2009

Chicken Cordon Bleu, Rice Pilaf, Vegetables, Salad Bar, Soup and Dessert.

February 27, 2009

Blackened Salmon w/ Tropical Orange Sauce, Twice Baked Potatoes, Vegetables, Salad Bar, Soup and Dessert.

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Kiger's Korner

Jim Kiger, P.G.A. Head Golf Pro

The 2009 Ladies Senior Club Champion is: Suzanne Clarksean (173) Super Senior Champion: Vivian Sparks Runner-up: Treva Cardiel Low Net: Paula Kalpakoff
Won playoff with Vivian Sparks

Men's team play is under way, check calendar for Saturday dates. President's Day is a holiday (Buddy members after 9 a.m.).

Couples' Valentine Tournament & Dinner; Sunday, February 8, 2009, 12 p.m. shotgun. Member-Member or Member-Guest. Sign up sheet in Pro Shop.

Calloway Demo Day; Saturday, February 14, 2009 9 a.m - 1 p.m.

2008 Guest Passes are no longer valid. Please don't lose your 2009 guest pass card. They will not be replaced. Pick up your guest pass in the business office.

NEW CARTS ARE HERE!!!

Please pair with riders whenever possible. All riders must stay off mounds. Must be 16 with driver's license to operate golf cart per lease agreement.

The Serving Table

Patti Maxwell, Food and Beverage

Starting in February we will introduce our frequent Diners' card. With this card, once you have purchased 10 meals, you will receive one meal for free. Members must have card present when ordering so our servers can punch out the designated area each time meals are purchased. Your card must be present at the time of meal purchase (NO EXCEPTIONS) Good for grill menu ONLY. No starters, half baskets, side orders, and no combining of card please. This is just one of Rio Bravo's ways to say Thank You for supporting our grill.

Do not forget Saturday, February 14th, 2009, we are having our Valentine's Dinner and Dance. A great night out for only \$49.95 a couple. RSVP by calling the Business Office or you can sign up at the Bar. But do NOT wait too long seating is limited.

Coming in March is our St. Patrick's Day tournament and dinner to follow on the 15th. Sign up in the pro shop. Remember you do not have to participate in the tournament to come to the dinner. Just a reminder mark your calendars. Our Easter Brunch is coming April 12th.

Cutting Edge

Trini Hernandez, G.C.S.

We are approaching the aerification of the greens and tees, and I would like to take the opportunity to remind you that March 16, the entire golf course will be closed for aerification. Nine holes will be available to play for the rest of the week, of course, rotating front and back nine every other day. We apologize for the inconvenience that this may cause. It is in everyone's best interest to maintain healthy turf and fast greens.

Also, I would like to inform you the Corporation Officers have approved the continuance of renovation of the sand bunkers to (1) bunker every other month.

Let me pass this good information to you before I forget; the Corporation also approved the overseeding of the fairways for the fall of 2009. The perennial rye grass is a good crop for winter season as you can see our fairways were not as pretty as they are used to due to the lack of the overseeding last year. Other than that, I am certain that you already noticed that there is a lot of tree transplanting going on. The removal of the trees is due to that they are Willow trees and they do better in creeks or rivers. Also, their root system becomes shallow due to lack and damage our equipment as a result.

The Office

Trinidad Hernandez, General Manager

There is no doubt on my mind that RBCC has grown in the last five months. We have gained 120 new members since our membership campaign started. I would like to thank all the individuals that have come forward and joined the Club. The new members appreciation dinner was successful; the food was delicious and the event was very informative. I encourage everyone to attend our various club functions; they are fun, inexpensive and that way you continue to support our Club the same way you did when you joined. I also want to give a special thanks to the current membership for being dedicated members; your generosity has saved our Club from going into limited restricted play. You all deserve the best and I truly believe that this year we are going to be in much better shape. For 2009, we the Club have many good ideas to make changes to the Clubhouse. We are also looking into expanding the snack bar area to accommodate more guests. Expansion of the wedding lawn area is on the way and the parking lot lights are in need of replacement.

By the time you receive this newsletter the mud hens (coots) will have been removed from the golf course area as it has been scheduled with U.S.D.A on 1/26/09.

If you have any suggestions or concerns please do not hesitate to stop by the Pro Shop or Business Office.

WOMEN'S CLUB

Barbara Valenzuela, Women's Club President

Welcome two new Women Club Members, Mary Mallett and Evelyn Goldfinch.

The 2009 Rio Bravo Women's Membership books are now available in the locker room. Thank You, Karen Homme for a job well done.

Members still have until the member/guest tournament on the first weekend in February to pay the annual tournament fee of \$100.00. Those participating in the February 7th tournament are encouraged to check in no later than 7:45 for the 8:30 shotgun. we had 11 players participate in the Senior Club Champion. Congratulations to Suzanne Clarksean who is our new Senior Champion with score of 91-82 for 173 total. There was a 1-hole sudden death playoff which resulted in Suzanne winning with a par. Treva Cardiel ended up getting the runner up title with a 183 total while Paula Kalpakoff won first net with a 157.

As mentioned previously, Treva requests that members call her personally to sign up for Saturday play rather than the Pro Shop. Please call her cell phone. There are still a lot of people who haven't "paid up" their obligated \$20.00 to the Hole-In-One club. Please contact Treva or Vivian. If any of you are intrested in playing at Seven Oaks on their guest day, contact Stephanie Hill at goldcrest-inc@aol.com and she'll be sure to you are included in their play day.

The Tri-Club tournament is scheduled for March 5, 6, and 11, 2009. Sign up sheet is in the locker room. This is a partner event: Seven Oaks-Scramble, Rio Bravo-Champion and Sundale-Best Ball. The cost is \$80.00

MEN'S CLUB

Randy Moore, Men's Club President

Dear, Men's Club Members,

Hello and Happy New Year to all our members. We are currently in the middle of Team Play and as of this letter, we have two wins and one loss. This will run through the middle of February. Keep up the good work Bernie and David, Team Captains.

Just a reminder that our Men's Club dues are due for 2009 and it is only \$35.00. We would like to collect the dues as soon as possible. The Business Office, in the past collected the dues, but this year a decision was made to have the men's club to collect the dues.

Please make checks payable & mail it to:
Rio Bravo Men's Club
Post Office Box 60118
Bakersfield, California 93386-0118

The Men's Club is also in the process of finding members who are available and have the time to join the Board and help run our Men's Club for the next two years.

Plus, we have recently had a meeting with Jim Kiger and planned our tournaments for 2009. We will have fliers soon at the Pro Shop with details.

Thank you!

Welcome New Buddy Members

Please Welcome Rio Bravo Country Club's newest members:

Lee Gable, David Witcher, Robert Witcher, Randy Newland, Duane Williams, Dornell Winters, Anthony Williams, John Walz, Tom Valos, Ronnie Shearer, Chris Johnson, Donald Mitchell, Cecil Valenzuela, Andrew Cantu, Gabriel Fimbres, Julian Rodriguez, Leroy Bush, Harold Salinas Jr., Jason Mehalko, Rodney Goldfinch, Bonnie Christie, Charles Dover, Kathryn Marks, Jaclyn Bunch, James Jett, Gary Robins, Denny Rushton, Jess Winters, George Culver, Thomas Riggs, Larry Campbell, Donald Border, Greg Summers, Roobie Mundorf, Jason Bergstrom, Richard Tucker, Gregory Medina, Lawrence Flores, Stevens Garrett, Marlo Medina, Edward Mallet, Jeffery Krausse, Richard Maxwell, Fred Croson, Michael Wood, Steve Young, Charles Webb, Dan Walters, Gary Powers, Brian Dunlap, Rick Russell, Mike Harper.



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